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$2,500 IS GOAL SET FOR LOCAL CHEST DRIVE

Conservative Estimate Set To Take Care Of Most Destitute Cases Here

Although only $1300 was raised for the Chilton County Chest Fund of 1930, the goal for this year has been set at $2,500, which is $1,500 less than the goal set last year, and a more desperate appeal is to be made for practically anything that will be of use to take care of the most destitute cases in the county this winter. Anything, including cash, clothes, food and credit slips good for trade at stores will be appealed for, during the drive which is scheduled to begin in the county Monday, January 12th. The need for this appears to be much greater now than last year.

The finance committee, after making a rough estimation of the needs of the county and looking over past records, have set a very low goal of $2,500. It is true that the goal of 1930 was $4,000, but was not reached. If the goal of $4,000 last year had been met the Child Welfare Department would have been able to have done more real constructive work in building up child life than was done, but on account of only about $1,300 being raised many calls for real help had to be refused. Due to the condition of the country and nation, we will be compelled to have a low budget for 1931 and will have to

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Robinson Dept. Store Badly Damaged, Fire

The Robinson Department Store, one of Clanton's largest and most popular dry goods and ready-to-wear stores was badly damaged last Tuesday morning by an early morning fire, origin of which was not determined at this time.

The alarm was sounded about two-thirty Tuesday morning and at that time the rear of the building was a mass of flames inside, a tin roof keeping the flames from showing until they had gained considerable headway. Several lines of hose were stretched out and used by volunteer firemen who showed some real courage in their efforts to get the flames under control.

The fire was confined to the rear of the large building which housed the millinery department of the Robinson Department Store, gutting that department entirely. The stock in the front of the store was also damaged by the heat and smoke. The building is the property of Renfroe Mullins. The estimate of the damage was not learned as we go to press.

MR. AND MRS. J. WATTS MOORE OBSERVE WEDDING ANNIVERS'Y

Mr. and Mrs. J. Watts Moore observed their twenty-seventh wedding anniversary on last Monday evening at their attractive home here, with a six o'clock dinner.

Members of the immediate family, relatives and Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Ezell were guests at this occasion.

H. G. BOYD RECENT VISITOR TO CLANTON, FROM SELMA

Clanton received a visit last Monday from H. G. Boyd, former president of the Peoples Savings Bank here, and now vice-president of the City National Bank of Selma. Mr. Boyd was accompanied by L. C. Hendricks, who at one time was employed with the Peoples Savings Bank here and who is now holding a position as bank examiner in the state.

"My Best Girl" Here Today

One of the latest serial stories of the year begins in this issue of the News. It is "My Best Girl," by Kathleen Norris and is an up-to-date tale of ordinary people who are so like folks you know that you will be interested in everything they do, and we believe this is one of the best serial stories we have ever offered our readers.

The author, Mrs. Norris, stands in the front rank of American writers and "My Best Girl" is regarded as one of her greatest works. "Maggie" works in the five-and-ten, and so does her boy friend, Joe. Maggie's father is a letter-carrier, her sister, Liz, works in a beauty parlor, and the girl's mother has seen better days. It's good, start with the first installment in this issue.

COUNTY AGENT STAPP ATTENDING MEETING IN AUBURN, ALA.

C. E. Stapp, county agent, left Monday morning to attend the County Agents Meeting which was held in Auburn Monday and Tuesday of this week. This meeting was held for a special study of the present agricultural situation and to plan their work for the winter and spring.

On returning from this special meeting in Auburn, all county agents will call meetings of farmers, bankers and merchants and obtain their cooperation in making recommendations to farmers about planting crops or changes in livestock production during the year.

COUNTY-WIDE MEETING TO BE HELD HERE 10

Will Discuss Conditions Of Needy And Make Plans For The Future

A county-wide meeting has been scheduled to be held at the courthouse in Clanton on Saturday afternoon, January 10th for the purpose of making plans with the County Welfare Department for the coming months.

The meeting will open at two o'clock and representatives from all parts of the county are invited and urged to attend this meeting. Reports of the conditions of needy families over the county will be heard, and conditions as found by the Welfare Worker placed before the gathering.

This meeting is said to be very important due to the fact that conditions of many families over this county are grave and immediate attention is absolutely necessary. The Chilton County Chest Fund Drive with its goal set at $2,500 will open on the following Monday, and plans for this will also be discussed and made, it was stated.

MEMBER MAPLESVILLE SCHOOL FACULTY RESIGNED RECENTLY

Miss Annie Lee Gissendanner, who has been a member of the Maplesville Junior High School faculty, teaching the Fifth and Sixth grades, sent in her resignation at the beginning of the holidays, according to information from the office of the County Superintendent this week. Miss Gissendanner stated in her resignation that she wished to complete an uncompleted course in college at this time. Ralph Grant of Coopers has been selected to fill the vacancy caused by Miss Gissendanner's resignation.

Miss Mary Goodwin Jones, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Central Alabama Hospital, is able to be out again.

TWO ARE SHOT DURING XMAS IN CHILTON CO.

Foster Miller And O'Neal Glass Victims of Gunshots In Past Week

Foster Miller and O'Neal Glass are in the Central Alabama Hospital here suffering from gun shot wounds in the legs. Glass is from Jemison and Miller, the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Miller, resides near Clanton.

According to the story gathered by the News, Foster Miller had gone to the home of Steve Hilyer, in the Collins Chapel community on the night of Wednesday, December 24th, about seven-thirty o'clock. Not finding anyone at home he started to leave the house and just as he emerged from the yard, which is inclosed by hedge, he said a man rose from behind the hedge and shot him, the bullet from a pistol entering his left leg just above the knee on the left side and emerged just below the knee on the right side of the leg.

Miller stated that he managed to get into his car and reached a place nearby where he got a friend to bring him into Clanton to the hospital, where attendants state he will be able to be out sometime this week. Who his assailant was, could not be learned at this time, and no arrests have been made in connection with the shooting. Rumors state that Miller had been threatened before, and warned to stay away from the Hilyer home.

O'Neal Glass, age 17, was accidentally shot in his right leg by C. F. Hoehn, while the two were out hunting Friday, December 26th. The charge entered the calf of his leg. He was brought to the hospital here where he is said to be betting along all right. He is the son of Mrs. Will Glass, of near Jemison, Alabama.

TWO COUNTY TEACHERS GET HUSBANDS IN PAST MONTH

Only two of the teachers employed in Chilton County schools were married during the past several days. These two were formerly known to their pupils as Miss Olys Bean and Miss Edna McInnish, but now as the result of these marriage ceremonies referred to, Miss Bean has become Mrs. Vernie Smith and Miss McInnish has become Mrs. Seymore Reynolds, of Jemison, Alabama.

E. G. Caldwell, postmaster and merchant at Pletcher, was a business visitor to Clanton Monday.

Miss Elizabeth Parnell, attractive and talented daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. N. Parnell of Maplesville, left Sunday for Birmingham after spending the Christmas holidays with her parents.

FIRE DESTROYS BALDWIN HOME AT VERBENA

Local Firemen Answer Call And Pump Water From Creek Onto Flames

A fire which cast a red glow so clearly that it could be easily seen in Clanton, destroyed the old Baldwin house in Verbena, Alabama, early last Monday morning. The alarm was sounded in Clanton, about two o'clock Monday morning and the local volunteer firemen answered the call, making the trip from Clanton to Verbena in record time. Many people from Clanton also drove down.

A Mrs. Davis was occupying the large two-story home at the time, and information stated that very little of the furnishings were saved from the flames as the house was a mass of flames when discovered. The house stood on the northern edge of town, directly across the railroad from the Sid Gobson home, and a stiff northeast wind carried large and dangerous sparks to practically all parts of the town, but a close watch was maintained by Verbena citizens and damage to other homes and buildings was averted.

Although the house was burned to where the frame was standing, the local volunteer firemen did some good work in extinguishing the blaze as it was. There being no fire hydrants at Verbena, the powerful pump on the truck pumped water from the creek which flows nearby, and a steady stream of water was supplied. The origin of the fire nor the estimate of the damage could not be learned at the time of this writing. The home was said to have been one of the oldest in Verbena.

LOCAL CLUB SPONSORS BIG HOLIDAY DANCE MONDAY

The Clanton Cotillion Club was host on last Monday night at one of the brilliant entertainments of the season in Clanton, when they staged a holiday dance here.

The dance was given in the recently remodeled building formerly occupied by the post office. The Nomads orchestra furnished music, and from indications it was a complete success. Admittance was by invitation only.

W. M. POLK, SR., ABLE TO BE OUT FOLLOWING ILLNESS

The many friends of W. M. Polk, Sr., of the Polk Brothers Motor Co., of Clanton will be glad to learn that he has returned to his home after being confined to a Birmingham hospital for sometime. Mr. Polk was able to be out again last Monday.

Miss Mabel King of Billingsley was in Clanton shopping Monday afternoon.

SIDNEY BLASENGAME DIED IN MOUNTAIN CREEK

Sidney B. Blasengame, who was for a time a resident of Clanton, passed away at his home in Mountain Creek last Christmas morning about ten o'clock. Funeral services were held the following morning at the Corinth cemetery with the Rev. Rogers officiating.

The deceased was for a number of years a resident of Clanton, being the son, of 'S. A. Blasengame who died here about ten years ago. He was fifty-five years of age at the time of his death and is survived by two children, Fannie, aged 13, and Mary Ellen, aged 8, and one aunt, Miss Mollie Hannon.

B. Y. P. U. WILL MEET SUNDAY AT VERBENA

Associational Convention Of Unity Association Opens At 2:30 P. M.

The Baptist Young People's Union Associational Convention of Unity Association is scheduled to be held on next Sunday, January 4th, at the Verbena Baptist church, and will open at two-thirty in the afternoon. The theme for this meeting will be "Standards for Christian Living." Following is the program for the afternoon:

2:30—Song Service.

Devotional, Rev. A. S. Bentley.

Business, Roll Call and Announcements..

Reading, "A New Leaf,'- Verbena Intermediate.

Laying the Foundation for Christian Living, Mr. H. T. Wooten.

Reading, Verbena Junior.

Special Song, Verbena B. Y. P. U.

Standards for Christian Living, Rev. J. C. Hill.

Measuring the Efficiency of Christian Living, District President.

4:00—Adjourn.

All Baptists are urged to attend this this meeting.

FARM BUREAU OFFICE WANTS TERRACING LEVEL RETURNED

The Chilton County Farm Bureau Office stated this week that someone borrowed a land terracing level from them some time ago and has not yet returned it. They wish to ask that this instrument be returned to the office as soon as possible, as they have need for it.

Miss Mary Foshee will return Wednesday to Bob Jones College, Panama City, Fla., after spending the Christmas holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foshee.

W. C. Blalock of Clanton Route 2 was in Clanton last Wednesday.

A New Year With New Opportunities

Making New Year's resolutions is an ancient custom, handled by some in a serious manner, by others in a jovial manner, becoming the subject for many jokes. The New Year is here, bringing with it new hopes, new ideas, new inspirations and is being welcomed by a people who have acquired much learning from a recent condition referred to a a "financial depression."

Definite plans, not resolutions in regard to business are needed at this time. Resolutions are made to be lived up to, plans are made to work by and with. So often during the first part of the past year one could hear the remark. "If I can only pull through this year." Those who were heard to say that have done more 'pulled through' this past year, in the majority of cases, and now have a new year in which to start, with new hopes and new inspirations. Possibly it is true that 1930 was a hard year, but how many of us really suffered? Yes, perhaps we did have to do without some things, luxuries no doubt, that we had been enjoying, but are none the worse off for that. Is it not true that there were more bank and other business failures during 1929 than afterwards?

We will say that somehow we feel that conditions are going to improve, or, we should say, are now on the road to recovery and properly adjusted. It is true that this time last year we knew we were in for some hard times, but we did not anticipate its severity, due to the fact that we did not foresee the damaging drought nor the big decline in the price of cotton. Local conditions are in a large way dependent on crop outcome in the county. We have no large industries such as steel mills, flour mills and railroad shops employing thousands of workers, those who could be put without work on account of a slump in consumption of products of these plants. Chilton County is an agricultural county. The towns located in Chilton County are dependent largely on business from farmers in the county, and the farmers are dependent on the outcome of their crops and the price paid for their products. It would be quite a different story if the farmers were restricted to raising only one crop or one product, but fortuitately, they can raise a varied line of products suitable for their own consumption.

Then is it true that if local farmers had received a fair price for their cotton, that if the recent drought had not occurred, and that local farmers had raised more money crops, other than cotton—conditions in this county would have been far better than they were? Some place the recent depression blame on the stock market crash, others place it most anywhere, and taking Chilton County into consideration, what effect on the majority of the farmers here, did the stock crash have, other than possibly affecting the price of cotton. Were the farmers of Chilton County speculating in stocks? The answer to that question can readily be found in the negative.

Summing the situation up we find this: Our county is an agricultural county; the farmers here are industrious and willing to learn; they can raise products on their farms sufficient to feed their families and livestock and have means by which to convert raw food into products suitable for use; the recent drought curtailed expected production of all crops in the county, hitting some sections a terrific blow; farmers received an extremely low price for their cotton and strawberries. Now, the drought is over, crops, such as they were have been gathered and lands are now ready to be put in preparation for crops for another season. The merchants in the various towns of the county enjoyed a fair business during recent months. There have been no bank failures in our county as in many others. The Wall Street market has "crashed," hit bottom and can now be classed among those things in the past, 1930 is gone, leaving us facing a new year, another chance—a chance to prepare ourselves for the future, our farmers have a new season facing them, and with their recent experience should profit by it. The history of panics in the past fifty years shows they have only averaged from ten to eighteen months in duration—history repeats itself. In view of that, our recent "panic" has come to its finish.

So, now is the time for plans to be made—plans that will enable us to pull through smoothly in the future with nothing less than a bright outlook facing us. Let us so arrange and outline our plans for the coming year that we will be able to live without allowing the outside world with its stock crashes, bank failures to interefere. No bank nor business failure brought on the drought that struck such a devastating blow to Chilton County the past year. That too, is over now, so let's be sensible and look ahead, plan for the future of our county. To conclude, we will quote from Roger Babson:

"People should understand that before prosperity can return there must be a renewed interest in the spiritual life by both individuals and nations. Nations should realize that the world has always possessed raw materials and labor; but has been prosperous only when the people have been actuated by a religious faith to use these resources for advancement and service. This is the law of life and now is the time when it should be taught in churches, schools and colleges. Think it over."

BILLY SMITH.

125 HAVE PAID CENTRAL FEE TO LOCAL TEL. CO.

Ninety-Two Patrons of Local Telephone Company Are Now Due Fees

On December 26th the secretary of the Peoples Telephone Company checked up on those who have paid, and the result was found that 125 had paid their fees, 110 of whom had promised to pay at the first meeting of the company. Fifteen have paid who did not pledge. Those promising to pay amounted to 202; therefore, there are 92 on all lines who have agreed to pay who have not yet paid.

Below are the lines by number, together with those on that line who have paid. The number in parenthesis at the close of each group of names represents those who promised to pay on that line.

2—M. J. Parrish, J. Monroe Parrish, Mrs. W. J. Robinson, J. W. P. Murphy; (12).

5—(7).

6—J. H. Moore, O. L. Ray, A. E. Mims, E. G. Mullins, J. I. Bice, W. A. Poole, L. C. Keen, C. B. Huett, Dock Hicks, A. N. Wilson, Mrs. G. W. Gray, G. W. Nelson, J. T. Traywick, Clarence Billingsley, J. F. Poole, John Yeargan; (15).

9—Dr. J. P. Hayes.

13—Albert Edwards, O E. Edwards; (7).

17—J. N. Miner, W. W. Giles; (11).

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Mullins-Talley Wedding Solemnized Sat.

The following account of the marriage of Miss Moren Talley of Anniston, to Mr. Burton Mullins of Clanton, and Eufaula, was taken from The Anniston Star, of Sunday, December 28:

Miss Moren Talley
Becomes Mrs. Mullins

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Talley announce the marriage of their daughter, Margaret Moren, to Mr. Burton Mullins, of Eufaula, the ceremony having been beautifully solemnized on Saturday afternoon at five o'clock, at the home of the bride on Montvue Road. Rev. Samuel E. Hodges performed the wedding rites in the presence of a number of relatives, close friends and out-of-town guests. The home was charmingly arranged for the nuptial event with a profusion of palms, Southern smilax and ferns, with an improvised altar as a setting for the wedding party.

While awaiting the appearance of the bride, Mr. Elbert Parsons sang, "All For You," with Mrs. Luther Liles accompanying. Mrs. Liles also played softly during the plighting of the vows. The bride entered the presence of the guests with her father, Mr. Herbert H. Talley, by whom she was given in marriage. She was a lovely bride attired in a creation of lace chiffon, a Mery Popora model of shell blush and her accessories were Mignonette green, while she carried a bouquet of Joanna Hill roses and valley lilies. The bride had as her matron of honor her sister, Mrs. Ormsby Dawkins, of Louisville, Ky., who wore for the occasion a Mary Elizabeth model of yellow sun-gold chiffon, with accessories of beige claire. Her flowers were Talisman roses. Little Miss Doris Ormsby, of Louisville, acted as her aunt's flower girl and was daintily dressed in shell pink chiffon. The bride was met at the altar by Mr. Mullins and his best man, Mr. Reese G. Mullins, of Clanton, and the ceremony was impressively read.

An informal reception followed the marriage and the bride's table was a beautiful one in pink and white. The wedding cake held the usual favors and burning tapers cast a pretty glow over the scene.

The bride changed her wedding dress for a traveling costume of Arosa blue with gray accessories and departed in the late afternoon for Florida. She and Mr. Mullins will be at home after January first in Eufaula.

Among the out-of-town guests for the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. C. Reese Mullins, Mr. W. L. Mullins, Mr. Claudie Pipes, Mr. Samuel Upchurch, Mr. Edwin Mullins, Mr. Barney Burnett, Dr. and Mrs. Joe Edgar, Miss Sophia C. Mullins, Mr. and Mrs. Hosea F. Downs, of Clanton, Mrs. J. M. Shepperd of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin B. Small, Mrs. J. M. Jackson, Mr. W. B. Small, Mr. Reese Mullins, Jr., Miss Gladys Jackson, of Gadsden; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walker, Miss Margaret Walker and Mr. Norman Pilgreen, of Birmingham.

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MAYONNAISE I. G. A.	LARGE JAR	18c
CALIFORNIA Prunes—Fancy Santa Claras	2 Pounds	17c
FANCY WHITE RICE I. G. A. Full Head	3-LB BAG	23c
OATMEAL I. G. A.—Either Style	20-OZ. PKG.	9c
GRITS I. G. A. Fancy White	2 PKGS.	17c
PEANUT BUTTER I. G. A. Fancy	16-OZ. JAR	21c
COUNTRY GENTLEMAN CORN I. G. A.	2 Large Cans	35c
GINGER ALE I. G. A. Pale Dry	2 Large Bottles	25c
COFFEE "I" BLEND Always Fresh	Lb. Pkg.	35c
COFFEE "G" BLEND Always Fresh	Lb. Pkg.	28c
COFFEE "A" BLEND Always Fresh	Lb. Pkg.	23c
SLICED BACON Sunlight Rindless	POUND	32c
BROOMS Clean Sweep 4-String	EACH	29c
APPLES Fancy Winesaps	DOZEN	21c
RIPE BANANAS	POUND	5c
LUX TOILET SOAP	2 CAKES	15c
IRISH POTATOES Colorado Rurals	5 POUNDS	15c
BUTTER Sunlight Finest Creamery	POUND	34c
BREAKFAST SAUSAGE Puritan Little Links—Cello. Wrapped	POUND	29c
FLOUR I. G. A. Plain or Self Rising	24-LB. BAG	$1.10
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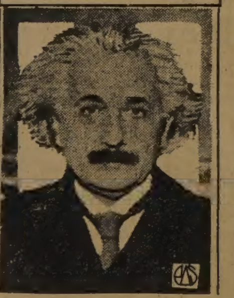
When Myron Turnquist of Chicago attempted to shave with a butcher knife he cut his face so badly that he had to be taken to a hospital for treatment.

Einstein Arrives



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In a recent hold up, a pretty red-headed girl bandit of Los Angeles, made her victim take off his trousers and she took them with her to prevent him from pursuing her.

Marriage Licenses

The following marriage licenses were issued in Chilton County during the month of December:

Doris J. Cook and Miss Cozy Lee Wallace.

Marvin L. Traywick and Miss Annie Cleckler.

Harmon B. Green and Miss Marjorie M. Linken.

Kizer Trott and Miss Ethel DeRamus.

W. D. Smith and Miss Elizabeth Sanders.

Clifford Lecroy and Miss Pauline Williams.

Clifford G. Foshee and Miss Myrtle Headley.

Marvin Maddox and Miss Ethel Bradford.

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J. W. Adkins and Miss Nora A. Davis.

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R. C. Peterson and Miss Jewell Bean.

Harvie DeVaughn and Miss Mary Ethel Brown.

W. P. Davison and Miss Nellie Terry.

R. B. Parsons and Miss Ina Dukes.

Charles Terrell Cline and Miss Mildred Joyce Vann.

Eugene Deramus and Miss Leora Latham.

Ralph Dinglestedt and Miss Agnes Maddox.

Walter Herbert Ivey and Miss Lettie Dee Draper.

George Washington Langston and Miss Myrtle Carter.

Russell Cleckler and Miss Ressie Easterling.

H. E. Maddox and Miss Myrtle Littlejohn.

Bernie Johnson and Miss Gertie Baker.

Curtis Popwell and Miss Beulah Deason.

Rufus Scott and Miss Leona Price.

R. G. Cleckler and Miss Willie D. Lucas.

William E. Rushing and Miss Mattie Lillian Morris.

Oscar Cox and Miss Ozella Brown.

Vernie Smith and Miss Olys Bean.

John M. Robinson and Miss Jewell Marie Plier.

Carl Dawson and Miss Elsie Mae Rascoe.

J. G. Dansby and Miss Dera Lee Burks.

J. D. Smith and Mrs. Ruby Smith.

Curtis Brand and Miss Nolery Myrtice Jones.

C. E. Chrisenberry and Miss Marjory McNeill.

Von Simms and Miss Velma Lenoir.

Jesse Watts and Miss Minnie Mae Vines.

Ray Robinson and Miss Doris Johnson.

George Russell Jones and Miss Thelma Jones.

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In order to obtain free rides, a hitch-hiker who passed Little Falls, Min., recently, carried a red gasoline can so that he would appear to passing motorists as a fellow driver out of gas.

John Schexnayder, 82-year-old backwoodsman of Baton Rouge, La., told the judge as he stood before federal court that he had been making whiskey for 50 years and had never heard of the prohibition law.

Pale and Weak

"I THINK Cardui is a wonderful medicine, for I improved greatly after taking it," says Mrs. A. W. English, of R. F. D. 4, Roanoke, Va. "When I was just a girl of 13, my mother gave this medicine to me, and it did me a great deal of good. I was weak and run-down. After I had taken Cardui awhile, I felt much better.

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This Week in WASHINGTON

BY RADFORD MOBLEY
AUTOCASTER WASHINGTON BUREAU

Washington, D. C., Dec. 29—(Autocaster)—Additional legislation concerning the federal farm board appears sure during the short session of Congress beginning Dec. 1. When the board submits to Congress its appropriations estimate for the year, it will also request certain changes in the law which created it. Just what form these changes will take is as yet unknown, although it seems pretty well assured that some of them will deal with present credit restrictions. This will be a signal for renewed agitation regarding the debenture plan, equalization fee or some similar subsidy" scheme. Present prospects are, however, that little prospect remains for enactment of any of these into law; at least not before the new Congress convenes in December of next year.

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Two Minnesotans who never appear in public prints are among the most vital cogs of the farm board. They are Chris L. Christensen, secretary, and Edgar Markham, director of information.

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They don't form any board policies, exactly, but they nevertheless play a very large and real part in the functioning of the board; what is more they are more in contact with the visitor to the board's offices than any one member of the board. Christensen, the six-and-a-half footer who is always so busy used to be in the agricultural economics bureau of the agriculture department and is one of the most expert of all federal agricultural experts. Markham, former Washington correspondent of the St. Paul Pioneer-Press, is almost the real secretary to the board, attending all meetings and having wide discretion, while many of Christensen's activities are those you would expect members only to perform.

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Two hundred post office employes probably wouldn't agree with you if you think the American people are not so stupid, after all. They are the ones who annually handle 25,000,000 dead letters or pieces of undelivered mail. Most of these are wrongly or illegibly addressed; and about four-fifths must be destroyed because it is impossible to discover to whom they are addressed.

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"In many states the farmers are now working two days a week to pay the cost of government." This is the key statement in a report on farm taxes issued here by the Rawleigh Foundation, a foundation maintained by a wealthy Illinois manufacturer. The report states that direct state and local taxes now equal 31 per cent of the net rent of farms; that farmers now pay more than four times as much in taxes as they spend for seed; two and a half times as much as they spend for fertilizer; and one and a half times as much as all farm improvements cost. It has been sent to all state legislatures, 42 of which convene in January.

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A plant protector for the aid of young plants has just been patented here embodying several new features. It consists of a corrugated rim to be party pushed into the earth, and a top which is detachable but wedges into the rim in the ground. This top is a dome of wire with a rim around the bottom which fits into the ground rim. It is patented by John L. Stevason of Indianapolis.

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Approximately three-quarters of a million files of abandoned patent applications will be destroyed in the next six months, as a result of a recent act of Congress. This act gave the commissioner of patents authority which had been lacking before. For 20 years these ancient files had been accumulating at a rate of from 30,000 to 40,000 a year. Congress has finally acted to allow for their disposal before the Patent Office moves to its new quarters in the gigantic new Commerce Department building here.

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"My best friend stole my wooden leg and pawned it for money to buy gasoline," Orire Van Helden reported to police in Elizabeth, N. J.

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Anthony Guilliliano of New York City has been sent to prison for seven years, convicted of stealing 40 cents.

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After a divorce had been granted, Einer Laamanen of Ashtabula, O., was ordered to pay his former wife 15 bushels of potatoes as alimony.

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When Mrs. Rebecca W. Merer of Philadelphia made her will, she added a codicil requesting that her granddaughter keep her watch wound for her sake.

An Answer To A Merchant

AN EDITORIAL FROM THE SUSQUEHANNA, PA., EVENING TRANSCRIPT

A Susquehanna business man was heard to complain about lack of trade yesterday. We reminded him that he never advertised, and he replied that he used circular letters and postcards to tell the people about his goods.

We asked him if he ever announced births, deaths, or weddings in the circular letters and handbills he sent out? If he ever told what the town council does, or reported the hundred and one things taking place here? If he mentioned the goings and comings of people? If he mentioned the parties held, and what the schools are doing? If he included an item or two about the basketball games? If he printed church notices in the letters and handbills?

"Of course not," he replied. "All that is for you to print in the Transcript."

We admitted the responsibility, and then asked him if he did not think it wise to include his business appeal in the Transcript, that the 6,000 readers might take notice of it while they read the news of the community.

He was candid in his admission that he had never looked upon newspaper advertising in that light before.

If you want to talk to the people of this community direct, the Evening Transcript offers the best medium—the advertising columns. And the cost is far below what the postage and printing alone costs to mail out circular letters. Of course, all people do not read the ads. All the people who pass a store do not enter. All the good people do not go to church. All visitors to a store do not buy, either. But if you want your business message in a place where it is more apt to be read than any other place, then put it in the home-town paper.

Don't say business is poor until you have tried advertising long enough to build up confidence, and establish a reputation for serving the public in a modern way.

One drop of medicine does not cure a sick person. One ad will not cure a sick business. Even a sheriff's sale has to be advertised three times to be effective. — Susquehanna (Pa.) Evening Transcript.

There is no substitute for merchandising ability --- and there is no substitute for Newspaper Advertising - especially when sales are most difficult.

MAKE THE NEWS YOUR SHOW WINDOW

Chilton County News

Publishers --- Job Printers

Clanton - - Alabama

AIR MAIL TO ASIA

What is perhaps the most ambitious air mail project ever considered is to connect the United States and Canada with China and Japan, if plans tentatively made by officials of the two North American countries can be put out into effect.

These plans were discussed on a recent visit of Assistant Postmaster General Glover to Canada, and upon his return to Washington he expressed confidence in the feasibility of the project. The proposed route would begin in the United States, cross Canada, Alaska, and the eastern edge of Soviet Russia, and terminate in China and Japan.

All the territory to be covered by the route has been flown over experimentally, and there appear to be no serious physical obstacles to the establishment of regular schedules, which would reduce the time of mail in transit as much as two weeks in some cases.

This route, Mr. Glover said, would be in keeping with the world-wide trend of the air mail, for which regular trans-Atlantic service is also being definitely contemplated.

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Mrs. Leo Lofstead of Uniontown, Pa., sued for a divorce on the grounds that her husband would not allow her to play or sing and said her laughing made him extremely nervous.

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W. L. PARRISH
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CLANTON, ALA.
PHONE 4100

ALABAMA'S COAL INDUSTRY

Spends Millions Yearly For Alabama Farm, Factory and Forest Products

WHAT Alabama needs most today is a bigger and a better home market. What Alabama is now actually facing is a shrinkage in the market already here.

For many years, Alabama's coal industry has been Alabama's biggest cash customer for Alabama farm, factory and forest products. Its purchases have aggregated many millions yearly. It has been a steady customer for almost everything that grows from Alabama soil—corn, hay, oats, produce in vast quantities. It has been a regular consumer of Alabama livestock, dairy products and poultry. It has been a big buyer of supplies and equipment made by scores of Alabama industries. It has been the principal contributor to Alabama's railroad freight revenues. It has built its villages and tipples from Alabama brick, lumber, and cement, and wherever possible it has given preference to the products Alabama makes and grows.

More than any single industry, Alabama coal and coke have been responsible for the prosperity which Alabama has enjoyed. During the nationwide depression of 1920-21, Alabama did not fell the full effects of *hard times* because Alabama's coal industry was running almost *full time.*

One of the big reasons why Alabama is now feeling so severely *this* depression, is because Alabama coal mines are now running only one to three days a week. The big buying power of the coal industry has been cut down by outside competition—natural gas, and electricity (even though produced in Alabama) which employ but little Alabama labor in proportion to coal mining. It is not alone the coal producing counties which have suffered. Every section of the state has been blighted by the back-fire.

Every time the Alabama coal and coke industry loses a customer to Natural Gas or Electricity, an Alabama farmer loses some portion of his biggest and his best home market. Every time an Alabama plant replaces Alabama coal with another form of fuel or power, it is limiting its own home market and its own future growth.

For one hundred years, the welfare of the Alabama coal industry and the welfare of our state have been irrevocably linked. To continue to forge forward they must travel hand in hand and side by side.

Alabama COAL

This Advertisement Published By Alabama Coal and Coke Producers

"Labor Has To Earn To Spend"

A CENTER OF CULTURE

In a recent letter a young woman student at the University of Wisconsin gives an enthusiastic account of the French House—La Maison Francaise—maintained in connection with the language department of the university.

The French House, first of a number of similar institutions now in existence, was established in 1918, for the purpose of giving students an opportunity to speak French and come in contact with French culture outside the classrooms. It is a sort of combination dormitory, boarding house and club for women students, but men may also take meals in the dining room.

The striking characteristic of the house is that only French is permitted to be spoken there, hence students are obliged to acquire a practical mastery of the language, instead of the mere smattering which they obtain in the average classroom. French folk songs are sung at the dinner table, French lectures are given and the French Club meets there for the study of Gallic culture and for entertainment.

This appears to be a most practical arrangement, and one which might well be adapted to the use of any college which takes its language department seriously.

THE HOTEL WITH THE RED BEACON

TUNE IN WAPI FOR HOTEL PROGRAM

THOMAS JEFFERSON
THE CONVENTION HOTEL
RATES FROM $2.50
350 ROOMS 350 BATHS
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WHERE SHALL WE EAT?

That all depends on the kind of food you want. If you want the best that can be prepared, you'll find it at

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Phone—9115
MODERN—CONVENIENT—CLEAN

Come in and look us over. Our food is good and we know you will like it.

FIRST CLASS SHOE AND HARNESS REPAIRING—"AT THE RIGHT PRICE"

Clanton Shoe Shop

I. D. ARMSTRONG, Proprietor
MAIN STREET CLANTON, ALABAMA

ALL WORK SENT BY MAIL GIVEN PROMPT ATTENTION

YOUR PATRONAGE WILL BE APPRECIATED

Four Years Ago

From Issue of January 6, 1927

Mr. C. B. Cox has just returned from Florida where he has been engaged for about two years in building good roads.

Dr. V. J. Gragg made a business trip to Montgomery last Tuesday.

Mrs. S. E. Bruce, the famous premium winner in fancy fruits, is visiting her brothers, Tom and Harry, in Bay City, Texas. She expects to be away about one month.

Senator L. H. Ellis of Columbiana was in town Thursday.

Misses Mary Ellis and Alma Robinson left Monday to resume their studies at Judson College.

Mrs. T. H. Neighbors has been very seriously ill for the past several days, but the latest reports from her bedside are that she is improving.

The occasional echo of a gin whistle reminds us that too much fleece was grown last year.

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Humorettes

Marg—Jim said my face was a poem.
Phil—So it is, like one of Browning's.
Marg—How do you mean?
Phil—Some of the lines are so deep.

Calabash was seated in his office when the phone rang. "Hello, is this Mr. Callabash?" came the voice over the wire.

"Yes," replied Calabash. "Who is this?"

"This is Johnson, Johnson, Johnson and Johnson lawyers."

"Oh, good morning, good morning, good morning, good morning."

Angus—What would you do with $1,000 if I were to give it to you?

Sandy—The first thing I would do would be to count it.

"You say your engagement was broken as the result of a misunderstanding?"

"Yes," replied the girl with weepy eyes. "I told him I never wanted him to speak to me again and he thought I meant it."

Touzalin—I hear that Dr. Cheatem isn't going to take any more vacations.

Foozello—No, after he got back from his vacation this summer almost all his patients were well.

"In time of trial," said the lecturer, "what brings us the greatest comfort?"

"An acquittal," responded a heckler in the back row.

My Best Girl

BY

KATHLEEN NORRIS

FIRST INSTALLMENT

"Gee, that is pretty!" said Mary Margaret Petheridge Johnson, in an awed whisper. Small, shabby, alone, and shuddering with pleasurable excitement and chill, she hung upon the gate of the paternal residence and paid to the miracle of paling and brightening lights and colours in the gray world about her an involuntary tribute of delight and reverence.

Behind her shabby little back, and the draggled strings of her shabby little kitchen apron, and the carelessly massed ringlets of her tousled little head, the sun was rising.

The Johnson cottage stood at the very top of a steep city block. It was a meek, self-effacing little dwelling, disreputable, lacking paint. Behind the cottage was a low row of miserable outbuildings, none able to stand alone, each one yet managing to afford a wretched support to its neighbor.

On this cool winter morning, a light from the kitchen window lay warm and yellow across the brightening yard, and a cat, huddled disgustedly against the closed kitchen door, mewed occasionally in a protesting and affronted fashion.

The two figures that were at the street gate, however, saw and heard nothing of this. One of them was a small cur dog. The other figure was that of Maggie Johnson.

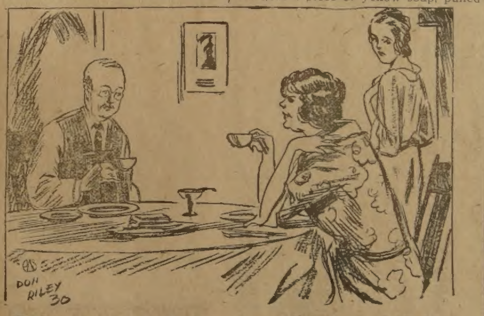
"It's pretty," she said aloud, in a dreamy voice, as the gold flashed on distant windows and dripped through trees, and the familiar silhouette of the city grew more and more recognizable. "It's like it was a big tide—washin' everyone along before it!"

For, as she hung there, tranced, whistles far away and nearby shrilled the quarter before seven o'clock, and the early workers in factories and in the big machine shops began to gather visibly in the streets. For a few minutes, their shadows moved, long and red, ahead of them. Then it was day, ordinary, commonplace, work-time again, and Maggie, rousing herself with a guilty start from the luxury of dreaming, returned to her household cares with the velocity of a little dynamo.

The sense of beauty and adventure was still strong upon her as she caught up the bottles that supplied the Johnsons with their breakfast milk and cream, and fled back to the neglected kitchen.

There was everything, domestically speaking, to be done in the kitchen, but nobody in Maggie's seventeen years had ever done it, or even half done it, and the wild disorder troubled her not at all. At seventeen, a peculiarly youthful and innocent seventeen, she was not analytical. She had spent every night of her life under this low, old-fashioned cottage roof and the dirt and disorder that Ma and Liz created in their wake and spread about them instantly were one of the simple and unavoidable conditions of her life.

Maggie had to push aside the sugar bowl and the blue plate of stale and broken soda crackers, to find room on the cluttered table to cut the fresh loaf; she had to unearth the coffee-pot from the confusion of the sink and rinse away the cuff of black ground from its spout before she could mix fresh coffee and set it on the stove to boil.



This done, she seized an instant to run into the adjoining bedroom and whisper into the ear of the man who lay asleep there:

"Seven, Pop! Lissen—seven o'clock!"

The man, a small, huddled, insignificant figure in the close gloom of the ugly little room, roused himself alertly. The double bed's other occupant also roused, groaned, and Maggie's mother stirred reluctantly and asked anxiously, apparently out of deep slumber:

"Maggie, how's the Mayor?"

"I didn't have time to look, Ma. But don't get up," the girl urged her, concernedly. "I'll bring you in some breakfast, and the paper too!"

"It don't seem right you should," Mrs. Johnson said perfunctorily. "Is 'Lizabeth up?" she asked. "You make her do her share! The worst of housekeeping," Mrs. Johnson, who had a very slight acquaintance with the subject, resumed, sighing, "is dividing up the work so one don't get it all."

Maggie, too well accustomed to these rambling dissertations to waste time in listening to them, had returned to the kitchen. She poured her father, who came noiselessly out in his postman's gray, a cup of smoking coffee, poured herself a glass of milk, and put the toast and butter between them.

Len Johnson sat down cautiously, sent an interrogative glance to the bedroom door. He was a small, timid man, with strands of silky hair brushed damp and neat across the shining bald dome of his head.

"Mad?" he asked, without sound.

Maggie set down her glass, looked straight at him, looked at the bedroom door, and shook her head.

"You wakin' her up——" Len Johnson breathed almost inaudibly.

"She didn't care!" Maggie shaped the words, with her lips, rather than said them.

Mrs. Johnson, lured by the appetizing odours kitchen-ward appeared majestically in the doorway.

A worn and spotted kimono was wrapped about her, her rich dark hair was in disorder, her eyes were fixed steadily upon her husband's shrinking form. Maggie leaped to her feet, and as her mother, who was an enormous woman sank heavily into the vacated chair, she busied herself with the coffee-pot and sacrificed, without a second's hesitation, the toast she had made for herself.

While she spread fresh slices on the oven grating, she watched both parents uneasily. Her father, pretending to eat and to act naturally, was smitten as a mouse might have been under the eyes of a cat; her mother, automatically stirring her coffee and reaching for sugar and cream, never moved her gaze from him.

"I could laugh at this," she said presently, in a clear, rich, rolling voice, every word enunciated. "I—a Petheridge—eatin' in my kitchen! And waitin' on me—is my daughter! This don't seem funny to Maggie. Len, but considerin' the home you took me from, and the way things was there, I should think it'd seem funny to you! Don't it?"

Len Johnson started nervously as the last word was shot at him.

"Indeed it don't my dear! You're quite right, I think we get along reel well—considerin'."

"Considerin' what?" the woman asked with quiet menace.

"Considerin' that your sister is entirely b yond our control, and don't pay no more attention to the father and mother that bore her than the babe unborn—considerin' that you are slaving away the best part of your life in a five-and-ten store," Mrs. Johnson took up the challenge with deadly readiness, "and considerin' that your father, who was supposed to have a fine future in a bank when I married him, as God is my judge, and as I set here this minute——Maggie," she broke off the automatic and quite unattended tirade to ask suddenly, "what are them cotton gloves like, at the Mack?"

"I didn't hear you Ma, I was talkin' to Pa," Maggie said.

"Pop, I'm workin' tonight. It's Saturday. Are you on late?" It was hardly above a murmur, it did not interefere with the majestic monologue of the lady of the house.

"Shall I wait for you like I useter, dearie?"

"No—you get comfortable an' read your paper after dinner. Murphy comes right to this corner—it ain't so far, anyway. You'll be on for the Christmas rush next week, anyway."

Maggie washed her hands at the faucet with a piece of yellow soap, pulled a small and shabby hat, once her older sister's tightly down over her thickly coiled hair, and hung up her disreputable apron. She was slipping her arms into a thick, clumsy coat—also a discard from her sister—when, reminded perhaps by the garment of its important first owner, a change came over her face, and she said in consternation:

"Oh, heavenly day! It's five past eight, and Liz says to wake her at ha'f-pas' seven!"

"For heaven's sake, what is it, Maggie?" Mrs. Johnson screamed agitated a moment later. "Don't come flying out of rooms that way—you'll have me in a faint on the floor. What's happened! What is it!"

"What's happened is that Liz Johnson and all her bedclothes are down on the floor!" Maggie answered, voice tearful with rage. "And the next time she wears only my silk stockings, I'll have her arrested—that's what's the matter! I went without lunches four days for those stockings, and she's got 'em full of runs, and I want to tell you ——Where's Pop?" She interrupted herself, suddenly calming. "Has Pop gone?" she demanded blankly, her angry face taking on an almost ludicrous look of concern and disappointment.

"Maggie, I wish you wouldn't be so sharp with 'Lizabeth," her mother said, protestingly; "it's common to have two sisters always squabblin'. If she borrowed your stockin's——"

"Borrowed! You might as well borrow a waffle," Maggie burst forth scornfully. "You might as well borrow a bath! How long ago did Pop go?"

"I can catch him—good-bye, Ma!" Maggie called, her voice coming back on the wave of cold air that was admitted by the opening kitchen door.

Mrs. Johnson sat on dreamily, munching and pondering. Maggie and the man of the family had to punch time clocks at half-past eight. But Elizabeth, the older daughter, could saunter down to the beauty parlour where she "demonstrated" a complexion cream, at any time before ten.

She came out now, tousled and sleepy as her mother had been, and wrapped, like her mother, in a soiled kimono.

"Oh, Lord, I'm dead!" she said simply.

"Have good time last night?" her mother asked, rattling sheets of newspaper.

"Time of my life. Oh, Lord, I'm dead. I got a cold, anyway. Helen's got her death of cold. Chess Rivers was just in from Denver, and he's just about dead!" Elizabeth said simply, obviously undisturbed by these mortuary details.

"Ma, you ought to get a Jap in here. This place looks something awful!"

The older woman continued to crunch and read, unruffled. Her fistborn could do no wrong.

"I know it, 'Lizabeth. But two dollars a day! My God, you wonder what next! 'Two dolalrs a day for what?' I asked one of them. 'A few dishes,' I said, 'and to sweep a cottage of five rooms—why,' I said, 'it's child's play. When I first was married,' I told him, 'I could get a girl for fifty cents a day!' "

"It seems like Maggie thinks of nobody but herself," her mother said, out of a long pause, "and that's the truth!"

But fortunately for Maggie, it was only on rare and terrible occasions that her mother and sister agreed in criticizing her. Now Elizabeth came indifferently to her defence.

"Oh, poor kid, she doesn't get many breaks!"

"You'd stand up for her, of course," Mrs. Johnson commented in reesntment.

"Well, she don't get many breaks!" Elizabeth repeated absently.

"Poverty is a curse, all right!" Mrs. Johnson presently responded vaguely. But her daughter had heard this remark so often that it made no impression, except, perhaps, that of deepening the formless discontent that was one of Liz's most marked characteristics.

Maggie had danced along the frosty winter street beside the bent, meek little figure of Len Johnson, postman, chattering, with her usual eager rush, of everything in general and of themselves in particular.

Len Johnson made almost no response. She was always like this, her eyes, her voice, her feet eager in the rush of joyous vitality that marked, for Maggie, the rise of every new day.

But even he took Maggie largely as a matter of course. 'Lizabeth was the family beauty, aristocratic and exacting and discontented, like her mother, and poor Minnie—well, she hadn't made much of a match when she had chosen Leonard Johnson, and she had never let him forget it. They had had a few years of real unhappiness.

Leonard junior had died, 'Lizabeth had been critically ill for months, bills from doctors, undertakers, nurses, hospitals had accumulated like autumn leaves, and poor Minnie's anger that there was to be a third child had added pair.
the last touch to her husband's des-

In that same dark tumbled bedroom off the kitchen from which she had impressively emerged this morning, Minnie had quite unexpectedly brought her second daughter into the world, a sickly girl, born too soon, and promisign to quit the world as unceremoniously as she had entered it.

Who indeed could have dreamed that that gasping mite, that ilttle "drowned rat," was going to turn in a few years to definite, companionable, loving Maggie?

After the general collapse of the family fortunes and the loss of her only son, Mrs. Johnson had made no further efforts to plant and foster her husband's business ambitions, or to hold up her own head in the world.

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Fennimore, Wis., has exactly 100 widows, which is 14 per cent of the total population of the town.

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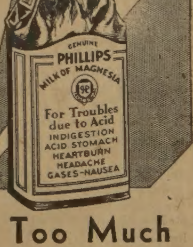
A two-cent stamp was the net loot of two robbers who held up Mrs. Alex Marks of St. Louis as she was entering her home after shopping.



Too Much ACID

MANY people, two hours after eating, suffer indigestion as they call it. It is usually excess acid. Correct it with an alkali. The best way, the quick, harmless and efficient way, is Phillips Milk of Magnesia. It has remained for 50 years the standard with physicians. One spoonful in water neutralizes many times its volume in stomach acids, and at once. The symptoms disappear in five minutes.

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What A State Seal Means

At this time, when certain people, or certain groups of people in our state, seem to have become dissatisfied with our State Seal, and are planning to propose a substitute to the next legislature, it seems fitting that we should take time to consider the meaning of a State Seal. It appears that the chief objection to the present one is the claim that the words, "Here We Rest," thereon, do not truly represent the progressive people of Alabama. That in some peculiar way that phrase is a reflection upon the industriousness of Alabama's citizens. But we dare to say that whatever the words, pictures, individual parts, or the seal as a whole, none of these can inherently give a true portrayal of the ideals, ambition, industry, and tradition of Alabama's people—it would take many books to do this—and even then the picture would be incomplete. But on the other hand, however meager the intrinsic value of the seal, or however expressive of high ambitions, in the final analysis it is the citizenship of the state which gives it its true meaning.

From the very beginning of our state, and even before its admission as a state, its people have had certain characteristics, have conceived ambitions, and gone forth to make these ideals a reality. They have pointed with pride to past glories and looked forward with great hope and immeasurable courage to the future. The State Seal, chosen arbitrarily or perhaps on some fact of minor importance, was never meant to portray a specific portion of the many things that go to make the state. It was, and must always be an emblem—a composite emblem of all of the composite parts of the great state of Alabama—made to mean what it does today by the great heroes of yesterday and of the present, the good and the bad, the poor and the wealthy, something in which every living soul, and dead, of Alabama has had a part.

In this meaning of the Great Seal of our state, it has stood for glorious things in the past. Our great men of industry, education, statesmenship, medicine, and in other fields of accomplishment have wrought things which are to us at once a source of pride and a challenge to live worthy of such forbears. These are the things our present seal means to us—not expressed in a phrase, or a picture—but a living ideal in the hearts of those who would accomplish great things. What is there for us to gain by putting away the old standard when we can never by a mere design make it mean more. If change our emblem we must, let us change its meaning by heroic lives, and worthy deeds.

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Two Great Men

There will be few who will scoff at the award of the prize of $10,000 for the greatest "current achievement in the field of science" to the two eminent medical men who discovered the cure for pernicious anemia. Only three years ago physicians knew that every victim of that terrible disease was doomed to early death as certainly as if he had been sentenced to the electric chair. In the best hospitals only two or three out of every hundred cases of pernicious anemia admitted ever left the hospital alive. Now the whole picture is changed. Many physicians have reported 100 per cent of cures; some of the hospitals have had a similar experience.

The man or men who makes a discovery like that, which lengthens life and relieves suffering, is surely entitled to honor above the mere inventor of a machine, no matter how useful the machine may be. He is doubly to be honored, for his work is unselfish and without pecuniary reward. Under the code of the physician, he may not take money for his discovery, except as it may come in such form as the prize just awarded to Dr. Minot and Dr. Whipple. The medical man may not patent his discovery, or take a fee or percentage from its sale, directly or indirectly. He must publish it to the world, for the benefit of his fellow-practitioners and the public whom he serves.

The inventor of a new machine is entitled to make all the money he can from its development and use. It may revolutionize the world, but the motive back of the invention was a selfish one. He is entitled to honors, but not to the degree to which the medical discoverer is entitled to them.

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Does Advertising Pay?

Inquire of the Advertising Manager of some of our largest and most successful businesses, and they will tell you that they could not exist for a single season, nor build up anything like a volume of business if it were not for advertising.

It is evident that hundreds of thousands of dollars are spent annually for advertising. Good advertising is a continuous, well planned, carefully thought out message, full of information and description of the merchandise you have for sale.

In concerning economic conditions today, people have learned that advertising gauges the strength and prosperity of business. Advertising builds confidence, not only in products, but in the conditions of business as a whole. It animates purchasing power, which is the soul of prosperity. Today there is a tug-of-war between the public and the merchant. Advertising is the merchant's persuasive argument toward saving the day.

The modern merchandiser who will consistently plan, and print a good live, peppy ad in the paper each week, about his store and the merchandise he has for sale, can build up his trade, and bring much more business to his door.

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If a motorist runs into a cow, he has to pay heavy damages, but if he runs into a pedestrian, it may be considered in some places that it was the pedestrian's fault.

"ROUND TOWN"

---*by Doug*

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

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> "I am not bound to win, but I am bound to be true. I am not bound to succeed but I am bound to live up to what light I have. I must stand by anybody that stands right—stand with him while he is right and part with him when he goes wrong."—A. Lincoln.

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One sure means that I and many others will remember that Christmas has passed is the bills coming around on the first—as usual. Looked as if somebody was wrong about there not being much money in Clanton and Chilton County. I saw more twenties and tens on Christmas Eve day than I've seen the whole year. That in itself may be a solution to the shortage of money during the past. Folks have just been saving it all for Christmas. If they did, they sure put one over on me, cause I did not save any for Christmas, and had to stand on the sidelines and watch others enjoy themselves.

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Who's Who For 1930 In Clanton

Now comes the treat of the season—the naming of the infamous Who's Who of Clanton. Having been duly and officially appointed Chilton County's Certified Critter-Sizer by the Great Dooker Pooker of The Coal Bin fame, of Birmingham, who is also the International Authority on the Subject of Wimmen, and lots of other things, and whereas and wherefore I have observed with all carelessness possible, and whereas I have put in good time to determine those to be mentioned in the 1930 Round Town Who's Who, I have come to the following conclusions and hereby name, designate and declare under my misrepresentation of the Great Cause, the following:

C. Fenn Jones, picked as the Most Distinguished Retired Capitalist.

Miss Nell Wells, the Best Dressed High School Teacher.

H. T. Walker gets special mention for his efforts in behalf of athletics and Scout work.

The 'fullest' man on Christmas Day, (blue-penciled by the editor.)

The Most Charitable at Christmas—Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade.

The Most Versatile Grammar School Teacher—Miss Mary Louise Pack.

The Youngest Don Juan—Chick Fiquette.

With the Biggest Monday A. M. Hangover—Matt L. Ware, of good eats fame.

The Most Vivacious High School Teacher—Miss Josephine Martin.

Best Dressed Young Man About Town—Broadus Connatser.

Most Interesting Conversationalist during the holidays—Arthur "Slack" Littlejohn.

Most Enticing Home-from-College Girl—Miss Kathryn Hayes.

Most Attractive Young Married Woman—Mrs. W. M. Polk, Jr.

Most Attractive Married Woman—(blue-penciled by the editor).

Best Dressed Grammar School Teacher—Miss Lucile Sherwood.

Claudy Pipes gets special mention for his taste in wearing apparel, speaking of men's wearing apparel.

Most Friendly Home-from-College Boy—William Arthur Willis.

Most Attractive Nurse-in-Training—Miss Vardaman.

Biggest Entertainment Promoter—Mack Wyatt, of Shell gasoline fame. Claudy Pipes gets special mention here.

Most Attractive High School Teacher—This was still undecided, whether Miss Brown or Miss Williams.

Most Versatile High School Teacher—Miss Edna Cofield.

Most Attractive Young Lady at Home—Miss Mildred Danforth.

Charles Gulledge of Verbena gets special mention for his being industrious and efforts toward trading at home.

Irby DeRamus and Barnett DeRamus of Verbena get special mention also.

Others who were considered for various places were, Loren Smith, Lester Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Reedie Taylor, Miss Zora Guy, Lawrence F. Gerald, Jesse Teel, Mrs. W. A. Fiquette, Miss Lucile Cox, Col. Raymond C. Smith, Miss Frances Higgins, L. E. Diefenderfer, Benson Simms, Ruphus Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Dennis, Clark Polk, Mrs. Agnes McNair, Miss Alma Allen, Miss Gertrude Jones, John C. Page, Grady Heflin, John M. Robinson, Mrs. Gertrude Calloway, Durwood "Shucks" Cleckler, Leo Alred, Leon Sanford, and Emmett Conway.

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Now some of you folks, don't get discouraged, because this Who's Who is for 1930 only, and I will start January 1, 1931, to selecting those for the 1931 Who's Who.

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Paper is coming out a day early again this week, and I'm planning a great big whoopee night for 1930, sending it away with the worst regards, and welcoming 1931 with open arms, because seems like things are going to be right from now on and that's a long time. But us Democrats are gonna stick together and sing "Happy Days Are Here Again."

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Speaking of life's happy moments, here's one, often read about but never experienced—when you go into a store on the first of January to pay the merchant a bill and he says, "that's all right, wait another thirty days."

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Judging from appearances of some of our friends round town last Friday morning (the morning after the night before) I concluded that everybody had a grand and glorious time, and all had the Christmas spirits, just like they had in ye goode olde dayes.

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Again I'm working on a subject. Doing a little detective work. It's kind of a delicate subject to handle, and I might just decide to let somebody handle it, because after emerging from several misunderstandings already, I'm somewhat shy of women, school teachers, Spanish, young mules, mistletoe, C. C. C., Scandinavian, blondes and brunettes. Sorry, gotta go now. Won't see you until next year.

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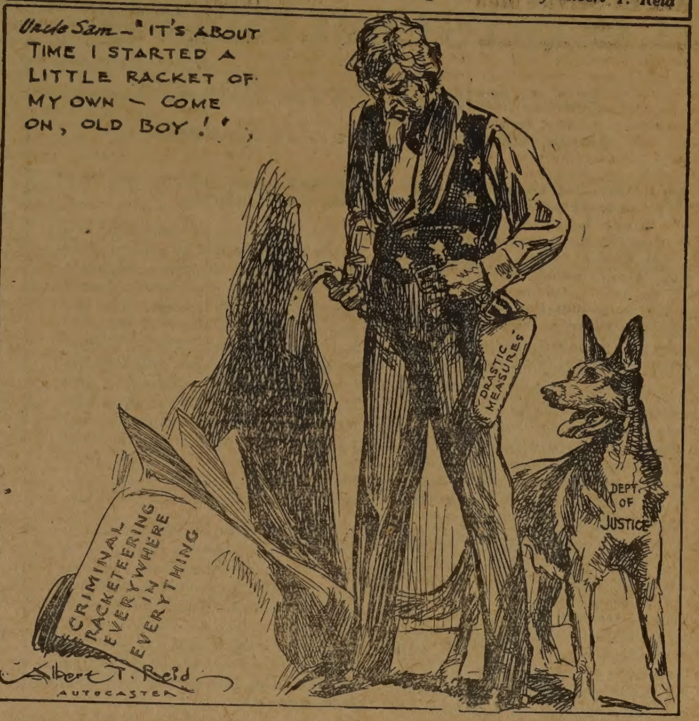
One great trouble with the American people, is that they suffer from depression when they ought to be spending money, and they spend money at times when they ought to feel depressed.

Taking The Racket Out of Racketeering

By Albert T. Reid



Uncle Sam—"IT'S ABOUT TIME I STARTED A LITTLE RACKET OF MY OWN — COME ON, OLD BOY!"
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NEWS FROM THE NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE

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Canadian Imports from U. S. Drop Nearly $200,000,000

Washington, Dec. 29—Canada's trade with the United States fell off approximately $300,000,000 for the 12 months ending October 31, according to figures obtained from Ottawa by the New York World. The exact decrease was $297,295,703. Of this nearly $200,000,000 was in imports from the United States and $100,000,000 in exports. Canada's total world trade slumped over $600,000,000 in 1930, according to the figures published, and more than $130,000,000 of this was due to decline in wheat exports.

"It is predicted that for the present fiscal year (1931) Canada's unfavorable trade balance with the United States will show a reduction of $200,000,000," says the dispatch.

Canada has been one of the United States' best customers. The expanding trade between the two neighbors was hard hit by the Hawley-Smoot tariff and the new high tariff imposed by Canada, allegedly in retaliation for the American Act.

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July wheat recently dropped into the 60's, the lowest price registered in 27 years, but Stabilizer Legge has been given another $150,000,000 and presumably is going right on stabilizing.

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Assistant G. O. P. Senate Leader "Calls Down" Leader Watson, Administration Defender

Washington, Dec. 29—Lack of cooperation between Senator Watson of Indiana, Republican leader of the Senate, and Senator McNary of Oregon, assistant Republican leader, was in evidence recently in the debate on the drought relief bill. Senator Watson, who was defending President Hoover's recommendation of $25,000,000 for farm relief, deplored the criticism of the President, and stated that the Agricultural Committee had seen fit to increase that amount.

Senator McNary quickly interposed, saying: "It is not fair to say that the Senate Committe increased the appropriation to $60,000,000. The joint resolution which I introduced was sent to me by the Department of Agriculture two weeks before action was taken. It called for $60,000,000 and I had reason to believe that the President knew what his right hand (Secretary of Agriculture Hyde) was doing."

When Senator Watson complained that there was a lack of cooperation by the Democrats on this bill, Senator Robinson of Arkansas, Democratic leader, gave the Indiana Senator another "call down" to the effect that the special committee set up by the President to make the drought survey had recommended $60,000,000.

An explosion in the Senate followed a day later when Senator Watson attempted to insert in the Record a letter from Secretary of Agriculture Hyde denying that he had sponsored the $60,000,000 bill with the provision for loans to farmers with which to buy food. Senator McNary declared he would not be "put on a spot" to relieve the embarraccment of the administration and threatened to tell the "inside story" of this bill. Senator Watson announced later that he had torn up the Hyde letter, so the "inside story" of how this bill first had administrative support and then opposition has not been revealed.

The Conference Committee finally agreed to appropriate $45,000,000 when Democratic leaders announced there would be no holiday recess until the bill was passed.

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Hoover Fails to Cooperate with Senate, Says "The World"

Washington, Dec. 29—President Hoover's curt letter to the Senate in reply to the request of that body for a report of the Emergency Commission on Unemployment is cited by the New York World as an instance of the President's failure to cooperate on unemployment legislation.

"Mr. Hoover's reply to this request," says the World, "is a brusque note in which he states that the commission has made no report; that he has talked from time to time with the chairman of the commission, Colonel Woods; that he has received certain 'notes and verbal suggestions' from Colonel Woods; but that such notes and suggestions 'represent that confidential relation of the President with government officers which should be preserved.'

"This is an unskillful letter. Mr. Hoover could easily have written a better one. He could have told Congress that no information which bears in any way on the problem of unemployment can conceivably be regarded as 'confidential' at the present time. He could have offered to send to the Senate any information at his disposal, however ample or however meager. . . . .

"The President seems to be convinced of the importance of cooperation between the executive and legislative branches of the government during the short session but consistently fails to cooperate when an opportunity is offered him. Whoever advises him in his correspondence with the Senate continues to advise him badly."

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New York G. O. P. Congressional Delegation Serves Patronage Ultimatum on Hoover

Washington, Dec. 29—Whether Republican Administration patronage in New York State is to be dispensed by President Hoover or by the new Republican State Chairman, Mr. Macy, was made an issue in a recent statement by the New York Republican delegation in Congress, with the sole exception of Mrs. Ruth Pratt. The significance and portent of the statement is commented upon by the New York Times, which says:

"The delegation will nobly stand by the President so long as he undertakes to follow its advice and recommendations with respect to New York appointments. . . . The New York Representatives frankly state that they are prepared to stand as one man behind the new State Chairman 'on all matters of appointment,' and they significantly add, 'particularly with regard to the names which have already been submitted to the White House.' Nothing could more directly point to the controversy over the successor to Mr. Tuttle as Federal District Attorney in this city. Nor could there well be a plainer intimation that the organization has been rallied against the proposal to send in the name of Mr. Hoover's personal friend, Mr. Fox. Representative La Guardia darkly says that Chairman Macy will receive 'more than moral support if a situation arises to demand it.'

"This seems to threaten a break with the President's policies if the President's patronage is not satisfactorily distributed."

In connection with this quasi-judicial appointment, President Hoover's letter to the Republican organization in Florida declaring that the Federal Judiciary must be placed above partisan politics is recalled. The issue made by the Republican delegatiin in the House is generally construed as whether or not the appointment to the Tuttle vacancy shall be made on merit, as the President has insisted, or at the demand of the Republican State political organization of New York.

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The office of United States District Attorney for the Southern District of New York has been vacant for three months while the Republican Old Guard of that State has been picking Mr. Tuttle's successor.

G. O. P. House Members Revolt On Administration Move to Suspend Rules

Washington, Dec. 29—A revolt among House Republicans against the efforts of the Administration to limit drought relief to the purchase of seeds for next year's crop broke out while the Republican Senate leader and Assistant Republican Senate leader were at loggerheads on the same bill. Sixteen Republicans, all from agricultural states, voted against the motion to suspend the rules under which it was proposed to pass the administration limited drought relief bill. The insurgents were: Browne, Cooper, Hull, Kading, Nelson and Schneider of Wisconsin; Campbell, Iowa; Christgau, Minnesota; Craddock and Finely, Kentucky; Garber, Oklahoma; Garber, Lankford and Shaffer of Virginia; Lambertson, Kansas, and Leavitt, Montana, whose votes defeated the motion. Lack of cooperation with the administration program on this particular day, in both Houses, it is pointed out, was largely with elements in the Republican Party, which are usually regular.

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Another paradox is that only lawyers of standing should sit on the bench.

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Honesty is the best policy, but some appear to think the best comes too high.

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As usual, that political hatchet was buried with the handle sticking out full length.

Jurors swear to decide in favor of the side producing the most convincing liars.

Don't try to put anything over on the telephone girl. She will finally get your number.

Two Big Days For Ala. Ex-Service Men

Several prominent speakers, including National Commander, Ralph T. O'Neil, J. L. Moore, Southern Representative National Rehabilitation Committee, Russell Cook, Chairman National Americanism Commission, Frank E. Samuel, Assistant National Adjutant, William A. Sirmon, Department Adjutant of Georgia and several of our Department Chairmen will have places on the program at the Conference of Post Officials to be held at the Bankhead hotel in Birmingham starting at 10:00 A. M. sharp on Sunday, January 11th. A joint luncheon will be given by the Auxiliary Department of Alabama at the Tutwiler Hotel at 1 P. M. All post officers are urged to attend this meeting and every Legionnaire has an invitation to be there also.

At Montgomery plans are being made by the Montgomery Post and the Governor of Alabama to make Monday, January 12th a great day for every ex-service man in Alabama who will accept their invitation to come to the Capital City and meet and know the National Commander of the American Legion.

Commander O'Neil will be entertained by Governor Bibb Graves, who is an outstanding Legionnaire, with a luncheon at his home Monday, noon. At 7:30 in the Jefferson Davis Room at the Jefferson Davis Hotel a banquet will be given at which time the National Commander will be welcomed to Alabama by Governor Graves, and to Montgomery by Mayor Gunter. The Committee in charge has arranged an interesting and entertaining program during this banquet; there will be several addresses during the meeting including both the National Commander and our Department Commander.

The charge for this banquet will be one dollar, and every ex-service man in Alabama is urged to come to Montgomery on this date and meet the National Commander and hear him explain how the American Legion helps you, The Community, the State, and The Nation.

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Mt. Pleasant School News

Miss Olys Bean, one of the teachers of the Mt. Pleasant school, was married to Mr. Vernie Smith and spent most of her Christmas holidays in Birmingham.

Mt. Pleasant school is planning to have a basket ball game on their court next Friday afternoon, with Collins Chapel.

We have taken up our work for the last half of the school term and hope to succeed in bringing up our work and making our grades.

The girls of Mt. Pleasant are organizing a basket ball team. We hope to begin playing next week.

Miss Lucille Price spent the Christmas holidays with her grandmother, Mrs. Catherine Franklin, at Mulberry.

Misses Mary and Lottie Scarbrough and Mr. Willie Scarbrough, from Birmingham spent Christmas holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Foshee.

We are glad to say that Jewel Barrett is recovering fast from an attack of scarlet fever.

There are several new pupils entering this school to help us to carry on our last half of the year's work.

All visitors are welcome to visit our school. Whenever you read of a ball game that is to be, please come and help us all make merry.

Miss Raney, our primary teacher, spent the Christmas holidays with her parents in Bessemer, Ala.

Miss Littlejohn spent her Christmas holidays in Jemison.

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TEN FARMER PLANKS

In a recent booklet the American Farm Bureau Federation gives, among other valuable information, its platform for American agriculture. The ten planks of this platform, in condensed form, are as follows:

1. The support of sound and economical production practices.
2. Placing in the hands of producers the control of the sale of farm products.
3. Equality for farmers in the standard of living enjoyed.
4. Adjustments to give the farmer parity with others in purchasing power.
5. Development of schools, roads, rural electrification, churches, health agencies and all other factors contributing to an ideal community environment.
6. Farmer representation on all important public boards and commissions.
7. A national agricultural policy based on a free and independent farm people, as contrasted with foreign peasant systems.
8. The creation of new and enlarged markets for American farm products.
9. Maintenance of that economic system which protects private ownership of property and provides a just reward for individual effort; public protection through regulation; it opposes communism.
10. Providing an organization to supply facilities for group action in building a permanent, prosperous, free, independent American agriculture.

This appears to be a sound platform, worthy of the support of everyone who is engaged in the country's most important of all industries—agriculture. It might well be supported by all other industries, also.

Mt. Creek News

Miss Mary Lee Fike of Tallasee spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. E. L. Fike, of Marbury, and was a visitor also of Mountain Creek Sunday.

Mr. Sidney Blassingame of Marbury, Ala., who died December 25, will be greatly missed by friends and relatives.

Miss Elizabeth Hammonds of Marbury and Mr. Amzi Kicker were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gray on Christmas Day.

Miss Mary Freeman, who has been in business here for the past five years moved to Birmingham.

Miss Irene Dennis, who is attending college at Florence, Alabama, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dennis.

Miss Trudie Fowler, who teaches school in Birmingham, is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Fowler.

A birthday party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Cobern in honor of their son, Sam, last Friday night. Quite a number were present. Games were played, after which delicious refreshments were served.

Misses Hazel Baxley and Elizabeth Hammonds and Messrs. Carl Baxley and Amzi Kicker motored to Clanton last Friday night.

Mr. J. B. Gray, who has been ill at his home, is improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Lake and children of Troy, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Eiland and family of Selma, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Eiland and family of Montgomery, Mrs. Calloway of Coopers, Dr. and Mrs. Eiland and children of Verbena, and little Clayton Eiland spent Christmas Day with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Zack Eiland.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eiland and daughter, Mary Elizabeth, of Dothan and Bessie Mae Culver, who has been visiting them returned to Mountain Creek for the Christmas holidays.

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Cut In Passenger Rates Is Foreseen

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 26—A movement by Alabama railroads to reduce their coach fare passenger rates to two cents per mile in 1931 is indicated in a report issued Friday by J. H. Alldredge, traffic expert of the Alabama Service Commission.

The rate, which has not been operative in the state for 19 years, until granted to the Frisco Railroad several days ago, will apply only to coach fares and will have no effect upon Pullman rates, Alldredge said.

The report for the 10-month period ending October 1, 1930, showed all lines in the state had a substantial decline in net revenue with an average loss of 45 per cent.

The number of bus lines in the state, the report showed, has not increased materially during the 10-month period and the loss in railroad passenger revenue was attributed largely to the increased use of private automobiles and "social lifts."

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Miss Addie Thompson of Rockford was the guest of Miss Lona Thompson the past week end.

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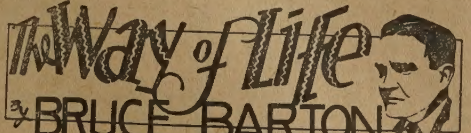
Geo. L. Mannion of Lake Forest, Ill., hid $600 in bills in a stove and his wife burned it up with waste paper.



The Way of Life By BRUCE BARTON

Only A Few Ideas

Twenty years ago I heard a famous editor deliver a talk on advertising befor the Chicago advertising club. I was just out of college and had seen very few great men, so the talk made a deep impression. I remember the editor said that "reputation is repetition," and he told some stories to illustrate the point.

The other night in New York I heard the same great editor speak on the same subject. To my surprise it was the same speech.

Another speaker was a celebrated banker whom I had heard on two previous occasions. He, also, repeated himself. As we left the dining room one of my friends who had noted the repetitions remarked on them gloomily. "Rather discouraging to see that even the big minds have so little in them," he said. "Makes you wonder if human ingenuity is coming to an end."

"They say that though the stars appear so numberless, you can not count more than a thousand," he said. "Well, there are few thoughts. Count the books and you would think that there was immense wealth; but any expert knows that there are few thoughts which have emerged in his time. Shut him in a closet and he could soon tell them all. They are quoted, contradicted, modified, but the amount remains computably small."

It is a good thing for humanity that this is so. Nature apparently designed the game of human progress to last a long time, and provided that only a small advance should be made in any one generation. Suppose one mind should suddenly discover everything. How it would take the zest out of the game!

Moreover, it is decidedly heartening to us average folks to know that only a very little difference separates us from the smartest. Lincoln remarked on it. "I have talked with great men," he said, "and I can not see wherein they differ from others."

Generally speaking, the great achieve their greatness by industry rather than by mere brilliance. The editor whom I quoted is said to be the highest paid in the world. But if you divide his salary by the more than two hundred newspapers which print his editorials, he is the lowest priced worker whom each of those papers employs. He produces more than anybody else and works long hours to do it.

I was glad that I went to that dinner. It reminded me how little wisdom and genius really rule the world; how far industrious effort can stretch the few ideas, or even one idea.

Best Spellers Will Be Picked Soon

Plans are now underway to select the best spellers in the Chilton County Schools to take part in a spelling contest to be held at Jacksonville, Ala., according to information from the Superintendent of Education's office here.

The spelling contest to be held in Jacksonville will take place sometime in March, it was stated, and will include contestants of all counties in the Jacksonville district.

Each school in each county in this district is to hold a contest of their own with pupils up to and including the ninth grade participating, in order to determine their two best spellers. After this is done, there will be held in ach county, a contest between the best spellers from the various schools in the respective counties, to determine the two best spellers from the county.

The two spellers who are selected from each of the counties of the district will then go to Jacksonville to take part in the contest there.

The local superintendent's office stated that each school in Chilton County would shortly be furnished with definite instructions, and publication will be made in the county papers to this effect, as soon as a definite date is set.

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Alabama's Apiary Business Growing

Nearly Half-Million Revenue Is Realized During Year: Industry Praised

Alabama honey bees have brought their owners a revenue of $450,000 this year, it has been estimated by E. F. Phillips, professor of bee culture at Cornell University. Prof. Phillips has made several visits to Alabama and has maintained close touch with apiarists of this state.

Queen bees to the number of 200,000 were shipped from this state to remote markets, while bee shipments reached 22,000 two and three pound containers, mostly to Northern states and Canada.

Prof. Phillips has this to say of the bee industry in Alabama:

"It is well established that the use of bees in orchards at blossom time in northern fruit regions increases fruit production. If a man is a good orchardist we recommend that he buy package bees from the South, put them to work during the blooming time and then burn them as a matter of economy. This is of immense advantage to Alabama package bee growers who can sell their bees in the North during May when production is at a high rate. Bees can earn more pollinating orchards than they can in making honey."

Thomas Atchison, state apiarist, strikes another encouraging note in his report that disease among bees in the state showed a decrease during the past year. Here's his contribution:

"During the past year I traveled almost the entire state and visited about 170 beekeepers. I inspected 22,000 colonies and found only 72 infected with American Foul Brood as compared to 139 in 1926. All infected colonies were burned and quarantined until the disease can be eradicated. No bees are shipped from our state unless certified by me as being disease free.

"There is no remedy for American or European foul brood. Diseased colonies must be promptly destroyed to prevent spread and destruction to the entire apiary. The departmental inspection service keeps the disease in check and insures buyers getting their healthy bees."

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Two Years Ago

From Issue of January 3, 1929

The $300,000 unit of the Alabama Mills Company which is being erected north of Clanton is nearing completion. Plans are now being formed for a formal opening of the plant. Frank J. Callen, who was instrumental in raising the $150,000 by the citizens of Clanton which was necessary before the mill could be located here, has been appointed director of the Clanton unit of the Mill Company.

Miss Jean Johnson was hostess at a dinner and theatre party last Saturday evening. The party was given at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. N. S. Johnson, and was attended by a number of Clanton's younger set.

Mrs. J. E. Teel and children spent last week in Weogufka visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Hardy Calloway and Mrs. W. A. Calloway of Cooper motored to Clanton last Saturday afternoon on business.

The Thomas Junior High School basket ball team defeated the Cooper Junior High boys in a well played game last Friday. The score was 27 to 18 in favor of Thomas Junior High.

The Mt. Pleasant schoolhouse was destroyed by flames of unknown origin which swept through the building last Saturday afternoon about four o'clock. All of the school furniture was destroyed in the fire.

Concord-Billingsley

It is rapidly approaching the new year of 1931. Let us as church workers think of the things that we have failed to do during the past year, and set our goals higher and determine to reach them during the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Buzbee and family returned home Sunday afternoon after spending the past week with friends and relatives in Coosa County.

Mrs. Elsie Lee Turner and little daughter, Ruth, spent the latter part of the week with Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton.

Misses Clara Dell and Edna Sims were the week end guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams, of Fairview community.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Deramus of Maplesville were the guests of Mr and Mrs. J. P. Williams and family Thursday.

Miss Virginia Little spent the Christmas holidays with her friend, Miss Norine Headley, of Pleasant Grove community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cowart of Coosa County spent some time with Mrs. Cowart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Deason and Mr. and Mrs. Dock Culver of Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams and son, J. D., and little granddaughter, Beth, of Fairview community were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. Y. Sims Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Chastine spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Weldon last Sunday.

Grandmother Lawrence, mother of Mr. O. H. Lawrence, is spending some time in Birmingham now.

Mrs. W. A. Williams and children of here are spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kynard, of Selma.

Little Leonard Williams spent Thursday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

Sunday School at ten o'clock Sunday morning, Christian Endeavor at six o'clock in the evening. Everyone who can come be with us and help us to do something for the Master that is really worthwhile.

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Father Of Local Man Is Victim Of Train

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 30—W. J. Rhodes, 73, 927 Bell Street, was killed by a Mobile and Ohio passenger train at the North end of the yard about 5:20 p.m. yesterday. Rhodes was walking down the tracks when the North bound train struck him, knocking him several feet from the tracks. He died before help could reach him.

The engineer, L. C. Gayle, reported that he saw Rhodes walking along the side of the tracks in front of the train. Just before the train reached him he attempted to cross the tracks without looking around, Gayle said. Rhodes is said to have been slightly deaf.

Rhodes is survived by his wife; four son, William and F. M. Rhodes, both of Clanton, Jessie Rhodes of Luverne, and H. W. Rhodes, of Montgomery; four daughters, Miss Mattie Rhodes and Mrs. Lucy Mae Brightwell, both of Montgomery, Mrs. Nanie Bell Brightwell, of Luverne, and Mrs. Addie Keykendall of Greenville. Funeral arrangements will be announced later by the Leak Company.

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CAPITOL OF NORTH DAKOTA IS DESTROYED BY FIRE SUNDAY

Articles appearing in the daily papers Monday from the Associated Press stated that the capitol of the state of North Dakota was completely destroyed by fire last Sunday. It was stated that Official records and documents of almost every department of the State housed in the four story brick structure were consumed by the flames which were said to have started on the upper floor. The origin of the fire was not determined.

The building was erected in 1884 when North Dakota and South Dakota were one unit of government under the title of "Dakota Territory." The account of the fire stated that Gov. Shafer said, "Loss of the records will result in the greatest confusion in the State's history and years will elapse before it is untangled." The capitol is located at Bismarck, N. D.

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Curiosity led Darcy Wilson of Paterson, N. J., to don feminine apparel and enter a theater to see a show advertised "for women only."

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A Chicago motorist was fined $10 for dangerous driving after admitting he mistook a policeman directing traffic in a white coat for a baker in overalls.

THE FAMILY DOCTOR By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

WINTER EPIDEMICS

I claim originality in this saying that, "infections work behind closed doors." I carry the thought with me daily, as I go about my work. The first duty, if you would dislodge the enemy, is, openthe door, be it of wood, glass, or human tissue; get at the unwelcome invader and destroy his works.

The worst epidemics—small-pox, measles, diptheria, scarlet fever, and infantil paralysis, take place at a season when our houses are tightly fortified against winter inclemencies of weather. One of the worst epidemics of small-pox that I ever experienced, ceased promptly when spring breezes were permitted to enter bedrooms and living-rooms to "air out" residences in every remotest corner.

The worst case of small-pox I ever attended was in a family that kept every crevice of the dwelling plugged for fear outside air would enter. The patient recovered—but it was an accident!

It follows then, that if free ventilation ends the epidemic, it must be valuable as a preventive of diseases of infectious nature. I instruct my families to see that the residence from top to bottom, is thoroughly aired at least once a day; if the sun is shining, an hour or two is not too long for the internal air-bath. I do not like to enter a dwelling where the first thing to greet my nostrils is the odor of meat and vegetables cooked at yesterday's dinner. Yes, it's "old stuff" I'm writing, but it's daily experience in this advanced age—and I don't live in the backwoods either—so there!

The family doctor must be just as dead against foetid air indoors, as he is against the deadly stream of night-air, pouring through an open window, over the bed where children and aged folks sleep.

Common-sense is my rule. Keep the house sweet, pure, and comfortable. It is not so, if foul with the odor of beef, cabbage and tobacco-smoke. Heathen? No; just average Americans all over the land.

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Three Years Ago

From Issue of January 5, 1928

Miss Mary Foshee and Miss Louise McSwain have been the house guests of Miss Lillian Matthews in Birmingham for the past week.

Miss Mary Sue Mullins left this week for Tennessee Medical College to resume her studies.

Miss Aleene LeCroy has resumed her work here after spending the holidays with her parents, in Rockford.

County Agent C. E. Stapp attended a district meeting of County farm demonstration agents in Alexander City last week.

W. L. Roper of Maplesville, Ala., route 1, has secured a patent of a device to keep the radius rod of Ford cars from dropping down.

Mr. Clay Marcus, Miss Vivian Sanders and Inez Kittrell motored to Montgomery Saturday.

Mr. Will Cox of Clanton Route 2 was in town on business Saturday.

Read Our Advertising.

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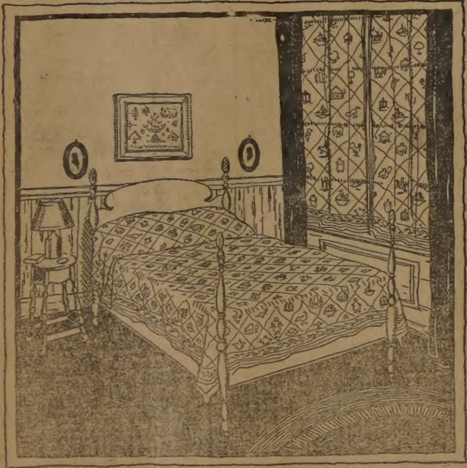
Curtain and Coverlet Ensemble



The quaint charm of this early American bedroom is accentuated by its net curtains and harmonizing coverlet reproducing the sampler figures.

DECORATIVE unity between bedspread and window curtains is this year's style development in bedroom furnishing.

If the spread and overdrapes are flowered chintz or cretonne, a floral motif is an appropriate selection for Milady's glass curtains. On the other hand, for the masculine room, where simplicity is desirable, a plain or small geometric-figured glass curtain will be better.

With the vogue for furnishing in periods such as the Colonial, Georgian, French, and other "schools," new designs in net curtains and harmonizing coverlets are keeping pace, and patterns authentically styled to period rooms are appearing.

For the bedroom in the early American manner, there are Colonial net curtains, reproducing sampler figures typical of the "raught" needlework of old, and created especially to companion them are coverlets designed in pastel colorings. Some reproduce sampler figures similar to those in the curtains. The woman clever with her needle can carry her bedroom ensemble still further by copying these designs for dresser-scarf and runners. Other designs are drawn from the hand-blocked patterns or simulate tufted candlewick spreads.

In tune with the more elaborate English-style of furnishing, there are spreads which carry rich embroidery designs on a natural background. These spreads are reminiscent of the embroideries on linen popular in the early 18th century, and harmonize with new Georgian designs in net curtains, which also find their inspiration in needlepoint and embroidery motifs.

The coverlet should harmonize with, rather than match, the curtain according to general preference.

Ala. Weekly Industrial Review

The following record of industrial activity lists items showing investment of capital, employment of labor and business activities and opportunities. Information from which the paragraphs are prepared is from local papers, usually of towns mentioned, and may be considered generally correct.

Monroeville— R. Sewell opened new Independent Service Station.

Haleyville—First Baptist Church remodeled.

Winfield—J. S. and Vann Brindley purchased S. E. Lucas Grocery Store, formerly owned and operated by Dodson and Brindley.

Samson — Nantz Ice and Bottling Works to be rebuilt, after disastrous fire.

Greenville—Construction of post office building being considered for this city, by Inter-departmental Public Buildings Committee.

Fairhope — Jimmie Lane opened doughnut factory in Stuersel building beyond Gaston Motor Co.

Mobile—New shoe store opened by Kaber's at 203 Dauphin Street.

Huntsville—Post office building may be erected here.

Montgomery — Approximately $25,000,000 being spent on public school system in Alabama annually, according to Dr. A. F. Harman, State Superintendent of Education.

Mobile— Enlarged automobile hotel on North Royal Street, foramlly opened.

Florala—D. H. McSwain purchased grocery and market department of Florala Fair, and will continue to operate establishment as I. G. A. Store.

Mobile—Gulf Coast Sign Co. completed installation of modern Neon laboratories.

Greenville — Construction will start soon on armory of Battery A, 117th Field Artillery on lots located near city limits on Brandon Highway.

Tuscumbia—North Alabama Utilities Co. seek natural gas franchise in this city.

Montgomery— $30,000,000 road program planned by state of Alabama for 1931.

Sheffield—City Commissioners granted franchise to North Alabama Utilities Co., for supplying natural gas.

Union Springs—Plans being prepared for construction of $50,000 post office building.

Sylacauga—A. H. McGallard opened filling station in building formerly occupied by Chrysler agency on corner of Third and Norton streets.

State Highway Department let contract to Morgan-Hill Construction Co. for paving Birmingham - Tuscaloosa Highway from Bessemer to Tuscaloosa County line, at cost of $180,000.

Gadsden—Federal Government considering an addition to post office building here to enlarge workroom.

Foley—Surfacing of highway between here and Gulf of Mexico, underway.

Andalusia—Russell Smith and R. W. Russell opened service station across from Western Union.

Florala—A. A. Harper purchased and remodeled Brown Drug Store.

Florence—Messrs. M. Gerber and I. Snitzer acquired King's Inc., formerly known as H. P. King Company.

Mobile—G. & S. Electric Company, capitalized at $10,000, filed papers of incorporation.

Survey of Coosa-Alabama waterway from Rome, Ga., to Mobile, estimated at cost of $40,000,000, near completion.

Clanton—H. C. Falkenberry opened dry goods store known as Falkenberry's Cash Store, in former Capitol Dry Goods Company on Seventh Street.

Tuscaloosa—Building permits issued in city since January 1st total $649,623.

Florence — Delegation representing Chamber of Commerce and Lauderdale County, seek paving of Highway No. 13 from Clarksville south to Alabama line on 1931 highway program.

Auburn—Due to joint project between Alabama Power Co. and experiment station of Alabama Polytechnic Institute with Extension Service, rural transmission lines are now serving farmers in 63 of 67 counties of State.

Prichard—Property owners on Prichard Street seek paving of thoroughfare.

Florence—Survey to be made for proposed extension of local post office, at cost of about $60,000.

Montgomery—First carload of machine-graded pecans ever loaded in Alabama, shipped from here to Memphis by Central Alabama Pecan Growers Association.

Clanton — Billy Smith purchased Chilton County News and The Rockford Chronicle.

Tuscaloosa—House and street numbers being placed on curbs of city.

Brewton—Gold fish hatchery planned for this place.

Mobile—Southern Cities Public Service Company contemplates expenditure of $600,000 for improvements in city next year.

Total of 285 Alabama farmers pooled 4,000 cases of 120,000 dozens of eggs in cold storage on a cooperative basis, being advanced 20 cents per dozen by Alabama Farm Bureau.

Montgomery—Southern Cities Service Co. plans improvements here next year at cost of between $200,000 and $300,000.

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Wasil Yourkovitch of Pottsville, Pa., was arrested after he forced a family to move in eytreme cold weather when he removed all the windows from the house.

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A cahrge of 25 cents a day was made by her husband for taking care of their child while she was working, Mrs. Cecelia Miller Powell of Pittsburgh testified in her divorce trial.

B'HAM BUSINESS MAN VICTIM, OF TRIPLE AUTO COLLISION

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 27—Henry T. Batterton, 58, president of Batterton Coffee Company, Birmingham, was killed, and his daughter, Miss Pauline Batterton, suffered a fractured jaw Thursday night when the automobile in which they were riding figured in a triple crash at Palo Alto, Calif., a message received here by friends, said, Friday.

Mrs. Batterton, who was also in the automobile, was not injured, the message said.

Mr. and Mrs. Batterton had gone to California with their daughter, a student at Leland Stanford University.

Struck By Auto

Word received here said the accident occurred on the El Camino Road, San Francisco Peninsula, when an automobile coming from an intersecting road struck the Batterton automobile. The two automobiles collided with a third car, the message said.

In a letter received here by Miss Dorothy Crossfield, Miss Batterton said she and her mother and father were planning to go to San Francisco to spend Christmas with a Mr. Druehl and family, old friends of the Battertons.

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Faced with a jail sentence or the bath tub, Thomas Benn of Los Angeles, accused of vagrancy, took his first bath in 20 years.

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A woman with 26 names all but one of which are Christian names, was given power of attorney in a will which was recently filed in Chicago.

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Geo. L. Mannion of Lake Forest, Ill., hid $600 in bills in a stove and his wife burned it up with waste paper.

With the temperature 10 degrees above zero, two bandits held up Chas. Weber on a street in Buffalo, taking his overcoat and cap.

After saving nickels for two years to get married on, Donald Heflin and Lela Gaskill were recently wed in Council Bluffs, Iowa.

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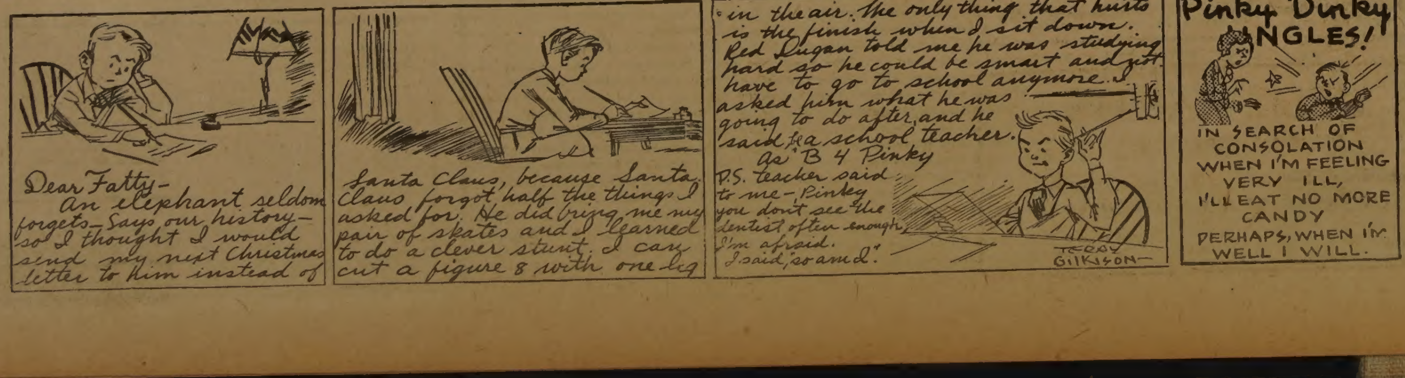
PINKY DINKY

PINKY TAKES HIS PEN IN HAND

By Terry Gilkison


Dear Fatty-
An elephant seldom forgets—Says our history—so I thought I would send my next Christmas letter to him instead of
Santa Claus, because Santa Claus forgot half the things I asked for. He did bring me my pair of skates and I learned to do a clever stunt. I can cut a figure 8 with one leg
in the air. The only thing that hurts is the finish when I sit down. Red Dugan told me he was studying hard so he could be smart and not have to go to school anymore. I asked him what he was going to do after, and he said be a school teacher.
As "B 4 Pinky
P.S. teacher said to me—Pinky you don't see the dentist often enough, I'm afraid. I said, "so am I".
TERRY GILKISON—
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IN SEARCH OF CONSOLATION WHEN I'M FEELING VERY ILL, I'LL EAT NO MORE CANDY PERHAPS, WHEN I'M WELL I WILL.

The Scrap Book

THE LOST CHORD

By Adelaide Anne Procter

Seated one day at the organ,
I was weary and ill at ease,
And my fingers wandered idly
Over the noisy keys.

I do not know what I was playing,
Or what I was dreaming then;
But I struck one chord of music,
Like the sound of a great Amen.

It flooded the crimson twilight,
Like the close of an Angel's Psalm,
And it lay on my fevered spirit
With the touch of infinite calm.

It quieted pain and sorrow,
Like lover overcoming strife;
It seemed the harmonious echo
From our discordant life.

It linked all perplexed meanings
Into one perfect peace,
And trembled away into silence
As if it were loath to cease.

I have sought, but I seek it vainly,
That one lost chord divine,
Which came from the soul of the Organ
And entered into mine.

It may be that Death's bright angel
Will speak in that chord again,—
It may be that only in Heaven
I shall hear that grand Amen.

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By JOSEPHINE B. GIBSON
Director, Home Economics Dept., H. J. Heinz Company

A HOT sandwich, with a crisp salad, and a beverage, makes a splendid luncheon or supper course. In fact, the sandwich has developed in so many directions and adapted itself to such greatly varied needs that its recent appearance on the breakfast table is not at all surprising. The breakfast sandwich recipe given below shows how appropriate and delicious such a sandwich can be.

Hot sandwiches can be made in an almost endless number of ways. They may consist of a snappy filling between slices of plain or French toast; of white or whole wheat bread with a filling, covered with a hot sauce; and very attractive ones may be made from hot biscuits or toasted crackers.

You will find these hot sandwiches especially good, and no doubt they will suggest many other combinations:

Breakfast Sandwich: Buttered toast thin cuts of cooked sausage; Grated American cheese; Strips of bacon.

Butter 1 slice of toast for each person to be served. On each slice place thin cuts of cooked sausage, cover with Tomato Sauce, and sprinkle with grated cheese. Lay a strip of bacon on each sandwich, and bake in a hot oven until the bacon is crisp.

Tomato Sauce: 2 tablespoons butter; 2 tablespoons flour; 1 small can Cream of Tomato Soup.

Melt butter and blend with flour. Add Cream of Tomato Soup, and stir until thickened.

Fried Oyster Sandwiches: 1 pint large oysters; 2 beaten eggs; ½ teaspoon salt; Dash of pepper; ½ teaspoon Worcestershire Sauce; Cracker crumbs; Slices of buttered whole wheat bread; Tomato Ketchup or Chili Sauce.

Dip oysters into beaten eggs, seasoned with salt, pepper and Worcestershire Sauce, and then into cracker crumbs. Fry in several tablespoons butter until crisp and deliciously brown. Place oysters on slices of buttered whole wheat bread and sprinkle generously with Ketchup or Chili Sauce. Cover with another slice of bread, cut in half, and serve with Preserved Sweet Gherkins.

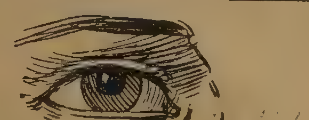
Variety Sandwiches: ½ lb. assorted cold meats; ¼ cup Mayonnaise Salad Dressing; 1 teaspoon Evaporated Horseradish soaked for ten minutes in 1 tablespoon cold water.

Chop meat together and moisten with Mayonnaise Salad Dressing, to which has been added the Evaporated Horseradish. Spread a generous layer on hot buttered toast, and serve. Garnish with Spanish Queen Olives.

Savory Sandwiches: Graham or whole wheat bread, toasted; Fresh Cucumber Relish; 1 teaspoon Evaporated Horseradish (soak in 1 tablespoon cold water for 10 minutes); Sliced bacon.

Butter toast and sprinkle with Fresh Cucumber Relish and a small amount of Evaporated Horseradish. Top with slices of crisp hot bacon and serve at once.

Hot Biscuit Sandwiches: Make plain baking powder biscuit, and while hot, break apart and butter the halves. On one half place a thick slice of tomato and spread with Mayonnaise Salad Dressing. Sprinkle with crisply cooked hot bacon. Cover with the other half of the biscuit, press lightly together and serve at once.



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News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

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Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Collins and family spent Friday night with Mr. Collin's brother, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Collins

Mr. and Mrs. H. Jerome Wilson of Jacksonville, Ala., spent several of the holidays with Mr. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson. Mr. Wilson is attend the State Teachers College at Jacksonville while Mrs. Wilson is teaching at Albertville.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron South spent the holidays with Mrs. South's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Freeman. On the way down from Birmingham they had a wreck but no one was damaged except Mrs. South has had a severe headache since then.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Collins and children spent the holidays in Birmingham visiting Mrs. Collin's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hester.

Mr. C. D. Collins and his son, C. D., Jr., were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Franklin had as their dinner guests Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. H. Jerome Wilson of Jacksonville. A party was given in their honor following the dinner.

Miss Mae Wood who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Ed Piper, returned to her home in West Blocton Sunday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Piper who spent the day there.

Mr. Marvin Davenport spent several days in Selma last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Childress and children took Christmas dinner with Mrs. Childress's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davenport.

Miss Ruth Martin and Mr. Herbert Adams were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Davenport Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Roat of Flint, Michigan spent one night this week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Lucas. They continued their trip to New Orleans. They expect to return and spend New Years Day with Mr. and Mrs. Lucas also.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Jerome Wilson and Mr. Kendall Franklin and Mr. Briggs Hodgins spent Wednesday last in Montgomery sight seeing.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Grey had as their Sunday dinner guests the following: Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Colley and family of Prattville, Mr. Henry Pyron, of Deatsville, Miss Richardson of Deatsville and Miss Roebuck of Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Harper spent Christmas in Birmingham with their son, Mr. Herman Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Robinson spent the week end with Mrs. Robinson's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Marcus spent the day with Mr. Boss Miller of Clanton last Friday.

Mrs. Gordon Smitherman and little daughter, Dorothy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith spent the week end in Collinsville with Mr. Smith's parents.

Mr. Herbert Adams of Gadsden spent Christmas with friends in Thorsby.

Miss Hattie Davenport of Birmingham was home during the holidays

Mr. W. W. Jackson of Wadsworth, Mr. J. Lee Cox, of Deatsville, Mr. Bill Daniels of Wadsworth and Mr. Lloyd Garrett of Deatsville were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Grey on Monday.

Mrs. F. R. Collins of South Thorsby had as her dinner guests Christmas Day her grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Wilson. her granddaughters, Misses Louise and Bernice Collins and her grandson, Master Aubrey Collins.

A group of young people dropped in on Mr. Kenneth O'Barr in the form of a surprise party Thursday night. Various games were enjoyed. Those present were Misses Wilma and Verla Goodgame, Lois Thompson, Mary Ruth Nix, Ola Mae O'Barr, Frances Wilson, Mr. George Herbert Nix, Charles Childress, Ollis Littleton, Cecil Marcus, Ralph Pate, Bill Grey, Kenneth O'Barr and J. C. O'Barr.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Collins were the spend-the-day guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson Sunday.

Miss Ola Mae O'Barr spent Saturday night with Miss Louise Collins.

Mr. Roy Robinson and Miss Doris Johnson were married Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Grey spent Christmas in Prattville visiting Mrs. Grey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Colley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Thompson and daughter, Lois, were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Goodgame of Clanton Thursday.

Miss Mabel Colley of Prattville is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Mac Grey.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Robinson entertained for supper Friday night the following: Misses Ophelia Hayes, Gladys Melton, both of Clanton and Mr. Oscar Campbell of Warrior and Mr. Macie Riggins.

Mr. E. F. Meade took Christmas dinner with his son, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Mead, of Calera.

Mrs. M. A. Wright visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Shearer of Llyerly, Ga., during the Christmas holidays.

Miss Marie Eiland spent Sunday with Miss Sallye Thompson.

Mr. Hershel Hays and Russell Hays and Mr. Bill Grey are leaving Tuesday morning for Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson and Miss Ethel Thompson spent the week end in Dadeville with Mrs. Thompson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Carleton. Mrs. Hubert Sharpe kept long distance during Mrs. Thompson's absence.

Miss Mary Sue Robinson spent a couple days of this week in Birmingham visiting her cousin, Miss Cora Whitley.

Mr. Smith Thompson of Rockford was the guest of Miss Lois Thompson during several days of the past week.

The Thorsby Chapter No. 154 O. E. S. will have a watch party at the Masonic Hall next Wednesday night. Supper will be served at six o'clock. All members are urged to come and bring a well filled basket. All members and their families are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Meade and Helen Louise, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Chambers and little daughter, Betty, with Mr and Mrs. Russell Peterson had Christmas dinner with Mrs. Robert Bean of Collins Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Self of Birmingham spent the holidays with Mrs. Self's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Peterson. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Meade of Calera, Ala., entertained at dinner Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Russell Peterson.

Miss Rachel Peterson spent the past week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Peterson. She had as her guests, Misses Ellen and Lettie Martin of Anderson, South Carolina, all in training at the Norwood Hospital in Birmingham, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Dixon Hall of Collins Chapel entertained for dinner Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Russell Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Meade and little daughter, Helen Louise. Also Mrs. Robert Beane and family.

There will be preaching services both morning and evening at the Congregational Church next Sunday. There will be Communion service at the morning service.

Prof. C. M. Williams was in Thorsby visiting friends several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jones of Clanton visited the former's parents, Rev. J. W. Jones, last Sunday.

The Circles of the Woman's Missionary Society met Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Bice and little daughters, spent Christmas Day with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Walker.

Mrs. Merchant and little daughter, Helen, spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Enoch Maddox, of Pates Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Turnquist of Petersburg, Va., came to spend Christmas holidays with relatives in Thorsby.

The Young Ladies' Sunday School Class had a social at the Baptist church last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Peterson and daughters, Dorothy and Norma, of Fairfield, came down to spend the holidays with friends and relatives.

The Lutheran Sunday School gave a very enjoyable Christmas program at the church Saturday evening, December 27.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Goddard and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Goddard of Grover Hill, Ohio arrived Saturday evening to spend a week with their grandfather, Mr. J. H. Goddard.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Howard entertained at a six o'clock dinner on Wednesday Mrs. Anna Phalin and son, Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard, and Mr. Andrew Franzen.

Mr. Rascoe Maddox spent Saturday night with his aunt, Mrs. Hester Ann Merchant.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Peterson were entertained at dinner at the Dixie Cafe Friday night.

Mrs. Hester Ann Merchant and little daughter, Helen, spent Sunday with her brother, Mr. J. D. Cleckler.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Moody spent Sunday with Mrs Moody's mother, Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald.

Miss Louise Collins was the guest of Miss Frances Wilson Sunday night.

Miss Ruth Gerald of Birmingham spent the Christmas holida with her mother, Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald.

Miss Margaret Butler of Birmingham spent a day with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Butler, Christmas.

There was a Christmas social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sereno Norton's Thursday evening last. Those present were Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald and Miss Ruth Grald, of Birmingham, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Butler, and Miss Margaret Butler of Birmingham, and several of the faculty of Thorsby Institute.

Owing to the illness of one of the teachers the opening of Thorsby Institute has been postponed until Tuesday, January sixth.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mims and his son, Mr. Sammy Mims, and family and Mary Gladys Childress spent Thursday in Birmingham visiting relatives.

Miss Stella O'Barr was the guest of Mary Gladys Childress Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Peterson spent several days in Birmingham Christmas visting children.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Peterson and children spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goodgame.

Mrs. P. K. Villadsen visited her son. Reno, and family in Aldridge several days last week.

Miss Lois Primm returned to her school at Lay Dam Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Charles Childress was the guest of Mr. Kenneth O'Barr Friday night.

Mr. Luther Taff of Birmingham, who is attending the University of North Carolina was a viistor in the home of Miss Lois Primm Wednesday of last week.

Mr. Lester Pate of Elba came home Wednesday of last week to spend several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pate.

Mr. Cecil Marcus was the guest of Mr. J. C. O'Barr Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peterson and family spent Christmas with Mr. Peterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Peterson.

The Ladies Aid will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. C. A. Peterson.

Mr. Kenneth O'Barr spent Tuesday night with Mr. Charles Childress.

Mr. Harry Chamberlain of Chattanooga, Tenn., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lorrell for several days last week.

Although Hoover Prosperity is giving most folks the chair nevertheless Cupid is kept rather busy, especially at the hearts of Mr. Charles Childress and Mr. Cecil Marcus. Some girls are doomed. I wonder Who?

It's bad to go to church just to see your girl. But it's worse still to go to church to see your girl and find her there with another man.

Miss Helen Lowery entertained several of her friends at a party Saturday evening. Misses Pauline Poole and Jessie Martin won a prize for composing the largest number of words from the words "New Year." Jello and cake were served to the following: Misses Pauline Poole, Jessie Martin, Lola Martin, Wilma Goodgame, Lois Thompson, Edna Lee Wilder, Mary Ruth Nix, Jewell Wilson, Mrs. Doris Robinson, Miss Mabel Johnson, Mr. Charles McKee, Garnie Wilson, Garland Dobson, Mr. Roy Robinson, Kenneth O'Barr, Charles Childress.

The Thorsby Junior High resumed its labors Monday morning, December 29, 1930.

Miss Elizabeth Leslie of Birmingham spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Connatser.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott of Birmingham spent Christmas with Mrs. Scott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Connatser.

Miss Mae Stoddard, who has been teaching at the Thorsby Institute for the past year and a half left last week for Idaho where she will visit and care for her mother.

Mr. Alton and Roy Connatser have been home for the past several days.

Miss Ola Mae O'Barr had as her dinner guests Sunday Miss Louise Collins, Mr. Charles Childress

Misses Lessie and Louise Burnett of Elmore, Ala., spent Christmas with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bean.

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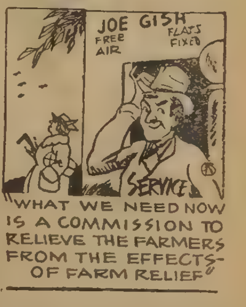
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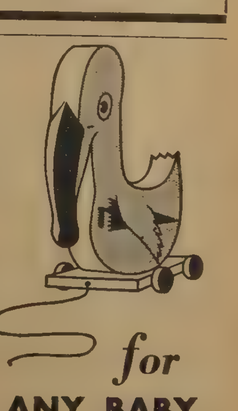

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Boy Scout Activities of Clanton

Dan Smith, Troop Reporter

Last Tuesday, December 23, a group of Boy Scouts met at Lamar Calloway's house at nine o'clock to go to the woods and pass some of the requirements of the Second Class test. These requirements were: 1. Build a fire in open with only two matches, of course this means without paper or kindling. 2. Cook in open without any utensils, a quarter pound of meat and two potatoes. 3. Demonstrate the proper use of the knife and hatchet. 4. Track a half mile in 25 minutes.

The Scouts present were Dan Smith, Grady Reynolds, Morgan Reynolds, Hal Broadhead, Joe More, Arnold Poe, Wesley Danforth, Herbert Neighbors, Joe Hall Johnson, Lawrence Gerald, Jr. We were accompanied by Lamar Calloway who gave us the test.

We left Mr. Calloway's home about 9:30 a.m. and hiked to a pine grove near Clanton, as soon as we arrived every fellow began picking out a place to build his fire, and also began to gather wood. Some Scouts had pretty good luck with their fire, and they had to use only one match, while others used both of theirs. After each fellow had passed on his fire building they started on their meat and potato cooking. The two largest fires were used for all Scouts. To see if the meat and potatoes were cooked properly Mr. Calloway had to taste each fellow's meat and potato, and it was wondered by the Scouts whether he was sick that night or not.

After cooking our meat and potatoes we started on tracking requirement. Mr. Calloway and Dan Smith left to leave the trail and the rest were to leave two at a time at intervals of 2 minutes. After all the Scouts had tracked the half mile, which ended at Mr. Calloway's home, we all went home.

Methodist Church

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D. W. Haskew, Pastor

Remember that next Sunday is the first Sunday of the year 1931. What are you going to do with that day? Start the year right by taking your place in God's house. Take your family and go to Sunday school.

The Holy Communion will be served at the Methodist church, following the opening worship. Then a short sermon will be preached by the pastor after the communion. Be on time.

This pastor has observed that there are many people in Clanton who are not attending any church or Sunday school. Folks, how on earth can you get your consent to live without the church in your life? You may say that you believe in churches, but when you do not attend, your actions speak louder than your words.

We are looking for you at Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. at 11 A. M. and at 7 P. M.

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FORMER HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL STAR SPENDS XMAS HERE

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One of Chilton County High's football stars of recent years, Orvel Sanford, known to his many friends here as "Pete" has been spending the Christmas holidays with his father, Walter Sanford, and his brother, Leon Sanford, in Clanton. "Pete" has been employed by the Allied Engineers, Inc., for sometime and although he stays away from Clanton quite a bit, he still fits in here.

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Prof. Lux Owen, who was at one time a member of the local high school faculty, and now of Cincinnati, stopped over in Clanton Tuesday for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade.

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Read Our Advertising.

OVERHEARD AT 3 O'CLOCK AT VERBENA FIRE MONDAY A.M.

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Having become warmed by the fire at Verbena early Monday morning, a News reporter became interested in some of the things he overherad there, at that early hour and put it on paper.

When the water began shooting from the fire hose with Clanton firemen at the nozzle, a lady was heard to ask, "Where in the world are they getting all that water?"

"Even the Mayor of Clanton answered the call, I see."

"There's one thing about it, Verbena can certainly have a good sized fire sometimes," from a Verbena resident.

"Look at John, he must have made a rush down here from Clanton."

"Have you seen my husband around here anywhere? I have the hardest time keeping up with him."

"Well, Cordelia, I wish you could find you a husband, and quit worrying about the one you got."

"Blame that smoke, it follows me everywhere I go."

"That is the first time I ever heard of a well burning."

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McEathern and son spent the Christmas holidays with friends and relatives in Columbus, Ga.

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Mrs. S. J. Kicker spent Christmas with friends and relatives in Montgomery.

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Miss Lurline Harper has returned to Birmingham after spending Christmas holidays with her mother here, Mrs. A. C. Harper.

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Miss Mary Foshee and Frances Moore spent the past week end as guests of friends in Montgomery.

Marion S. Smith of Jacksonville was a visitor to Clanton Monday.

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Before investing in land in any way have an abstract made and be safe.

M. D. Foshee Clanton, Ala.

Girl And Boy Scouts Assist Welfare Dept.

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The Girl Scouts and the Boy Scouts of Clanton played a big part last week in assisting the County Welfare Department in collecting food and clothing to be distributed to the needy over the county.

The Girl Scouts made Christmas wreaths of holly and mistletoe, selling them in order to get money to purchase fruit for the unfortunate families over the county. The Boy Scouts aided mostly in collecting the food and clothing and in dividing, assorting and making deliveries designated by the Welfare Department. Much interest is being taken in these two Scout organizations in Clanton and the outlook for a much larger organization is very bright.

Others who assisted the Welfare Department in delivering clothes and food during Christmas were Miss Mary Ellis, Charles Moore and Jack Burks.

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Hospital Notes

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Miss Mary Goodwyn Jones was discharged December 22.

Mrs. O. M. Penton was discharged December 29.

Mrs. P. H. Guice died December 24.

Mrs. Dalee Miller went home December 23.

Little Janmes Clinton Guice was discharged last Wednesday.

Mrs. N. H. Harrell and baby are doing nicely.

Mrs. J. B. Coe was discharged last Friday.

Mr. H. E. Pierce is doing nicely.

Mr. Foster Miller is doing fine.

Mr. O'Neill Glass is doing nicely.

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$2,500 Is Goal Set For Local Chest Drive

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confine relief to emergency situations. However, indications of demand for relief will be greater in 1931 than during the past year.

The county worker under the supervision of the state worker is called upon to preserve home life for children whenever possible. The home is the bulwark of the nation; the child needs his own home and wants his own home and has a right to his own home. The county worker must draw on the county resources to help meet the needs. If it had not been for the aid of the Chest funds during the cold winter months of yast year, the four small children of sick, feeble-minded parents would possibly have died of hunger and cold. Proper food and medicine secured thru the Chest funds greatly aided in saving a little girl's life. No greater service to humanity has been done to anyone, than the food given toward three sisters, all around 70 years of age. Two of these are blind and one of these is deaf and the other has lost her mind. Their great love for each other and for their church is holding them together. A young mother with five sickly children, with feeble-minded and epileptic father, have been fed from your gifts to the Chest fund.

One of the saddest plights of our county, are the homes of little children with immoral mothers. The community sees the mothers' sins and refuses to help, but are often times glad for someone else to help, as they can not "dirty their hands" with them. These children with immoral mothers love their mothers as devotedly as if she was a good woman. They get just as hungry as a child with two fine parents. They get just as ragged as the average child. They long for little friends and playmates more than the child who is not pointed at. We have some such families in Chilton County, who have immoral mothers, from the lack of training in their younger days, lack of proper home life while growing up, lack of education, lack of recreation, lack of mental ability and sometimes for a lack of funds for caring for their children. With the crowded conditions of the orphanages, lack of state funds for boarding children, etc., these children, in many instances, have been left with their mothers and are given meager aid, not only with the hopes of keeping them alive, but with the hopes of building up their moral nature and possibly getting the mother to have a better vision. The child is the greatest gift to humanity and only in providing for childhood may we expect an improved civilization.

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Miss Madge Scarborough, Elementary Supervisor, has returned after spending the holidays with her parents in Blue Springs, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stapp returned Sunday from West Alabama, where they had been spending the holidays with friends and relatives.

Miss Ruth Jones spept Christmas Day in Tuscaloosa with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wade and family of Birmingham spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade.

Liberty Hill News

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Mr. and Mrs. Allen Blackmon of Birmingham spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ward.

Mary Willie and Lottie Scarbrough returned to their home in Birmingham Sunday after spending the holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Foshee.

Our Sunday School is doing fairly well although we wish more people were interested. Let's begin the new year right by making a resolution to go to Sunday School every Sunday unless hindered by reasons approved by a good conscious.

Another wedding of interest to people of this community was that of Miss Myrtle Littlejohn and Mr. Herschell Maddox. The wedding took place at the home of Rev. A. L. Foshee Christmas Eve evening.

Mrs. Maddox grew to womanhood in this community, but moved near Thorsby a few years ago. Everybody who knew her loved her quiet, peaceful disposition. Mr. Maddox is an employee of the L & N Railroad, working with a bridge crew.

The couple left Christmas morning by train for South Alabama. From there they are to go to New Orleans. When they return they will make their home in Clanton.

Those spending the day with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Cooper Sunday were Mrs. Maggie Foshee, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Littlejohn, Mr. and Mrs. Zack Lowery and children, Marvin, Earl, Margaret and William. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Littlejohn and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ward joined the crowd in having a good time.

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125 Have Paid Central Fee To Local Tel. Co.

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20—S. J. Headley, M. C. Durbin, S. A. Henley, W. J. Best; (10).
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22—(1).
23—O. R. Mullins, Dalton Gile; (7).
26—W. B. Cooper, W. H. Headley, F. A. Bates, Grady Culp; (9).
27—Floyd Little.
28—J. N. Dennis, E. N. Wilson.
29—J. W. Moore.
35—T. G. Wyatt, Mrs. Mary A. Popwell.
37—E. H. Culp, E. C. Mims, W. W. Williams, J. C. Culp, D. Broadhead, J. M. Culp, C. R. Mims, F. A. Gibson, M. L. Williams; (11).
38—T. E. Wyatt; (1).
40—A. S. Baker; (7).
41—J. A. Dykes, J. H. Traywick; (5).
44—W. Q. Childress, Cleve Thomas, Mrs. Woodie Ward, Lee Popwell, J. D. Blankenship, Mrs. B. H. Vickers, D. T. Melton; (7).
47—W. S. Cox, J. T. Cox, Mrs. Ola Edwards, J. N. McKee, W. F. Wagoner, G. M. Durbin, V. C. McKee, J. D. Culp, J. L. Billingsley, W. E. Owens; (10).
48—Mrs. Lucy Littleton, W. F. Littleton, H. T. Littleton, A. L. Foshee, Mrs. M. E. Riggins, Mrs. Emma Foshee, Clarence N. Smith, Robert W. Littlejohn; (12).
51—Dr. Arthur Johnson.
52—(4).
66—(3).
70—E. H. Headley, John Gore, Allen Gore, W. A. Franklin, E. J. Vinson; (6).
82—J. Mat Johnson, C. C. Johnson; (11).
83—W. A. Martin, J. N. Courtney; (6).
84—John M. Robinson; (1).
86—J. A. Mims.
92—Dr. T. J. Marcus.
98—(1).
100—W. A. Edwards; (2).
105—E. B. Owens.
109—Jesse Baker; (1).
115—Monie Baker, Mrs. John W. Baker, Jno. E. Littlejohn, J. R. Baker, T. J. Baker; (8).
124—Oliver Duke, Zac Lowery, Jonah M. Mims, J. P. Jackson, E. P. Littlejohn, Mrs. Maggie Foshee, D. W. Ward, J. V. Best, F. M. Durbin, Sam Goddard, N. G. Ward; (9).
126—The Union-Banner; (1).
129—J. L. Holley, Jno. M. Baker; (3).
130—P. C. Weldon.
132—Tom Miner, O. R. Robinson, W. N. Connell.
136—J. F. Jones; (4).
145—E. H. Mims, E. D. Miner, Jno. M. Parrish, T. G. Taylor; (5).
150—Claud M. Baker.
152—Dr. N. S. Johnson.

The Board of Directors have not as yet set a dead line for the payment of dues, but such a date will be set within a few days. Now, since the holidays are over, let's get back to business and finish paying up our dues. To those who have paid, we would ask you to jog up the other phoneholders about you. It is to your interest as well as theirs that they pay; for the more money the company collects, the better service we can give.

O. R. ROBINSON, Pres.,
T. E. WYATT, Secretary.

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LOCAL W. M. S. ELECTED NEW OFFICERS LAST MONDAY AFT.

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The local W. M. S. elected officers for the new year at a meeting held last Monday afternoon. The following were elected: Mrs. J. P. Hayes, president; Mrs. P. T. Hinkle, vice-presidnt; Mrs. John T. Ellis, scretary; Mrs. Horsley White, Mission treasurer; Mrs. D. C. Alred, Local Aid Treasurer; Mrs. Flem Higgins, young peoples director; Mrs. Renfro Mullins, Counselor for Y. W. A.; Mrs. H. C. Poe and Miss Ruth Sessions, Counselors for Girl's Auxiliary, and Miss Avis Grantham, Counselor for R. A.'s; Mrs. J. D. Mullins, Sunbeam leader.

Special Meeting Next Monday

There will be held at the Baptist church on next Monday afternoon, a special meeting of this organization, to which all Baptist ladies are especially invited and urged to attend. At this meeting Monday afternoon Circles will be drawn, as well as other important items attended to. The meeting begins at two-thirty o'clock.

The W. M. S. has set their goal for the year for Missions at $400, and also expect to repaint the interior of the Baptist church, supply new furnishings for the pulpit, and remodel the pastorium. All Baptist ladies should attend the meeting next Monday afternoon at the church, at two-thirty o'clock.

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Negro Lifer Who Wanted Out Asks "In" After Parole

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Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 20—For 19 years Anthony Tomlinson, negro, serving a life sentence in Kilby Prison for murder had "wanted out."

Tomlinson's hopes were realized just before Christmas and his name was among the 350 granted a parole for the holidays by Gov. Graves. He was freed for a 12-month period.

Friday Tomlinson reappeared at the prison and wanted "in."

"Times have changed," he told Chief Clerk Snow. "I don't know but few folks in the old home town in Chambers County. All my folks are dead. I couldn't find any work. So if it's all the same I'd like to take up here where I left off."

And Mr. Snow opened the door.

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James Wade made a business trip to Birmingham Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. John DeRamus, of Talladega have been spending some time with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Mullins.

FOR SALE — Wakefield and Flat Dutch Cabbage Plants, 100, 25 cents; 500, $1.00; 1,000, $1.50. Will have tomato, pepper, egg and other plants ready for early planting. Will also have certified Porto Rico potato plants. Prices as low as anyone for good, fresh plants.

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Ted Healey In
"SOUP TO NUTS"
All-Talking Musical Comedy
Also a 1-Reel Western

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY—JAN. 7th and 8th
Lillian Tashman In
"LEATHER-NECKING"
Also a 2-Reel Comedy

FRIDAY and SATURDAY—JANUARY 9th and 10th
"BAR-L RANCH"---All Talking Western
Serial: "Tarzan The Tiger" --- All Talking

$200,000 Fire Hits Huntsville Area

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Huntsville, Ala., Dec. 26— Loss estimated at $200,000 was caused here early Thursday by a fire which damaged four business houses. Origin of the blaze had not been determined Friday. Half of the loss was said to be covered by insurance.

Starting in the Legion Store on Washington Street, the blaze spread to the Lyric Theater and two adjoining buildings.

A negro volunteer firefighter was seriously injured when knocked from a building by a stream of water.

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CAPT. LAY HOLDS OWN IN SERIOUS ILLNESS

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Captain William Patrick Lay, who has been ill for several weeks, has suffered some relapse and is not doing quite so well Tuesday, though resting better than on Monday.

It is the condition of his heart that is causing concern, this member not functioning as it should; a condition attributed to the very active life of Captain Lay, even up to the time when he was forced to take to his bed. A man of tireless energy, he is said frequently to have overtaxed himself without being conscious of the fact.

The members of the family are with Captain Lay, his sons in California having come here during the past few days.—The Gadsden Times.

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When Dr. Caldwell started to practice nedicine, back in 1875, the needs for a axative were not as great as today. 'eople lived normal lives, ate plain, vholesome food, and got plenty of fresh ılr. But even that early there were lrastic physics and purges for the relief ıf constipation which Dr. Caldwell did ıot believe were good for human beings.

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LEGION PLANS FOR RECEPTION ARE COMPLETED

Local Post Hears Interesting Speaker At Meeting Last Monday Night

Members and friends of the Chilton County Post American Legion were entertained for sometime last Monday night when Massey Edgar, past Post-Commander of the Chatom Post of the American Legion spoke to them on forest preservation and reforestation, at the meeting at the courthouse.

A resolution was drawn up and adopted by the Chilton County Post of the American Legion at the Monday night meeting, recommending that the State Government, by necessary legislation and appropriations provide for the adequate promotion of the proper use of forest lands. Following is the resolution as adopted by the local post:

Whereas, the members of the American Legion, through their service in time of war and as citizens of the commonwealth, have been, and are committed, by principle and practice, to the welfare and maintenance of our country in matters of defense, development and economic advancement; and

Whereas, among the means of achieving these ends, the proper use and management of the land of the State is of extremely great importance; and

Whereas, the growing timber by Forestral methods on Alabama's twenty-three million acres of woodland will result in annual yields of commercial forest products valued at many millions of dollars; and

Whereas, public, private and associational agencies have done much to advance progress in mining and agriculture, but thus far have not made corresponding progress in the proper use and development of forest lands as a necessary and integral factor in a well-balanced system of the economic and industrial development of the State; and

Whereas, the Forest industries and the manufacture of forest products form an important part of the business activties of this community and the existence of woodlands and forest provides substantial incidental benefits of watershed protection and hygenic influences.

Be it therefore resolved, that the Chilton County Post of the American Legion does hereby express and record its urgent recommendation that the State Government by necessary legislation and appropriations provide for the adequate promotion of the proper use and development of forest lands

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LOCAL KIWANIS TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Sixteenth Anniversary Will Be Observed During Week Of January 18th-24th

"The birthday of Kiwanis International will be celebrated in Clanton during the week of January 18 to 24, when Kiwanians here will join with the 1,869 other clubs in the United States and Canada to commemorate the 16th anniversary of the founding of the organization," J. Mell Martin, president of the local club, announced today.

The first club was organized in Detroit in 1915. On January 21 of that year the first meeting was held. The service organization has grown rapidly and today there is a membership of approximately 100,000. Raymond M. Crossman, of Omaha, is the International president. Kiwanis International will hold its next annual convention in Miami, May 3-7, 1931.

"The Clanton club is now three years old," said Mell Martin, "and we have enjoyed the growth and development that has come to the international organization of which we are a chartered and active unit. Our program for the anniversary meeting will be in charge of the Committee on Kiwanis Education, which is composed of: Cohen E. Stapp, Raymond Smith and Mack Wyatt.

"The major work for community activities for 1931 will be emphasized at the meeting and there will be reports of the work accomplished by the local club during the past year. A review of the under-privileged child assistance, vocational guidance and placement, urban-rural relations, citizenship, and general welfare will be heard by all members," he declared.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE WORKER IN CLANTON, ALA., LAST WEEK

Mrs. Judson D. Perry, of Birmingham has been in Clanton during the past several days in the interest of the work of the Anti-Saloon League of Alabama.

Mrs. Perry makes frequent trips to this section of the state in this work. She has headquarters at Birmingham, and has been engaged in this for the past twenty-three years, and is a very interesting person.

REV. H. G. WILLIAMS, B'HAM, RECENT VISITOR TO CLANTON

The Rev. H. G. Williams, pastor of the Norwood Baptist church, Birmingham, was a visitor to Clanton last Thursday, being the guest of his brother. T. L. Williams, local manager of the Alabama Power Company. While here Rev. Williams was guest at the Kiwanis luncheon, favoring the club with a witty address.

COUNTY WIDE MEETING HERE NEXT SATURDAY

Meeting Is For Purpose Of Making Plans To Aid County's Needy

A county-wide meeting was announced in last week's issue of the Chilton County News. This meeting is to be held at the Court House at 2 p.m. Saturday, January 10th, at which time it is hoped that people from every community in the county will be able to report on the destitute families in their communities. Plans will also be made for funds in aiding these destitute families.

During the past year approximately $1300.00 was raised in cash for such work. The "wolf was scared away from the door" of hundreds of families through this fund. The conditions of many families over the county are grave and immediate attention is absolutely necessary. The need for help has never been so great.

The reports of the conditions of needy families over the county will be heard, and conditions as found by the welfare worker will be placed before the gathering. Mrs. A. M. Tunstall, State Child Welfare Director, will attend this meeting Saturday, and everyone who can, is urged to attend.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 17, LAST DAY TO PAY TELEPHONE FEES

Saturday, January 17th, has been set as the final day for the payment of central fees to the Peoples Telephone Company. The central oprator, Mr. Lomer Giles, is giving good service, and if the people will fix up the lines and pay the fee, the service is here for you Of course, service cannot be given with the lines down and buried in the mud.

The above date gives two Saturdays; so this is enough time for all to pay up. Don't put it off until the last day, for you may not be able to come to town then. Attend to it at your first convenience.

No one who has not paid his central fee will be let through the central after January 17th. The fee is very reasonable this time, and everyone can surely arrange to pay by Saturday week. If you do not pay by that time, please be so kind as to cut your phone from the line until you do pay; and do not sponge on your neighbor by asking him to do your telephoning.

O. R. ROBINSON, Pres.,
T. E. WYATT, Secretary.

HUBERT FARLEY HANGS OUT SHINGLE IN ELECTRICAL WORK

Hubert Farley has started out in business for himself, according to his announcement recently. Hubert is now located at the Farmers Hardware Company, where he has his headquarters and is ready to answer your call for electrical wiring, repairing and radio repairing.

He has for sometime been connected with the Carter Electric Shop, local electricians and radio dealers of note, where he gained considerable experience in the electrical business, although he had several years experience before becoming connected with that concern. He stated that he would be glad for the people to call him if in need of his services.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Wilbanks and family of Montgomery were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Mell Martin.

Green Also Sees Bank Improvement

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 6 — State Superintendent of Banks D. F. Green, heartily endorsed yesterday, the optimistic statement regarding banking conditions throughout the nation that has been issued by President Rome C. Stephenson of the American Bankers Association.

In this statement, issued in New York, and appearing in morning newspapers Monday, Mr. Stephenson was quoted as staying that "we will have the strongest banking system we have ever enjoyed and one worthy of the highest confidence of all our people," as a result of the elimination of "undeniable weaknesses" in the country's banking structure in 1930.

"I am in thorough accord with the statement of Mr. Stephenson, which appeared in the press this morning," Mr. Green said, "and I feel assured that the banks of Alabama are in the best condition they have been in for years. Alabama banks have cleared up more old debts in the past 12 months than they have in a like period for many years back. The bankers have worked hard to get their affairs in the excellent shape they are in now and deserve the confidence and patronage of all citizens."

CORNERSTONE THORSBY CHURCH WILL BE LAID

Eleven O'Clock Services Will Also Mark Second Year of Pastor's Service

The announcement has been made that the cornerstone for the Thorsby Baptist church will be laid with proper ceremonies next Sunday morning, January 11th, at the eleven o'clock services.

The church has been completed for some time, but on account of tardiness in receiving the cornerstone, these services had to be postponed, until a later date, which is next Sunday. The stone was a donation to the church through the courtesy of J. W. P. Murphy.

Dr. L. E. Barton of Montgomery, widely known Baptist, throughout the state will deliver the sermon at this occasion, and the public is cordially invited to attend the eleven o'clock services. At this time attention will be called to the fact that his marks the second anniversary of the services of the Rev. J. W. Jones, pastor of the church, who extends to everyone an invitation to witness the laying of the cornerstone of their new church. Rev. Jones stated that regardless of the kind of weather prevailing on Sunday the building will be adequately heated if necessary, and all are assured of comfort from that standpoint.

Miss Callie Watts To Open Hat Shop Here

An announcement that will be received with much interest in this section was made this week when Miss Callie Watts announced the opening of Watts Hat & Dress Shoppe, which is now open to the public at The Fair, one of Clanton's popular dry goods and ready-to-wear stores.

A cordial invitation is extended by Miss Watts to everyone to visit her shop, which has been very attractively arranged with dressing rooms, large mirrors and models, something new for Clanton. The Watts Hat & Dress Shoppe will carry a line of ladies hats, dresses and do millinery work. Miss Watts, who is already well known in this section comes here from Talladega and Birmingham, where she has been in charge of some up-to-date millinery shops, and her experience in this line will no doubt prove beneficial to the ladies of this section who call on her.

DISTRICT S. S. CONVENTION TO BE HELD AT EVERGREEN 11TH

There will be held at the Evergreen Baptist church on Sunday, January 11, a District Sunday School Convention. The program will be as follows:

2:00 P. M. Devotional, led by Trull Smith.

2:15 Reports of schools in district.

2:35 Subject: The Standard of Excellence—

1. Is it essential to the Best Work of a Sunday School? J. F. Apperson.
2. Is it Attainable by any Sunday School? by Rev. A. S. Bentley.
3. Is it Resultful if Honestly Followed? by T. L. Patrick.

3:25 Conference.

3:45 Adjourn.

Farmers Meeting Is Scheduled For 20th

On January 20th, at 10 o'clock there will be a county-wide meeting held at the Courthouse in Clanton, Alabama.

The object of this meeting will be to discuss a safe farming program for 1931 and to have a discussion by a representative of the Bureau of Economics of Washington on the farming outlook for 1931. County Agent Stapp attended a conference along this line at Auburn, December 29th and 30th and reports that the outlook discussions would indicate very little possibility of farmers making more than a mere living in 1931 and this being true every farmer should begin planning to make plenty of food for the family and feed stuff for the livestock.

Farmers, merchants, bankers and all others interested in the agricultural outlook for 1931 are urged to attend this meeting on the 20th and see what the probable cotton price will be next year.

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At a meeting of the Missionary Society of the Methodist church in Clanton Monday afternoon Mrs. D.W. Haskew was elected as president for the coming year. Other officers were elected and the program of work outlined for the several circles.

VERBENA TO GET NEW GROCERY & FEED STORE

Barnett DeRamus Will Be Manager New Business In Verbena

Announcement has been made that Verbtna, Alabama has a new grocery and feed stuff business opened. The new place of business will be under the firm name of DeRamus Cash Grocery & Feed Store and is now open for business, according to information from Barnett DeRamus, manager of the new store.

This new grocery store will be located in the building adjoining the Store of Estate of D. I. DeRamus, facing the railroad. Mr. DeRamus is widely known throughout the county, having been connected with the D. I. DeRamus store in Verbena for many years with his brothers.

The DeRamus Cash Grocery & Feed Store will handle many well known and widely advertised brands of groceries and feeds, such as the popular Sunday Dinner Products, and the Purina line of feeds, with popular prices. They invite everyone to call on them.

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Miss Frances Higgins has recently returned from Huntsville, after enjoying a delightful visit there with friends and relatives during the holidays.

Aviators Will Be Here This Week

A representative of the Southern Flying Service of Asheville, N. C., was in Clanton the first part of this week making arrangements to bring one of their large three-passenger planes to our town for the purpose of giving the people in this section some trips up in the air. Arrangements have been made and the plane, a Curtis-Waco plane, will be here today, Friday, Saturday and Sunday of this week. This is being sponsored by the Maddox Service Station, dispensers of Good Gulf gasoline and oils.

Lieut. L. F. McCune will act as pilot of the plane. He has had eight years experience in flying, and has the reputation of having carried more than 25,000 passengers without a single mishap. He will be on the field daily, and each afternoon will give some exhibition flying, stunts such as dead motor landing and other stunts. On Saturday afternoon and Sunday he will give special exhibition, for which there will be no charge. The flyers are making a small charge for these trips in the air, and the plane and pilot are government licensed. The plane will be located on the field at Collins' farm, on the Lay Dam road, just east of town.

NOTICE GIVEN CONCERNING THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN CITED FOR LICENSE

A warning notice has been issued by the local License Inspector to those parties who have been cited for license for the year, according to information given the News this week. If license have not been secured by the 15th of this month, warrants will be issued for the arrest of parties failing to secure license, the information stated.

MANY FARMERS WANT PLACE TO WORK ON HALVES IN 1931

County Agent Stapp, advises that he is being called upon daily to help farmers find places where they can work on halves for 1931. There are lots of good men in the county, who are not able to rent. Landowners, who can possibly take care of one or more men on halves this year, are urged to do so and County Agent Stapp, will appreciate any such landlords getting in touch with him.

EPWORTH LEAGUE TO STAGE MEASURING PARTY FRIDAY

Announcement has been made that the Epworth League of the local Methodist church will put on a Measuring Party at the methodist parsonage next Friday night, at seven-thirty. Everyone is invited to come and take part in this entertainment, charges being made according to your height.

KIWANIS CLUB INSTALLED NEW OFFICERS JAN. 1

Various Committees of Club Also Named to Serve For Ensuing Year

At the last luncheon of the local Kiwanis Club, held Thursday, January 1, the newly elected officers for the year 1931 were installed. The Prsident's button was given Kiwanian J. Mell Martin, who succeeds Dr. V. J. Gragg as president of the club. W. M. Wyatt is the next vice-president, with W. M. Polk, Sr., District Trustee, John C. Page, treasurer and Billy Smith secretary. These officers assumed their duties January 1.

The committee appointed for the year are as follows:

Agriculture—Earl Thomas, Chairman, Sam Ezell, Cohen Stapp.

Business Standards — John Hollis, Chairman, J. Hance Alred, V. J. Elmore.

Club Meetings—Frank P. James, Chairman, Leonard Wililams, Sam Ezell.

Good Will and Grievances—Frank J. Callen, Chairman, Lloyd C. Warr, Reedy Taylor.

Inter Club Relations—W. M. Polk, Chairman, E. E. Upchurch, Percy M. Pitts.

Kiwanis Education — Cohen Stapp, Chairman, Raymond Smith, Mack Wyatt.

Membership and Classification—John C. Page, Chairman, W. M. Polk, V. J. Elmore.

Program — Mack Wyatt, Chairman, Sam R. Powers, Lloyd C. Warr.

Publicity — Billy Smith, Chairman, Frank P. James, Cohen Stapp.

Public Affairs and Underprivileged Child—J. Lee Smith, Chairman, Sam R. Powers, J. Renfro Mullins.

COLUMBUS YOUNG, NEGRO, IS FINED ON V. P. L. CHARGE

Columbus Young, negro, appeared in Mayor's Court last Monday morning to answer to a charge of violating the Prohibition law. He was arrested last Saturday night by Officer Sherrod, after the latter found five pints of whiskey at the negro's home near West End.

Not being able to pay his fine of $50 and costs, Young was sentenced by Mayor Lee Smith to 86 days hard labor on the streets. This was the only case coming up before Mayor Smith Monday morning.

MR. AND MRS. N. H. HARRELL OF BILLINGSLEY PARENTS OF GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Harrell, of Billingsley have announced the birth of a fine baby girl at the Central Alabama Hospital here. Both the mother and baby are doing fine, and have returned to their home in Billingsley. This information was received when Mr. Harrell was seen by a News reporter in a most jovial mood and with a happy expression on his face while in Clanton the other day. Mr. Harrell is one of Chilton County's progressive citizens and well known throughout the county. The News extends heartiest congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Harrell.

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The News has been requested to announce that the Chilton County High School Parent-Teachers Association is scheduled to meet at the high school on next Tuesday afternoon, January 13th, at three-thirty o'clock. All members are urgently requested to be present.

AGED CHILTON MAN VICTIM OF AUTO ACCIDENT

James Prim, 81, Dies Following Accident in Clanton Last Sunday Afternoon

Only one serious automobile accident was reported as occurring near Clanton last Sunday. This one occurred on the Selma highway at the intersection of Eighth Street and the highway, near the home of Dr. V. J Gragg, Sunday afternoon about two o'clock, taking as its toll James C. Prim aged 81, who died shortly afterwards.

According to the information reaching the News, Prim with his son-in-law, Henry Raybon, had just drove down from their home near Thorsby and had left Mrs. Prim and Mrs Raybon at a relative's home in Clanton, a block from where the accident occurred. The Prim car was emerging into the Selma highway when it was struck by another car said to have been driven by T. M. Yawn of Ensley

Yawn's car struck the Prim car near the rear, turning it completely around throwing Prim and Raybon from their seats. Raybon, who was driving was not seriously injured. A Martin's ambulance was summoned but Prim died before reaching the hospital, it was stated. Yawn was held and questioned by Officer John Boockholdt, later being released on an appearance bond. Neither car was badly damaged.

Funeral services for Prim were held Monday afternoon at the Congregational church in Thorsby, with the Rev Joseph E. Each officiating. Interment followed in the City Cemetery in Thorsby with Martin in charge.

REYNOLDS-M'INNISH MARRIAGE SURPRISES FRIENDS IN STATE

The recent marriage of Miss Edna McInnish to Mr. Seymore Reynolds came as quite a surprise to their many friends over the state. The marriage was announced December 23, 1930, and was quietly solemnized shortly before that by the Rev. Williams, of Birmingham at the home of the groom's brother-in-law, Herbert Wright, in Birmingham.

Mrs. Reynolds is a member of the high school faculty of Jemison, Alabama, and a member of the young social set of Jemison, and Prattville, her home. She is a graduate of Alabama College, Montevallo, of 1929. Mr. Reynolds is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Reynolds of Jemison, Alabama At present they are making their home with the latter in Jemison.

CLANTON GETS TWO MORE FIRES IN PAST WEEK

Volunteer Dept. Answers Four Calls Within Six Day Period

The volunteer fire department of Clanton answered four calls during the past week, three of which were in Clanton and one in Verbena. Last week's issue of the News carried accounts of the first two fires, the Baldwin home in Verbena and the Robinson Department Store fire in Clanton.

Early Wednesday morning, December 31, the home of John Burton Higgins, in Chandler Terrace, west of Clanton, was gutted by fire. The alarm was turned in about five-thirty o'clock Wednesday morning, and due to there being no water connections out so far from town, the firemen were greatly handicapped in combating the flames, although they used all chemical apparatus available. Very little of the furnishings of the attractive stucco bungalaw were saved, and it was stated that the family barely saved themselves from the flames, as they had gained considerable headway before discovered. The estimated damage done, according to information given the News, was approximately $9,000. The origin was undetermined at this time

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Roberts on Fifth Street barely escaped being completely destroyed by fire late Wednesday afternoon. The records of Chief Loren Smith show the time at 5:20 p.m. The fire is said to have originated from a flue of a heater in the home. Some furniture was saved from the flames. Some insurance was carried it was stated. The house was the property of Dr. N. S. Johnson.

At All IGA Stores

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

PANCAKE FLOUR I. G. A.	2 PKGS.	19c
TOMATOES Red Ripe—Solid Pack	2 Large Cans	19c
TABLE SYRUP Bonita, Georgia Blend	½-GAL. CAN	43c
FANCY TINY PEAS I. G. A. Petit Pois	2 Large Cans	43c
BEAUTY Soap—I.G.A. Delightful for all Toilet Purposes	3 CAKES	19c
LAUNDRY SOAP Octagon or I. G. A.	5 BARS	19c
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER	2 CANS	15c
TOILET TISSUE I.G.A. Full Count Rolls	3 FOR	21c
TABLE SALT, I. G. A. Free Running—Plain or Iodized	2 2-lb round Packages	17c
CALIFORNIA Evaporated Peaches Choice Grade	POUND	10c
COFFEE "I" BLEND Always Fresh	Lb. Pkg.	35c
COFFEE "G" BLEND	Lb. Pkg.	28c
COFFEE "A" BLEND	Lb. Pkg.	23c
CREAM OF WHEAT	SMALL PKG.	13c
ICEBERG LETTUCE	NICE HEAD	10c
RUTABAGAS	3 LBS.	10c
CALIFORNIA Pears, peaches or ripe Apricots—I. G. A. *Cream of the Pack*	2 TALL CANS	29c
APPLES Fancy Winesaps	DOZEN	19c
BREAKFAST SAUSAGE Puritan, Little Links—Cello Wrapped	POUND	29c
FLOUR I. G. A. Plain or Self Rising	24-LB. BAG	$1.10
SLICED BACON Sunlight Rindless	POUND	31c
PICNIC HAMS Sunlight Shankless	POUND	17c
FLOUR Duchess Self Rising or Columbia Plain	24-LB BAG	80c

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GULLEDGE BROTHERS, Verbena, Alabama
T. J. HENDERSON, Mt. Creek, Alabama
MAPLESVILLE CASH STORE, Maplesville, Ala.

Independent Grocers' Alliance

Centenial Of Reaper Is Near

Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 4—The centennial of the invention of the reaper by Cyrus Hall McCormick will be celebrated throughout the country next week by the International Harvester Company and others, J. B. McCutcheon manager, I. H. C. branch in Birmingham, states.

The reaper was invented 100 years ago by Mr. McCormick, being made in a blacksmith shop in Virginia, Mr. McCutcheon said.

A film depicting the invention with an exact reproduction of the smithy and first reaper will be shown at the Rialto Theater beginning at 9:15 a.m. Monday.

Although shown primarily for members of the International Harvester Company organization in Alabama, the public is invited to see the film which will require 50 minutes for running.

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We are glad to say that our Christian Endeavor is growing a bit in membership. We invite all the new people who have recently moved into our community to come and join us in our C. E. work. Not only that, but in every line of church work. And, too, let us resolve to make our Sunday school more progressive during the coming new year.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams and family spent Sunday with Mr. William's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

Mrs. Fonza Williams and children spent Thursday afternoon of last week with Mrs. Lon Buzbee.

Miss Norine Headley of Pleasant Grove community spent the past week with Miss Virginia Little.

Mr. Alfonza and Miss Connie Shaw made a business trip to Maplesville last Friday.

Mr. Oliver Williams spent Saturday night with his sister in Billingsley, Mrs. R. A. Hicks.

Miss Virginia Little spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Laura Sanders.

Mr. Barnabus, Miss Louise and Mrs. Elizabeth Kynard of Selma took dinner at the home of Mrs. W. W. Williams last Friday.

Gun Play Over State Brings Death To Four

Capital Newspaper Man Among Toll Claimed In Fatal Shootings

Three white men and a negro were shot to death in widely separated parts of Alabama during the week end. The dead include Tim Bandy, 36, Athens; John D. Clay, Montgomery; Roan Whitfield, Troy, and Charles Bennett, negro, Adamsville.

Bandy, police said, was shot to death by Charlie Black, Athens merchant. Black told officers noises in his store after closing hours attracted him from his nearby residence. On investigation he said he found a man in the place with a sack containing merchandise in one hand and a gun in the other.

Merchant Not Held

Black told police that when the man refused to raise his hands, he (Black) opened fire with an automatic pistol. Bandy is survived by his widow and five children. Funeral service will be held Monday afternoon. No charges Sunday night had been placed against Black.

Clay, a Montgomery newspaper employee, early Sunday was found dead with two bullet wounds in his body. His body, found on a street car track, was lacerated and authorities were uncertain whether Clay died from bullet wounds or injuries he may have suffered when run over by a street car.

Shots Heard

A proof reader for The Montgomery Advertiser, where he had worked two years, Cay left friends at 4 a.m. to go home where his wife and five children awaited him. A negro woman living near where the body was found, told police she heard shots fired between 4:30 and 5 a.m. Sunday.

Police say they could discover no motive for the slaying, but believed robbery was most likely, although they were told Cay had but little money on him. Cay was a native of Tallahassee, Fla., where burial will take place.

Farmer Shot By Wife

Winfield, a farmer, was shot to death by his wife, police stated.

Mrs. Augusta Winfield, 27, brought to Pike County Jail for questioning in connection with the investigation of the slaying, told officers she and her husband had been quarreling all night. Authorities reported that she told them that when Winfield said he was "have to kill you and then kill myself" she obtained a pistol and shot him through the neck, killing him instantly.

Daughters See Shooting

Mrs. Winfield said that her daughters, aged 9, 7 and 3 were sitting on the bed crying and screaming. She stated that they all were frightened, and that she hardly knew what was happening, police said. A son, 11, was away from home at the time the shooting took place.

Paul Click, 26, Sunday night was jailed here on a charge of murder in connection with the investigation of the slaying of Charles Bennett, negro, at Adamsville Saturday night.

Henry James and an unidentified negro were wounded. The unidentified negro is believed to have been critically wounded, police stated.

Argument Reported

Click was arrested by Deputies Homer Badger, Rufus Dudley, Earl Wilson, and Charlie McMullin, following an all-night investigation. Deputy Badger said the Adamsville shooting occurred during an argument between seevral white men and a group of negroes.

Click denied being implicated in the affair, maintaining he was at home when the shooting took place.

Billingsley News

An interesting game of basketball was played on the Billingsley court Friday afternoon, the score being eleven to twelve in favor of the Maplesville boys.

Misses Inez and Maude Lee Patrick returned Monday afternoon to Alabama College at Montevallo after spending Christmas vacation with their parents.

Miss Ruby Green of Jacksonville, Ala., was the guest of her sister, Miss Lila Green, the past week.

Mrs. Ernest Wilson of Birmingham is visiting her mother, Mrs. Hattie Dickinson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Thompson of Tallassee are the guests of Mrs. W. A. Gandy.

Mrs. J. C. Hughes spent some time last week in Tuscaloosa with Mr. and Mrs. John Wonder. Wr. Wonder underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Druid City Hospital Christmas Eve Day.

Rev. A. S. Bentley and family of Moffett have moved and will reside here in the future.

Those who attended the associational B. Y. P. U. Convention at Verbena Sunday afternoon were Rev. Bentley, Miss Mabel King, Mrs. J. C. Hughes, Messrs. G. T. Dickinson, Earl Davis, Sam Nummy, Norman Patrick, and J. C. Gibson, Jr. All reported a wonderful meeting. Everyone on program was present with a good speech. The vice-president, Mr. Houston Robinson, presided, in the absence of the president. Much credit is due Mr. Robinson for the creditable manner in which he conducted the meeting. The out-of-the-association visitors were, Eastern District president, Mr. Rice, and Mr. Green of Roanoke, and Mr. Harry Cook from Montgomery.

Too Late for Last Week

Mrs. V. C. McIlvain of Sheffield spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Hattie Dickinson.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar had as their guests during Christmas Mrs. Willis Lawrence of Eoline, M. C. Marlar of Tuscaloosa, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Willis and family of Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Williams of Montgomery.

Miss Margaret Hall of Birmingham spent the week end with Misses Inez and Wilile Jeanne Patrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith, Miss Mary Keith and Henry and Emory Keith of Fairfax, Ala., were the holiday guests of Prof. and Mrs. Ralph Upton.

Prof. J. O. Simmons spent the holidays with his parents at Louin, Miss.

Mrs. C. D. Golson of Prattville, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Powell of Verbena visited Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baxter during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robertson of Tallassee were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Culp during the holidays.

Messrs. W. C. Patrick and Charles Patrick of Montgomery spent Christmas Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Patrick.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Marlar spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Nummy and Mr. and Mrs. Collier Marlar in Birmingham.

Prof. Ralph Upton returned Sunday from a visit with his parents at Dothan.

Mr. Clyde Igo spent Monday here.

Mr. A. G. Thompson and Miss Sara Lynn of Bessemer spent Thursday with Mrs. W. A. Gandy.

Miss Lila Green spent the holidays with relatives at Jacksonville, Ala.

Paul Vinson of Tuscaloosa is spending some time with his mother, Mrs. J. C. Vinson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Harrell of Rayburn Gap, Ga., are visiting relatives here.

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Considering the present conditions, we have decided to reduce our prices on our work. We will shoe your horses and mules now for $1.10 up. Shrink one-horse wagon tires at 50 cents per wheel. Put on new tire on one-horse wagons for $1.00 per wheel. Gum old cross-cut saws for $1.00. Gum old axes and put in good condition for 25 cents per blade. Stalk cutter blades and any kind of emery work done at reduced prices. This includes all other blacksmith work too numerous to mention.

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Captain of Industry

Gerard Swope, president of the General Electric Company, who has worked out a plan for the stabilization of employment in industry.

Jemison High School News

Last Friday morning we had a very interesting chapel program. Rev. Jones, the pastor of the Baptist church, gave a short talk on how and when we should make our New Year resolutions. This was followed by a humorous program given by Mr. Turner's session room. We are always glad to have our pastors and friends join us in our chapel exercises.

The basketball games of the past week end have been a success. The boys went to Isabella and won over them by the score of 27 to 7. The girls played Calera Junior High, on the home court, and won by a close score of 18 to 16.

Saturday afternoon both teams played Tompson High of Silura. Both games were "thrillers" for the girls won by the score of 13 to 12, and the boys won 20 to 17.

The boys will invade Birmingham Wednesday afternoon for a game with Phillips High.

Everyone is preparing for the mid-term tests, which will begin Wednesday of this week, and end Friday.

The Junior III Home Economics Class is now studying the yards and how to plan the home and its surroundings.

They have just completed the study on Home and Its Care. Most of the pupils are now beginning their project work for the school year. Before this course was completed the class visited many of the homes to see the different types of home arrangements. We visited Miss Elizabeth McNeill's beautiful new home on January the first.

The school kitchen is divided into four groups. Each group painted its kitchen utensils a different color. The colors being blue, red, yellow and green. The class has made new curtains for the Conway Dining Hall. We are planning to make new draperies for the sewing room. There are twenty-three pupils in this class, and it has Miss Leacy Newell as its Home Economics Instructor.

W. L. PARRISH
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PHONE 4100

THE CHILDREN OF CHILTON AIDED DESTITUTE IN 1930

Last year, in joining the "OTHERS CLUB" the children of the different schools of the county helped materially. The fee of 10c pays for the "Others" pin and also helps the destitute of the county. The following schools raised during 1930 the following amount through their "Others Clubs":

Clanton Grammar, $11.70; Chilton Co. High, $11.40; Collins Chapel, $7.20; Jemison, $6.51; Enterprise, $5.70; Mullins, 100 per cent, $5.00; Thorsby Institute, $4.80; Stanton, $4.10; Verbena, $3.80; Thomas Jr., $3.50; Coopers, $3.30; Vermont, $3.30; Chestnut Grove, $2.70; Jackson Chapel, $2.20; Pates Chapel, $2.20; New Harmony, 100 per cent, $2.00; Lay Dam, $2.00; Isabella, $2.00; Mitchell Dam, 100 per cent, $1.90; Morganville, $1.80; Shiloh, $1.70.

Pilgrim Rest, $1.60; Freeman, $1.50; Concord Junior, $1.50; Culp, $1.20; Mt. Pleasant, $1.10; New Cedron, $1,10; Oak Grove, $1.00; Smith, $ .90; Unknown, $ .80; Corinth, $ .70; Pine Dale, $ .70; Union Grove, $ .50; Flint Hill, $ .50; Adams, $ .50; Cross Roads, $ .50; Concord-C, $ .50; Pleasant Grove, $ .10.

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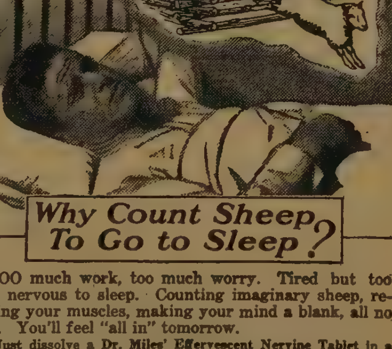

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COST OF NATURAL GAS TO EQUAL HEAT UNITS IN A TON OF COAL OR COKE

Heat Units Per lb. of Coal or Coke	Heat Units Per Ton of Coal or Coke (2000 lbs.)	Number of Cubic Ft. Natural Gas to equal Ton Coal or Coke	Price * Natural Gas Per 1000 Cu. Ft.	Cost of Natural Gas to Equal Ton Coal or Coke
13,000	26,000,000	26,000	@ 60 cents	$15.60
13,500	27,000,000	27,000	@ 60 cents	16.20
14,000	28,000,000	28,000	@ 60 cents	16.80
14,500	29,000,000	29,000	@ 60 cents	17.40
15,000	30,000,000	30,000	@ 60 cents	18.00

*Sixty cents is minimum rate for Natural Gas for household use approved by Alabama Public Service Commission.

To figure what it would cost YOU to substitute Natural Gas for Coal or Coke in your home heating plant, call your dealer and ask him how many B. T. U.'s per pound are contained in the Coal or Coke you are using. Then find this figure in the left hand column, and you'll find the comparative cost of Natural Gas in the last column on the right. Compare this cost with what you're paying now for Coal or Coke.

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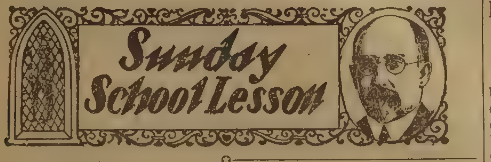


Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School Lesson for January 18

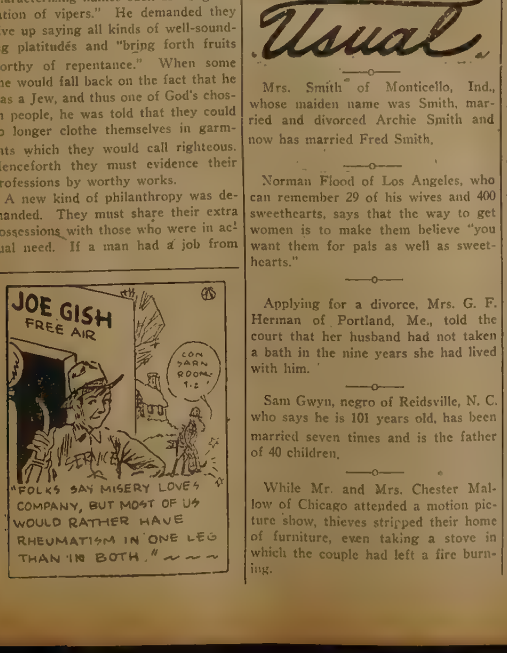
THE MINISTRY OF JOHN THE BAPTIST

Luke 3:7-17

When John was thirty years of age the spiritual summons came to begin his work as the Forerunner of Jesus Christ. This man had grown up in the midst of nature.

Others might conduct formal prayers in a synagogue. John made a rock his pulpit in some wilderness arena and thither the people flocked to hear him. They could not stay away from such utterances. He dared to tell them about their most inner self, what they thought about that was vile, the things that they did which were contrary to all law and decency. He called them characterizing names such as "O generation of vipers." He demanded they give up saying all kinds of well-sounding platitudes and "bring forth fruits worthy of repentance." When some one would fall back on the fact that he was a Jew, and thus one of God's chosen people, he was told that they could no longer clothe themselves in garments which they would call righteous. Henceforth they must evidence their professions by worthy works.

A new kind of philanthropy was demanded. They must share their extra possessions with those who were in actual need. If a man had a job from which he received wages, he was to stop complaining with his meal ticket and settle down to work as he rendered service for pay received. Further, they must testify of their penitence for past sins and express a solemn purpose after new obedience in the form of baptism. Then multitudes came to him to be baptized as he stood in the waters of the Jordan river. Such a person was thought of as the long promised Messiah. At once John the Baptist declared that he was just preparing the way for the one "who shall baptize you with the Holy Ghost and with fire."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"FOLKS SAY MISERY LOVES COMPANY, BUT MOST OF US WOULD RATHER HAVE RHEUMATISM IN ONE LEG THAN IN BOTH."

Rather-un Usual

Mrs. Smith of Monticello, Ind., whose maiden name was Smith, married and divorced Archie Smith and now has married Fred Smith.

Norman Flood of Los Angeles, who can remember 29 of his wives and 400 sweethearts, says that the way to get women is to make them believe "you want them for pals as well as sweethearts."

Applying for a divorce, Mrs. G. F. Herman of Portland, Me., told the court that her husband had not taken a bath in the nine years she had lived with him.

Sam Gwyn, negro of Reidsville, N. C. who says he is 101 years old, has been married seven times and is the father of 40 children.

While Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mallow of Chicago attended a motion picture show, thieves stripped their home of furniture, even taking a stove in which the couple had left a fire burning.

Beware Of Slow Rabbits, Warning

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 3—Careless handling of rabbits has caused another case of tularemia, or "rabbit fever" according to a report to the State Health Department. The case is in Morgan County.

If a rabbit doesn't shown any inclination to hurry when jumped, the hunter had better let him alone, Dr. D. G. Gill, chief of the bureau of communicable diseases, said. And whether the rabbit is fast or slow, the safest plan is to use gloves when dressing him, Dr. Gill said.

Five cases of undulant fever were reported to the department in December, two from Jefferson County.

Humorettes

Kopweh—Do you think the dead can communicate with us?

Harnruhr—I know they can't. Once I managed to borrow a dollar from a Scotchman. A week later he died, and I haven't heard a word since.

Minnie—Do you buy shoes that pinch?

Tonka—You should hear my husband holler when he gets the bills for them.

Fake—Lucinda paints and powders a good deal, doesn't she?

Bosch—Yes, when you kiss her it's just like eating a marshmallow.

Dusty Ike—Please, sir, I've a sick wife—could you help me out?

Business Man—I can give you a job next week.

Dusty Ike—Too late! She'll be able to go to work herself by then.

Boarder—Come quick; two rats are fighting in my room.

Landlady—What do you expect for 50 cents, a bull fight?

Miss Gush—I just adore caviar, don't you?

Mr. Flush—I seldom listen over the radio and care little for those foreign singers.

Charles C. Dipaula of Baltimore is the owner of an automobile which has been stolen and recovered three times in the last year.

My Best Girl

BY

KATHLEEN NORRIS

Maggie Johnson, whose father is a letter carrier, is the domestic drudge of the humble home where her mother does little except bemoan the fact that she has "seen betted days" and her sister, Liz, who works in a beauty shop, lies abed late. Maggie has to get the family breakfast before she starts out to her job in the Five-and-Ten-Cent Store.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

Life scrambled along somehow in the Washington Avenue cottage, and almost every day there was a funeral somewhere worth seeing.

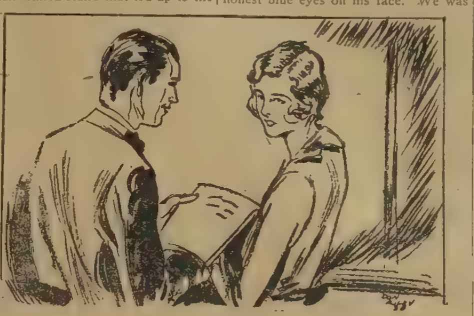
Minnie Johnson, forty-six years old, liked funerals.

"Mamma'll give up the funeral of her oldest friend, if there happens to be a bigger one on the same day!" Maggie asserted delightedly. And yet she considered the dismal tendency as rather admirable in her mother, and when there were defective black gloves or ribbons or veils marked down for below cost. at the Mack, she always brought her mother fresh supplies of them.

This morning she parted from her father, as usual, before the swinging doors of the general post office, to the much more inviting scene presented by the Mack.

There were life, animation, gaiety here. Maggie, penetrating to an odorous basement room that smelled of disinfectants and face powder and wet towels and highly scented soap found some forty of her associates surging about, changing their clothes, powdering their faces, gossiping, laughing and quarreling.

In the passage at the top of the flight of brick-walled stairs that led up to the store was a nail, and Maggie took from it, with the expertness of long usage, a handful of scraps of paper and began without further preamble the business of the day.



"Say, did they get a new boy in here in Jimmy's place? Where is he? Are you the new boy? What's your name? Joe, huh?" she had brought up with a bump against a tall young man, and now she raised her blue eyes from her memoranda and smiled at him as she went on, "I guess you're the new boy? Joe Grant, huh? Were you workin' in a department store before? You weren't? Well, see here—these are the stock orders. Ink, see? And salt boxes, see?

He stood looking at her, bewildered, his puzzled, mutinous eyes far above her small head, bent to study her notes.

"We might as well do the candy first since they want 'em for the window, I'll hand 'em down to you and you check 'em off. Don't be any dumber than you can help, becauz they're always in a rush for the night orders!"

Enveloped in her preposterous apron, her small hands fairly flying, her crown of chestnut braids becoming slightly dishevelled, and her cheeks getting red with her exertions, Maggie Johnson was all superbly indifferent to what he might be feeling or thinking.

"Here—be careful with those boxes, Joe. If you spill this stuff you pay for it. What's the next? Matinee Habit'? Oh, those are chocolate bars—didn't you ever eat one? Gee, you are dumb!"

It was noon on the same day. There was a forty-minute interval for lunch, and the new boy was lounging, bitter, disgusted against a strip of dirty, disfigured brick wall that had once been painted white.

Far abov his had, the boy could hear the healthy one-o'clock roar of the store, beating rhythmically, like the sea upon a deep shore.

He was away from it all for the forty minutes of his lunch "hour," but it seemed all to be with him still—the noise of it, the confusion, the horrible smells.

A gong, above him, behind him, somewhere up the wide, dirty, utilitarian brick steps that rose steeply between two marred and grimy white brick walls, rang twice. That meant that the second lunch shift was due to report upstairs and relieve the third. The boy heard it, but he did not move in its direction.

Instead, he took from his pocket a small folded yellow envelope of stout brown paper and looked within it. It contained money—three dollars, some cents. He had been working a day, or he would have been working that long, when the store closed to-night. His pay was at the rate of twent-two dollars per week.

He had dropped the torn envelope and was putting the money into his pocket when a sound in his neighborhood made him turn suddenly, at the foot of the stairs. He was not, apparently, the only occupant of the basement.

Backing cautiously out across the heavily wrapped bundles that were a dozen times the size of her small body was what he at first supposed to be a child. Once fully in view, he recognized her at once. It was Maggie.

"That was a job for you!" she said panting, explanatory, raising to his eyes as beautiful a pair of blue specimens as he had ever seen.

"What was?" he asked.

Her own eyes became slightly suspicious.

"Weren't you waitin' for them ideel leaflets?" she asked.

"I don't know what you're talking about!" the boy answered.

"Didn't you hear the gong?"

"Sure I heard the gong!"

"Well, don't you know you'll get fined if you're not in your place when that rings? Here—take these," the girl said expertly, plunging into an opened crate, securing some dozens of small frying pans, all tied together by the eyes in their nickled handles and cramming them into his arms. "We'll say we were after stock," she explained rapidly.

She had loaded herself with kitchen brushes; now she started toward the stairway. "Follow me, an' I'll get us both out of it!" she promised, confidently. "Don't you say a word, Joe, I'll run it!"

Joe, who was tall, found himself smiling as he followed her small, flying figure. She went up the stairs almost at a run. He kept close behind her with his own load of jangling frying pans. She stopped only once.

"Mr. Smith," she said in a businesslike tone to a floorwalker who arrested her with a sallow hand "me an' Joe here was gettin' out some stuff for the house furnishin's when the gong rung—will you check us in?"

Mr. Smith eyed her with suspicion.

"I thought I had you this time, Maggie," he observed drily, displaying a wrist watch.

"No, sir!" the girl answered sturdily, honest blue eyes on his face. "We was gettin' out stock."

"All right, all right," he said challengingly, "but who asked for them brushes and pans?"

"I don't know, sir. Someone just yelled down when I was finishin' my lunch."

"Well, I guess I'll just step over to the house furnishings with you, Maggie," the man said unpleasantly, "and we'll see if we can identify the order. How'll that do?"

When they reached that churning, convulsed department that was devoted to house furnishings: Maggie shouted.

"Say! Which of you girls ast for fryers an' brushes? Me an' Joe've got 'em here, anyway!"

"I done it! An' bring them in here, and next time don't set around down there doin' cross-word puzzles while you think it over, Maggie!" she said, rising at once to the girl's aid.

Smith, only half convinced by all this cheerful glibness, fired a parting shot.

"Looks like you've got thirty or forty of them pans here now, Mrs. Cullen."

"Well here's the way of it, Mr. Smith. There was a school-teacher in this mornin'" Kate responded "an' all was that she says her class in domestic signs—whatever they are!—wud need a hunder' of them———"

"My God!" Eugene Smith said under his breath, departing. It was never any use to go against Kate Cullen; he had never really scored against Maggie Johnson, either. The two of them together——!

Joe meantime stacked brushes under the counter, while Maggie, arranging the frying pans compactly alongside, exchanged the time of day with Mrs. Cullen.

"Pop's takin' that stuff that never had no label on the bottle; the stuff Ma got at an auction," said Maggie, in answer to the older woman's kindly inquiry. "They wear real well, you'd be surprised!" added Maggie, of the ten-cent window weights, to an inquiring customer.

"If they wear at all, you bet your life I'll be surprised," the customer, disenchanted, responded sourly.

Maggie, was fired into sudden interest. Her eyes danced with a blue battle spark.

"We don't guarantee them for us as weights in private stills, madam, nor to fire at the old man in case of a fam'ly difference!" she explained, to the unconcealed pleasure of everyone within hearing.

"Get out of here, Maggie," Kate Cullen said. "An' you move along too, Joe. The girls are very fresh nowadays," Kate added placatingly to the panting customer. "She'll get fired for that to-night!"

"Well, I'm glad to hear it," the woman said, mollified.

"What'd she do? Joe began to demand blankly. But Kate Cullen's significant wink silenced him.

The boy went away. He found Maggie again in the fevered congestion of the teeming aisles. He gathered she was not a saleswoman—she was technically known as a "feeder," one of the several little drudges who flew back and forth with messages, carried notes, ran for fresh suppliese of thread and combs and soap and toys and sheet music and bottles of ammonia and perfume and cod-liver oil and beads.

"Maggie!— Maggie!— Maggie— get Mr. Smith to sign this, tell him the lady's in a rush—it's an even exchange. Maggie! see if you can find them rubber puppies and lions—bring up a whole lot. Where's Maggie? She was goin' to——"

She got more tired, more pale, more miserably draggled-looking as the endless afternoon wore down to winter dusk, and the lights flamed up everywhere. But she never stopped. She was merely a pair of willing feet, a pair of tireless hands.

Only once did she speak to Joe that afternoon, and then it was merely to say: "Don't be such a dumbbelll, you poor dumbbell!" As the gong struck six, she appeared beside him at the top of the basement steps, and said:

"That's dinner. We have forty minutes. Did you bring anything?"

"Dinner I mean," Maggie explained patiently, kindly. "We stay open until ten Saturdays, in December."

"Oh, my—goodness," Joe said simply.

"Lissen," said Maggie, "Go over to the fountain and get a bottle of milk—it won't cost you nothin'—we can have all we want Saturday nights, becauz it sours, do you see? Then come down where I was this noon."

Joe found her in the basement, a few minutes later, when he went down carrying his own bottle of ice-cold, beaded milk, into whose deftly opened top the soda-fountain girl had stuck two straws.

"We ain't supposed to come down here," said Maggie, "but come in thru here, an' I'll show you what I found out the other day."

Joe moved cautiously after her toward a large open window that was concealed in a dark corner on a shaft.

Maggie went through it like a rabbit, and he followed, into a small cemented place, down at the foot of some twenty stories of rising shaft, laced, after the first floor, by the open balconies of fire escapes.

Opposite them there was another window, also open, and into this Maggie scrambled, without so much as a backward glance or word for him. Joe followed here. There was no witness—he and Maggie were apparently unobserved and forgotten.

She had preceded him to a sort of room built by the walls of piled mattresses, mounting in stacks up almost to the roof of this neighboring basement. The girl seated herself comfortably, her small legs stretched out before her and the bottle of milk and cardboard box of supper she had been carrying conveniently arranged to hand

"Isn't this grand?" she asked, with a long sigh of satisfaction

Three walls were made of mattresses, rising high about them. The fourth was that space of brick punctured by the high area window. Joe, grinned an appreciative agreement

"This is the basement of the Diggins Deepsweet Mattress Company; it backs on to the Mack," Maggie explained. "We're on Eight, they're on Ninth—this is one of their storerooms. I found it last summer. If I should drop off to sleep for God's sake wake me up! I mean it, I'm not swearin', Joe." There's a lot of sandwiches and broken biscuits there that was in the bottom of a bucket. Stale bread is better for you anyway. We oughter have a green vegetable, but you can't balance your diet on Saturdays———

"How do you mean, balance your diet?" he asked in amazement.

"Don't you know about diet?" she demanded.

"Well, something," Joe admitted with his mouth full. "But I didn't know that you did."

(To Be Continued Next Week)

Three magistrates whose ages totaled 237 years sat in judgment on two St. Louis tramps accused of stealing two candles valu[illegible]

After he had stolen four turkeys, three ducks, two capons and four pheasants from a cold storage plant in Lebanon, Pa., the unknown thief telephoned news of the robbery to newspapers.

In asking for a divorce, Mrs. Anastasia O'Keefe of New York told the court that although her husband is worth a million and a half he had bought her only one coat in 22 years.

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Buying Feed Leads to Poverty

The wagon or truck that comes to town loaded with cotton and returns to the farm laden with hay, corn and similar products that should be raised at home, continues to be seen in the South—and continues to be the most suggestive symbol of the existing economic state of agriculture.

Nothing has been proved more clearly in the school of practical experience than that the farmer can not hope to raise cotton exclusively and realize enough out of it to buy all the other necessities for the farm.

This truth has been emphasized with peculiar force during the past year and agricultural leaders all over the South are urging an about-face in the practice. They are repeating, what this paper has so often proclaimed, that the way to prosperity lies in the full smoke-house and overflowing barn. The hundreds of millions of dollars going into other sections for things that could be produced here represents cash that must be kept at home if agriculture is to come into its own.

Buying feed for the farm is as profitless as carrying coal to Newcastle.

—Tuscaloosa News.

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The Tragedy of Plenty

By Merle Thorpe, In December Nation's Business

A year ago we had a stock market crash. It was not a cause of our present depression; it was a result of overconfidence. Today we suffer from overcaution, and I don't know which of the two is worse for us.

A year ago we peddled wild rumors of failures, disaster, panic. We told each other of two millions unemployed, but said nothing of the 42 millions on the job. We whispered to each other that the nation was "broke," that buying power had vanished, but said nothing of the 50 billions the banks had on deposit, and of the 15 billions, for example, which we could borrow on our "savings" in life insurance. In awed tones we spoke of fewer carloadings, but said nothing of the 900,000 freight cars which were being loaded each week.

We talked ourselves into a state of fear. And we are still talking.

We find a perverse pleasure in seeking grounds for pessimism. Nothing reassures. We ignore the absence of those things which usually accompany panics. There is no scarcity of money. National credit was never so good. No suspension by banks of full cash payments. No sale of certified checks at a discount. No great failures. No disorders of currency.

And the irony of it.

Here, millions who desire things, food, shelter, clothing; other millions who desire greater conveniences and comforts of life; others, the luxuries. Not a single individual from Billionaire Ford (just back from a European vacation) on down, who is content, whose desires are satiated. All stand willing and eager to exchange their labor and services for the fruits of the labor and services of others.

Here, a surplus of foods, building materials, of cottons, woolens and silk. The gigantic factory plant of the nation with steam up, ready to go; agencies geared up as never before to furnish art, books, music and travel.

A people, intelligent and powerful, helplessly milling around, unable to exchange labor and services and goods. Business in a stalemate.

The tragedy of plenty!

Meanwhile the shelves of the nation, both in stores and in homes, are becoming bare. Some day, just as the bubble of overconfidence burst a year ago, our present overcaution will vanish and then we shall all join a mad scramble to buy. Factories will not be able to fill their orders, and when we hear of that, we shall become more excited to buy, demanding deliveries NOW. Our insistent demand will cause prices to go up and up and up.

That has been the course of every depression. Prices on the down grade. The consumer is king. The dollar commands greater and greater values. Sentiment changes: thrift comes to be a matter of wise saving. The American people have never been and never will be content indefinitely with a hand-to-mouth existence.

And because of this, from every depression comes new names, new faces, new fortunes, new business leaders. There are always a few who do not wait for opportunity to repeat her knock at the door—and show credentials. There are always a few—even as there are a few today—who with foresight and common sense go quietly into a low-priced market, stock up raw materials, lay up supplies of every kind—even to household and personal supplies—and get ready for the inevitable upturn.

If you look about you, you will note that most of the big fortunes of today, and the successful men, came up out of times like these. Not blind buying, but intelligent buying, based on a complete picture of one's business in full view. Not a worm's-eye view alone, but the view of a man who on a clear day sees 10 years ahead.

Never fear, from this tragedy of plenty there will come new names for the business headlines of tomorrow. They are in the making now.

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Societies to suppress noise are being formed, but out in the country they organize to suppress the quiet.

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And you don't expect your own business to move, unless you push it along with advertising.

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Don't expect your home town to go upward, if you are constantly talking it down.

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It is claimed the world is more heavily armed than it was before the war, but no one has so far offered to loan any country money to fight with.

"ROUND TOWN"
---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

"Make yourself an honest man, and then you may be sure that there is one rascal less in the world."—Carlyle.

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The quotation above kind of leaves the same impression with me as the old saying, "Sweep around your own door." Perhaps it is just a little milder way of putting it for those sensitive persons. But how grand it would be if each person in Clanton would apply that quotation to themselves. Well, possibly I should say, those who need it.

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Well I hope my selection of the 1930 Who's Who of last week pleased a few persons. Haven't had an opportunity to feel around to see yet. By the way, have you started reading the new serial story in the News? The second installment is in this issue. The story is "My Best Girl," by Kathleen Norris, and it is a corker. The characters are so human, just ordinary folks and true to life. Might be a chance of connecting them with some folks you know round town. If you haven't already started reading it, it is not too late yet, and tell your friends about it. Adding this serial to the News is just another forward step in my opinion. Another good column is "Main Street Looks at Broadway" by Ernest Camp, Jr. Ernest is one of those young fellows who came from a hick town like somebody else did, I know of who writes a column each week, and he has been taking cracks at Broadway, that are extremely humorous. Something else interesting in the C. G. N. each week is Bruce Barton's writings. I like them because they pertain so closely to life, as I see it. That reminds me, I must look up the word, Idealist.

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Tonight, while I write this column, I am in something of a serious mood, and am afraid I will not pass on to you gentle readers any jokes. There's something bothering my mind, and I can't get it off my mind until it leaves town, which fortunately for you, will be in a day or two from tonight. This fellow Henry Ward Beecher of several years ago, once said, "Do not keep the alabaster boxes of your love and tenderness sealed up until your friends are dead. Fill their lives with tenderness. Speak approving, cheering words while their ears can hear them and while their hearts can be thrilled by them." Now, that is something like a fellow's idea about folks sending flowers to his funeral. He wonders why they can't send them while he can see and smell them. Something to that maybe, after all.

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Folks, this fellow George W. Willis, one of those good natured and well liked farmers living out north of Clanton has got the right spirit about doing things. He says when things look tight he just hitches up Old Beck to a plow, and they both back their ears and go to it. That's the kind of spirit I like, and that's the spirit that has made Mr. Willis a darn good farmer, too. I'm going out to see him sometime soon.

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Just thought of another thought. Rosseau once said, "Men and nations can only be reformed in their youth; they become incorrigible as they grow old." Not a bad saying for an old man like Rousseau. Maybe that is the reason all those old countries over across the waters are having so much trouble. If that is the case, then somebody had better get busy on this United States of ours right away, before it gets old and incorrigible, because we don't want to be trying to overthrow the government or anything like that. It is kind of like that story I heard once.

A little boy was getting to swearing, so his mother told him she would make him leave home if he did not stop swearing. He agreed to the idea. However, one day he let it slip, so his mother made him pack his clothes and leave the house. He did, and his mother watched him walk away, and kept an eye on him, so that he could not go too far before she could bring him back. As she watched, the little fellow sat down on the curb, placed his chin in his hands, in deep thought. That was too much for the mother, so she started out to where he was. Just as she was about to walk up to his back, an old gentleman was crossing the street directly in front of the lad, so the mother drew back in hearing distance, just in time to hear the old gentlman ask, "Little man, could you tell me where the Suttles live?" The reply from the little fellow, as he looked up, was, "Go to h—l, I've got troubles of my own."

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I'll just have to keep on giving our firemen a pat on their backs, because they are still showing some splendid work. Especially have they shown their courage in recent fires here. They have just got to where they ain't got much sense. Seems all they think of is that there's a fire and they've got to put it out. And they really do it. A fire ain't got much chance when our boys get to it. I'm going to get their names and see if I can't get the editor to publish them, so you folks will know who our firemen are.

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Some fellow had the nerve to inquire not so long ago why I did not write some sense sometimes. I've been wondering about that myself, and also wondering what he would have me write. Perhaps if he were better acquainted with me he would see the reason. But to try to reply to that question, and I hope he sees this, I'll just quote a saying of Mark Twain: "Let us be thankful for the fools. But for them the rest of us could not succeed." Draw your own conclusions.

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Folks, times are HARD. Why, I'll tell you what I've heard in my recent trips round town. I even heard something about another bank opening. Maybe we're having a hard time keeping our money. Some folks spent more money the past Christmas than any Christmas before, for presents, luxuries. There are more swell parties and blowouts being pulled in Clanton now than ever before. And they cost more money than ever before. You bet, we are having a hard time, trying to keep up—appearances.

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Don't expect your home town business to give you many favors if you don't favor it by giving it your patronage.

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It is claimed that overproduction caused the recent business depression, and the overproduction of talk certainly helped do so.

The politicians who find themselves in the soup, should reflect that soup is said to be very nourishing to invalids.

Annual Chilton County W. M. U. Meeting Is Scheduled To Be Held At Thorsby January 22

The Annual meeting of the Chilton County W. M. U. has been scheduled to be held at the Thorsby Baptist church, Thorsby, Ala., on Thursday, January 22, according to an announcement given the News this week. Following is the program for the entire meeting:

Opening Exercises, 10:00-10:15 a. m.

All 1930 associational officers seated in semi-circle with Superintendent and Secretary at center, facing audience.

Song, "Faith of Our Fathers."

Watchword and Prayers.

Business—10:15-11:15 A. M.

1. Minutes of last meeting.
2. Old business (all unfinished).
3. Annual reports of all associational officers (written).
4. Roll call of societies and brief report from each president.
5. Recognition of A-1 societies—Full graded unions and A-1 W. M. U.'s.
6. Mark up Standard of Excellence for 1930.

The Superintendent will now call for 1931 officers to come forward and take front seat. Each retiring officer will speak briefly of her work, call her successor to the platform and deliver the charge to her.

The new officers should respond with brief acceptance speech. Those who remain in office will pledge anew their loyalty and faithful performance of duties, outlining her plans for coming year.

Prayer for New Year's Work.

(If a new Superintendent has been elected she should take charge now).

11:15-12:15—

Song: "Joy to the World" (History of this song found in 1931 Year Book).

Watchwords: "Laborers together with God," "That the World May Know."

Devotional, based on Watchword for 1931, by Mrs. J. W. Jones.

Appoint committees — Enrollment, resolutions, time and place, etc.

Recommendations from Executive Committee: (Discuss and adopt).

1. Associational apportionment.
2. Each society accept a definite apportionment, make it at least a 10 per cent increase over past year's gifts.
3. Goals for 1931.
   (1). New organizations, W. M. S. and young people.
   (2). A-1 organizations, W. M. S. and young people.
   (3). Full graded unions.
   (4). Subscriptions to Royal Service, Home and Foreign Fields, The Window, World Comrades and Alabama Baptist.
   (5). Tithers and mission study classes.
4. Camps or Institutes to be held in association during 1931.
5. Special Field Work. The state offers to match dollar for dollar to the amount of fifty dollars for any ten associations to provide extra field work during summer. It would be well to decide now and make your request soon. For, "first come, first served." Confer with Miss Thomason, the State Field Worker, for plans.

Afternoon Session—Young People's Hour

Introducing our 1931 Young People's Leader, by Superintendent.

Song, "O Zion Haste," (Y. W. A. Humn).

Devotional:

A series of prayers: (1) For the State and District Young People's leaders, (2) for all associational young people's leaders, especially for our own, (3) for the local counselors of the Junior organizations of our association.

A Year with the Young People of our Association. (A written report by the Associational Young People's leader for 1930).

Goals and Plans for 1931—Presented by the 1931 Young People's Leader and helpers.

How the Women can help the Young People, Mrs. J. D. Griffin.

Minutes, Report of Committees, other business.

Adjourn.

Mt. Creek News

Mr. Aldridge left last Friday for Fitz Hills Infirmary.

Miss Martha Brewer of Montgomtry spent the week end with Misses Bessie Mae Culver and Mary Elizabeth Eiland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Green motored to Montgomery last Thursday.

Misses Mabel and Irene Dennis and Hazel Baxley and Mr. Richard Howard motored to Clanton last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Green and family of Clanton visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Green last Saturday.

Mrs. Charlie Henderson was called to Montgomery last Friday to nurse her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. C. Woodley.

Dr. and Mrs. Smalley of Louisville, Ky., are spending a couple of months at their country home here.

Mrs. Lotta Ellis daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aldridge, was married to Mr. N. Lamar of Indiana December 29, 1930, in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar and son, Robert Spain and Mrs. Aldridge and daughter, Effie, of Birmingham, and John Baxley motored to Montgomery last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Meroney of Verbena were callers at the home of Mr. J. B. Gray Monday afternoon.

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Precious Adkins of Omaha obtained a restraining order from the district judge, ordering his wife to stop calling him names other than his own.

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THOMAS JEFFERSON JACKSON DIED IN CAIRO, GA., FRIDAY

Thomas Jefferson Jackson, age 67, died at Cairo, Ga., last Friday, January 2. His body was shipped to Clanton to Martin's funeral home. Funeral services were held last Sunday at New Harmony, north of Clanton, with the Rev. J. S. Kelly officiating. Interment took place in the New Harmony cemetery with Martin of Clanton in charge.

The deceased had been for a number of years a resident of the Collins Chapel community in Chilton County, going to Cairo, later returning to this county for a short stay, before returning to Georgia. He is well known throughout this county and has a number of relatives here. Surviving is the widow, several children and other relatives.

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We read that few gunmen drink. The accuracy of their aim seems to confirm that statement.

Oddly enough, when we send it by ship it is a cargo, and when it goes by car it is a shipment.

In the old days a young fellow got a thrill drinking from his first Christmas moustache cup.

It's harder to love your neighbor as yourself when his loudspeaker keeps you awake far into the night.

Judging by the husbands some of them pick out, it seems that the ladies are not so hard to please after all.

Charter No. 11515 **Reserve District No. 6**

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE
FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CLANTON
In the State of Ala., at the Close of Business on Dec. 31, 1930

RESOURCES

1. Loans and discounts	$310,843.02
2. Overdrafts	1,175.10
3. United States Government securities owned	30,000.00
4. Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned	71,390.29
6. Banking house, $10,000.00; Furniture and fixtures, $2,700.00	12,700.00
8. Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	22,073.26
9. Cash and due from banks	77,925.57
11. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	1,500.00
14. Other assets	83.10
Total	$527,690.34

LIABILITIES

15. Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000.00
16. Surplus	50,000.00
17. Undivided profits—net	12,428.37
20. Circulating notes outstanding	30,000.00
21. Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	3,694.71
22. Demand deposits	206,040.13
23. Time deposits	175,527.13
Total	$527,690.34

State of Alabama, County of Chilton, ss:

I, J. C. Page, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. C. PAGE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of January, 1931.

E. C. PARRISH, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: D. I. DeRamus, G. C. Walker, E. E. Upchurch, Directors.

PROGRAM
AT THE
Wadesonian
CLANTON, ALABAMA
"When they make 'em better, we'll show 'em"

MONDAY and TUESDAY — JANUARY 12 and 13
Warner Baxter In
"RENEGADES"
Also a 1-Reel all-talking Comedy

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY — JAN. 14 and 15
Gerald Dumaurier and Edna Best In
"ESCAPE"
Also a 2-Reel Comedy

FRIDAY and SATURDAY — JANUARY 16 and 17
Jack Perrin In
"ROMANCE OF THE WEST"

Eastview News

Dr. F. P. Ensminger and Rev. A. W. Sparks will preach here next Tuesday night, January the 13th. The services will begin about 6:30. Everybody is invited to attend and hear Dr. Ensminger and Rev. Sparks. Don't forget the time. Come early.

Rev. A. C. Nelson motored to Eclectic Saturday and conducted services Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Marshall Dopson of Prattville was the guest of Mr. J. A. Dobbs Monday.

Miss Vera Cox of Shiloh was the week end guest of Misses Gulma and Maudie Ree Traywick last week.

There will be preaching here next Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Nelson of Elmore County are visiting their son, Rev. A. C. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Smith.

The Christian Endeavor rendered a good program last Sunday night. The topic was "How Can We Do Better This Year?" The services were conducted by Miss Ethel Griffin.

The social and singing at Mr. Calvin Glenn's last Thursday night was well attended and everyone enjoyed the time.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Nelson were visiting relatives near Kingston Sunday.

Come to Sunday School next Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geiger and three sons, Fred, J. C., and Ralph, and one daughter, Mary Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus, Jr., and little daughter, Betty Ruth, came down Sunday and spent the day with Mr. Geiger and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus.

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LOST

One Artcraft pencil, of black and white color. Lost on night of burning of Norman Robert's home. If found please return to C. A. "Red" Sherrod, Clanton.

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Maplesville News

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gwin entertained on Friday evening, January 2, 1931, at a surprise reception in honor of the fiftieth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Northrup, this wedding uniting Miss Nina Pharr and W. E. Northrup, was celebrated at the home of the bride's father, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Pharr, near Camden, January 2, 1881.

The Gwin home was lovely in decoration of gold and southern smilax. The guests were welcomed by Mrs. Hill Foshee. Mrs. W. H. Abney presided over the register. Misses Ethel Mize and Susie Mae Hayes presided over punch table. Mrs. F. A. Shanks presenting to receiving line. Those in receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gwin, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Northrup, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pharr, Mrs. Aldridge, Mrs. Frank Cade, Mrs. Mattie Adel Randel, Miss Mattie Randel, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Lipscomb, Miss Kathleen Pharr, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Brown.

The guests were directed to the dining room by Mrs. H. L. Smith. The table was beautiful. Italian lace over gold, beautiful basket of yellow chrysanthemums, donned the center of the table. Those serving refreshments were Misses Flossie Shanks, Estell Davis, Ruth Mize, Mesdames Dudley Nix, Stanley Hayes, J. B. Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gwin, Jr., of Auburn furnished music througout the evening, Mrs. Gwin at the piano and Mr. Gwin accompanied with violin.

Promptly at the appointed hour for the bridal party, Mr. Worth Foshee sang, "I Love You Truly" and "Just As We Used To Be." Mrs. Gwin at the piano. Then entered the bridal party, little Mabel Dennis, little Alice Conoway, little Annie Lou Payne, little Julia Stringfellow. They were dressed in gold and brought gifts in beautiful gold baskets. The little bride, Howard Nell Smith, and little groom, Jack Hampton, were beautiful in colonial costumes. The beautiful gifts consisted of china, silver and gold, also numbers of telegrams and letters from Texas, Florida, and Alabama, attested to the popularity of this worthy couple. The most appreciated gifts came from their son, Jack Northrup, and family at Kerraville, Texas, who is there for his health. Mr. Habert Etheridge of Evergreen presented the gifts with a beautiful and impressive ceremony.

The relatives attending this reception were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pharr, Fairfield, Ala.; Mrs. W. B. Aldridge, Miss Kathleen Pharr, Mrs. Frank Cade, Catherine, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Lipscomb, Mrs. Mattie Randell, Miss Mattie Adel Randell, Bessemer, Ala.

The Maplesville high school pupils will stage an operetta, "Polished Pebbles" at the school auditorium January 10, 1931, at 7:30. Admission will be 25 and 35 cents.

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Mrs. P. T. Hinkle spent last Friday and Saturday in Montgomery visiting friends.

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MOUNTAIN SPRINGS CHURCH LINE TO BE RUN MONDAY

I want a small space in your paper to announce that Mt. Springs cemetery and church lines will be run Monday morning, January 12, 1931, and we ask landowners that joins this to be there and all who are interested in the work.

CHURCH CLERK.

TAKE NOTICE—We are still exchanging merchandise for corn, peas, syrup, meat, lard and other produce.—W. Z. HODGES, Clanton, Ala.

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On Tuesday Rev. D. W. Haskew and J. C. Page attended a district stewards meeting in Selma, at which time they were given the program of work for the Clanton church for the year 1931.

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Local Happenings

"ON TIMERS" CLASS MET AT CHURCH RECENTLY

The "On Timers" class of the Baptist Sunday School met last Thursday night at five o'clock. Those present were Margie Mathis, Margaret McNair, Marie Benson, Christine Richardson, Marzelle Taylor, Mary Frances Poe, Thelma White, Evelyn Wyatt, and Mildred Maddox. We had one visitor, Evelyn Poe. We were very glad to have her come. We played games and had lunch. It was over at 6:30. We are going to have class meetings the second Tuesday in every month. Our first meeting will be the second Tuesday in January which will be the 6th. The class will meet at the home of Marzelle Taylor at 3:30. We want everyone to bring a basket, some scraps and a needle and thread. We want the class to piece a quilt. Be sure and be there.

—Mildred Maddox.

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Mrs. A. C. Smith Will Be Hostess to Circle No. 6 Next Monday P. M.

The members of Circle 6 will meet at the home of Mrs. A. C. Smith next Monday afternoon. All members are urged to be present at this meeting. This will be the first meeting of the year and the members of this circle are as follows: Mesdames J. B. Atkinson, G. C. Walker, Tom Parrish, Joe Maddox, D. A. Wingard, W. W. Wingard, Mattie Mims, Edd Wagoner, Cleve Powell, C. V. Heath, P. D. Wilson, L. A. Calloway, E. G. Hyman, H. F. Downs, F. M. Connell, J. W. McEathern, John Hardy, F. P. James, Miss Bettie Mullins, Miss Laura Robinson, Mrs. J. A. Hester.

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Mrs. J. B. Atkinson and children motored to Vincent for the week end.

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Mrs. D. C. Alred Hostess To Sunday School Class.

Mrs. D. C. Alred was hostess to the Faithful Workers Sunday School class at her home Tuesday afternoon. The devotional was conducted by Mrs. H. T. Pipes. After a brief business meeting the hotsess, assisted by Mrs. G. C. Armstrong and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson, served a tempting salad course to the following: Mesdames H. T. Pipes, T. R. Burdette, G. C. Armstrong, A. W. Taylor, J. Watts Moore, H. C. Poe, E. Wagoner, H. Lowery, G. C. Powell, B. Sims, C. B. Cox, Dial, J. P. Crumpton, J. B. Atkinson, G. C. Armstrong, Gentry, W. E. Martin, Miss Della Latham.

The class will meet at the home of Mrs. C. B. Cox, next meeting.

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DR. AND MRS. HINKLE ENTERTAIN WITH DINNER NEW YEARS

Dr. and Mrs. P. T. Hinkle entertained at their attractive country home on New Year's night with a dinner, given as something of a surprise to Mrs. Hinkle.

A five-course dinner was served to the following: Dr. J. P. Hayes, Dr. V. J. Gragg, Dr. S. J. Ezell, M. L. White, Renfroe Mullins, W. H. Sartor, H. T. Pipes, E. E. Upchurch, P. T. Hinkle and C. Fenn Jones.

Mrs. Hinkle was assisted in serving by Mrs. C. Fenn Jones, Mrs. M. L. White, and Mrs. H. T. Pipes.

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Mrs. W. E. Martin Hostess To "As You Like It" Club Thursday P.M.

Mrs. Martin was hostess to the "As You Like It" club at her home last Thursday afternoon. Attractive decorations of flowers and ferns were used in the living room. A feature of the afternoon was a New Year's greeting to Mrs. Flem Higgins, who was a new member in the club. And little Miss Joan Atkinson acted as Cupid for the greetings. Later a delicious salad course was served to the following: Mesdames G. C. Walker, V. J. Gragg, J. B. Atkinson, D. C. Alred, T. W. Burdette, Flem Higgins, M. A. Gore, T. H. Neighbors. Invited guests were Mrs. B. Jones, Mrs. E. Gore, and Joan Atkinson. Mrs. P. M. Pitts will be hostess January 15th.

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Honor Roll Clanton Grammar School

Following is the honor roll of the Clanton Grammar School for the past month:

First Grade: James Duke Heflin, Clara Marie Cooper.

Second Grade: Lurline Benson.

Third Grade: Annie Cordelia Smith, Grace Ezell.

Fourth Grade: Olive Rainer Elmore, Peggy Page, Mildred Maddox, Mae Aniece Polk.

Special Mention

First Grade: Louis Eubanks, Wilbur Prince, Myrtle Cotton, Nina Flo Headley, Lauretta Vinnes, Edith Lee Blalock.

Second Grade: "Buddy" Popwell, Eunice Price, Norman Harris, Aubrey Teel.

Third Grade: Wyndol Murrah, Blanche Thomas, Mary Frances Atkinson, Kathleen Petty.

Fourth Grade: Mary Frances Poe, Mary Culver, Emma Frances Britt, Mary Reba Peyton, Aileen Popwell, Dorothy Carter, Nell Rockett.

Fifth Grade: Elzie Sewell, Marie Benson, Margaret Golson, Thelma White, Marzelle Taylor.

Sixth Grade: Jane Neighbors, William Hodges, Annie Rea Wilson, Mary Armstrong, Edith Parrish.

WANTED—If you have a good second hand typewriter, L. C. Smith preferred, which you will sell reasonable and on terms, call or write the News office Clanton, Alabama

'RED' SHERROD NOW IN CHARGE OF THE NIGHT POLICE SHIFT

At a meeting of the Town Council, sometime ago, according to the records at the office of the City Clerk, night Officer "Red" Sherrod has been given complete sway over the night patrol job of the city, the day and night patrols having been made into two separate items, with Officer John Boockholdt as chief of the day shift, and Sherrod in charge of the night.

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MISS GLADYS THOMAS WEDS MR. PETE SOLARI LAST SAT.

A marriage of interest in this section was that of Miss Gladys Thomas to Mr. Pete Solari, which took place on last Saturday evening at the courthouse in Clanton. The ceremony was performed by Dr. S. J. Ezell, pastor of the Clanton Baptist church, in the presence of a few close friends

Mrs. Solari is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Thomas of near Clanton, and can number her friends here and at Selma by the score. Mr. Solari is connected with the Merita Baking Company, of Birmingham and travels through this section of the state.

After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Solari will go to Birmingham where they will make their home.

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L. L. McSheeham and Miss Daisy Lee Lovelady were married at the Parsonage Saturday by Rev. D. W. Haskew. The young couple drove over with the parents from Maplesville, were married by the local pastor and went their way rejoicing.

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Ala. Weekly Industrial Review

The following record of industrial activity lists items showing investment of capital, employment of labor and business activities and opportunities. In-[illegible] [illegible]h the paragraphs [illegible] local papers, us-[illegible] and may be [illegible]ected generally correct.

Ensley—Bank of Alabama and Ensley National Bank with capital stock of $1,000,000, merged recently.

Wedowee—Total business done cooperatively by Randolph County Farm Bureau during 1930 amounted to $253,509, compared to $134,215 in 1929.

Birmingham—Four new commercial hatcheries being started in this district.

Montgomery—Highway Commission advertised for bids recently for improving 282.3 miles of main trunk highway in State.

Monroeville — Recently completed building of local Presbyterian Church dedicated.

Mobile—G. & S. Electrical Company opened at 8 North Joachim Street.

Tuscaloosa—D. T. Underwood Co. of Birmingham, received contract for construction of new women's swimming pool at University of Alabama.

Work of rehabilitating highway between Samson and Opp started recently.

Birmingham—Blast furnace of Republic Steel Company remodeled at cost of about $150,000.

Clayton—Roads in this section being improved by county.

Morgan — Hill Paving Co. received $180,000 contract for construction of 10.99 miles of paving from Bessemer city limits to Tuscaloosa County line.

Auburn — City purchased new six-cylinder fire truck recently for $6,000.

Mobile—Couch Construction Co. of Dothan, received $400,000 contract for paving highway between here and Citronelle.

[illegible]merville—Belcher Motor Co. opened new Standard Service Station in this city, located next to The Peoples Bank.

Clayton — Improvements made on square around Confederate monument in center of town.

Union Springs—Cornerstone laid recently of new $50,000 post office building now under construction.

Mobile—Central Foundry Co. of Holt received $67,051 contract for assorted cast iron pipe for installation in extending waterworks system.

Brewton—Nearly 30 miles of paved highway scheduled to be constructed in Escambia County along route of U.S. Highway No. 31 before July 1st.

Andalusia—New armory under construction here, practically completed.

Montgomery— $495,000 Bibb Graves Hall dedicated recently at State Teachers College.

Mobile— Recommendation that Marine hospital here be doubled in size, quarters be erected for officers and home for nurses, made by Surgeon-General Hugh S. Cummings of United States Public Health Service.

Andalusia— Victoria Hotel recently damaged by fire, repaired.

Montgomery—Value of Alabama cotton crop will be about $85,000,000 for 1930.

Halcyville—Alberg Lyons of Rogersville, Tenn., received $23,000 contract for construction of sewers for this city.

Auburn — "Alabama Economic Review", is name of new publication launched by Alabama Polytechnic Institute here.

Hackleburg — Bridge across Bear Creek, between here and Phil Campbell, under construction.

Troy— Hard-surfacing area around courthouse and small stretch of roadway between end of present pavement and beginning of State road from here to Brundidge, being considered.

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Among the personal effects of Mrs. Ida Fields, who died recently in her 78th year, at Edgerton, Wis., were 500 pairs of shoes

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Charlie Whitman of Fulton, Ky., 103 years old, has just taken his tenth bride, who is only 19 years of age.

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Justice Selah B. Strong of New York ruled that unless John C. Dormery's mother leaves her son's home the son's wife will be granted a decree of separation on grounds of cruelty.

Science Prize Winners

Dr. George R. Minot of Harvard University (above) and Dr. George H. Whipple of Rochester University joint recipients of a $10,000 prize for the year's greatest scientific achievement. They discovered that liver extract cures pernicious anemia.

Excerpts From L & N Employes' Magazine

The largest single shipment ever handled on the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, according to the L & N Employes' Magazine for December, was that of a petroleum refining cylinder recently forwarded from Boyles, Ala., to Baton Rouge, La. The cylinder was 90 feet long, 12 feet 5 1-2 inches wide and weighed 114 tons. Three heavy duty flat cars were required for the

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On January 1, 1930, the L & N Railroad Company had outstanding bonds and other funded obligations aggregating $234,659,721, upon which interest coupons to the amount of $10,664,904 were paid to many thousands of holders in all parts of the world. In acquainting its readers with the function of the New York general offices of the company L & N Employes' Magazine for December points to these figures. It also reveals that on July 15, 1929 (the latest date for which the information is available) the L & N paid dividends on its $117,000,000 capital stock to 6,696 stockholders. In the calendar year of 1929 L & N revenues amounted to $132,055,983, operating expenses $104,546,674, and taxes $7,566,457.

Clanton Man On Pension List

After a total service of 21 years, Mrs. Laura F. Taylor, 160 North Campbell St., Louisville, Ky., has retired to the pension roll of the L & N Railroad Company. Mrs. Taylor was employed as cleaner in the general offices at Louisville. It is said that she worked for the railroad 15 years before she ever rode on a train.

Other employes of the L & N whose retirement to the pension list was announced in the December issue of the L & N Employes' Magazine include: Conductor John B. Vail, age 63, living at 1312 S. Sixteenth St., Birmingham, Ala., who had served the company for 26 years; Oscar Hall, engineer, 522 Bell Avenue, Tarrant, Ala., 30 years in service; Alban F. Helm, age 69, agent at Madison, Tenn., 27 years; John E. Spencer, yard engineer, age 43, residing at 313 Twelfth Avenue, S. Nashville, Tenn., 27 years; **Section Foreman William T. Aldridge, age 58, Clanton, Ala.,** 41 years; and Thomas L. McDonald, age 62, colored porter, Montgomery, Ala., 48 years service.

A tie company of Winchester, Ky., adopting what the L & N Employes' Magazine for December describes in effect as a novel method of showing its creditors how the bread is buttered, attaches to each check it issues a sticker containing the following: "We are able to pay this money to you because the railroads have paid it to us. It was paid to the railroads for the transportation of freight. If this arrangement is to be continued your shipments should move by rail, the shipments of your shipments should move by rail, and the shipments of the merchants and manufacturers whom you patronize should move by rail."

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Tired of his wife, Alex Groshem of Muscatine, Ia., proposed to trade her to his best friend for seven hogs, a dozen chickens and a dog.

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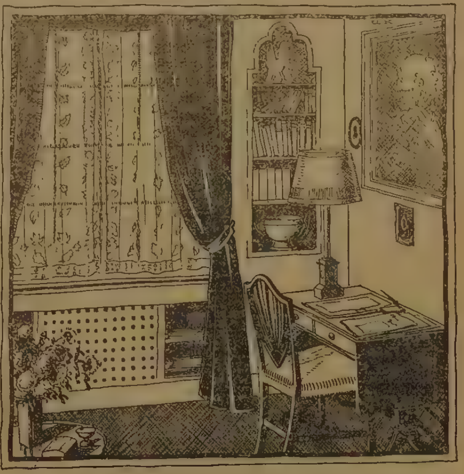
Policeman James Daly of St. Louis, who is 6 feet 8 1-2 inches tall, uses two mattresses to sleep on.

A recent survey reveals that the prison population of the United States has nearly doubled during the last 25 years.

Charles Tibbetts, a farmer of Wolfeboro, N. H., has kept a daily record of his life for 70 years.

Style Trend For Windows



Net curtains in a new Georgian period design here soften the formality of the over-draperies and reflect the gracious atmosphere of the room.

THE well-dressed window, like the well-dressed woman, keeps pace with style. And in style details make up the correct whole. In curtains these all-important points are design, color, mesh and arrangement. With these satisfactorily solved, the window becomes, literally, well-dressed.

Heretofore glass curtains have been a difficult problem in carrying out the "period" room treatment. The fact that net curtains are hung straight against the pane stresses the design. If the motif is alien to the furnishings and wall-treatment, it spoils the unity of the room. If it is "just something neutral," the room becomes commonplace.

Net curtains authentically styled to period interiors are now seen in the shops in a considerable variety of designs. The ever-popular Colonial interior, for instance, will be enhanced by curtains featuring historic motifs. A variety of such timely designs have appeared "raught" in a natural color that simulates the unbleached tints associated with those early days. Or for the home in the English country house manner, there are designs in a new shade known as "pongee" to recreate the charm of Georgian days.

The new patterns seem sufficiently varied to meet all tastes and lighting requirements. Where wallpaper of pictorial interest is used, for instance, a more set pattern is required for contrast. For the room where daylight is precious, there are designs in light tracery. Still other patterns grow heavier in design toward the bottom so that an objectionable view may be concealed.

The usual mesh is ten point; that is to say, there are ten threads to the inch.

NEWS FROM CHILTON CO. HIGH SCHOOL

C. C. H. S. Wins First Basketball Game From Isabella High

By John Ponder Lawrence

Last Thursday afternoon our boys played the Isabella high school boys on our local court for a game of basketball. In the first half of the game the Isabella boys out-witted us a little, taking the score for Isabella 9, and C. C. H. S., 4. At the second half, our boys came back with the spirit to hold up the name "Tigers." Every boy played his best. The final score was Clanton 24, and Isabella 14. Due to the fact that the team had not selected a captain, Paul Cox filled the position during the game.

Stage Gets New Set of Furniture Donated by High School P.-T. A.

The entire student body appreciates to the fullest extent the most beautiful wicker set of stage furniture donated by the high school Parent-Teachers Association. This meets a long felt need in our school, and we are truly very grateful for this consideration and recognition on the part of our patrons and friends.

Senior III English Class Does Some Interesting Work

The Senior English Class, under the direction of Miss Wells, made a careful study of the origin and development of ballads. After having completed the study, the entire class was called upon to write an original ballad. The following was selected as the best.

"The Little Log School House"

By Homer Carroll, author of ballad

In a little log school house where I once was a scholar,
A tragical drama occurred:
'Twas composed of three boys, Joe Green, Bill McNoyes,
And I, least important, was the third.

Joe Green was a lad who had ever been known
To be timid and awkward in class;
He never could spell nor read very well,
That's why he never could pass.

Now the schoolroom floor near the teacher's desk
Was not completed just then;
sort of place
Was left for the cold to come in.

When the teachers had called for the pupils to spell,
And placed them all in a row,
Joe's number was four—near the hole in the floor
He stood all primed to go!

When at last came his turn and the word was pronounced,
He awkwardly stepped back a pace;
Then again came a word—and at last came a third,
He was nearing the floor's open
—space.

Now Bill was a boy who ever in fun,
From laughter he could never refrain;
If someone should pull a joke in school
He would laugh until he suffered with pain.

As he looked at Joe Green he could clearly discern
That a scene was about to occur;
Then a smile and a grin wrought his face up again,
And his countenance began to stir.

I saw that the grin had spread o'er his face,
Was about to burst with a roar,
And he giggled with glee, as he whispered to me,
"What if Joe should fall through the floor?"

The hole in the floor was now only a step
From where Joe stood with a frown—
He tried to begin and failed once again,
And fell through the floor to the ground.

Bill clasped his hands to his sides as a fit
Of laughter seized him once more;
He laughed and he cried, while I earnestly tried
To drag him out at the door.

Day after day and night after night,
I watched at the side of the lad;
For not long after he was through with his laughter,
I saw his condition really was bad.

And now ever since he laughed once too hard,
He has walked and laughed never more;
Of the two boys, you see, I'd much rather be
The one who fell through the floor.

It might be of interest to some to know that the author of the above little bit of originality and playful attempts with the muses is Homer Carroll, a young married minister in our school this year, who is making an enviable record in his school work, and otherwise a splendid asset to the school and student body. He enters Howard College next summer where he will pursue work further along his chosen line. We wish him well in every activity of his life.

NOTE:—This was received a few minutes too late for last week's issue.

Work Resumed After Holidays

Most excellent health was enjoyed by everyone during the holidays, and everybody seemed ready to go back to work Monday morning when the eight o'clock bell rang out its familiar call to books.

Semester examinations begin January 15. The student body as a whole seems to realize what this means. These semester examinations are not only a high school regulation, but is a law made by the State Department of Education requiring each pupil registered in high school to stand semester examinations at mid-term and at the close of school. These papers are kept on file for six months after each examination. Any pupil who has made a general average of 90 per cent in each course is exempted from writing the examination in said course.

Our school appreciated a visit from Mr. Haskew and his son, Lawrence. last Tuesday. Mr. Haskew conducted chapel exercises, after which he gave some splendid suggestions about new year resolutions. A most interesting talk was made by young Mr. Haskew, who explained some life applications, from a visit he had made recently to a marble quarry in Georgia. "The process of chiseling letters in stone is made by placing a rubber sheet next to the marble with the letters stenciled in the rubber. Then a strong blast of sand is forced against this stencil. The imprint is made against the marble by the sand, but the rubber gives back." The speaker stated that we as people should give to the world pleasantly and agreeably without hurting or leaving scars to show as the rubber, and not as the sand against the stone.

We admire the holiday spirit of our school when called upon to bring old clothes, etc., for the poor. Quite a collection was made, which was turned over to Mrs. Stapp.

The teachers of C. C. H. S. desire to thank Mrs. Hugh Jones for her splendid reception which was enjoyed at her home last Monday afternoon.

The evening was looked forward to and spent with much pleasure. All were pleased with the after Christmas effect, that dominated the atmosphere, and were convinced that Old Saint Nicholas was there on Christmas Eve.

The Methodist Church of Clanton

Rev. D. W. Haskew, Pastor

At the conclusion of the lesson period next Sunday all the children will gather in the auditorium of the church for a short sermon by the pastor. The pastor caught the picture of a thief as he entered his church and he wants the children to help him identify him.

You have an engagement with God at 11 A. M. Keep it please.

We want to urge that you hear Dr. N. B. McLeod of Selma Sunday night at seven o'clock. The young people of the church will be in the choir in their choir robes, and the service is going to be beautiful and helpful.

We have prayer service each Wednesday night at 7 o'clock.

Better Farming Plans Are Made

Auburn, Ala., Jan. 7—A program which embodies the main fundamentals of successful farming was projected by the county agents and other agricultural workers at the meeting in Auburn on December 29 and 30, called by Director L. N. Duncan to consider the present agricultural situation and outlook data for 1931.

Two days were spent studying the situation and outlook. Facts presented showed that cotton acreage should be reduced in 1931 in order to allow consumption of the unusually large surplus now on hand as a result of underconsumption. In conjunction with less cotton more acres should be planted to feed and food crops, other cash crops added, and every effort made to reduce production cost to the lowest point, not to sacrifice efficiency and economy.

With these objectives before them, the county agents are preparing to hold in January county-wide meetings of bankers, farmers and merchants, at which time the facts will be presented and a safe, sound, and profitable farming program for the county worked out and adopted. Most of the counties expect to print these programs as a guide to better farming in 1931. Business interests and clubs will cooperate.

Low-cost production is of paramount importance. With it must be combined farm production of food and feed so that these will not have to be bought.

County meetings are being scheduled under the direction of District Agents J. T. High, Emmett Sizemore, and R. G. Arnold, who will attend many of them together with specialists from Auburn and from the State Department of Agriculture and Industries at Montgomery.

Mt. Springs News

Dr. F. P. Ensminger and Rev. A. W. Sparks will preach at Mt. Springs next Monday night. Services will begin at 6:30. Everybody is invited to attend and hear Dr. Ensminger and Rev. Sparks next Monday night. Don't forget the date—Monday night, January the 12th.

A. C. NELSON, Pastor.

RECORDS SHOW ONLY ONE LYNCHING IN ALA. IN 1930

According to the records compiled in the Department of Records and Research of the Tuskegee Institute, that there were 21 persons lynched in 1930. This is 11 more than the number, 10, for 1929, 10 more than the number, 11, for 1928, 5 more than the number, 16, for 1927, and 9 less than the number, 30, for 1926. Fourteen of the persons lynched were in the hands of the law. Three were killed in jails, 2 of these were shot to death and 1 was burned to death when mob burned jail; 5 of the 11 other persons in the hands of the law were taken from jails and 6 from officers of the law outside of jails. Of the 7 victims who did not come into the hands of the law, 1 was burned to death and 1 was put to death and his body burned.

There were 40 instances in which officers of the law prevented lynchings. Five of these were in Northern and Western States and 35 in Southern states. In 33 of the cases the prisoners were removed or the guards augmented or other precautions taken. In the 7 other instances, armed force was used to repel the would be lynchers. A total of 60 persons, 6 white men, 52 negro men and 2 negro women were thus saved from death at the hands of mobs.

Of the 21 persons lynched, 1 was white and 20 were negroes. The offences were: rape, 8; murder, 3; attempted rape, 2; killing officers of the law, 2; robbery, 3; being a witness, 1; bombing houses, 1; charge not reporter, 1.

The states in which lynchings occurred and the number in each state are as follows: Alabama, 1; Florida, 1; Georgia, 6; Indiana, 2; Mississippi, 4; North Carolina, 1; Oklahoma, 1; S. Carolina, 2; Texas, 3.

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A Market
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There is a story told of the man and his wife who wanted to sell their home. The man went to considerable care in preparing an advertisement, calling attention to the wonderful location of the home, its fine neighborhood, paved streets, modern conveniences, and all of those things about the home which would appeal to the prospective buyer. According to the story he succeeded in advertising his home so well that when his wife saw the ad. she decided not to sell after all.

It may not be that you could convince your wife to that extent, but if you have goods, you can find new customers by telling your prospects about the quality, service, price, etc. of your merchandise. When you place your ad with this newspaper, you may rest assured that it will receive careful attention from the typographical and printing standpoint, and further, it will be read by the people in every part of Chilton County.

Advertising is as necessary in modern merchandising as any other factor. Business today is dependent upon selling so much that is not necessities of life that the customer must be "sold" on the article. Well prepared advertising is creating new markets and holding regular customers for many business firms in this territory. Are you one of them? Call 147.

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Are You Raising The Best Cotton Variety?

Farmers of Alabama are growing the shortest staple cotton grown in the Cotton Belt, and Chilton County farmers are growing more than their share of this short staple. The Chilton county cotton is so short that cotton buyers are refusing to buy it. Indications are that Chilton County farmers, who grow short staple cotton, will be penalized more this year than in the past. For information along this line, County Agent Stapp suggests that farmers in doubt about the penalty on short staple cotton might talk to Geo. Polk, Renfro Mullins, Gulledge Bros. and Cal Foshee. In fact any of the cotton merchants of the county are aware of the serious penalty placed on farmers, who persist in growing short staple cotton.

The Alabama Experiment Station advises that D. P. L. cotton is the highest yielder of good staple and should be planted by all farmers, whose land is not heavily infested with wilt. If it is necessary to plant heavily infested wilt land with cotton, the Experiment Station advises the use of good wilt-resisting cotton

County Agent Stapp has arranged with the Farm Bureau at Clanton to secure for farmers of Chilton County sufficient seed of D. P. L. and Rhines Wilt Resisting variety to take care of the farmers needs.

County Agent Stapp, advises that now is the time to clean up home orchards and get them in good shape for producing fruit this year. The trees should be pruned and sprayed with oil Emulsion for scale and general health of the tree. One good application of Oil Emulsion now would be sufficient to control the scale and put the trees in good vigorous growing condition. Every farmer should try to take care of the orchard in order to provide fresh fruit for canning this year. Any farmer who will follow the recommendations in the Home Orchard Bulletin at County Agent Stapp's office can have good fruit.

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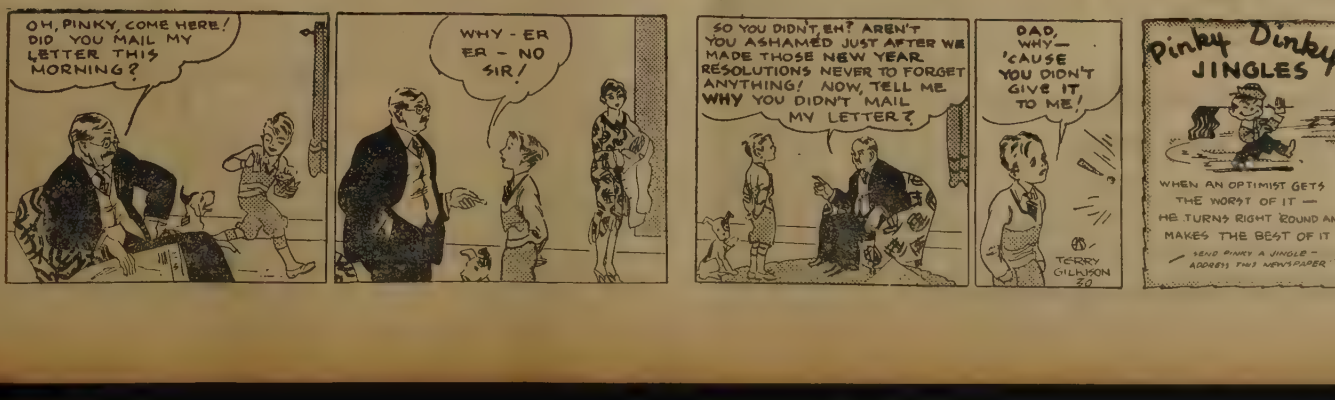
PINKY DINKY

PINKY HAS A GOOD EXCUSE THIS TIME

By Terry Gilkison


OH, PINKY, COME HERE! DID YOU MAIL MY LETTER THIS MORNING?
WHY - ER ER - NO SIR!
SO YOU DIDN'T, EH? AREN'T YOU ASHAMED JUST AFTER WE MADE THOSE NEW YEAR RESOLUTIONS NEVER TO FORGET ANYTHING! NOW, TELL ME WHY YOU DIDN'T MAIL MY LETTER?
DAD, WHY— 'CAUSE YOU DIDN'T GIVE IT TO ME!
TERRY GILKISON 30
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Boy Scout Activities of Clanton

Dan Smith, Troop Reporter

Friday night, January 3, was a night to be remembered by all of Clanton's Scouts. A real court of honor was held. The members of this Court of Honor present were Prof. L. C. Warr, Mr. W. M. Wyatt, and Mr. C. E. Stapp. Mr. Lamar Calloway, a fellow who has undoubtedly put this troop where it is, was also present and gave our test. Mr. Calloway has always been a friend to the troop, and has always been glad to assist us in many ways, especially in giving tests. Last Friday night was Mr. Calloway's last meeting with us and I say in behalf of Troop 47 of Clanton, Ala., that we appreciate his help in bur Scout work greatly and are sorry to see him leave.

I could write all day on the help that Mr. Calloway gave us but I know you want to know what we did at this meeting. Well, I will begin just as we did at the meeting.

When the Court of Honor assembled, the first thing we did was to review on tenderfoot questions, and things all Scouts should know, but let me say before I continue, the test that we were to pass at this meeting is the Second Class test and you have noticed in preceding articles that we have already passed some of our requirements and the reason for having the Court of Honor was to see if we passed those requirements satisfactorily, and to pass other requirements. Now, I will continue with the meeting.

After Mr. Calloway reviewed us on Tenderfoot requirements, and in tying knots, we began to get ready for the Second Class stuff. Since I can not remember who appeared and when they appeared before the Court of Honor, I will have to tell as much as I know.

The Court of Honor would ask any Scout any question on first aid he cared to and after each Scout had been asked different questions, tried their skill at naming the points of the compass and showed proof of having deposited at least one dollar in public savings bank, the Court of Honor decided whether they had done this satisfactorily. The last requirement was to prove that the Scout had practiced daily the Scout laws and oath. This was settled by the Court of Honor after all the Scouts had left.

Since I was unable to get the names of the Scouts who passed the Second Class test I will have to give you the names of these boys next week.

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CARD OF THANKS

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We wish to thank our many friends for their help and sympathy in the death of our dear husband and father, and in the illness of W. H. Raybon. For Dr. Gragg's and nurse's services, and the many beautiful flowers. We wish especially to thank Bro. Lawrence and the young man who gave their service and Mr. Martin. May God be with them all.

—Mrs. J. C. Prim, and Children.

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Shepherd Dog. brown, answers to name of "Shep." Any information notify News office.

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Sunday, January 10, Set For Convention Near Cooper, Alabama

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A Sunday School Convention will be held at Chestnut Creek Baptist church, Cooper, Ala., the second Sunday afternoon, January 11th. All churches in this district are urged to send their reports to Mr. H. A. Harris, at once and be represented at the meeting.

Program

2:00 P. M. Devotional.

2:15 Reports.

2:30 The Six Point Record System, by Mrs. W. J. Billingsley.

2:45 Special Music.

3:00 The Weekly Teachers' Meeting, by Mr. Walker Allen.

3:15 Teaching the Bible in the Sunday School by Rev. W. A. Goss.

3:30 Announcements, adjourn.

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Legion Plans For Reception Completed

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along the lines now being followed by the State Forestry authorities in cooperation with the Federal Government, particularly through a provision to meet the allotment of Forestral funds offered to the forestry department of Alabama by the United tSates Government.

J. N. CALLOWAY, Post Com.,
V. C. McKEE, Post Adjutant.

Plans have been made for the largest and most instructive Conference of post officers at the Bankhead Hotel, Birmingham, Alabama, Sunday, January 11th, 1931. This Conference starts at 10:00 A. M. sharp. The National Commander will make an address before this Conference and there will be several other addresses made by prominent Legionnaires at this Conference. A joint luncheon will be held with the members of the American Legion Auxiliary at the Tutwiler Hotel at 1:00 P. M.

Colonel W. A. Gayle, Post Commander of the Montgomery Post has announced the tentative plans for the reception, in Montgomery, for Commander O'Neil.

Commander O'Neil will be escorted from the train, upon his arrival in Montgomery, by the Governor's Staff and the Honor Guard of the 167th Infantry, under teh command of Lieut. C. J. Hilliard.

The opening reception will be held at the Jefferson Davis Hotel, which is headquarters for the National Commander during his stay in Montgomery.

The National Commander and all past Department Commanders of Alabama will be the luncheon guests of Legionnaire Goevrnor, Bibb Graves, at the Mansion, and a tour of the capital city has been scheduled for the remainder of the afternoon. A banquet followed by a dance at the Jefferson Davis Hotel will complete the round of entertainment planned by the Montgomery Post. General R. E. Steiner will officiate as toastmaster at this affair.

All exservicemen in Alabama are urged to attend one or both of these meetings, and meet our National Commander and hear him tell what the Amrican Legion is accomplishing for them and their families.

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DR. CALDWELL'S THREE RULES

Dr. Caldwell watched the results of constipation for 47 years, and believed that no matter how careful people are of their health, diet and exercise, constipation will occur from time to time. Of next importance, then, is how to treat it when it comes. Dr. Caldwell always was in favor of getting as close to nature as possible, hence his remedy for constipation is a mild vegetable compound. It can not harm the most delicate system and is not habit forming.

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News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

The Thorsby Institute opened nearly a week later than usual, but the four school days which were omitted will be made up on Saturdays so that school will close at the usual time in the spring.

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Thorsby Institute Library has received nearly a hundred books from the estate of Miss Cora V. Bartlett of Barre, Mass., who died recently bequeathing her personal library to the Thorsby Institute. The books are in perfect condition, showing them to have been the property of a real book lover, and form a valuable addition to the library.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Villadsen of Tuscaloosa, Ala., spent Sunday with Mrs. Villadsen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Goddard of Grover Hill, Ohio, who have been visiting their grandfather. Mr. J. H. Goddard, returned home last Friday.

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Miss Pauline Hayes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hayes, died of pneumonia last Friday and was buried at Cedar Grove last Saturday afternoon.

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On Sunday, January 11, the corner stone of the Thorsby Baptist church will be laid. Dr. L. E. Barton of Montgomery will deliver the sermon.

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The Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church met at their regular meeting and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Donald Merchant; vice president, Mrs. G. F. Harper; 2nd vice president, Mrs. J. W. Jones; third vice-president, Miss Ruth Martin; secretary, Mrs. S. J. Davenport; treasurer, Mrs. Lela Martin; circle chairman, circle number one to be selected later; circle number two, Mrs. E. R. Piper; circle number three, Mrs. W. H. Raybon.

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Mrs. W. H. Wilson spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. F. R. Collins, of South Thorsby.

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Mr. and Mrs. Major Hayes and family of Birmingham returned home Tuesday after spending several weeks visiting relatives here.

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The Thorsby O. E. S. was hostess to a watch party given in the Masonic Hall last New Year's Eve. Supper was served at six. A large number were present. Games were enjoyed throughout the evening.

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Miss Roma Lee Pate gav a watch party at her home on New Year's Eve. Various games were enjoyed. At 12 the group aided in ringing the old year out and the new year in.

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We are glad to see Mr. J. P. Sorensen out again. He has been greatly missed during his confinement.

Because of the lengthened Christmas vacation school will meet on Saturday from 8:30 to 1:10 this week and probably the 24th. Then during the second semester it will meet on two Saturdays.

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Mr. Herbert Adams of Gadsden was a visitor in Thorsby during the week end.

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Mr. W. H. Wilson and daughter. Frances, spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eiland of So. Thorsby.

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Mr. A. F. O'Barr left Sunday to return to his work in Mobile.

Miss Edna Childress who has been temporarily employed at the Dixie Cafe is home indefinitely.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bosworth and children spent Sunday in Birmingham.

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Two new students have enrolled at Thorsby Institute, Fred Boyd, from Jakin, Ga., and Roma Stirling from Pittsview, Alabama.

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All of the Institute teachers returned by Monday night except Miss Stoddard who resigned on account of her mother's health and has returned to Idaho.

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The Literary Society party scheduled for Saturday night will be postponed indefinitely.

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The second semester will begin February second.

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Through the kindenss of friends of Miss Davison and Miss Jenkins vest pocket editions of the New Testament and Psalms were given the boarding pupils Monday night.

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If there are any who would like to start music lessons with Miss Thoroman, State Accredited music teacher, at the Institute, please speak to her about the matter soon, as she can take a few more pupils. Miss Thoroman has had considerable experience and does very thorough work.

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Mr. and Mrs. Russell Heaton and little son of Bay Minette, Ala., are visiting Mrs. Heaton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Littlejohn.

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Invite

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Sunday, January, 11, 1931

As Our Guests.

THE DIXIE CAFE

Enterprise News

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Cary Mullins is confined to his home with pneumonia.

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Miss Vera Cox was the week end guest of Miss Gulma Traywick.

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The contests in the Junior II History and Junior III Georgraphy classes are progressing nicely. The lions and tigers are running neck and neck while the Ford is several miles ahead of the Reo.

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Mr. Leonard Weldon was the guest of Miss Mary Burkhalter Sunday.

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Miss Elizabeth Griffin of Clanton is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Griffin, this week.

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The Enterprise boys motored over to Concord last Friday for a game. The score was 21 to 6 in favor of Enterprise.

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The girls have gotten their ball and are beginning practice. They expect to organize soon and will be ready for games.

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The young people met at Merle Burkhalter's home Saturday night for a musical entertainment. Music was furnished by Mr. Burkhalter who plays several different instruments.

The community was saddened this past week end by the death of Miss Ora Devaughn. Funeral services were held Saturday at Poplar Springs.

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CITIZENS URGED TO ATTEND MEETING

COUNTY CHEST FUND APPEAL IS WELL STARTED

Meeting In Clanton Last Sat. Brings Out Large Crowd Of Interested Folk

The Second Chilton County Chest Fund Appeal is now underway, according to information from the office of the County Welfare Department, having officially opened last Monday, January 12th.

At a county-wide meeting held at the courthouse in Clanton last Saturday, Mrs. A. M. Tunstall, State Child Welfare Director, clearly brought out the fact that the need for everyone working together during the present times with conditions as they are, is very necessary. She also stated that with laws as they are now standing, the only method of obtaining money for relief work is through public subscription and that each community must accept its own burden and all pull together until brighter outlook can be seen.

There were approximately over two hundred people who attended the meeting last Saturday in Clanton to hear Mrs. Tunstall and other speakers, and at which time the County Welfare Superintendent. Mrs. C. E. Stapp, made a

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Miller Inaugural To Be Broadcast

The inaugural exercises of Governor B. M. Miller will be broadcast over WAPI in Birmingham and WSFA in Montgomery. The two stations will present the same program, the announcers using a balcony one story above the portico on which Governor Miller will stand to deliver his inaugural address and to take the oath of office.

Official announcement of the broadcast was made by P. O. Davis, general manager of WAPI, after conference with those who are in charge of the inaugural plans. It will be the first Alabama inauguration to be broadcast.

By the use of radio hundreds of thousands of people who will not be privileged to see the inauguration will hear it, Mr. Davis commented. The broadcast will begin at eleven o'clock on the morning of the 19th of January and continue through the inaugural address and the oath of office. Perhaps other features will go on the air but definite announcement can not be made at this time.

Judge Miller and other candidates were given the use of WAPI for campaign purposes at no cost to them because WAPI is a state and city of Birmingham institution. Candidates used also WSFA and other commercial stations. Governor Miller gives radio much credit for his victory at the polls for it enabled him to deliver his messages to tens of thousands at one time.

After the inauguration WAPI will be available to Governor Miller for promoting the work of his administration, Mr. Davis added. Most of this will be done from the state capitol studio in Montgomery, but the studios at Auburn, Birmingham, and Montevallo will be available and used when needed.

JEMISON ORDER EASTERN STAR TO SERVE DINNERS ON JAN. 17

Announcement has been made that the ladies of the Jemisonian Chapter, Order of The Eastern Star, will serve dinners at Jemison on next Saturday, January 17th.

Those who will be visiting in Jemison on that day will do a good deed to have these ladies serve them one of their delicious dinners, and it will be a dinnr well worth the price. Find this lunch room if in Jemison Saturday and enjoy yourself.

ANNUAL MEET UNITY W. M. U. ON JANUARY 21

Samaria Church To Be Scene of Meeting with a Very Interesting Program

The annual meeting of Unity W. M. U. will be held at the Samaria church, west of Clanton, on next Wednesday, January 21, beginning at ten o'clock, according to an announcement given the News this week. Following is the program for this meeting:

10-10:15—Song, "Faith of Our Fathers." Watch word and prayer.

10:15-11:15—Business—

1. Minutes of last meeting.
2. Old business.
3. Annual reports of all associational officers (written).
4. Roll call of societies and brief oral report from each.
5. Recognition of A-1 societies, full graded unions, and A-1 W. M. U.'s.
6. Mark up the Standard of Excel-

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CITIZEN'S TRAINING CAMPS START WORK

Major S. R. Tupper, U. S. Army, Birmingham, Officer in charge of Citizens' Military Training Camps enrollment in Alabama, has begun activities preliminary to the 1931 enrollment period which begins soon.

Major Tupper announces that Alabama's allotment this year is 675.

Any young man of acceptable character and between the ages of 17 and 24 may apply for these camps. If he can pass the required physical examination and is of god moral character, as certified to by a reputable citizen, who knows him, he may attend these camps.

Attendance at these camps means no obligation for future military service. Those who attend are no more likely to be called to the colors in time of war than any other man. However, if they volunteer or are selected, they are more likely to secure rapid advancement and be able to serve their country more effectively. Military training is not the primary object. The training at these camps stresses citizenship, self reliance, initiative, good fellowship and how to work and play hard and effectively. The moral and religious influences are kept at a high standard.

All necessary expense covering transportation, camp facilities, food, clothing laundry, medical examinations and attendance and services of instructors, is furnished free by the government.

Thorsby Fruit And Truck Growers Association Held Annual Meeting In Thorsby On January 10

The Thorsby Fruit and Truck Growers Association met in annual session January 10, 1931, and elected officers as follows: President, Carl C. Petersen; vice president, T. J. Martin; secretary, E. R. Piper; manager and treasurer, J. M. Smith; Board of Directors, Carl C. Petersen, T. J. Martin, M. J. Soberg. W. A. Hayes. John Childress.

Dr. M. F. Jackson of the Tennessee Coal and Iron and Railroad Company was present and made a very interesting talk on cooperation and expressed a desire to work with our association in helping to furnish and locate markets for the products of our farmers and at the request of Dr. Jackson, he was elected an associate member of the association.

Dr. Frank Willis Barnett of the Birmingham News was present and made a splendid talk on the necessity of cooperation of the farmers and stated the desire of the News was to work more closely with farmers than in past years. J. F. Hill of Portland, Tenn., was present ready to give the benefit of his long experience in growing and marketing sweet potatoes. There were others present who made speeches, inclding Prof. P. O. Davis of Auburn, who did not have time to speak at length on their particular line of work. There was a large representation of farmers present and it is thought a great amount of good might result from this meeting in the near future.

A number of fertilizer people were present and they appeared to be at a loss as to the probable price of fertilizer for spring use.

Subjects Important To Farmers To Be Discussed Here Tuesday

Special Committee Has Been Named To Draw Up Program Of Work And Recommendations To Be Presented At Tuesday Meeting

Much interest and enthusiasm is being shown over the county concerning the meeting scheduled for next Tuesday morning, January 20th, at ten o'clock and its outcome, judging from reports coming in from various parts of the county.

The purpose of this meeting, which will be held at the courthouse Tuesday morning, is to discuss a safe farming program for 1931. A representative from the Bureau of Economics of Washington, is expected to be in Clanton to attend this meeting and conduct a discussion of the farming outlook for 1931.

Proof that this subject is of wide interest was shown by the large number of farmers, bankers, merchants, and other business men who attended a meeting at the office of the county agent last Monday night. At this meeting, plans were discussed that are to be as subjects for the county-wide meeting next Tuesday morning. Among those present at the meeting Monday night, who made helpful suggestions were W. L. Popwell, Horace Popwell, J. N. Dennis. J. R. Mullins, S. J. Ezell, J. D. Collins, J. C. Page, J. P. Montgomery, H. R. Oden, Earl Thomas, C. C. Conway, E. E. Edwards, J. P. Payne, H. M. Nix, T. F. Patterson. W. C. Robinson, E. R. Piper, C. R. Foss, E. B. Tucker, H. B. Oliver. W. A. Gulledge and F. J. Callen.

A committee composed of C.E. Stapp, J. N. Dennis, H. R. Oden, J. C. Page and J. R. Mullins, was named to draw up a program of work and recommendations to be made at the county-wide meeting Tuesday morning.

Much discussion has been brought up over the county as to a farming program to be suggested to the farmers of Chilton County, that they may follow for 1931. Some careful study has been made on this, and a program will no doubt be presented at this meeting.

It is urged that every farmer in the county, who possibly can, attend this meeting, as subjects of vital importance to every farmer, banker and merchant in the county will be discussed.

G. W. MOORE BUYS LOCAL DRUG STORE

Announcement was made this week to the effect that Glenn W. Moore had purchased the entire interest in the Clanton Drug Company, located on Main Street. This place has been open for only a few months, having been opened with H. T. Simms, holding controlling interest, with Moore as his assistant.

Mr. Moore will be remembered by the people of Chilton County as the originator of Moore's, a drug store at one time very popular here. The store will continue under the firm name as it now has, and will handle as usual, a line of drugs, cosmetics, music materials, magazines, etc. Mr. Moore stated he wished to thank the people for their patronage and good will in the past and invites them to visit his store at all times possible.

HOME OF MARK MILFORD WAS DESTROYED BY FIRE RECENTLY

Fire of undetermined origin completely destroyed the home of Mark Milford, located about five miles west of Clanton last Saturday night about six-thirty o'clock.

Information given the News stated that very little household furnishings were saved from the flames, which were not discovered until they had practically enveloped the house. There was no one at the place at that time, it was stated. The house was the property of a Mr. Williams.

INDOOR RIFLE RANGE OPENED NEAR POST OFFICE, CLANTON

People of Clanton will have an opportunity to try out their marksmanship without having to shoot anyone or even purchase a gun. Announcement was made this week of the opening of an indoor rifle range in Clanton.

This rifle gallery has been opened in the store, just below the post office, near the railroad. The managers stated that ladies are invited to come and try out their shooting ability. This is to demonstrate a certain make of shell and rifle. A small charge is made for shots.

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If theer is anyone in the county who has any Free and Treadwell readers that they are willing for children to have who cannot get them otherwise, please send or notify the Child Welfare Worker at Clanton. There are many children in the county who have not yet started to school on account of books and clothes and these readers are greatly needed.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Carter and son, H. G., Jr., of Prattville were visitors to Clanton last Tuesday.

COUNTY P.-T. A. TO MEET ON FEB. 20TH

The Chilton County Parent-Teachers Association is scheduled to hold a meeting on Saturday, February 7th, according to Miss Cora Belle Maddox of the Isabella High School, who is president of the organization.

The meeting will be held at the Maplesville High School, in Maplesville, Alabama, beginning at ten o'clock in the morning. All local P.-T. A. organizations are urged to send their presidents to this meeting. Miss Maddox stated that she would like to have as many reports from the various local organizations made at this meeting as possible.

A program is being planned for the coming county meeting and will probably be published in the next issue of this paper. Those who expect to attend this meeting are requested to bring a picnic lunch as it will be an all-day meeting.

PIONEER RESIDENT, CHILTON PASSES, HOME EAST OF HERE

Mrs. Sarah Susan Robinson Mullins, age 82, died at her home in the Mullins Community, East of Clanton last Sunday morning, January 11th, following a lingering illness.

Funeral services were held on the following Tuesday morning at ten-thirty o'clock.

Interment followed in the Mullins Cemetery, near the home of the deceased, with Martin of Clanton in charge. The deceased was born July 22, 1884 in Georgia and is the widow of Oliver Mullins, Sr., who preceded her to the grave several years ago. She was one of the oldest members of one of the oldest and most prominent families of Chilton County.

Surviving are two sons, O. R. Mullins and C. Reese Mullins, both of Clanton. Two daughters, Mrs. J. C. Jones and Mrs. Shepard of Birmingham, and numerous other relatives.

Poultry Car Notice

County Agent Stapp announces a poultry car will be run next week on fololwing schedule: Verbena, 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., Wednesday, January 21st; at Clanton, all day, Thursday, January 22; Jemison, morning, Friday, January 23rd.

The following prices will be paid at car door:

Colored hens, 15c pound; Leghorn hens, 13c pound; stags, 13c pound; roosters, 8c pound; fryers, 22c a pound. Turkeys, 20c a pound.

Mr. Stapp cautions against feeding grain either whole or cracked the day you load. He says it is all right to feed soft mash feed but that it is hard to handle chickens full of corn.

NEW OFFICIALS TO TAKE OVER OFFICES NEXT MONDAY, 19TH

Beginning next Monday, January 19, Chilton County will be on the books with a new sheriff and two new commissioners, as that is the date newly elected officials named will assume office.

Governor Miller will assume the position of Governor of the State of Alabama on the following Tuesday. The local Tax Collector and Assessor will not change until sometime later.

WELFARE DEPT. MAKES REPORT OF 1930 WORK

Report Shows In Detail The Varied Conditions To Be Found In The County

Following, the News publishes the report from the office of the County Welfare Worker for the past year of 1930. In this report will be found the varied line of conditions confronting this department in Chilton County:

Family Welfare Work	
No. of cases on file	282
No. children involved	701
Parental Status of These Cases	
Unmarried mothers	16
Deserting parent	35
Mother dead	18
Father dead	41
Complete orphan	17
Both parents living	81
Father in prison	17
Invalid parent	18
Insane or feebleminded parent	8

(The problems found in these cases

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THERESA FRANZ, 14 BURIED SUNDAY

Funeral services for Miss Theresa Elaine Franz, age 14, who died at her home here last Saturday, were held Sunday afternoon at the Seventh Day Adventist tabernacle here, with Elder A. B. Russell, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Wayne B. White, of Birmingham. Interment was in the City Cemetery with Martin in charge.

The funeral services were conducted in a most impressive manner. A quartette of singers from the Birmingham church of Seventh Day Adventists rendered several selections.

The deceased is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Franz of Clanton. Mr. Franz is secretary-treasurer of the Alabama Conference of Seventh Day Adventists and the family have been making their home in Clanton for a number of years, coming here from Nashville, Tenn. The esteem in which this little girl who was so suddenly called by death following an attack of influenza, was shown in the large number of floral offerings presented at the funeral, and by the large number of people attending. Other survivors besides the mother and father, are two sisters and one brother.

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F. W. Denty of Birmingham was in Clanton on business during last week, returning to Birmingham Saturday. Mr. Denty was at one time a resident of Clanton, and can number his friends here by the score. While in town, Mr. Denty called at the News office.

LEGISLATURE OF 1931 WILL PROMISE HIST'RY

Alfred Tunstall Will Preside Over The Lower House; Measures Named

By Alabama Associated Newspapers Bureau

The 1931 Legislature of Alabama made a harmonious exit Tuesday, which points to a success for the Miller Administration, which promises to be second only to the Houston and Comer Legislatures in history making.

Alfred Tunstall, Speaker

As usual the fights for the leadership in the two houses were fought in caucuses on the day and night preceding the opening of the Legislature. As a result of the caucuses, the veteran Legislator Alfred Tunstall, once Speaker of the House, will preside over the lower branch. Senator R. H. Powell of Macon County was elected President Pro Tem of the Senate by acclamation. It was announced early Monday evening that Tyler Goodwyn, veteran Legislator of Montgomery, had withdrawn from the Speakership race in favor of Tunstall's candidacy.

Among the leading measures expected to come up before the present session of the Legislature will be restora-

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'Melody Pals' Will Give Concert Soon

A concert will be given on next Friday night, January 16th, at seven-thirty o'clock at the Stanton Junior High School by the "Melody Pals" of radio fame, according to an announcement this week given the News.

"The Melody Pals" are composed of Luke Denton, Gresham Lowery with Norville Hall, pianist of note. These young men have been heard many times crooning their popular songs over various radio stations. Gresham Lowery, known to radio fans as 'Gene' was at one time announcer for Station KTSL, at Shreveport, La., and has appeared over seventeen stations in the South and West. Those attending this concert Friday night are assured of some real entertainment. Admission will be fifteen and twenty-five cents. Proceeds to go to the school

OPPORTUNITY TO GET RIDE IN AIRPLANE IS EXTENDED

The people of Chilton County will still have the opportunity to take a ride in an airplane and view Clanton, Thorsby, Verbena, Lay Dam, or most any other place nearby, from the air, due to the decision of Lieut. Ellie McCune and Aviator McTinney, who have been in Clanton for the past week carrying people aloft to view the country side from the air.

Due to the condition of the weather in recent days, these aviators decided to keep their Curtiss-Waco plane here for the remainder of this week. They are located on the Collins field, just east of town, on the Lay Dam road, and are charging only a small price for a trip. Every day except Sunday, the cost is only seventy-five cents, and on Sunday $1.00. Lieut. McCune is a government licensed pilot, and has a licensed plane.

District Number Three, Sunday School Ass'n. Will Meet at Jemison Baptist Church January 18

Following is the program for the meeting of the Sunday School Association, District Three, which will be held in Jemison at the Baptist church on next Sunday, January 18th, beginning at two-thirty in the afternoon:

2:00 P. M. Devotional, led by C. C. Conway.

2:15 P. M. Reports from Sunday Schools.

2:30 P. M. Subject: "The Sunday School Superintendent."

1. His relation to the success of the school, Rev. S. J. Ezell.
2. How he may secure and maintain a graded school, W. J. Billingsley.
3. How he may secure the cooperation of his officers and teachers, W. M. Wyatt.
4. How he may secure and maintain a high grade of teaching throughout the school, B. Lawrence.
5. How teachers and officers can cooperate with the Sunday School Superintendent, J. W. Jones.

3:20 P. M. General discussion.

All churches north of Clanton are urged to send representatives. Especially are the pastors, superintendents, and all Sunday School workers urged to attend.

H. A. HARRIS, President.

S. L. Broadhead and two sons, S. L. Jr., and Zolon, of Clanton Route 7, were among the visitors to Clanton last Saturday. While in town they were pleasant callers at the News office.

MOUNTAIN SPRINGS

I want to announce that Mountain Springs church and cemetery lines will be run Friday morning, January 16, 1931. We ask the land owners that join this property to be there, and all that are interested in the work.

CHURCH CLERK.

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Wida Frisby of Columbus, O., who weighs 400-pounds, recently married a man who weighs only 155.

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Clanton, Alabama

Concord-Billingsley

On account of rain we didn't have Sunday school or Christian Endeavor last Sunday. But we hope to have a large crowd next Sunday and Sunday night, as it is our regular preaching day. You have a special invitation to come and be with us.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williams and children spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams last Sunday.

Mesdames Willie Tindall, J. F. Waites and Tom Weldon spent Thursday afternoon of last week with Mrs. Fonza Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton spent the past week end with his mother, Mrs. C. A. Surles.

Mr. W. W. Williams made a business trip to Montgomery last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Buzbee and family have moved to Clanton Route 3.

They will be greatly mised in our Sunday School and Christian Endeavor although we hope there will be someone else to take their place.

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A football team composed of 11 brothers, whose ages range from 17 to 42, won six of eight matches played

IN MEMORY OF MISS ORA DEVAUGHN

The Death Angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Devaughn last Sunday, January 4th, and took away the spirit of their charming daughter, Ora, to the Great Beyond.

She leaves to mourn her departure a father, mother, two sisters and three brothers.

Ora had just reached her twenty-first year and has always been cheerful and friendly, meeting everybody with a smile. She was also very smart and energetic, carrying on herdaily work about the home with a wilful mind and never murmured or complained. Indeed to know Ora was to love her. She numbered her friends by her acquaintances.

Just why the Lord saw fit to call her away so early we can't tell, but doubtless he saw wherein he could use her better in the heavenly world than here. We believe the Lord wants friendly folks like Ora to make up the Heavenly Kingdom. In fact, Christ was very friendly Himself, while here on earth. His enemies sought to down him by accusing Him of being a friend to the sinners. A fact we are proud of Christ himself did not deny this accusation.

We have evidence that Ora was ready to meet the Lord as she joined the church while quite young. And while she was seriously sick, made a remark that she would not get well, and didn't seem to dread death.

So weep not for her, dear parents, brothers, sisters, and friends, but let us strive to be ready when death calls us away so we all may meet her in the heavenly city where all pain, sorrow, grief and disappointment will forever be passed away. All will be joy, peace and happiness, throughout eternity with the Lord.

The remains were laid to rest the following day, January 5th, at Maple Springs cemetery, Rev. Parrish and Rev. Lembrick officiating.

Her Friends,
—F. I. and Mrs. F. I. Popwell.

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Ethel Burke of Wenatchee, Wash., was granted a divorce when she told the court that her husband was "afraid of water" and that she has found it necessary to wash his neck so she would not be humiliated before her friends.

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Although he is 83 years old, Friend Botsford of Winsted, Conn., walks 14 miles every Saturday to deliver 70 copies of a weekly newspaper.

MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

On entering a Clanton store I saw all the force behind the counters were busy taking stock. The proprietor had done business for the year 1930 and before going into the trade of the new year he wanted to know his standing. He sought to know his liabilities and his assets. He wanted to know on what base he could proceed in safety. Wonder if you have looked over your record of last year. Wonder if you have taken stock with your soul life? Stop long enough to check over your heart life and see if you have grown in grace during the year. Examine yourselves and see if you be of the faith.

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While passing a certain home I saw the man of the house out in his back yard with a rake, and this man was raking leaves and burning rubbish. He was cleaning up the back yard of his home. That man's front yard was spotless, and the pastor would look on with admiration, thinking that the entire premises were well kept, but rubbish had collected in the back yard. There are many people who look fine and spotless in public life. The front part of their living seems to be perfect. What about the secret part of life? We should never fail to look after the back yard with as much care as the front yard. Blessed is that man, that woman, whose secret life is as fine as the public life.

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Not long since a traveler stopped at a news stand where Magazines were on display. The dealer had in stock a magazine that carried a vulgar picture on its cover. This traveler noted that many young boys were hanging around the stand. Parents, let me warn you against the awful wave of impure literature that is flooding the land. Judge McCord is quoted as saying, "He had rather see a boy with a jug of whiskey than to see him with a vulgar picture." Do not be afraid to report to Federal authorities when you find a reptile coiled on the cover of a magazine. Our government is guarding the mails of this country.

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A story comes to us from West Florida that a member of the Methodist church was out one day hunting squirrels. While in the woods the clouds grew dark and the rain began to fall in torrents and the hunter saw a hollow log stretched out on the ground. To avoid getting drenched in the rain the man crawled into the hollow log. He listened to the pattering of the rain and soon fell asleep. It rained on and he slept on. The log grew wet and began to swell. After three hours of sleep the man awoke to find himself gripped by the walls of the log. He could no move backward or forward. He realized that he was in great danger and he started to thinking of his past life. His mind ran to and fro, and soon he was dwelling upon his church loyalty. He thought about not being at Sunday school and church the Sunday before, and when these thoughts came into his brain, they made him feel so little that he dropped out of the log. If you are not in Sunday school and church every Sunday, to think of your way of conduct is enough to make you feel little. Why be little toward God and your church?

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THIS is inventory time—the month when business checks up on past achievements and takes stock of present resources to appraise future prospects.

Following the customary plan of business, let's take an inventory now of *Alabama's* past achievements, and present resources and seek to appraise *Alabama's* future prospects.

To make a true accounting of Alabama's progress, we must go back not *one* year but *six*—to 1925—the year that marked the real beginning of Alabama's recent era of industrial expansion and the year that also saw the formation of this company's New Industries Division.

Alabama's inventory for this six year period 1925-1930 would read about like this:

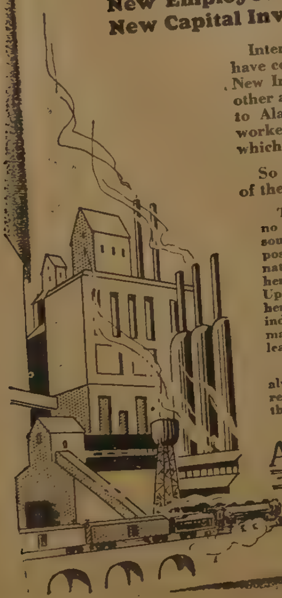
New Industries Established	**136**
New Employees in New Plants	**24,319**
New Capital Invested in Industry	**$68,000,000**

Interpreted, these figures mean that new plants which have come into our state thru efforts of this company's New Industries Division, Chambers of Commerce and other agencies, have added nearly $25,000,000 annually to Alabama's buying power by putting 25,000 more workers on plant payrolls. This is an amazing record which should bring a thrill of pride to every citizen.

So much for the past. What of the present? What of the *next* six years?

This depression, from which Alabama is emerging, has in no way impaired or reduced the fundamental, bed rock resources on which past progress has been built. Alabama still possesses an illimitable and virtually untouched wealth of natural resources, the greatest possibly of any state. Beneath her soil are many million tons of coal and ore and limestone. Upon her hills and plains are many million feet of timber. In her swift flowing streams lies the energy to turn the wheels of industry and bear the products of her factories and farms to market and among her citizens are men with qualities of leadership to direct the march of progress.

These are Alabama's stock in trade. It is a stock which is always in demand. During these next six years these natural resources will be in greater demand than ever before. And that means inevitable progress and increased prosperity.



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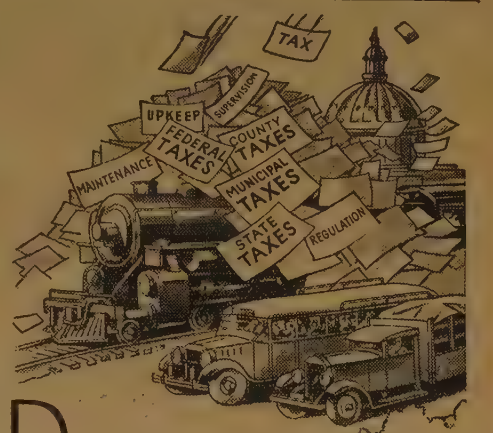

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THE OLD RELIABLE
L&N
(LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE R.R.)

Over 22%, or $403,000,000, of the net revenue from the operation of the United States railroads in 1929 was paid into the public treasuries in the form of taxes.

In addition, 13.6%, or $855,000,000, of the gross receipts of the railroads was spent to maintain their own private roadways in order that the public might travel in greater comfort and ship with greater safety.

These huge sums were exclusive of the interest on the heavy investment in these properties—roadway, rails, ties, buildings, etc.—that the railroads *built at their own expense.*

Compare these amounts with those paid by busses and trucks engaged in common-carrier service directly in competition with the railroads. Unlike the railroads, they do not contribute adequately in taxes to the support of our courts, schools, and other public institutions. They do not share properly in the cost of construction and upkeep of the highways. Generally they select their class of traffic and assess their own rates, and are virtually free from the exacting requirements as to supervision of their operations, etc., now imposed on the railroads by government and state authorities.

The Railroads Must Earn To Spend

Such a situation is manifestly unfair and unjust and unless corrected will seriously impair one of the nation's most vital instruments of progress. Common equity demands that the thoughtful consideration of the public be given to these problems so that efficient railroad transportation may be sustained. All the railroads want or can reasonably ask for is a field of endeavor that affords equal opportunity for all.

LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE R.R.

Mt. Pleasant News

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Williams were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chambers Sunday afternoon.

We plan to have another ball game here next Friday afternoon. Everybody come and root for Mt. Pleasant. Mt. Pleasant will play Stanton Junior high.

Mr. R. B. Johnson, principal of Mt. Pleasant Junior high school spent the week end in Birmingham.

Miss Lesta Cobb was the week end visitor of Misses Mildred Raney and Evelyn Littlejohn.

Mr. Tipton Eiland is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eiland.

Mr. Herschel Lowery and Miss Lillian Melton were married last Saturday night, January 10.

A good supper was served in their honor at the home of Mr. L. P. Melton.

Messrs. Harve and Ocie Collins were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Logan Sunday afternoon.

A revival meeting began at the Tabernacle Church last Wednesday night, January 8, and will continue the remainder of the following week. Rev. Dan DuBois is preaching.

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ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE

State of Alabama, Chilton County, In Probate Court.

Letters of administration upon the estate of T. J. Mims, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, R. W. Heflin, on the 20th day of December, 1930, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate will be required to present the same within the time required by law or the same will be barred.

This 10th day of January, 1931.

R. W. HEFLIN,
Administrator.

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COLDS and HEADACHES

It is the most speedy remedy known.

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J. B. ATKINSON
Attorney-At-Law
Office Over Robinson Department Store
Clanton, Alabama

W. L. PARRISH
D. V. M.
CLANTON, ALA.
PHONE 4100

OLD FOLKS SAY DR. CALDWELL WAS RIGHT

The basis of treating sickness has not changed since Dr. Caldwell left Medical College in 1875, nor since he placed on the market the laxative prescription he had used in his practice.

He treated constipation, biliousness, headaches, mental depression, indigestion, sour stomach and other indispositions entirely by means of simple vegetable laxatives, herbs and roots. These are still the basis of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a combination of senna and other mild herbs, with pepsin.

The simpler the remedy for constipation, the safer for the child and for you. And as you can get results in a mild and safe way by using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, why take chances with strong drugs?

A bottle will last several months, and all can use it. It is pleasant to the taste, gentle in action, and free from narcotics. Elderly people find it ideal. All drug stores have the generous bottles, or write "Syrup Pepsin," Dept. BB, Monticello, Illinois, for free trial bottle.

COUNTRY JOURNALISM IS PRAISED BY EXPERTS

SMALL NEWSPAPERS ARE INDISPENSABLE TO AMERICAN PEOPLE

No branch of general education that reaches the masses of the American people can point to greater achievements than can country journalism. Country papers stand in the front line of defense against schemes that rob the people. They work to encourage industries and payrolls, build up small communities and make more business for everybody.

According to N. W. Ayer & Son's Newspaper Directory for 1930, 9,261 daily and weekly newspapers in towns of 25,000 and under, report 18,383,736 subscribers. As the directory lists over 12,500 of these papers in the 48 states, it is evident that at a most conservative estimate for those not giving circulation figures the rural press must have in excess of 20,000,000 subscribers. Practically none of this subscription list is duplicated; it is seldom that the same person takes two country newspapers. Any way it can be figured, these 20,000,000 subscriptions reach many more than that number of readers, for there is at least a man and a woman in nearly every home where a paper is delivered.

It is a great mistake to overlook or exclude the country newspaper in general advertising campaigns. The Manufacturer and Industrial News Bureau believes that these newspapers reach a greater potential buying market in a more direct manner than probably any other medium.

When national advertisers contemplate the expenditure of money for general advertising it would be in the interest of the most uniform distribution of products and business to divide advertising appropriations so that a fair portion of them would be used in the country press. The small publishers advocate policies which tend to maintain sound conditions in this country, but too often when there is any business to be passed around by large industries, it goes only to the big fellows in the publishing business.

In its contact with industrial leaders the Manufacturing and Industrial News Bureau has always preached the advertising value of the smaller city dailies and country weeklies, believing that they are entitled to a share of the advertising appropriations made by large industries. It has pointed out that an advertisement in the home town paper presents the merits of a product to the intimate fireside circle of the home. It emphasizes the fact that a newspaper in a small community is as necessary to the life of that community as the school or the bank. There is no means of reaching these home owners and buyers with a description of the merits of a product or service as directly as through the columns of the local paper, which is intimately connected with all matters affecting the daily life of local citizens, who all read it. * * *

Country weeklies and smaller city dailies make themselves more and more community builders in the true sense of the word. At the intersections of the main highways and paved streets they attract payrolls and industries, where such enterprises are not yet overdone as they are in many of the overcrowded half-million and multi-million populated world centers. The national development tendency is away from the mastodonic metropolises where free play of individualism is reduced to a minimum.

In the great open spaces there are still thousands of weeklies and small dailies owned and edited by individuals who alone dictate their own policies—men and women with their own money and their own plants and many of them still actual practical printers.

The country press is helping create prosperous smaller industrial cities and country places. It is helping to give employment to thousands of families, men, women and young people. It furnishes the United States with a newspaper service in every small city and town that is not equaled elsewhere in the world.

The smaller newspapers published in country communities and cities can become successful community builders, leaders for industrial development and multipliers of payrolls, which, in turn, furnish subscribers and advertisers.

The paper that makes itself the exponent of payrolls and industries helps found the prosperous community and shares in the community prosperity.

THE HOTEL
WITH
THE RED BEACON
TUNE IN WAPI
FOR HOTEL PROGRAM
THOMAS JEFFERSON
THE CONVENTION HOTEL
RATES FROM $2.50
350 ROOMS
350 BATHS
BIRMINGHAM'S
NEWEST AND FINEST

PLANS FOR INAUGURAL BROADCAST COMPLETE

Starting at 11 o'clock A. M. and continuing until the ceremonies are complete, WAPI Birmingham, and WSFA Montgomery will on January 19, broadcast the inauguration of Governor Miller. Microphones are being arranged in front of the capitol, in order that radio fans may not only hear a description of the inaugural but may listen to the governor take the oath of office.

When Lyle Hull of Gordon, Neb., attempted to bridle a mule, the animal bit off one of his fingers.

Someone stole Mrs. Fannie Kaplan's pocketbook containing $1 while she was watching a fire which destroyed her home in Boston.

Oscar Fiebach of Irvington, N. J., filed suit for a divorce when his wife hit him between the eyes with a large soup-bone.

eaten a meal in a restaurant.

The telephone service of a New York subscriber was cut off because he swore at an operator.

Liberty Hill News

Two splendid sermons were delivered at this place Saturday and Sunday. Both were well attended. Bro. Holland, from East Tallassee is our pastor. His Saturday's subject was, "Prayer." For Sunday, "The Handwriting On The Wall."

Circle No. 1 of the W. M. S. will meet with Mrs. Zack Lowery this coming Thursday afternoon at 2:00.

Messrs. Zack Lowery, Grady Cooper ann Marvin Lowery spent last Tuesday in Montgomery attending to business.

Bro. Holland was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Duke Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Littlejohn took dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zack Lowery Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Culp were the dinner goests of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Littlejohn Sunday

Liberty Hill is becoming famous for its marriages. Miss Lillian Melton and Mr. Herschel Lowery were quietly married at the home of Rev. A. L. Foshee last Saturday evening. Their many friends wish them happiness.

Only five newly married couples attended church Sunday. However, one of these was not from our iommunity.

The home of Mr. Mark Milford was

completely destroyed by fire Saturday night.

MASSACHUSETTS OBJECTS

We read that educational leaders in Massachusetts have at this late day discovered that the use of the abbreviation, "Mass." is detrimental to the dignity of their state, and have begun a movement for its suppression. They want the name spelled out in full in all cases.

But if Massachusetts feels slighted by the use of only four letters, other states have even more cause for complaint Consider Ohio, which is usually represented by only one, "O." And the O, might possibly be mistaken for a zero, thus adding insult to injury.

The question raised calls to mind the interesting fact that the name of every state has been commonly abbreviated except that of Utah, possitbly because "Ut." in handwriting might be confused with "Vt." while "Uh" would suggest an unpleasant sound.

We doubt that the objection of the Massachusetts professors is well taken Thing how many barrels of ink have been saved by the employment of the abbreviated form, which saves nine letters each time it is written or printed, to say nothing of the economy of labor.

We recall one typesetter whose ideas would have pleased the Massachusetts pedagogues, however. He, too, disliked abbreviations, and when he set up a musical article in which reference was made to Mozart's 12th Mass, he made it read "Mozart's 12th Massachusetts."

Flames destroyed the largest store in Smithson, Australia, while firemen clad in brand new uniforms argued as to how much they should be paid.

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

Our Sunday school is growing. Let parents meet with us at 9:45 and please bring the children with you. If you have no Sunday school home come with us and we will do you good.

Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. by the pastor. We start on time and quit on time. We have a place for you. Strangers invited and made welcome.

We are not here to waste our time, but to put every day into hard Christion service. We have a plan for our work, and we are going to work our plan. Help us and see your church grow. If you know of sickness, or strangers in the city phone your pastor.

Rev. D. W. Haskew will preach next Sunday afternoon at the Isabella church at three o'clock, and urges the attendance of the community.

A clerk of the Yuma, Ariz., superior court received the following message from O. P. Weed, of Jacumba Springs, Calif.,: "Wire me immediately charges collect full name of woman I married in Yuma, November third."

Mrs. Louise Margosian of Cambridge, Mass., applied for a divorce on the grounds of cruelty because she explained, her husband slapped her face when she wore her over-shoes unbuckled.

Three Years Ago

From Issue of January 19, 1928

Mr. J. Hance Alred has purchased half interest in the Alred Drug Company, founded by him in 1909 and has re-entered active business

A movement which may mean much to Clanton and Chilton County was set in motion here last Saturday when a group of distinguished visitors from various parts of the state met with a number of the leading business men of Clanton and discussed the organization of a Kiwanis Club here.

C. B. Cox has been awarded a contract by the State for the construction of a bridge in Escambia County and has begun work on the project

Mr. and Mrs. C. Fenn Jones entertained the evening bridge club last Wednesday evening at the New Exchange Hotel

Miss Frances Hopkins, formerly of Clanton, and Mr. Joseph Rice of DeKalb, Illinois, were married on January the fifth.

Miss Louise Popwell who is a nurse for Dr. Hugh Jones, of Camden, Alabama, spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D Popwell

Mr. and rMs. Omar Reynolds motored to Birmingham Thursday and spent the day

A thief stole shoes valued at $300 from J. B. Novotony, Chicago salesman, but they were samples and all for a left foot.

At All IGA Stores

I.G.A. January Clearance Sale

GRAPE JUICE	I.G.A. Pure Juice of Concord Grapes	2 PINT BOTTLES	43c
PANCAKE FLOUR, I. G. A.		2 Pkgs.	19c
TABLE SYRUP	Bonita—Georgia Blend	½-GAL. CAN	43c
PURE SPICES	I. G. A.—All Varieties	2 10-CENT CANS	15c
CALIFORNIA TABLE PEACHES	I. G. A.—Golden Halves or Sliced	2 LARGE CANS	41c
TOMATOES	Red Ripe—Hand Packed	3 LARGE CANS	25c
CHILI SAUCE	Red Wing Fancy	MEDIUM BOTTLE	25c
SWEET CORN	I. G. A.—Fancy	2 LARGE CANS	29c
MILK	I. G. A. It Whips	4 Small C's. 2 Large C's.	19c 19c
COFFEE	"I" BLEND "G" BLEND "A" BLEND Always Fresh	Lb. Pkg. Lb. Pkg. Lb. Pkg.	35c 28c 23c
ASPARAGUS TIPS	I. G. A.—Fancy White	1-POUND SQUARE C.	39c
SLICED BACON,	Sunlight Rindless	Lb.	29c
TOILET TISSUE	I. G. A.—Full Count Rolls	3 FOR	21c
WASHING POWDER	Grand-ma's	5 5-CENT PKGS.	19c
IRISH POTATOES	No. 1—Colorados	5 LBS.	17c
ICEBERG LETTUCE,	Large Heads	EACH	9c
FLORIDA GRAPE FRUIT	Large Size	2 FOR	15c
FOUR STRING BROOMS	Good Kitchen Quality	EACH	27c
FRESH GREEN LIMA BEANS	I. G. A. Fancy	LARGE CAN	25c
BUTTER,	Sunlight Finest Creamery	LB.	33c
BACON SQUARES	Gem Sugar Cured	POUND	18c
FLOUR	I. G. A. Plain or Self Rising	24-LB. BAGS	$1.10
FLOUR	Duchess Self Rising or Columbia Plain	24-LB. BAGS	81c

CULVER & JONES, Clanton, Ala.
CLANTON CASH STORE, Clanton, Alabama
GULLEDGE BROTHERS, Verbena, Alabama
T. J. HENDERSON, Mt. Creek, Alabama
MAPLESVILLE CASH STORE, Maplesville, Ala.

Independent Grocers' Alliance

if "Nobody Works but Ol' Man River"

Or A Gas Pipe Line —from Louisiana

What Will Happen to the Payrolls Which Have Made Alabama Prosperous?

"VISIT a great hydro-electric plant and the first thing that will strike you," says a recent advertisement of the General Electric Company, "is the astonishing *absence* of people. Alone, almost unwatched, the water flows, the great turbines revolve. Nobody works, apparently, except Ol' Man River." With equal force it might be said, that when a natural gas pipe line is once laid, few people work, except the meter readers who collect the toll and send it from the state.

Alabama's greatest worry now is this very fact that so many of her citizens are *not* working, because they can't find work to do. And Alabama's greatest need is payrolls and MORE PAYROLLS. More people working! More people earning! More people spending! When "nobody works" we have hard times.

Normally Alabama's coal and coke industry employs more people, and creates larger payrolls than any single industry in Alabama.

ALABAMA'S COAL AND COKE INDUSTRY NORMALLY EMPLOYS ABOUT 28,500 PEOPLE and indirectly furnishes steady work at good pay to many thousand railway operatives who haul this coal and coke from mine and oven to the market. And work for brick, cement, lumber, iron and steel industries which manufacture products that the coal and coke industries use. And work for the farmer, who finds his best home market in the coal fields of the state!

Whether you are head of an Industry or Home, you can do *your* part to help relieve Alabama unemployment by using that fuel which creates the most employment for the most Alabama people—Alabama Coal or Alabama Coke.

This is No. 5 of a series of advertisements published by Alabama Coal and Coke Producers.

Alabama COAL

LABOR HAS TO EARN TO SPEND

Painful Condition

"WHEN I was just a girl at home," writes Mrs. B. F. Riggan, of Baird, Texas, "I took Cardui for cramping and pains in my side and back, and it helped me at that time.

"After I was married, I found myself in a weak, run-down condition. I suffered a great deal with my back, which was so weak it hurt me to get up or when I would stand on my feet. I fell off in weight.

"A friend of mine, seeing how bad I felt, advised me to take Cardui, which I did. By the time I had taken two bottles, I felt stronger and better than I had in a long time."

CARDUI Helps Women to Health

E-164

Take Thedford's Black-Draught for Constipation, Indigestion, Biliousness

THE CHILTON COUNTY NEWS

Democracy, For The Right, Always

Published every Thursday at Clanton, Alabama in the interest of Clanton and the entire Chilton County

BILLY SMITH ______ **Editor and Publisher**
Vernie Teel ______ **Associate**

Entered in the postoffice of Clanton, Alabama, as second class matter under the Act of Congress of March, 1897.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

One Year	$1.50
Six Months	.75

The Survival of the Fittest

When first Darwin pronounced his often misunderstood doctrine of the survival of the fittest, it became subject to numerous attacks—which continue even until now—but G. K. Chesterton takes the position that nothing more clearly demonstrates its soundness than the survival of religion!

In a recent article in the New York Times, Mr. Chesterton reviews briefly the war upon religion, with its many offerings of substitutes, and he concludes that religion has survived because it is fittest—is the only moral or spiritual or inspirational movement that has survived and continues to exercise its hold upon increasing numbers of the world's inhabitants.

In the war upon religion, movements have arisen which appealed to the "intellect" only to die because they failed to recognize that intellect itself is a spiritual quality and it demands something more adequate than the theory that all form and matter are manifestations of some astounding accident.

Substitutes have been offered which hold forth the observance of sound morals as the ideal of human conduct, but they have fallen by the wayside because human experience proves that religion is the greatest of all agencies for bringing about the practice of sound morals.

In seeking to find something to offer in exchange for religious belief, opponents have even gone to the length of attempting to substitute a frenzied sort of alleged "freedom," in which no line has been drawn between license and liberty, but this too, has failed because the great majority of people recognize instinctively that there must be restraint upon human action if the race is to survive. Experience has proved conclusively that society cannot play fast and loose with moral and spiritual obligations without suffering heavy penalties.

Russia today furnishes an apt illustration of the results flowing from the policy expressed in the terms "there is no God: let your conscience be your guide."

Russia, with no spiritual outlook and no moral standard, is in the depth and misery increases, and so it has been throughout all time when peoples and nations closed their eyes to the obligations imposed by religion.

But it is not because all other theories fail that religion marches on, tightening its hold upon thinking people throughout the world. It thrives, not because of the weakness of substitutes, but because of its own inherent strength. It gives something that is not found elsewhere, and this something has been found indispensable in the onward and upward march of the race.—Tuscaloosa News.

We Don't Carry Umbrellas

In calling on the members of his party in Congress not to tie President Hoover's hands in the matter of relief appropriations, but to give the President authority to use the money where it may be most needed to help the unemployment situation, Alfred E. Smith displayed a breadth of view which might be emulated by lesser politicians in both parties. The former Governor of New York knows from his own experience as an administrator [illegible] an executive to be bound to a [illegible] every detail is prescribed by law, and not to [illegible] to perform the function which properly b[illegible] cutive, that of deciding on the [illegible] the law can best be carried [illegible]

[illegible] belief, we think the intelligent public will commend this [illegible] of Mr. Smith and hope that it will have an effect upon those in Congress and elsewhere who would rather make trouble for the Administration than to have the economic situation improved.

Mr. Smith, in the same newspaper article, "said a mouthful," in a phrase which will be widely quoted. "American people never carry an umbrella," he says. "They prepare to walk in eternal sunshine." He points out that in time of prosperity the political leader who tries to call a halt on reckless expenditure and to prepare for the depression which has always followed every prosperity wave in history, is so unpopular that he could not be elected to any office.

We are prone to think that whatever the conditions are today they will always be the same. In time of sunshine we think it is never going to rain. And similarly there are millions today who think that prosperity is never coming back. Both beliefs are equally wrong. Nothing is constant except change. Whatever the conditions, the old Persian king was right when he said:

"This, too, shall pass away."

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New Constitutional Amendment Proposed

It has been asserted that we need another constitutional amendment to keep deadly weapons out of the hands of criminals.

Those who favor such legislation do so because they believe it would curb crime and benefit society. Yet no proof is forthcoming to back their belief. The experience in New York—with its "model" Sullivan laws—and in other great cities, has demonstrated that anti-gun laws serve only to keep weapons away from the law-abiding to the advantage of the criminal.

Crime will be curbed when the people use their power [illegible] ce fundamental laws, break up alliances between police, courts and the underworld, and revise and simplify the machinery of justice. Until that is done, all the prohibitory legislation or constitutional amendments in the world will be impotent.

"ROUND TOWN"

---*by Doug*

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

> "It's good to have money and the things that money can buy, but it's good, too, to check up once in awhile and make sure you haven't lost the things money can't buy."
> —George Horace Lorimer.

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This business of keeping the wolf from the door isn't half so bad to many as the business of keeping gas in the car.

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Seems like some people didn't understand my selections on the 1930 Who's Who. That young fellow who inquired over the telephone just what he was considered for will kindly remember that his name being listed, means that he will be presented again for the 1931 Who's Who, due to the fact that his name was mentioned in the past year's. That person who inquired of the editor about the selection of the Most Versatile School Teacher, apparently had things confused, and he might profit by re-reading the list. That lady who wrote in on blue stationery is perhaps correct in her presumption, and I will endeavor to give her suggestion some thought. And you who wrote in and forgot to sign your name, shouldn't, ought to do that, because I never like to get letters that are not signed, and too it throws a reflection on you, if by chance i should be known to me who you are, and I would like to ask that when writing to this column, please address your letters to this column in care of The News, because the editor has been raising sand with me about him having to contend with opening letters intended for me.

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Thoughts While Thinking

Times haven't changed so much, the nickel is just as popular at church now as it was when grand-dad was a boy* * * a heart just as cold as a hard linoleum covered floor on a cold winter morning * * *Clanton has a man who can write some wonderful poems * * * What kind of a town would Clanton be if every person was like you * * * There's lots of folks in Chilton who came from Coosa * * * My feet are as cold as a block of ice * * * Certain young ladies are about the same * * * Clanton is laid out in squares and is a square * * * Clanton has great possibilities * * * Needs some men to take more interest in the welfare of the town than in themselves and the dollar * * * Some folks here can't see anything but the dollar and chase after it * * * Wonder why some attractive school teachers are so reserved * * * Wonder why some try to use such big words * * * Hate to show my lack of learning when talking to them * * * Radio sermons may be so popular because there's no collections taken * * * I'd like to go to see her sometime * * * Kind of afraid to ask for a date tho * * * Wonder who those good lookers are talking to Leo * * * Wonder why some folks want to dabble in other folks affairs for * * * Bet it will be cold tomorrow * * * Put some sugar in what you say, and take a little salt with what you hear * * * Some folks who before the bank crash, were heard to say they would pay what they owed if they had the money. Now they say they would pay what they owe if they hadn't lost all their money when the bank failed * * * funny things, these humans * * * thanks to some ladies for their compliments * * * I appreciate what they said * * * I like the voice of two of our telephone operators * * * After a good look at our hospital nurses, it wouldn't be so bad to be confined there for a while * * * Wonder what certain parents of a certain young lady think now * * * Wonder what they will think a little later on * * * Oh, boy what a grand and glorious feeling * * * Calloway Drug Company has some pretty calendars * * * Wonder where I'll be this time next year * * * Wonder what has become of the old church bells * * * Had an enjoyable time New Years night * * * The refreshments sure came in handy and were delicious * * * Served by a charming young lady * * * Who has a charming sister * * * Can't some folks get uppity * * * Bowling alleys are catching it from the preachers * * * Kind of agree with the latter * * * can't see much difference in bowling and in playing pool * * * Takes a little more energy, and maybe money to play * * * Got to catch some sleep tonight * * * If Prohibition should be lifted, wonder who would be first to open a saloon in Clanton * * * Might try that myself * * * Wonder who the lucky girl will be when Jim Wade takes a notion to marry * * * Bus whistles sound lonesome * * * Got to stop thinking for awhile now.

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Guess it won't be long before they will be manufacturing automobiles small enough they can be mailed by parcel post.

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Now, dear readers, allow me to introduce to you, The Purfesser, who, as you may see by his letter to me this week, is rather confident about his method, or methods. I'm mighty glad to hear from The Purfesser, because now, I feel as if I will not have to fight this battle alone. Here's his letter:

Clanton, Ala., Jinuary 13, 1931.

Dere Dug:

Reckon you boys aint dun heard bout me cause I has dunn most uv my work in a quite gintleminny way, but I sean in yo' paiper whur you is jining up wid dis fella Dooker Pooker ta critisize th' wimmin an I has decided to give you an Thu' udder Clanton boys th' binifit uv my vast store uv nowlidge bout wimmin.

Critisizin um wont do ya a dern bit uv good and thet aint no way to handil wimmin a tal. Course I know ther aint bin no flies on you boys as fer as I kin figger but if ya hooks up wid me I'll show ya some fancie prancin frum now on.

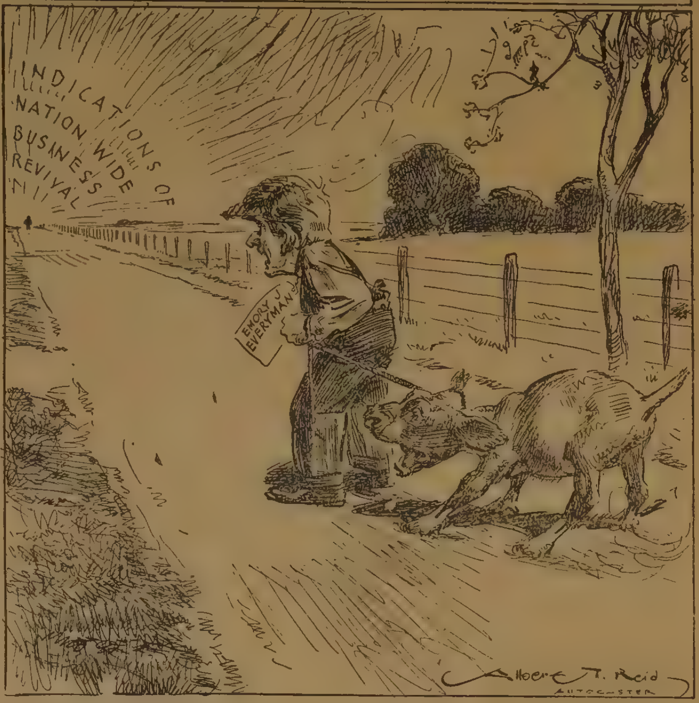
Wimmin is jist lik mules and I knows all er bout both uv um. I dont know if I lerned more bout wimmin frum mules er more bout mules frum wimmin, but they is th' two Contraist animils God ur Mighty ever made an I'm bout th' onliest fella round hear whut knows how to handil um.

Ef iny uv ya boys is havin iny trouble wid iny uv im I kin tel ya jist how ter handil um an my methods is simple as a, b, c; so dont think I'm tryin to city-slick ya. This applies to these school teachers whut thinks they is so dern smart an efen you kin find one whut ya think is sho' nough hard to handil I'll dimenstrate on her fer the binifit uv the boys.

Wal its bout milkin time so I'll tel ya more ur bout my methods next week.

The Purfesser.

The Fatted Calf is Waiting for the Prodigal By *Albert T. Reid*



INDICATIONS OF NATION WIDE BUSINESS REVIVAL
EMORY J. EVERYMAN
Albert T. Reid
AUTOCASTER

The Letter Box

A. A. JACKSON WRITES ABOUT SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION

Editor Chilton County News:

Please allow me space in your paper to say a few words in regard to our school system. There is some dissatisfaction over the county about the transporting of the children to and from school. We can not expect people to be satisfied when a school bus stops at a school patrons house and picks up his large children and transports them to and from the schools of our county, leaving his little tots to tramp through the rain, mud and cold. Such a system is discriminating against the little child in favor of the larger ones. A system like this will never be satisfactory. I can not see how the officials of any county can take the taxpayers dollar to discriminate against the little children in such a way.

What did Christ say in regard to little children, "Forbid them not, to come unto me, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven." I wonder if the Board of Education has ever read this Scripture. Surely they have not. Otherwise Chilton County would not have such a discriminating bus system.

There is another Scripture which says, "Are not my ways equal and your ways unequal." This is true, for there is no equalization in the Board of Education's bus system.

I hope the board will see if there can not be some plan worked out that will give equal transportation to all children alike.

It seems that there is a drive being made to consolidate the rural schools in this county. As there are several school houses in the county that are in a bad condition, and no repairs being made. I fear this is a bad mistake the county board is making. As there is more satisfaction in the districts where there is no transportation at all than there is in the consolidated districts where they are partially transported.

The taxpayer's money should be equally divided among all the children of the county. And each citizen should know how every dollar is being spent.

Sec. 123 of the School Code requires the county board of education to publish a full and complete itemized statement of the receipts and disbursements of all school funds, and the refusal or neglect failure of any member of the County Board of Education to comply with the provisions of this section shall constitute a Misdemeanor.

Has this itemized statement been published?

I haven't seen one. What about it. Board, do you have them. If so please send me one to Clanton Route 4.

Yours very truly,

A. A. JACKSON.

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A keen angler took a friend for a day's sport. The friend knew nothing of fishing, but decided to try his luck.

After a long silence by the banks of a stream the novice said, "I say, how much do those little red things cost?"

"You mean the floats Oh, they're cheap. Why?"

"I owe you one. Mine's just sunk."

HILL'S

Specials For This Week-End

Flour	White Tip or Split Silk	24 lbs.	65c
Flour	Eagle Brand	24 lb.	75c
Flour	Grandma's Wonder	24 lb.	90c
Lard	Rex Pure	8-lb pail	$1.02
Bacon Squares		lb.	14c
COFFEE	Royal Blend	2 Pounds	45c
Mayonnaise	Hill's	8 Oz. Jar	15c
PEAS	Black Eye	Pound	6c
ORANGES		Per Doz.	15c
RICE	BLUE ROSE	5 Lb.	25c
Peaches	Evaporated	Per Lb.	10c
Potatoes	Irish Cobbler	5 pounds	15c

Hill Grocery Co.

Clanton, Ala.

The will of Hyman Rosen, late of New York, gives $5,000 to his widow and $25,000 to his first wife.

If Sir Thomas Lipton is superstitious he will probably skip a number when he gets to Shamrock XIII.

Review of Graves Administration

With the close of the Graves administration, it is appropriate to briefly review some of its accomplishments, and the progress achieved during the past quadrennium. Governor Graves was elected in 1926 on a platform that pledged his best efforts to the conservation and development of the human resources of Alabama; emphasis was placed on the necessity of providing for the educational advancement and physical health of the people. as the foundation for a prosperous state. The carrying out of these policies has resulted in unprecedented progress during the past four years in education. public health and child welfare work. Another notable accomplishment of the administration now going out of office was the abolition of the convict lease system, and the reorganization of the convict system of the state which resulted therefrom; while during this four-year period roadbuilding has been carried on in Alabama on a bigger scale than ever before.

EDUCATION

The past four years has witnessed a great forward movement in education in Alabama, which probably should be rated as the outstanding accomplishment of the outgoing administration. It was during these four years that the practical application was given to the theory of equalization of educational opportunity—the theory which holds that a child born in one of the poorer agricultural sections of the state has as much right to an education at public expense as one living in the centers where the wealth of the state is largely concentrated. Prior to 1927 most of the school money which the counties received from the state was apportioned on a per capita basis—so much for each child of school age. This state fund was entirely inadequate to provide a reasonable school term; and while the richer counties were able to supplement it from local taxation, the poorer counties, with low values of taxable property, were unable to do so. The inequality existing between different section of the state was further promoted by the matter of racial distribution. Under the per capita system of distributing school funds, no distinction was made, or could be made, on account of race; a county received from the state just as much money for a colored child within its borders as for a white child. As a result, counties where the bulk of the population was colored were able to provide amply for the education of their comparatively few white children; while other counties with a dense white population could not provide for them anywhere near an adequate school system.

Governor Graves and the legislature of 1927 set out to correct this situation, not by taking away anything from the more fortunate counties, which on the contrary have shared in the general educational progress, but by giving especial aid to the poorer counties unable to help themselves. One of many new educational appropriations voted in 1927 was an equalization fund of $900,000 per annum, to be used exclusively for providing more nearly equal school terms over the state. The average school term for the entire state has been increased thirteen days during the past four years; while many schools which were in session only four or five months in 1926 were in sesison seven and eight months last year.

During the past year there were 32,583 more children enrolled in school than in 1926. The actual gain must be greater than that number since the present reports are acknowledged to be more accurate than those in 1926.

Children are attending school much more regularly now than they did four years ago. This is shown by the fact that there were 57,032 more pupils attending school daily last year than in 1926. This is an increase of nearly 14 per cent during the past four year.

When the aggregate days attended are considered we observe the greatest gain made in the amount of schooling which has been received by the boys and girls of the State. Last year the aggregate days attended was 13,787,753 greater than in 1926. This gain is the equivalent to a term of 135 days for 102,132 children. Expressed in another way it is equivalent to the attendance of 17,022 children during every day of a 135 day term for six years.

Teachers are now receiving a higher average salary than they did in 1926. The gain during the past four years is $106 and has been due largely to the increased length of term.

New textbook adoptions were made during the quadrennium, reducing the number of books required and resulting in a saving of millions of dollars to the parents of school children.

Educational progress has not been confined to the common schools, on the contrary, the entire educational system from top to bottom has been tremendously strengthened and improved; and the state colleges and normal schools have entered upon a new era of development as a result of the greatly increased appropriations which they received for new buildings and for operating expenses.

The extent to which educational appropriations have been increased during the past four years is graphically illustrated by the following table showing comparison of amounts made available for public education in Alabama during their respective quadrenniums by the 1919, 1923 and 1927 legislatures:

1919—$9,491,440 appropriated.

1923—$9,904,598 appropriated; $413,158 increase; 4.35 percentage increase.

1927—$32,180,758 appropriatde; $22,276,160 increase; 224.91 percentage increase.

The following shows total number of days attended by all the pupils enrolled in the public elementary and high schools of Alabama during six consecutive year:

1925—Day attended, 57,686,491.

1926—Days attended, 57,254,174; decreased, 432,317; percentage decrease, 0.75.

1927—Days attended, 61,814,896; increased, 4,560,722; percentage increase, 7.97.

1927-1928—Days attended, 68,828,558; increased, 7,013,662; percentage of increase, 11.35.

1928-1929—Days attended, 68,593,254; decreased, 235,304; percentage of decrease, 0.44.

1929-1930—Days attended, 71,041,927; increased, 2,448,673; percentage of increase, 3.57.

Schools For Deaf and Blind

A notable accomplishment of the outgoing administration was the manner in which it has provided for the state schools for the deaf and the blind, located at Talladega. At the beginning of the administration, appropriations totalling $300,000 were provided for construction and repairing of buildings and equipment at these institutions, which have as a result functioned on a scale and with an effectiveness far ahead of anything in previous years.

PUBLIC HEALTH

Alabama's progress in public health work may be summed up in the fact that the state today stands at the top of the list of all states in this field—a position attained during the past four years. Alabama has fifty-four counties with full-time county health units, engaged in prosecuting all phases of public health activties. The percentage of population enjoying the benefits of full-time county health service is 88.97 per cent of the total population of the state—a ration not equalled by any other state. The number of counties possessing county health units January 1, 1927, was thirty; twenty-four more have been organized during the Graves administration, leaving only thirteen unorganized. Progress in public health work during the past four years was made possible by the 1927 legislature; the appropriation for the central, administration of the state health department was increased from $150,000 in 1926 to $539,383 for 1930; while the appropriation for county work, which is matched by the counties, was increased from $55,000 to $130,000.

Figures for 1929 established several new records of low death rates. Typhoid fever causdd only 196 deaths for 1929 against 382 for 1926, or a decrease in the death rate of 15.1 for 1926 to 7.5 for 1929. There were no deaths from smallpox in 1929. It is the first year in 13 years that one or more deaths from smallpox was not reported. The death rate from tuberculosis was 85.7 per 100,000 population and was the lowest record since Alabama has had susceptible registration.

With the manufacture of diptheria toxoid for immunization against diptheria by the state laboratory begun in 1929, it became possible for counties to carry out immunizing campaigns against diptheria similar to those carried on against typhoid fevere. There was not time to secure results from immunization in 1929, but the figures for both cases and deaths would indicate a considerable decrease so far in 1930. In the next few years there should be a decrease in diptheria similar to that secured in typhoid.

CHILD WELFARE

The past quadrennium witnessed remarkable progress in child welfare work in Alabama, the outstanding feature being the practical completion of county child welfare organization. Four years ago, only fourteen Alabama counties were organized for child welfare work; fifty-two county child welfare units have been established since, leaving only one county unorganized. During the past four years a stronger child labor enforcement division has been built up, a better institution program has been undertaken; and there has been manifest improvement in the service offered by the children's aid division in providing foster home care for children received. Alabama's progress in child welfare work has attracted favorable comment from nationally known experts. The legislature of 1927 increased the appropriation to the child welfare department from $50,000 per annum to $100,000 for a two-year period, and $125,000 annually thereafter.

CONFEDERATE PENSIONS

Pensions to Confederate veterans were doubled by the 1927 legislature, the increase being from $75 to $150 per quarter. Large increases were also provided in pension payments, to widows of veterans. The increase in Confederate pensions hit the general fund of the state during this administration for the huge sum of $3,730,056. this being the amount paid out in pensions over and above what was brought in by the one-mill soldiers tax. Much has been said recently about a deficit, but critics have failed to point out that the money has gone to relieve the necessities in extreme old age of the survivors of the armies of the Confederacy. Pensions payments will bear less heavily on the treasury in the next four years, for there are now less than half as many Confederate veterans in Alabama as there were four years ago.

AGRICULTURE & INDUSTRIES

Agricultural laws were strengthened by the 1927 legislature, and the State Department of Agriculture has functioned with increased effectiveness. Important new legislation included provision for the establishment of five agricultural experiment sub-stations on various soil types of the state, with a view to determining crop adaptability of various soils.

The last legislature also created the Alabama Industrial Development Board to promote and advertise the industrial opportunities of the state. A large number of new industries have located in Alabama during the period.

CONVICTS, LAW ENFORCEMENT

Abolition of the convict lease system and inauguration of a successful system of working convicts on the roads stands out as one of the major accomplishments of the Graves administration. Formerly, a large percentage of convicts were leased by the state to private business interests, and worked in coal mines and lumber camps. This system was very profitable to the state, but was denounoed on humanitarian grounds, as a relic of barbarism. Instances of brutal mistreatment of convicts were brought to light, and besides it was contended that the principle of leasing out human beings for profit was all wrong. Public sentiment demanded the abolition of the lease system, but there was hesitation on the part of those in power to face the loss to the state of the lease money and the task of finding other employment for convicts which would be turned back to the state with the lease business ended. Abolition of the lease system was an issue in Alabama for many years, and was repeatedly promised, le[illegible]ed and deferred, until finally the Graves administration took the responsibility and brought the discredited system to an end. As a result, the state found on its hands approximately 1,250 convicts removed from under lease. Convict problems were augmented by the taking over by the state of county convicts, and by the great increase in prison population, which will be commented on below.

The problem was partly met by placing convicts on the roads. Eighteen road camps are operated, with a daily average of 1,480 convicts employed during the period June 1, 1929, to September 30, 1930. And, despite gloomy predictions to the contrary, this convict road work showed a net profit during the above period of $120,179.01.

Further employment for convicts was found through an expansion of the existing prison system, and the establishment of Moffett State Prison near Atmore, built at a cost of $452,544.6[illegible], which includes cost of land, improvements, buildings and railroads. This prison, with an investment cost per capita of prisoners below that of any other of the state's penal institutions, is a model establishment, where scientific farming is profitably carried on in a big way.

In spite of the loss of the lease money, there was a net profit on the operation of all state penal institutions during the quadrennium of $1,091,479.43. This net profit was arrived at after charging off all depreciation on buildings, equipment and machinery.

The administration of Governor Graves has been characterized by vigorous law enforcement; the governor has been prompt and active in directing the suppression of lawlessness in all forms. He has appointed jury commisioners who believed in law enforcement, and has granted comparatively few paroles. As a result of better law enforcement and curtailment of paroles, there has been a great increase in prison population. During 1926-27 the convict department had a daily average of 3,094 state convicts and 115 county convicts, total 3,209; for 1929-30 the figures were 4,370 state and 664 county convicts, total 5,034, an increase of 1,825, or more than 50 per cent.

ROADBUILDING

The Graves administration has done practically as much roadbuilding as had been done by the state altogether prior to this administration; in fact, on the higher type roads, the figures show that much more has been accomplished during the past four years than had been done during all preceding years. The following tabulation shows the length of road and bridge contracts awarded from 1916 up to January 17, 1927:

Graded and drained, 370 miles.

Graded, drained, and surfaced with sand-clay and topsoil, 629 miles.

Graded, drained, and surfaced with gravel and chert, 1540 miles.

Graded, drained and surfaced with bituminous surface, 242 miles.

Graded, drained, and surfaced with cement concrete, 113 miles.

Total, 2894 miles.

Bridges over 20-foot clear span, 91,056 Lin. Ft.

The following tabulation shows the length of road and bridge contracts awarded from January 17, 1927 up to January 1st, 1931

Graded and drained, 650 miles

Graded, drained and surfaced with sand clay or top soil, 344 miles.

Graded, drained and surfaced with gravel or chert, 1072 miles.

Graded, drained, and surfaced with a bituminous surface, 170 miles.

Graded, drained, and surfaced with cement concrete, 451 miles.

Total, 2687 miles.

Bridges over 20-foot clear span, 102,960 Lin. Ft.

15 State owned toll bridges with approach fills, 15 miles.

The above figures do not include approximately 100 miles of paved roads the construction of which will probably be arranged for before the close of the Graves administration.

CONCLUSION

In the closing months of the Graves administration, certain critics have pointed out that more money has been spent during this administration than during any that went before it. It is obvious that millions of dollars worth of new school buildings, increased teachers salaries, doubling Confederate pensions, better public health, etc., could not be attained on the same expense which prevailed before such progress was made. In other words, if the state during the past quadrennium has spent $22,000,000 more for schools than was spent before—naturally this could not be done without spending $22,000,000 more, and of course this additional revenue had to be raised thru taxation. It should be noted that Governor Graves went into office pledged to increase ap[illegible] to increase taxation; he did [illegible] promise the impossible feat of increasing the one without the other. He [illegible] promise that there would be no increase in property taxes, and that needed new revenue would be obtained by "hitching the big mules" to the tax wagon, in other words by levying upon big business and corporate interests which it was claimed had hitherto escaped paying a fair share of the tax burden. The promise has been carried out to the letter. There has been no increase in property taxes in the past quadrennium; such increase as has occurred in property tax payments has been due solely to the natural rise in the value of property, the tax rate has remained unchanged, and in some of the poorer agricultural counties there has been an actual decline in property valuations and consequently tax payments. New revenue needed for schools, public health, etc., was provided through new tax levies on railroads, water power companies and other phases of big business, through an extension of tonnage and severance taxes on coal, iron and other minerals; and through a sales tax on cigars and cigarettes which has brought into the taxpaying class thousands who hitherto enjoyed the benefits of government without contributing anything to its support. Four years of progress in public activities have been supported without increasing the taxes of the farmer or home owner, and the distribution of taxation has been more nearly equalized than ever before in the history of the state.

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MRS. M'CALL RESIGNS

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 13.—Mrs. Charlie C. McCall, who, for the last several years, has been secretary of the State Pardon Board, resigned yesterday. Mrs. Lorraine Moore, stenographic secretary in the Attorney General's office, is acting secretary of the Board of Pardons.

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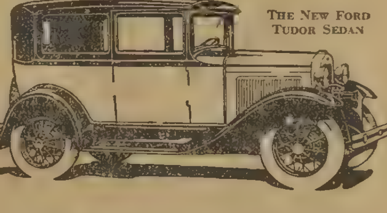

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What It Did In 1930

RECEIPTS

Cash	$1,309.00
Clothing and Food	328.97
Balance Due	142.45
	$1,780.42

DISBURSEMENTS

For Food, Clothing, Medical Service, School Books, Etc.	$1,676.58
Bills Due Unpaid	60.00
Balance Cash on Hand	43.84
	$1,780.42
Number People Helped	596

What It Will Do

1. It will help care for the destitute needy of our County.
2. It will eliminate constant appeals for the needy.
3. Your gift will reach the real needs.
4. It will save the self respect of the worthy needy.
5. Give to the Fund and send all solicitors to our Finance Committee: Mrs. C. E. Stapp, Co. Supt. Child Welfare, S. J. Ezell and D. W. Haskew.
7. It will meet a real need in our county

How It Will Be Administered

1. Each School Community will have a representative to report all destitute cases.
2. The County Welfare Worker and the Committee on distribution of the funds will investigate the needs of each case and give aid.
3. All gifts of $1.00 and above will be published in the papers.
5. The Treasurer's Books will be audited regularly.

Why Give?

BIBLE REASONS

1. *"He that giveth to the poor lendeth to the Lord."*
2. *"It is more blessed to give than to receive."*
3. *"Inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these, my brethren, ye have done it unto me."*
4. *"Bear ye one another's burdens and so fulfill the law of Christ."*
5. *"Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this, to visit the fatherless and the widows in their affliction."*

REMEMBER!

Remember the needy along with your fortunate friends.

Remember John's warning "But who hath this worlds good, and seeth his brother have need and shutteth up his bowels of compassion from him, how dwelleth the love of God in him" 1 John 3:17.

Remember that your gift will express your love in deed and in truth!

Remember the golden rule!

Remember to be a Good Samaritan!

Remember we have no salaries; every cent goes for charity!

FARMERS WILL PROFIT GROWING OWN SEEDS

"Money sent away each year to purchase farm seeds could be used profitably in farm operations at home, but aside from this. there are two other good reasons why every land owner should grow and save his own seed. First, they can be grown at little expense and second, the grower can tell whether they are free of disease," says B. P. Livingston, in charge of seed testing work of the Department of Agriculture and Industries. Montgomery.

"The purchase of large quantities of both major and minor crop seeds by growers each year, is tremendous. This outlay of money is not in keeping with the aims of our live-at-home program. Also there are but few crops grown in the state where high yield and high quality product can not be maintained by home production of seeds. Conditions are favorable in this state to improve crops by careful selection of the seed on the home farm."

Mr. Livingston declares that seed can be grown at home at little expense. The ripening and curing needs are not expensive. About the only attention necessary is to keep them in moderately dry storage and in tight containers.

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Judge J. A. Carnley Is Desperately Ill

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 13.—Probate Judge J. A. Carnley, of Coffee County, who was a candidate for governor in the last Democratic primary and has long been a prominent political figure, is desperately ill at his home in Elba with double pneumonia.

First news of the illness of Judge Carnley reached here yesterday thru W. M. Brunson, prominent Coffee County attorney, who was at the Capitol for some time for conferences with several officials. Mr. Brunson, prominent lawyer and former member of the Alabama House of Representatives, said that Judge Carnley's condition is critical.

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Winter Dried Fruits and Tapioca Aid Housewives in Menu Making

MAKING a resolution to budget the household allowance more carefully and yet to give the family nourishing and tasty meals, wives and mothers are on the look out for new recipes. For high days and holidays come and go but the task of providing three meals daily goes on all year.

The winter dried fruits—figs, raisins, apricots, dates and prunes—can be made into a wealth of delicious desserts at small cost. They are Nature's own sweets packed with sugar for winter energy and should appear on the table often during the cold weather.

Here is a colorful Apricot Tapioca that tactful wives will serve after the Monday pot-luck meal. Even Junior will be willing to eat his carrots if he is rewarded by such a dessert.

APRICOT TAPIOCA

¾ pound dried apricots
3 cups water
½ cup sugar
3 tablespoons quick cooking Tapioca
⅛ teaspoon salt

Wash apricots. Soak in 3 cups water 1 hour and cook until tender. Drain. To juice, add enough water to make 2 cups liquid. Add Tapioca and salt, and cook in double boiler 15 minutes, or until Tapioca is clear, stirring frequently. Add sugar. Cool. Force apricots through sieve. Fold pulp (about 1 cup) into Tapioca mixture. Chill and serve with whipped cream. Serves 6.

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FROM NORWAY

The lowly boarding house prune has come into its own, magically transformed by modern cook-craft into a variety of delicious desserts. Here is one of them. And it is so simple to make that you can put it on your list of last minute desserts for busy days.

NORWEGIAN PRUNE TAPIOCA

4 tablespoons quick cooking Tapioca
⅛ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon cinnamon, or 1-inch stick cinnamon
2 cups unsweetened prune juice, or juice and water
4 tablespoons sugar
1 tablespoon lemon juice
1 cup cooked prunes, seeded and finely cut

Add Tapioca, salt, and cinnamon to prune juice, and cook in double boiler 15 minutes, or until tapioca is clear, stirring frequently. Remove cinnamon (if stick is used), add sugar, lemon juice, and prunes. Chill. Serve with cream. Serves 6.

Attendance Ratings for Chilton Co. Schools

For The Month of November, 1930

Junior High Grades

Mt. Pleasant—R. B. Johnson, principal; 59 on roll, percentage, 96.45.

Chilton County High—L. C. Warr, principal; 158 on roll; 87 perfect in attendance; percentage 96.21.

Stanton—Luther E. Little, principal; 43 on roll; percentage 96.08.

Verbena—W. E. G. Sutton, principal; 71 on roll; 44 perfect in attendance; percentage, 93.88.

Enterprise—H. A. Harris, principal; 68 on roll; percentage, 93.81.

Jemison—J. A. Peterson, principal; 112 on roll; percentage, 93.19.

Maplesville—E. E. Owen, principal; 45 on roll; percentage, 92.44.

Thorsby—W. T. Bean, principal; 49 on roll; percentage, 92.43.

Baker—G. G. Williams, principal; 49 on roll; percentage, 92.40.

Union Grove—Harlem Daniel, principal; 42 on roll; percentage, 92.04.

Collins Chapel—Z. Y. Appleton, principal; 33 on roll; percentage, 90.51.

Cooper—J. L. Wilson, principal; 26 on roll; percentage, 89.51.

Thomas Junior—G. C. Weldon, principal; 39 on roll; percentage, 89.19.

Isabella—J. D. Griffin, principal; 80 on roll; percentage, 83.41.

Concord—J. M. Parrish, principal; 44 on roll; percentage, 81.91.

Average for the County—918 on roll; 131 perfect in attendance; percentage, 91.56.

Senior High Grades

Maplesville—E. E. Owen, principal; 35 on roll; percentage, 97.41.

Jemison—J. A. Peterson, principal; 66 on roll; percentage, 95.47.

Verbena—W. E. G. Sutton, principal; 42 on roll; percentage, 91.92.

Chilton County High—L. C. Warr, principal; 107 on roll; percentage, 92.24.

Isabella—J. D. Griffin, principal; 46 on roll; percentage, 85.69.

Average for the County—296 on roll; percentage, 92.94.

Maplesville, Mt. Pleasant and Oak Grove get the prizes for this month. These prizes are given by Mr. Will Culp, newly elected Tax Collector of Chilton County.

Elementary Grades

Oak Grove—Lesta Cobb, principal; 35 on roll; 20 perfect in attendance; percentage, 95.29.

Mars Hill—J. S. McNeill, principal; 35 on roll; 26 perfect in attendance; percentage, 94.79.

Concord D.—O'Dell Perkins, principal; 24 on roll; 16 perfect in attendance; percentage, 94.72.

County Line—Ruth Mize, principal 27 on roll; 14 perfect in attendance percentage, 93.15.

Jackson Chapel—J. C. White, principal; 66 on roll; 48 perfect in attendance; percentage, 93.40.

Thorsby—W. T. Bean, principal; 159 on roll; 95 perfect in attendance; percentage, 93.24.

Mineral Springs—J. E. Harrell, principal; 65 on roll; 34 perfect in attendance; percentage, 92.78

Maplesville—E. E. Owen, principal; 153 on roll; 115 perfect in attendance; percentage, 91.88.

Stanton—Luther E. Little, principal; 169 on roll; 105 perfect in attendance; percentage, 91.59.

Lay Dam—Lois Primm, principal; 28 on roll; 22 perfect in attendance; percentage, 91.30.

Clanton—I. J. Quinn, principal; 336 on roll; 161 perfect in attendance; percentage, 90.98.

Morganville—Mrs. Marion McGaillird, principal; 23 on roll; 13 perfect in attendance; percentage, 90.54.

Popwell—Mrs. J. F. Apperson, principal; 36 on roll; 20 perfect in attendance; percentage, 89.93.

Mt. Pleasant—R. B. Johnson, principal; 128 on roll; 114 perfect in attendance; percentage, 89.62.

Collins Chapel—Z. Y. Appleton, principal; 142 on roll; 66 perfect in attendance; percentage, 88.98.

Providence—Irving Kennedy, principal; 48 on roll; 7 perfect in attendance; percentage, 88.91.

Union Grove—Harlem Daniel, principal; 93 on roll; 63 perfect in attendance; percentage, 88.90.

Mitchell Dam—Mrs. Irene Miller, principal; 15 on roll; 5 perfect in attendance; percentage, 88.82.

Vermont—Green Thomas, principal; 117 on roll; 24 perfect in attendance; percentage, 88.43.

Thomas Junior—G. C. Weldon, principal; 155 on roll; 69 perfect in attendance; percentage, 88.20.

Minooka—Jessie Price, principal; 35 on roll, 10 perfect in attendance; percentage, 87.86.

Enterprise—H. A. Harris, principal; 243 on roll; 117 perfect in attendance; percentage, 87.61.

Free Springs—Mrs. Franklin Lowery, principal; 23 on roll; 5 perfect in attendance; percentage, 87.61.

Baker—G. G. Williams, principal; 139 on roll; 75 perfect in attendance; percentage, 87.45.

Jemison—J. A. Peterson, principal; 329 on roll; 236 perfect in attendance; percentage, 87.16.

Pinedale—J. W. Moore, principal; 70 on roll; 19 perfect in attendance; percentage, 86.73

Flint Hill—Martha Jane Mims, principal; 35 on roll; 8 perfect in attendance; percentage, 86.33.

Verbena—W. O. Bradley, principal; 231 on roll; 88 perfect in attendance; percentage, 86.22.

Shiloh—H. L. Davis, principal; 47 on roll; 8 perfect in attendance; percentage, 85.64.

Union Point—Jewel Minor, principal; 38 on roll; 11 perfect in attendance; percentage, 85.60.

Pilgrims Rest—Leila Belle Smith, principal; 21 on roll; 4 perfect in attendance; percentage, 85.46

New Cedron—Nina Mae Harris, principal; 32 on roll; 11 perfect in attendance; percentage, 85.32.

Chestnut Grove—Alice Nelson principal; 33 on roll; 8 perfect in attendance, percentage, 85.02.

Providence B.—Ivy Harrell, principal; 46 on roll; 9 perfect in attendance. percentage, 84.78

Shoults—Willie Barnes, principal; 24 on roll; 10 perfect in attendance; percentage, 83.42.

Adams—Mrs. Louise Chambers, principal; 18 on roll; 4 perfect in attendance; percentage, 83.09.

Cooper—J. L. Wilson, principal; 132 on roll; 44 perfect in attendance; percentage, 81.40.

Smith—Murphy Bratten, principal; 40 on roll; 7 perfect in attendance; percentage, 79.34.

New Harmony—Pearl Minor, principal; 22 on roll; 6 perfect in attendance; percentage, 78.69.

Crossroads—Mrs. Geo. Billingsley, principal; 35 on roll; 10 perfect in attendance; perceutage. 78.68.

Concord A.—J. M. Parrish, principal; 149 on roll; 57 perfect in attendance; percentage, 78.33

Cane Creek—Samuel Mims, principal; 63 on roll; 9 perfect in attendance; percentage, 77.92.

Freeman—Willie Littlejohn, principal; 77 on roll; 23 perfect in attendance; percentage, 77.75.

Pates Chapel—Mrs. J. S. McNeill, principal; 61 on roll; 5 perfect in attendance; percentage, 77.19.

Corinth—Mrs. W. A. Norris, principal; 24 on roll; 10 perfect in attendance; percentage, 76.69.

Isabella—J. D. Griffin, principal; 118 on roll; percentage, 73.86.

Culp—Fannie LeCroy, principal; 30 on roll; perfect in attendance; percentage, 69.80.

Fairview—Mrs. Zella Scott, principal; 26 on roll; 5 perfect in attendance; percentage, 45.47.

Average for the County—4015 on roll; 1835 perfect in attendance; percentage, 85.33.

Mullins Report Out.

Maplesville, Mt. Pleasant and Oak Grove get the prizes for this month. These prizes are given by Mr. Will Culp, newly elected Tax Collector of Chilton County.

Enterprise News

Mr. Dawson Tucker spent Monday in Montgomery on business.

The friends of Cary Mullins are glad to hear he is very much improved.

Miss Mary Burkhalter. who was burned quite seriously last Friday morning is getting along as well as can be expected. Her mother, whose hands were burned badly in trying to extinguish the blaze is doing nicely too.

Mrs. R. L. Chandler of Aberdeen, Miss., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. Silas.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Ray of Birmingham were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dobbs.

Miss Elizabeth Griffin has returned to her work in Clanton after a pleasant week spent with her parents.

Mrs. Harris Williams and Miss Lucile Till of Montgomery spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Traywick and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Driver were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Elmus Morris the past week end.

The Enterprise boys met the Stanton team on the Enterprise court, Friday evening in one of the most interesting games of the season. After a hard-fought game the Enterprise boys defeated the Stanton team 14 to 7. Quite a number of the Stanton boys and girls came over for the game.

Miss Nora Wood spent Tuesday night with the Bowles family.

There will be a Junior III Class party at Miss Vivian Silas' Saturday night. All members are cordially invited.

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Congressional lame ducks must tremble for the safety of the nation.

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After vigorously pressing his suit, a young man's suit often needs pressing.

Mrs. Maria Sophia Anderson of Rockford, Ill., who has just celebrated her ninetieth birthday anniversary, has never seen a motion picture show or

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"When they make 'em better, we'll show 'em"

MONDAY and TUESDAY—JAN. 19th and 20th
Sue Carroll In
"DIXIANA" --- All Talking
One-Reel Comedy --- All Talking

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY—JAN. 21 and 22
Irene Rich and Raymond Hackett In
"ON YOUR BACK" --- All Talking
One-Reel Comedy --- All Talking

FRIDAY and SATURDAY—JAN. 23 and 24
"BEYOND THE LAW" --- All Talking
2-Reel Comedy --- All Talking

JOHN T. JONES, DECEASED

On Thursday, January 8th, the beautiful spirit of John T. Jones, of Plantersville, Ala., made its flight into that Great Beyond.

Mr. Jones was a faithful member of Plantersville Baptist church. Plantersville has lost one of its best members in losing Mr. Jones. He was ever ready to work and was an efficient assistant Sunday School teacher. As a Christian, Mr. Jones lived it. As a husband the "faithful" fades into oblivion before the radiant light of his service. Every thought and deed was lived for that which was right and for his family. As a husband and father no service was too great for him to render, nor sacrifice too hard for him to endure.

As a friend he was every ready to do any deed of kindness which he could, but being a R. F. D. Carrier for more than twenty years he was unable to render personal service he would have liked to have done.

He was married to Miss Maud Vinzant and to this union there were four children two girls and two boys all of whom survive.

He leaves to mourn for him, a wife, his four children, one grandson, his aged father and mother, two brothers, a host of relatives and friends. May they catch the light of his unbroken trust and as they "cross the river" one by one join him at the pearly gates

Funeral services were conducted by his pastor, Bro. A. H. Mahaffey. The following being pall bearers: Messrs Will Apperson, J. W. Friday, Charlie Levens, O. H. Barnes, Walter Herrod and Walter Stoudemire. The body was laid to rest in Plantersville Cemetery.

Loved ones, weep not for "The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away, blessed be the name of the Lord."

A Friend.
Mrs. C. C. GAY.

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BUSINESS DEPENDENT UPON AGRICULTURE

One of the best ways for business to prosper in Alabama is for agriculture to be placed on a paying basis, says F. W. Gist. state and federal statistician, who reports that agriculture furnishes to Alabama about 48 per cent of the wealth produced annually and upon which business depends very largely for its existence in most towns and cities in the state.

Mr. Gist gave figures showing that in Alabama in 1925 miners produced $60,000,000 in new wealth, the manufacturers $227,000,000 and the farmer $268,000,000 the latter being 48 per cent of the total. He also showed that in the United States in 1925, there was produced, by the three groups named, about 45 and a half billion dollars of new wealth. Of this the miner gave us 5 and a half, the manufacturer 26 and a half and the farmer 13 and a half, the latter constituting 28.5 per cent of the total.

Mr. Gist declares that only three groups of workers produce new wealth and if these three groups disappeared from the face of the earth "we would follow mighty soon." These three groups are the miner, the manufacturer, and the farmer. "All the rest of us are parasites, living [illegible] the wealth which these three groups produce," he said.

Four Years Ago

From Issue of January 20, 1927

Mr. J. R. Scott of Verbena was a pleasant caller at the News office Monday

Dr. V. J. Gragg has been quite ill for the past few days, but is improving rapidly

Mr. H. N. Smith of Coopers was a pleasant caller to the News office last Monday.

Messrs. W. W. Cobern, A. B. Burton, Harris Huston and Miss Cobern were visitors to Clanton last week.

Miss Pauline Lawrence, Sunset Polk and Miss Kathryn Hayes gave a farewill party in honor of Miss Mary Mauney last Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Lawrence

Mr and Mrs. J. B. Downs are planning to take a trip to Denver in the near future to visit Mr and Mrs. J. J. Pickens

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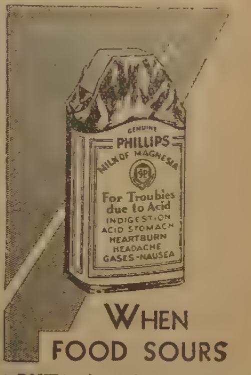
With striking originality a lot of artists depicted the New Year as a new-born infant



ABOUT two hours after eating, many people suffer from sour stomachs. They call it indigestion. It means that the stomach nerves have been overstimulated. There is excess acid. The way to correct it is with an alkali, which neutralizes many times its volume in acid.

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MISS WILLIE MAE EASTERLING BECOMES BRIDE OF MR. MOORE

A marriage that will be received with much interest over this and other sections was that of Miss Willie Mae Easterling to Mr. Glenn W. Moore, which was solemnized on last Sunday afternoon, January 11, in Wetumpka, Alabama by Judge Howard. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a few close friends.

The bride is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Easterling of Clanton, and is popular in the city. She is a graduate of the Chilton County High School, of the class of 1927, acting as Valedictorian of that class. She has been with the Dixie Cafe for some time, and comes from an old family of this county.

The groom is one of Clanton's prominent business men, having been at one time proprietor of Moore's Store here, and now proprietor of the Clanton Drug Company, a popular drug store of this place. He was at one time also connected with the Jesse French Piano Company of Montgomery.

After a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Moore returned to Clanton, where they expect to make their home. At present they are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Easterling.

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Circle Number Five Baptist W. M. S. Met Last Monday.

Circle Number Five of the local Baptist W. M. S. met on last Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. J. Billingsley.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. Billingsley, who also conducted the devotional, and who is chairman of of that circle. An interesting program had been arranged for this meeting, having as its subject, "The Challenge of Unfinished Tasks." Following the program, a short business meeting was held, in which discussions were brought up on work for 1931. Those present and sharing in Mrs. Billingsley's hospitality were:

Mesdames E. W. Klinner, Spurgeon Calloway, Sallie Gray, V. J. Gragg, Flem Higgins, D. Y. Johnston, Herbert Lowery, Frank Foshee, Horsley White, and J. A. Jones. This circle will meet again on January 26th with Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway.

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Circle Number Three, Baptist W. M. S. Met With Mrs. Alred.

Mrs. D. C. Alred was hostess to the members of Circle Number Three of the Baptist W. M. S. on last Monday afternoon at her home. Mrs. E. E. Upchurch conducted the devotional, which was followed by a very interesting program. Those present at this meeting were:

Mesdames Watts Moore, J.P. Crumpton, M. B. Arant, Jesse Jones, John T. Ellis, E. E. Upchurch, Dewey Rockett, Milton Smith, John Robinson, D. C. Alred and M. A. Marcus.

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Sunbeams.

The Sunbeams will meet Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Baptist church. All members of the Sunbeam Band are urged to be present at this meeting.

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Circle Number One Met With Mrs. Armstrong.

Circle Number 1 of the Baptist W. M. S. met on January 12th at the home of Mrs. Annie Armstrong. The devotional was led by the chairman, Mrs. P. T. Hinkle, reading the 4th chapter of Ephesians, followed by prayer by Mrs. J. P. VanDerveer.

The business for the year was discussed and an outline of organized work was enthusiastically accepted by the following members present: Mrs. Annie Armstrong, Mrs. Arthur Taylor, Mrs. Will Jones, Mrs. J. P. VanDerveer, Mrs. H. A. Harris, Mrs. J. M. Curlee, Mrs. S. E. Clark, Mrs. W. E. Martin, Mrs. D. D. Mathis and Mrs. P. T. Hinkle. All members are urged to meet with the circle on January 26 for a Missionary program.

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Mrs. Jack McMurray Hostess to Young Matrons Club.

Mrs. Jack McMurray entertained the members of the young matrons club at the home of Mrs. Loren Smith on Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in sewing. At a late hour teh hostess served a tempting salad course to the following: Mesdames Loren Smith, M. C. Smith, Joe Higgins, J. R. Taylor, H. G. Heflin, H. White, J. D. Rockett, S. Calloway, and Mrs. Harry Schultz.

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Mrs. A. C. Smith Hostess To Circle Number 6.

Mrs. A. C. Smith was hostess to the members of Circle 6, at her home Monday afternoon. The devotional was conducted by Mrs. E. G. Hyman. This was a business meeting and plans for the year were discussed. Those present were Mesdames J. B. Atkinson, L. A. Calloway, F. M. Connell, C. V. Heath, J. A. Hester, E. G. Hyman, F. P. James, T. L. Parrish, Miss Bettie Mullins, W. W. Wingard and S. J. Ezell.

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MISS PEARL MINOR AND MR. LOUIS WILLIAMS MARRIED

Coming as a surprise to their countless friends over the county was the marriage of Miss Pearl Minor to Mr. Louis Williams which took place Sunday, January 4th, in the New Harmony community near here.

The bride is the popular and attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Minor, formerly of Clanton, and now of Montgomery. She has made her home in Clanton for a number of years and is now a member of the New Harmony school faculty. She is a graduate of the Chilton County High school and during her residence in Clanton took active parts in church work, being a popular member of the younger set here.

The groom is the son of Rev. and Mrs. G. G. Williams, who reside near here, and comes from a well known and well liked family of Chilton County.

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WATCH THE MEASLES "COLD"

By Dr. Christmas Seal

We are having a tremendous "measles year," more cases than in many previous seasons. This happens every few years after we have "grown" a fresh crop of unmeasled children. For many children, the trouble is over and most of them seem as well as ever, for if all goes well, and there are no complications, measles is not a fatal disease.

But watch the child who does not seems to be quite so well as before. Perhaps there is a watering of the eyes or a running ear. Don't fail to keep him under a doctor's care until well. Perhaps there is a cough that hangs on. If so, keep him in bed. Give him sun baths. Take all strain away from his life and give him the very best of food and rest and care. For when such "colds" are neglected the grim White Plague steps in, and the neglected child is his easy prey.

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Dr. Christmas Seal thanks Alabama friends for wonderful support in the 1930 Christmas Seal Sale.

No quick and easy way to cure tuberculosis has yet been found. Rest and body building processes are slow but sure.

Our office girl wonders if "fluttering around the heart" is cause for alarm. It depends upon who causes the flutter.

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E. Lucas has been notified by Canton, O., policemen that he must prevent his cow from mooing at night.

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By a government regulation, all radio broadcasting in Japan begins about 6:30 a.m. and ceases at 10 p.m.

FIVE CHATS FOR WOMEN OVER WAPI FROM AUBURN

Auburn, Ala., Jan. 12—Five features of interest to Alabama housewives will go on the air over WAPI from Auburn during the week of Jan. 19 to 24. These talks, a part of the noontime programs, 12:00 to 12:30, will contain new recipes, menus, and general household information presented by the school of home economics, extension staff, and Mrs. Mary Drake Askew, housekeepers' radio friend.

Because of the broadcast of the inauguration of Governor Miller, the program for Monday, January 19, has been canceled. The program for the remainder of the week follows:

Tuesday— Choice and Arrangement of Furniture, Miss Marguerite E. Odendahl; Primer for the Town Farmers; Housekeepers' chat, Mrs. Mary Drake Askew; Mrs. G. Richard Trott, soprano.

9:45 to 10:15 p.m., Dance Music by Auburn Knights.

Wednesday—Dick and Dan in their dinner table discussion; Home economics discussion, Miss Louise P. Glanton; John W. Brigham, tenor; Earl Hazel, piano.

Thursday—Dairy feature by Earnest and Frank—the boys with the dairy temperament; Housekeepers' chat, by Mrs. Mary Drake Askew; vocal duets, by Dr. and Mrs. Harold Hoffsommer.

5:00 to 5:30 p.m, Auburn Department of Music.

Friday — Household arts feature; Chemistry talk by member of school of chemistry; Farm Science Snapshots; Radio skit by James Speed.

Saturday — The Agricultural Situation, P. O. Davis; Housekeepers' chat, Mrs. Mary Drake Askew; The Agricultural Outlook, by department of agricultural economics.

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Timely News Notes

Canning of grapefruit increased from 400,000 cases in 1925-26 to 1,316,000 in the 1929-30 season.

The Federal Farm Board at Washington has advised cotton growers that the outlook is for prices during the next ten years averaging much lower than prices the last ten-year average.

With live hogs worth 8 1-2 cents a pound on the farm, a 225 pound hog will furnish sugar-cured ham at 17 cents a pound, bacon at 19 cents, and pork chops at 17 cents, says the University of Illinois.

Tobacco farming in Connecticut is becoming highly specialized and highly commercialized, said the College of Agriculture of that State. It is not uncommon for one of the large private growers to spend annually $10,000 for fertilizer and $15,000 for labor.

The inauguration of Governor B. M. Miller will be the first Alabama inauguration to be broadcast by radio. Both WAPI in Birmingham and WSFA in Montgomery will carry the exercises to the huge audience over Alabama, and other states. The announcers will be located on a balcony above the portico on which Governor Miller will stand to deliver his address and take the oath of office.

A leading magazine published in London, England, declares that agriculture is still the basic industry of Great Britain, although a million acres have gone out of cultivation and 100,000 agriculturists have left the farms since 1922. Prices for farm products have declined steadily and the editor of the magazine attributes much of this to lack of organization of farmers and unrestricted competition of foreign produce.

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The tenth matrimonial venture of Sylvester Plumke, of Olney, Ill., failed when his intended wife married another man on the spur of the moment.

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When she received her dog tax bill, Mrs. Florence Underwood of Lowell, Mass., explained to the city employee that the only dog she owned was a wooden one which decorated her lawn.

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The vicar of St. Michael's Church, Oxford, Eng., permits the choir boys to read stories during the sermon period.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF CHANGE IN OWNERSHIP

The interest of H. T. Simms in The Clanton Drug Company, of Clanton, has been purchased by G. W. Moore, who has been connected with this concern since its opening. This was effected the past week.

APPRECIATION

I wish to thank the people for their patronage in the past, and hope to continue to receive such in the future. We are always ready to serve you.

—G. W. Moore.

CLANTON DRUG COMPANY

Main Street - - - Clanton, Ala.

Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School Lesson
for January 25
JESUS TEMPTED
Luke 4:1-13
Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

While John was baptizing Jesus came into that wilderness from Nazareth, ready to enter upon His own public ministry. When John saw Him approaching he said in true prophecy: "Behold, the Lamb of God that taketh away the sin of the world." Jesus drew near and asked to be baptized but John, knowing Him as the sinless one at first refused. But Jesus insisted and thus took our law place. In the act of baptism there was a manifestation of the Trinity of God. Jesus Christ stood in the Jordan, the Holy Spirit in the form of a dove descended upon Him, and the voice of the Father said, "This is my beloved Son."

More than one thing can be accomplished by the same act. Forthwith from the baptism Jesus was tempted by the devil for forty days in the wilderness of the Jordan valley.

During those forty days Jesus was subjected to every type of temptation that comes to mankind in all the varying changes of life. Meanwhile Jesus at nothing as He was so absorbed in His fight for righteousness. Then Satan left Him for a season that He might realize His personal physical condition. In that hour of extreme physical weakness and spiritual reaction after the strain of the forty days, the three major temptations are presented. In these the divinity of Jesus is acknowledged but effort is made to get the exercise of those powers under satanic sway. Jesus would not make bread to stop his own hunger, cast Himself down from the Temple that the people might applaud, or accept an immediate control of men at the cost of worshipping Satan. Rather the arch enemy of man was unmasked as Jesus commanded "Get thee behind me, Satan."

Charging that her husband kept a card index of his fifty girl friends, classifying them as "cute," "drinkers," and "petters." Mrs. Beatrice Physter, of Chicago has field suit for a divorce.

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Jack Carroll of Akron, O., and William Martin of Philadelphia, received only fifty cents each as a reward for returning a pocketbook which contained $1,500.

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The best thing about 1930 was that it had only 365 days.

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Health note: Don't try to stop a fight between husband and wife.

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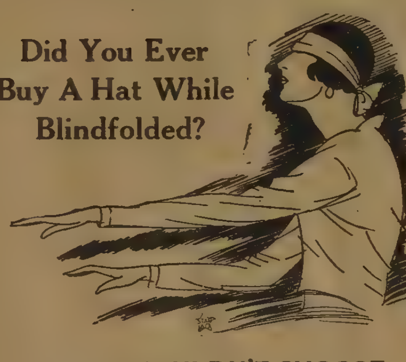

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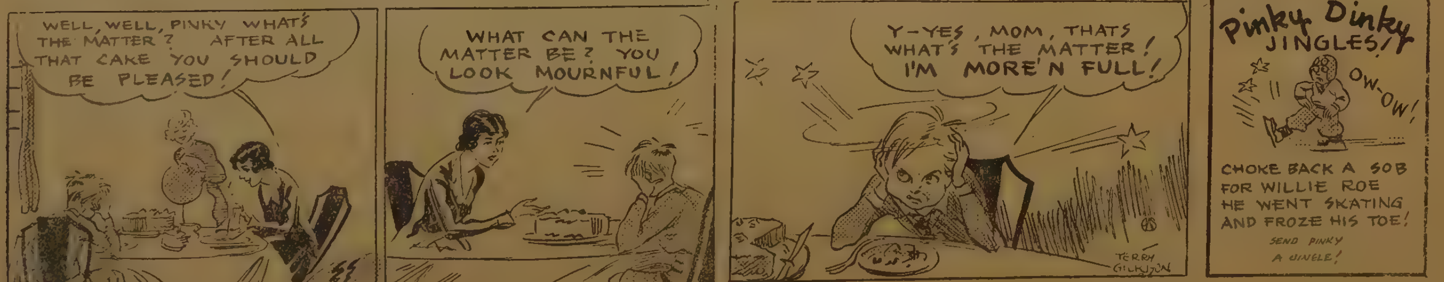
PINKY DINKY

THAT'S HOW IT SOUNDED TO PINKY

By Terry Gilkison


WELL, WELL, PINKY WHAT'S THE MATTER? AFTER ALL THAT CAKE YOU SHOULD BE PLEASED!
WHAT CAN THE MATTER BE? YOU LOOK MOURNFUL!
Y-YES, MOM, THATS WHAT'S THE MATTER! I'M MORE'N FULL!
TERRY GILKISON
Pinky Dinky JINGLES!
OW-OW!
CHOKE BACK A SOB FOR WILLIE ROE HE WENT SKATING AND FROZE HIS TOE!
SEND PINKY A JINGLE!

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"It makes a big family, doesn't it? But we are all proud to belong to it and to do our part. It's a mighty fine thing to have contact with an organization which can thrive on an average margin of less than 2 cents on every dollar of its total sales, and yet—everyone receives a fair return for what he does.

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"Next time you ask for Brookfield Butter, Brookfield Eggs or Golden West Fatted Fowl, remember that many of your own home folks take part in producing and marketing the supplies under those labels."

Swift & Company

Montgomery, Ala.

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My Best Girl

BY KATHLEEN NORRIS

THIRD INSTALLMENT

Maggie Johnson, whose father is a letter-carrier, is the domestic drudge of the humble home where her mother does little except bemoan the fact that she has "seen better days" and her sister, Liz' who works in a beauty shop, lies abed late. Maggie has to get the family breakfast before she starts out to her job in the Five-and-Ten-Cent Store.

There's a new boy at the Five-and-Ten, Joe Grant. He tells Maggie that he has been assigned to work as her helper in the stock room. He seems rather dumb, but Maggie helps him through his first day at the store and shares her lunch with him in a cubbyhole of a place that belongs to a mattress factory next door to the Five-and-Ten.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"Oh, sure I do! I read it in a paper," she said, beginning on her own milk, and talking through, or around, the straws. "You have to eat iron and starch and—and fosters," she said, somewhat uncertain of the last word.

"Iron and starch and—what?" he asked, fishing for the extraordinary word. But she would not be baited.

"All sorts of things," she said evasively. "These sandwiches are tuna fish and egg—they're always the ones that are left. We never get the chicken or ham ones, but we don't care, do we " she ended a little anxiously.

"I don't!" Joe said ravenous.

"How'd you happen to find this place?" he asked, approving of it.

"I was after some ideels in our basement," she said. "An' I seen this winder. Ain't it nice in here?"

"You were after some what?" he interrupted.

"Some ideels. Some of them little—well, sorter prayers they have all coloured up, on cards," Maggie explained. "Like 'No man is useless while he has a friend,' and 'To earn a little, to spend a little less," and 'There's so much

good in the worst of us.'" she went on But at such lightning speed that Joe could not make a beginning or and end to what she said. He burst out laughing.

"You laugh like you were much older than you are," said Maggie, struck with some sudden suspicion.

"I'm almost twenty," Joe said. "Why—how old did you think I was?"

I thought you was a kid," Maggie said frankly. "That's," she ended innocently, "that's why I sorter took an interest in you."

"How old are you?" Joe countered. "Are you thirteen

Thirteen!" she echoed, affronted. I've been workin' four years. I'll be eighteen my next birthday. I was seventeen last Valentine's Day!"

And suddenly both were embarrassed and they stopped talking in some confusion of spirit

"But when I first went to work Maggie resumed, "I was awful little I opened a door and checked umbrellas You'd wonder they let me in at all Three dollars a week they paid me."

"Pretty tough!" Joe commented sympathetically

"Oh, I've had my share!" she responded. "We ought to have something green with this," said Maggie again, extending toward him a fresh supply of the broken biscuits

"Where'd you get all this diet stuff?" Joe asked, diverted

"Oh," she flashed carelessly, "the evenin' papers has it, always, a health column."

"But you don't believe all you see in the papers!" Joe teased

"I do some things," Maggie countered uncertainly, after a moments thought.

"And do you do all the things the papers say to do?" Joe asked.

"I'm doing one now," she answered moving only her lips. "I'm relaxin' Relax ten minutes after meals, if you are thin. Stand if you're fat. Exercises every mornin'—"

"We have twelve minutes," Joe said, glancing at his wrist. "And do you believe all the ideal cards, too?" he pursued.

"How do you mean?" she asked.

"Well, don't they all have rules for life on them?" Joe suggested. "'Lest we forget,' and 'I am the captain of my soul,' and all that?"

"Was you readin' them to-day?" she asked, surprised.

"No. But I know that kind of stuff!"

"'Let us then be up an' doin',' " Maggie was murmuring, as if she heard the words for the first time. "'Laugh, an' the world laughs with you.'"

"Oh, gosh, it makes me sick at my stomach!" Joe said faintly, between a laugh and a groan.

Maggie laughed, puzzled but sympathetic.

"It sorter doesn't mean anything," she conceded. "But the 'Si sezzes' are funny," she submitted doubtfully.

"The whats?"

"The 'Si sezzes'—we call them that," she elucidated. "They all begin, 'Si sez'."

"Bunk!" Joe commented disgusted-

"Joe," she began after a moment, "is this your first job?"

"What makes you think it isn't?" he parried

She was staring at him, faintly suspicious.

"Becauz—becauz fellers of nineteen don't usually begin on what you're doin' stockroom work," said Maggie. "'Specially when they talk like you do."

"I worked on a farm awhile," Joe said. "And I traveled with a circus and worked in a bicycle shop," he added imaginatively.

Maggie was satisfied. She reverted to a more interesting topic.

"My mother says that all that newspaper stuff about budgets and systems and all that is the bunk," she offered. "My sister has to keep her hands white becauz she demonstrates a beauty cream, and my mother don't get round much. But my mother don't like Liz to use make-up—and she won't let me cut my hair—she says it ain't ladylike for girls to bob their hair."

"Father living?" Joe asked.

She hesitated

"My father's a—a wonderful man. Yes, he's living."

"What's his profess—what's he do?" Joe asked.

"He—he's a travelin' man." Somehow she wanted Joe to admire Pop. "And my mother's—fleshy," said Maggie delicately.

"Well, I'll tell you one thing," said Joe, as they began to gather up the signs of their feast and prepare to return upstairs to the store, "I'll tell you one thing—I wouldn't like your sister."

"Oh, Joe, why not!"

"I don't know. I just know that. And here's another thing, that budget and system and efficiency talk is all true."

Maggie's beautiful blue eyes widened almost as if in pain.

"Oh, Joe, I don't believe it!" she said again.

He was cross.

"All right, don't believe it. But what do you think the newspapers print it for?"

"You mean so much for groceries and amusements and clothes and dentists?" she demanded, arresting him with a small clutching hand on his arm.

"Certainly!"

She seemed to droop.

"My mother'd never do it, though! She hates managing."

"Well, because your mother wouldn't do it, Maggie," he said unpleasantly, doesn't make it less true, does it?"

"No," she said sadly, briefly. And Joe suddenly felt ashamed of himself.

He gave her a steadying hand as they scrambled back through the two windows, and over the bales and boxes in their own basement, just in time to hear the gong emit its snarp double ring. But once again in the roar and rush of the store upstairs, he noted that she did not quite restore him to the familiar footing upon which he had been before.

At ten o'clock two old women, armed with pails and mops, made their appearance far at the back of the store, and purchasers began to take on a slightly apologetic note.

Then, suddenly a gong struck, and a hundred saleswomen were jamming thru the back passage, past the enormous service elevator into the wet street. Joe, stooping toward a heap of rubbish that was advancing steadily ahead of a charwoman's wide broom, picked something up and cut through the crowd to follow the sodden little coated figure that was Maggie Johnson.

"Here," he said, handing her a bent card. "I just found this. It was thrown out. Since you believe everything the newspapers tell you, how's this?"

"'The way to begin livin' the ideel life is—to begin,'" she read slowly And she looked up blankly. "Begin what?" she asked. "That's all there is. It don't finish it."

"It's all bunk," he said, trying to laugh.

"Well, I don't know, Joe!" she answered, with a flash of animation crossing her pale, dirty little face. "What you said to-night made me kinder wonder. I've been doing all these things about eatin', and exercise, and washin'," she said eagerly, "but I guess this thinkin' is just as important. I've been handlin' them ideels, and crawlin' over them, and hearin' about them for three years, an' today's the first time I ever really looked at one! I guess you're tired, Joe," she added concernedly, as they walked toward the corner together. "Next week won't be so hard. An' I guess it felt pretty good to get that pay envelope today, didn't it?" she asked encouragingly.

"Sure, it did," Joe answered briefly.

"Do you go up?" the girl asked. "I live on Goat Hill over there—my father waits for me at the corner, Saturday nights!"

"I live down the island," Joe said.

"The ideal life—oh, my God!" he said, thinking of the hard job she had left, of the sort of home to which she was probably going. "You've got a fine chance to lead the ideal life, Maggie Johnson!" Joe said with a bitter laugh

He turned abruptly and walked a deserted block westward, glancing behind him to be sure he had escaped the home-going tide from the Mack. And in the second block, he stopped short at a handsome roadster, parked before a row of unpretentious homes.

Joe got into it, fished a key from his pocket, and swept from the street. The engine purred, the big car moved smoothly away from the city, passed the parks and the factory district and the scattered lights of the humbler suburbs, and so came to the splendid trees and the great walls and gates of Elmingdale, home of the richest and most fashionable men and women of that particular part of the world.

In between certain magnificent posts of stone and brick went Joe and his car, and to the side door of one of the most imposing of all the mansions there. An elderly butler, admitting without question the dirty and weary stock boy of the Mack, ventured so far as to lay an eager, welcoming hand on his arm.

"Mr. Joseph—sir! I'm glad to see you back safely, sir. What with—he coughed delicately—"what with the little unpleasantness yesterday morning, sir, and your—your very emphatic remarks to me, sir, on the subject of your parents' — ahem! — attitude, and then your not returning last night or today, either for luncheon or dinner——"

"I'm all right, Allen, and you were a brick to be on the job to let me in I'm late because I got a job"

"You mean you really ~~are~~ working, Mr Joe?"

"I mean I really am."

"You're not going back to college, sir?"

"Not on your life!"

"Why, but look here, sir," pleaded the older man, distressed, "your father never meant a word he said yesterday morning, nor your mother, either."

"Allen," Joe interrupted, slipping his arms into the dressing gown the man held ready behind him, "can you keep a secret."

"Anything you told me in confidence, sir——" he began reluctantly.

"Well, then listen. I've got a job in the Mack Merrill Department Stores, the Eighth Street one."

"A job in the Mack Merrill Stores, sir?" The butler was actually pale. "In the office, sir"

"In the office nothing! In the shop. Carting wall papers and ink and cleaning brushes and earrings around the place. I'm going to show my father that he can't stand me up in a corner and [illegible] He can't call me a thief and a liar——"

"Mr. Joseph, sir, he never called you that—I didn't hear that," the horrified old butler interrupted.

"Hear him! Everybody in the neighborhood heard him! No, sir, he doesn't get away with it," said Joe. "Now, you run along, Allen, and keep mum, and tell 'em I'm all right and I'm home!"

The message was unobtrusively carried to a handsome middle-aged man who was playing bridge with three other men in the library. It penetrated into a luxurious dressing room, where a beautiful and aristocratic woman was making up her face between a dinner dance and a late ball.

This woman merely raised her eyebrows at the news.

And in a little while she mounted the flight of wide, palm-decorated stairs that lay between her suite and his, and appeared expectantly, in his doorway

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Two Years Ago

From Issue of January 17, 1929

The Clanton Kiwanis Club was hostess to forty-seven representatives of twenty-one of the leading Kiwanis clubs of the state at the annual conference of district officers and trustees

The Clanton Parent-Teachers Association of the local high school will present the play, "Here Comes Arabella" on next Friday evening

Mr. L. M. Rowell aged 75, died at his home in Thorsby last Friday afternoon, January 1.

Mrs. J. N. Atkinson of Mountain Creek was in Clanton shopping last Saturday and payed the News office a pleasant visit.

Emmett, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Brand, was seriously injured last Saturday while playing with an ax.

Mr. Dick and Miss Lottie Vance of Birmingham were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Vance in Coopers last Sunday afternoon

Johnnie Taylor, little son of Mr and Mrs. A. L. Taylor, of Clanton, died here last Friday following a severe attack of pneumonia and was laid to rest the following Saturday in the Coopers cemetery

GARDEN WILL AID IN RELIEVING DISTRESS

Emphasizing the importance of home gardens in relieving the suffering in the drouth stricken areas of Alabama, Seth P. Storrs, commissioner of agriculture and industries and master farmer, said that "the early garden may be pushed to a great start by using window boxes if the hotbed cannot be prepared or is unavailable for any reason. A half dozen cigar boxes will start [illegible] lettuce, peppers or tomatoes for the first plantings in the average garden."

"It is not so important as to how the start is made but it is important to make the start for an early garden this year advises commissioner Storrs. "The home garden will go a long ways in relieving present economic distress."

An electric light bulb has been in nightly use for 25 years on the back porch of the home of B. Bauers, of Pomeroy, O., and still gives good service

As he was returned to jail, Frank Roth of Chicago said, "some of the happiest hours of my life have been spent in a cell and I am glad I can secure the pleasure of such confinement at any time by simply failing to pay my alimony"

Read Our Advertising.

Mt. Creek News

The many friends of Mrs. E. F. Culver are sorry to learn that she is in Central Alabama Hospital. She left last Wednesday and will be away for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Henderson and Miss Mary Henderson motored to Birmingham last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Duffey and family spent Sunday with her sister, Mr and Mrs. Newt Gray and family

Mrs. Bessie Armstrong spent Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Atkinson.

Mrs. Sam Eiland of Dothan is now visiting her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Culver and family.

Mr. R. Aldridge who is in Fitz Hill Hospital is expected to return home this week.

Mr. Johnnie Long and family of Montgomery were visitors of Mr. E. F. Culver's Sunday.

Mrs. Layfield Ellis and family of Birmingham spent Sunday with her mother here, Mrs. Aldridge. In the afternoon they motored to Montgomery to visit her father at the hospital.

Mr. Clayton Culver who is employed with Swift's in Montgomery, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Culver.

Mr. Carlton Baxley returned home Saturday from Birmingham.

The Alabama Machine and Supply Company has bought the old Cobern Store and is erecting a graphite refinery.

Fremont Willis of Brockton, Mass., killed three skunks with two shots when he saw the intruders in his backyard while cleaning his rifle in his home.

Because he objected to the way his wife played bridge, preferred Amos and Andy to classical music, and argued testily against prohibtion, John H. Wilkins, of Kansas City, became a divorced man.

Finding his ladder too short to reach the top of a palm tree at Pasadena, Cal., a workman hired by Mrs. S. H. Harrison used a shotgun to trim the

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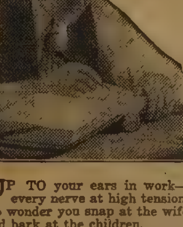

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Clanton, Alabama

County Chest Fund Appeal Is Started

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report of her work during 1930.

Practically every beat in the county had representatives present who told of the conditions in their community. Conditions in many localities were stated to be worse than in others, and in many cases were said to be in dire need of relief. Many children were reported as being out of school on account of a lack of clothes and books. The aim of this meeting was to inform the public of the needs as found in the county and also something of the nature of the work of the Welfare Department during the past year. Volunters were also asked to assist in the drive during this week and next week. To these acting as chairmen in their communities, material was given to work with. They were also asked to secure others helpers they might like to have on their committee to assist them in soliciting.

County Agent Stapp stated at the meeting that on Wednesdays will be chicken shipping days and that anyone wishing to give hens may bring or send them to his office and they will be given the best market prices for them and in doing this, the people can be helping the less fortunate in the county.

As the chairmen in the various communities send in their reports on the chest fund drive, their lists with the subscribers names will be published in the county papers.

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BIRTHDAY DINNER

The wife of Mr. Aaron Dennis gave her husband last Friday a beautiful and sumptious birthday dinner that was a happy occasion for all those present.

She had as guests Mr. Jasper Dennis, father of Aaron, and his wife, Mr. T. E. Kelley, wife and daughter, Miss Delilah, parents and sister of the hostess. The dining room was most tastefully decorated and the table was beautiful with silver and glassware. The repast was all an epicure could ask for, the crowning piece being a lovely pyramidal cake, artistically covered with snow white icing and beautifully decorated with 27 fancy little candles that told the tale. Hoping for many happy returns.

Legislature Of 1931 Promises History

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tion of the majority rule and nominations of all candidate in Primary Elections.

Reduction of expenses of the State Government as has been promised by Governor Miller.

Tax reform so as to shift the burden from the land owners in line with the Byrd plan enacted by the Virginia Legislature.

Legislation requiring the bus and freight lines to bear their share of the burdens with building and maintenance of the public highways.

Rearranging the Congressional Districts of the State based on the population of the 1930 Census, but will reduce Alabama's representation from ten to nine.

Reapportionment of the representatives in both Houses of the Alabama Legislature.

The high points in Governor Graves' message to the 1931 Legislature were as follows:

That the State Law Enforcement Department was indispensable; Tuberculous Sanatorium supervised under the direction of the State Health Department: an extension of the State Welfare Funds, and authorizing Counties to provide for dependent children; that the tax on buses and trucks be increased.

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VIRGINIA-CAROLINA CHEMICAL CO. MAN IN CHILTON RECENTLY

R. K. Bayne, a representative of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company, makers of V-C Fertilizers, has been in Chilton County for the past several days in the interest of the concern with which he is connected. Mr. Bayne has been assisted in his work pertaining to legal matters in this county by T. W. Bryan, well known citizen of this county.

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Isn't it equally as foolish to buy a farm without looking it over as to buy it and not know whether the titles are good or not? Without an abstract you do not know where you are getting the land you look at or not.

Before investing in land in any way have an abstract made and be safe.

M. D. Foshee Clanton, Ala.

Annual Meeting Of W. M. U. January 21

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lence for 1930

7. Election of officers.

11:15-12:15—

Song, "Joy to the World."

Watch Words: "Laborers Together with God," "That the World May Know."

Devotional, based on watchword for 1931, Dr. S. J. Ezell.

Recommendations from Executive Committee.

1. Associational apportionment.
2. Goals for 1931—

(1) New organizations.
(2) Full graded unions.
(3) A-1 organizations.
(4) Subscriptions.
(5) Tithers and Mission Study Classes.
(6) Camps or Institutes.
(7 Special Field Work.

Committees appointed.

Afternoon Session

1:30 Introducing our 1931 Young People's Leader-Supt.

Song, "O Zion, Haste," (Y. W. A. Hymn.)

Devotional: A series of prayers: (1) State and District Leaders, (2) All associational Young People's Leaders, especially our own.

(3) For the local counselors of our Junior organizations.

A year with the Young People of our Association (Written report of 1930 Young People's Leader.)

Goals and Plans for 1931—Presented by Young People's Leader.

How the Women Can Help the Young People, Talk by Rev. J. C. Hill.

Report of committees. Adjourn.

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Welfare Dept. Makes Report of 1930 Work

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were: delinquency, poverty, insanity, neglect, health, immorality, cruelty, and some school attendance).

No. home visits made	890
No. visit to gain information or co-operation	98
No. office interviews	1082
No. letters written	1297
No. out-of-town investigations	27
School Attendance Work	
No. school visits	85
No. children visited for non-enrollment or non-attendance	521
No. letters to parents	390
No. notices to parents (cautionary and legal)	387
No. P.-T. A.'s visited	5
No. talks on school attendance	27
Financial Report	
Amount of cash raised	$1309.00
Amount of cash spent	1265.16
Amount in bank	43.84
No. families given material help	132
No. people assisted	527
No. families provided with medical service	20
No. cripple children corrected by operation & braces	10
No. children provided glasses	2
No. children given books	59
No. children given clothing	89

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Farmers Cautioned About Truck Crops

Auburn, Ala., Jan. 12—Caution in the production of truck crops by southern farmers is advised by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and economists of 11 state colleges of agriculture the Alabama Polytechnic Institute of Auburn being included. Danger of over-expansion is foreseen.

"Although in recent years," said the statement, "the market for vegetables and miscellaneous perishables has been expanded to the full twelve months, the supply of these commodities appears to have kept steadily ahead of the consumer demand. During a period of steadily mounting acreage, the growers have gradually encountered a falling off in average returns per acre.

"This has necessitated close watch over production costs. particularly in the last five or six years. The grower of commercial truck crops in 1931 must expect to find a continuance of this upward trend in acreage with its attendant lowering of returns per acre.

"It therefore becomes increasingly necessary that he adopt every means of reducing unit costs of production and marketing."

This statement from Washington was part of a general statement on the present situation and outlook for southern agriculture in 1931.

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MOTHER OF GRADY BAKER, OF VERBENA DIED LAST SUNDAY

Mrs. Mary Anne Baker, age 82, pioneer resident of Eufaula, Alabama, died at a Eufaula infirmary early last Sunday morning. She is the mother of Grady Baker, a resident of Verbena, Alabama. Funeral services were held Sunday at Dowlings Funeral Home, Eufaula, with the Rev. R. A. Moody, officiating. The deceased was the widow of the late James Baker, Confederate veteran.

Billingsley News

Those who attended the District Sunday School Convention at Evergreen church Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Patrick, Mr. James Bentley and Miss Mabel King.

The many friends of Mrs. John Wonder sympathize with her in the death of her husband. Mr. Wonder died at the Druid City Hospital in Tuscaloosa Saturday afternoon. The funeral was held in Tuscaloosa Sunday, conducted by Dr. Boyd, pastor of the First Presbyterian church. The church of which Mr. and Mrs. Wonder were members. The body was brought here Monday and interred at the cemetery Monday afternoon at two o'clock. Foster Undertakers were in charge.

Mrs. Wonder is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar

Mrs Craft and Mr. Davis of Birmingham attended the funeral of Mr. Wonder here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Lowe, Mrs. Ed Bruce and Mrs. Annie Thacker of Clanton attended the funeral of Mr. Wonder Monday.

Mrs. A. J. Marlar spent the week end in Clanton with relatives.

Mrs. R. A. Williams of Montgomery and Mrs. Willis Lawrence of Eoline attended the funeral of Mr. Wonder on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. N. Carter, Mrs. Ralph Upton and Mrs. J. C. Hughes spent Thursday in Clanton

Rev. A. S. Bentley continues quite ill with the flu.

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MT. PLEASANT WINS OVER COLLINS CHAPEL JR. HIGH

The Mt. Pleasant junior high basket ball team won a rather one-sided victory from the Collins Chapel boys last Friday, 26 to 10 being the final count.

The Chapel boys played hard and earnestly, but their passwork and defensive play was not strong enough to cope with the Mt. Pleasant boys.

Both teams committed several fouls each, but fortunately no player was eliminated.

Curtis Traywick was high-point man for Mt. Pleasant, netting the ball for 17 points. Littlejohn, the husky center for the winners was successful in getting most of the tip-offs. He looped the ball twice for 4 points. Burnett, Parker, and Cecil Traywick worked great together in forming the defense. Collins Chapel scored two points in the first half.

R. Bean, H. Bean, C. Smith and Davis were the scorers for the Chapel team.

Mt. Pleasant plays Stanton Junior High next Friday, January 16th, on the Mt. Pleasant court. This game promises to be a thriller, for both teams are equal in size and this being their first game against each other, they are anxious to get credit for the first victory. Everyone is invited to see it.

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Collins Chapel News

The following names appeared on the Honor Roll for December: Fist Grade: Grady Collins, Eason Maddox, Calvin Mims, Helen Hubbard, Olene Shaneyfelt and Leara Patterson.

Third Grade: Austin Gore, Maxine Mims, Hilda Bussey and Violet Bice.

Fifth Grade: Horace Bean, Jack Benson, Lessie Davis, Zalia Hall and Alpha Plier.

Sixth Grade: James Smith, Margaret Bean and Vera Burnett.

Junior I: Francis Gore.

Junior II: Huston Littleton, Katherine Bates, Lera Burnett, Lurline Cayton and Ruby Willis.

Junior III: Ruth Collins, Dorothy Littleton and Edna Gore.

If the weather permits the men to get the Collins Chapel church completed by Sunday there will be preaching here. Everyone has a special invitation to attend these services. Also the United Singing Society will sing here in the afternoon. Everyone has an invitation to attend.

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BENJAMIN C. GLASS DIED JAN. 8TH AT HIS HOME NEAR HERE

Benjamin C. Glass. age 79, died at his home near here on Thursday, January 8th. Funeral services were held on the following Thursday, interment taking place in the Robinson Cemetery with Martin of Clanton in harge.

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"What is your brother in college?"
"A halfback."
"I mean in studies."
"Oh, in studies he's away back."

SUPT. EDUCATION WRITES TO REPRESENTATIVE PITTS ON SCHOOL APPROPRIATIONS

Below the News publishes a letter from B. Lawrence to Percy M. Pitts, in regard to the appropriations for educational purposes in the state. The letter is self explanatory, and is as follows:

January 10, 1931.

Hon. Percy M. Pitts,
Clanton, Alabama,

Dear Sir:

Complying with a promise made to you in a conversation yesterday, I am writing to give you the following figures about the appropriations for educational purposes as found in House Bill 318 of the Legislature of 1927. The figures given show the enrollment in the different institutions of higher learning as found on page 214 of the annual report of 1929 and for rural education on page 188 of the same report.

The enrollment referred to above is for the year 1929 and reveals the following facts:

Florence had an enrollment of 2,677 and received a total appropriation for the quadrennium just closing of increased funds of $440,000 which gives a per capita of $164.36.

Jacksonville had enrolled 2,401 students with an appropriation of $440,000 which gives a per capita for the quadrennium just closing of $183.25.

Livingston had an enrollment of 1,078 with a total appropriation of $440,000 and a per capita of $408.16.

Troy had 2,072 with an appropriation of $540,000 and a per capita of $260.61.

Alabama College had en enrollment of 2,083 with a total appropriation of $1,383,495.09 and a per capita of $664.08.

The University had an enrollment of 8,055 with an appropriation of $2,138,923.12 and a per capita of $265.53.

The enrollment shown above is for all extension students or any other who had any sort of claim as being a student of the institution. The appropriations as stated above are the total appropriations for the quadrennium just closing and constitute extra monies over and above any they had previous to 1927.

Common schools, including high schools and cities, had enrolled 638,358 with an appropriation of $9,231,200 which gives them a per capita for the quadrennium of $14.46.

I am sure the above figures are sufficient to convince anyone that the common schools have not been taken care of on a basis with the higher institutions of learning. I wish it understood that I have no ill will toward the higher institutions of learning. I am happy that the State of Alabama saw fit to put into operation such a splendid system, but I am humiliated by the figures above and feel that it is only just and fair that the common schools be provided for in a better way.

I appreciate your interest in the common schools and asure you that I will appreciate, on behalf of the children of this great state of ours, anything you may be able to do, not for me, but for the children of the state in the Legislature which is about to convene.

Respectfully yours,
B. LAWRENCE.
County Supt. Education.

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"When is your wife coming back?"
"I don't know. She is taking part in a vacation marathon!"

CHILTON WINS SECOND GAME FROM ISABELLA HIGH SCHOOL

The basketball team of the local high school won its second straight victory over the Isabella team on Wednesday afternoon of last week. when they met on the court of the Isabella school, just west of Clanton. The game ended with a score of 17 to 14.

On Wednesday afternoon, January 21, the local boys will go to Calera where they will meet the Centreville High School team. All local fans who can are urged to go to Calera with the Clanton boys, and help them bring home another victory.

DENNIS URGES FARMERS TO ATTEND MEETING TUESDAY

Below is a letter from J. N. Dennis, well known and successful farmer of Chilton County, who is urging all farmers to attend the meeting in Clanton next Tuesday:

This is to appeal to all farmers that are not satisfied with the results received this year to attend the meeting to be held at the courthouse on Tuesday, January 20th, 1931.

I hope that every farmer and business man that possibly can will attend this meeting and help suggest better plans for the year 1931 than we have usd in years gone by.

We all realize that we need better planning and many changes in our farming methods in order to meet present low prices and lack of demand for cotton, our present money crop.

If you need suggestions, come; if you have worthwhile suggestions you are requested to come and let's all work together for better conditions in our county.

J. N. DENNIS.

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TO MY GOOD FRIENDS

Of all the great surprises I have ever had in my life. here is one that beats them all. The radio that my Good Friends gave me last week. Something that I will never forget if I live a thousand years. And so I take this way of thanking all my Good and Thoughtful Friends for such a wonderful gift, so appreciable that even words in the dictionary can not express how much I have and will enjoy it. I would like to thank each one who helped contribute individually, but the doctor's orders keep me home so I would be glad for everyone to come out and enjoy the radio with me. And as I tune in I will think of each one of you Good Friends and what your thoughtfulness has brought and meant to me. I especially want to thank Mr. Edward Howard who has taken so much of his valuable time installing and seeing that the machine was in perfect shape. He is certainly a real radio expert.

—Robert C. Carlson, Thorsby, Ala.

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SCHOOL FEES ARE LEGAL SAYS SUPREME COURT

Supreme Court Overrules McCall, Who Said Charge Was Unconstitutional

Montgomtry, Ala., Jan. 16—Requirement and collection by County and City Boards of Education in Alabama, of a matriculation fee and incidental fees to be paid for each semester by pupils in accredited high schools, is not violative of the Constitution of the State, the Alabama Supreme Court held in a decision announced yesterday, in the test case of T. W. Vincent vs. the County Board of Education, appealed from the Circuit Court of Talladega County. Validity of sections 467 and 182 of the School Code, which were under attack, was upheld.

The decision overrules opinion by the Attorney General's office handed down some time ago, making an opposite ruling. This opinion caused considerable anxiety in educational circles throughout the State, as the fees in the controversy, form a substantial part of public education funds available in all counties during each school year, and it was feared the shrinkage in finances resulting from elimination of this source of additional income, would result in some counties, in materially shortening school terms.

The test suit which was finally decided yesterday was the outgrowth of the opinion referred to, as educators generally, wanted the question determined by the State's highest tribunal as soon as possible. It is understood that the Alabama Educational Association had postponed recommendation as to needed general educational appropriations, until the question raised as to the fees had been definitely settled.

The test case represents action brought by the Talladega County Board of Education against T. W. Vincent, to collect from him $8, alleged to be due as incidental and matriculation fees for the attendance of his two minor children at the high school in Lincoln, the board of trustees of the school and the County Board of Education having determined upon and fixed these fees, amounting to $4 in each instance. Vinson declined to make payment, on the ground that no such charges of fees could be made in the public schools of Alabama, and that those sections of the School Code providing for the fees, was unconstitutional, maintaining that the Constitution requires that public schools shall be free schools. Decision went against him in the trial court, however, where judgment was rendered in favor of the Board of Education for the $8 sought to be recovered. Vincent then appealed. Yesterday the high court affirmed the lower court's action.

In the opinion of the Supreme Court, which was written by Justice A. D. Sayre, the bringing into question on appeal, of the constitutionality of Section 467 of the Alabama School Code, which is quoted as follows: "Matriculation fees may be charged. A matriculation fee may be collected for each semester from all pupils in accredited high schools, including county high schools, the amount of such fee to be determined by the county board of education or the city board of education as the case may be, and the proceeds of such fee shall be expended under the direction of the county board of education or the city board of education as the case may be. A reasonable fee for library, laboratory and shop work may be required, the amount of such fee to be determined by the county board of education or the city board of education as the case may be."

INFANT SON OF MR. AND MRS. WILLIE HAYES DIED THURSDAY

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hayes of the Macedonia Community died last Thursday at their home.

Funeral services were held that afternoon at Macedonia with the Rev. B. Lawrence officiating. Interment in the Macedonia cemetery. The News extends sympathy to this bereaved young couple.

MONROE ATCHISON DIED LAST FRIDAY IN MACEDONIA COM.

Monroe Atchison died last Friday morning at three o'clock at his home in the Macedonia Community. Funeral services were held the same afternoon at Macedonia, with Rev. B. Lawrence officiating. Interment followed in the Macedonia cemetery.

Surviving is the widow, and three children.

DeMABEL'S BEAUTY SHOPPE PUTS IN NEW DRYING OUTFIT

Keeping in step with progress, the DeMabel's Beauty Shoppe of Clanton has recently installed a modern hair drying machine.

This machine, electrically operated, is especially designed for drying women's hair, and for finger waves, saving much time in this process. Heretofore Miss Mabel Howard, operator, stated, it took approximately thirty minutes to dry a finger wave by the old method, wheer now with this new machine, this process can be completed within approximately fifteen minutes, saving much time for the customer as well as the operator.

EX-RESIDENTS OF CHILTON FORM ORGANIZATION

Chiltonians Now Residing In Birmingham Will Have Regular Meetings

Last Friday night marked the beginning of what will no doubt prove to be a growing organization, when former residents of Chilton County, now residing in Birmingham met for the purpose of organizing what is to be called the Chilton County Association.

The first meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Mabel Jones West, 219 South Hawkins Street, West End, Birmingham, last Friday night and approximately sixty persons were there to take part in this social get-together for all former residents of this county now in the Birmingham district.

Officers of the association were elected including J. Leonard Harris, President; William J. Mims, vice-president; G. H. Jones, sercetary-treasurer; Sergt. Kicker, membership chairman; Mrs. Mabel Jones West, chairman of program committee, and the Rev. H. G. Williams, Chaplain. The new officers will meet in the very near future to make plans for more meetings for the entir association. One of the features of the recent meeting was a musical program by Asa Collins, Forerst Wood, William J. Mims and Leonard Harris.

It was stated that it will be advised when and where the next meeting of the organization will be held and those who now reside in this county are extended a cordial invitation to attend these meetings, where almost all former Chiltonians in the Birmingham district will be present. Programs will be arranged and a pleasant time assured everyone. Anyone desiring further information in regard to this are requested to get in touch with Mrs. Mabel Jones West, at the address given above, or at the headquarters of the Alabama Woman's Democratic Club, at the Tutwiler Hotel. It is expected that the membership in this organization will grow as fast as those form Chilton residents in Birmingham learn of its existence.

EDUCATORS HOPE TO DROP SCHOOL FEE EVENTUALLY

Dr. A. F. Harman, state superintendent of education stated yesterday following receipt of the opinion stated that it had been conservatively estimated that $750,000 annually is derivable from incidental and matriculation fees for public school purposes and failure to collect this amount this year would have seriously curtailed the public school program. The abolition of fees, however, is a goal earnestly sought by the educators of the state, he stated.

"The decision of the court leaves no doubt whatever as to the authority of boards of education to levy and collect both incidental and matriculation fees," he said. "It is clearly my duty as State Superintendent of Education to inform and instruct school authorities accordingly. This I will do immediately.

"Although the court has, by its decision authorized the levying and collecting of such fees, I adhere no less strongly to the conviction expressed immediately following the announcement of the attorney general's opinion, namely, that his opinion was in full conformity with sound Democratic administration of public education. I will, therefore, call the situation with reference to these fees to the attention of the incoming Governor and to the legislature of the state with the earnest recommendation that every possible effort be made to remove the necessity for collecting fees of any kind in the public schools.

It is needless to say also, that in view of the present economic situation I will advise school authorities to exercise their legal powers in the matter with discretion, fairness and moderation.

Fiddlers To Convene At Thomas Jr. High

Announcement has been made this week that a Fiddlers Convention will be held at the Thomas Junior High School, just south of Clanton, on Friday night, January 30th. This entertainment is scheduled to begin at seven-thirty o'clock.

All musicians are invited to come and take part in the contests. Competent judges will award some very valuable prizes to the winners of these contests. There will be an admission fee of ten and twenty cents, to those who do not take part in the contests. Proceeds from this go to the Parent-Teacher's Association.

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Misses Polly Collins and Lola Martin of Thorsby were visitors to Clanton Tuesday morning.

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B. W. Tyus of Clanton Route Six was a visitor to Clanton Monday afternoon.

KIWANIS CLUB TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Local Club Will Also Have Special Ladies Night Here Tonight

Marking down their third year of activities and service in Clanton and Chilton County, the Clanton Kiwanis Club will observe its third birthday at a specially arranged meeting at the Baptist church tonight at seven o'clock, according to an announcement from J. Mell Martin, president of the club and W. Mack Wyatt, chairman of the program committee.

In connection with this birthday celebration, a Ladies Night has also been planned. Each member of the local club will have as his guest his wife, or some friend. This meeting Thursday night will take the place of the regular luncheon at noon today.

A special program of music and other features has been arranged for this meeting by the program committee. The program will include an address by W. M. Wyatt to the club.

At the recent meeting of the club, reports were heard from the various committees, and indications are that a very active year is in store for the local club. These reports were in the form of plans of the committees of their objectives for this year.

MUSIC INSTRUCTOR IN CLANTON TO ARRANGE, MUSIC CLASSES

An announcement was made from the high school here Tuesday that Miss Annie Lou Burns, of Selma was to arrive in Clanton this week to give a demonstration of her music instructing before an audience at the high school.

This demonstration was given in the auditorium yesterday morning., Miss Burns having with her several of her pupils from Selma.

Miss Burns is a distinguished musician of Selma, and plans to give lessons in Clanton on the violin, banjo, Hawaiian guitar, saxophone and cornet, making a charge of fifty cents per lesson, once each week, leaving with the pupil enough material for him to work on until her return.

COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION WILL MEET HERE TOMORROW

The Chilton County Board of Education will be called to meet at the office of the Superintendent here tomorrow morning, according to information from that office this week. This meeting will be held in the place of the regular schedule of last Friday.

Play Will Be Staged At Pleasant Hill Church

One of those Manhattan honeymoon comedy-dramas has been scheduled to be staged at the Pleasant Hill church, near Indian Grave, on Saturday night, January 24th. This play will be in three fun provoking acts, and will last approximately two hours. Those who will take part in this presentation are:

Papa Cohen, of Delicatessen fame, Monroe Jones; Mamma Cohen, business woman, Etta B. Jones; Reba Cohen, her daughter, Everee Coggins; Annie, the bank, Lucille Bowles; Rex Reed, a young husband, Forest Jones; Gypsy Nash Reed, his wife, Elsie Lee Parker; Jimmie O'Rourge, Grocery boy, Richard Adams; Sammy Gonorwsky, a fillum shorter, Johnnie Limbrick; Mrs. Sybil Nash, Gypsy's mother, Roberta DeRamus; John Reed, Rex's father, Dalton Coggins.

Also we will have a negro sermon delivered by Bro. Culp. Admisison 10c and 20c.

BLACK ANSWERS HEFLIN'S CRY OF ELECTION FRAUD

Alabama's Junior Sen. Comes To The Defense of His State's Honesty

Senator J. Thomas Heflin charged on the floor of the Senate last Thursday, in Washington, that the election in Alabama last November was stolen from him. He was immediately answered by Senator Hugo Black, who at that time informed the Senate that the election was fairly conducted and the returns honest.

This is reported as to be the first exchange of words between these two Alabama Senators in public, and came at the close of an afternoon during which much time had been occupied by Senator Heflin in denouncing John J. Raskob, chairman of the Democratic National Committee.

Senator Hugo Black campaigned throughout Alabama in the recent campaign, for the regular Democratic ticket, urging party regularity and pleading against the Independent-Republican coalition, but is said not to have mentioned Senator Heflin's name while on the stump, and last Thursday in the Clash between him and Heflin he did not mince words in defending the honesty of Alabama in the election. Senator Black defended the election as being fair and said the State will welcome, and invites investigation.

After denouncing Tammany and Raskob, Heflin told the Senate that he was elected by a 100,000 majority, "but they stole the election from me."

J. D. STRAITON AND G. E. JACKS OPEN FURNITURE REPAIR SHOP

Clanton has another furniture repair shop, located just beyond the Wade Ice Plant, on the railroad. This place is operated by J. D. Straiton and G. E. Jacks, both of whom are experienced carpenters and cabinet makers.

Mr. Straiton has had many years experience along this line of work and is showing this by some of the splendid work he and Mr. Jacks are turning out in cedar chests, desks, tables, etc.

Mr. Jacks, who is well known thruout this county is known for his ability as a carpenter and cabinet maker. This concern will be known as the Clanton Novelty Shop, doing work such as gumming saws, repairing and rebuilding furniture, making screen windows and doors, etc. They stated they would be glad to have anyone call to see them and their work.

RECORD CROWD IN CLANTON FOR FARMERS MEETING

What is said to have been a record-breaking crowd came to Clanton Tuesday to attend the farmers meeting at the courthouse. Due to the size of the crowd it was found necessary to hold two separate meetings, in order that all those coming here to attend the meeting would be given an opportunity to hear the splendid talks made, and an outline of the safe farming program for 1931.

Among the out-of-town speakers at this meeting were Emmett Sizemore, district county agent, from Auburn and F. W. Burns, livestock specialist. These men clearly stated suggestions and recommendations to the vast crowd of farmers and their wives, of a safe farming program in the future, and comments coming from responsiblie farmers of this county, following this meeting, indicated that they felt much relieved over the farm problems that might be facing them at present, and that without a doubt, will plan a definite program for this year on their farms.

The suggestions and recommendations made at the meeting Tuesday will be mailed to every boxholder in the county right away, it was learned from the office of the county agent, following the meeting.

PROMINENT VISITORS HERE RECENTLY FROM NASHVILLE

Clanton and the local headquarters of the Alaabma Conference of Seventh Day Adventists were hosts to Bishop N. S. Ashland, the Rev. L. E. Lyfinger and Burton Castle, of Nashville, Tenn., last Monday. Bishop Ashland is president of the Southern Union Conference of Seventh Day Adventists. The Rev. Lyfinger is president of the Tennessee River Conference, and Mr. Castle is secretary-treasurer of the Southern Union Conference.

This party left Monday afternoon following a conference meeting here, for Jackson, Miss., accompanied by Elder A. B. Russell of this place.

PRODUCTION OF ALA. COAL IS GIVEN IN REPORT

Report Shows Shortage During Past Few Years Of Coal Consumption

Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 21—Alabama's coal production during 1930 will approximate 14,600,000 tons according to preliminary surveys released this week by the Alabama Mining Institute, representing all the coal producers of the State.

The estimated 1930 tonnage is 3,900,000 tons below that of 1929 and 6,900,000 below the peak year of 1926 when the tonnage mined in Alabama reached 21,500,000 tons.

Reduction in the coal tonnage during 1930 under 1926 has brought a loss to the state in the payrolls of the coal industry which are spent by miners for farm products, clothing and the like of about $14,500,000. It is pointed out in the preliminary survey that during most of 1930 mines throughout the coal producing sections have been operating only one to three days a week.

In addition to the decrease in payrolls released by the coal industry there has been a further substantial decline in funds expended by the industry for operating mine supplies and for materials required for improvement purposes.

Car loadings of the coal industry in 1930 declined 25 per cent over normal years, reaching only 199,000 cars as compared with 265,000 cars a normal year.

It is estimated that the loss in revenues to Alaabma railroads over a normal year from the shrinkage in coal tonnage during 1930 has aggregated over $4,500,000.

In face of the decline in tonnage, accident prevention work has been increased with the result that there were fewer accidents in Alabama mines last year than in many years preceding.

LOCAL FIRE DEPARTMENT THANKS VERBENA RESIDENTS

Loren Smith, Chief of the Local Volunteer Fire Department stated this week that the department wished to express its apprciation for the liberal cash gift from residents of Verbena, Alabama.

This gift was sent to the local fire fighters after their trip to Verbena and efforts there to prevent fire from spreading when the old Baldwin Home was destroyed by fire.

Those residents of Verbena who contributed freely to this gift to the Clanton Fire Department are as follows: S. L. Gibson, S. D. Williams, Howard Garage, Gulledge Brothers, W. H. Strock, Dr. C. S. Strock, D. I. DeRamus, T. B. DeRamus, H. T. Williams, C. E. Gulledge, C. D. Hughes, Dr. Eiland and H. B. Oliver.

MR. AND MRS. MOORE OPERATING FORMER WATKINS CAFE

The popular eating place formerly known as the Watkins Cafe, located on Sixth Street, just south of the courthouse will in the future be operated by Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore have for some time been operating lunch rooms and have acquired quite a bit of experience in this line. They are well known in this section and will be welcomed back to Clanton by their many friends.

PAY YOUR POLL TAX BEFORE FEBRUARY FIRST

According to the law, February 1st, is the limit for which poll taxes can be paid in this county. All who intend paying their poll tax, should do so at once, as the time is almost up.

THRIFT SHOWS IN INAUGURATION OF GOV. MILLER

Fortieth Executive Enters On Greatest Chapter Of His Varied Life Story

The usual long and magnificent parade that is connected with inaugurations of executives was set aside, and pomp and splendor were sans at the inauguration of Benjamin M. Miller as Governor of the State of Alabama last Monday, showing his desire to carry out his victorious campaign promise of economy at the beginning.

Although Gov. Miller preferred this simple way of going through these ceremonies, a holiday-loving populace would not be denied such an event without color, and from early morn Dexter Avenue in Montgomery, the broad thoroughfare, was crowded with pilgrims, and as the two cars bearing the incoming governor and the retiring governor and their military aides, the crowd managed to break through the line of policemen and Boy Scouts, leaving only a narrow path for the automobiles to make their way to the capitol

The car bearing the retiring executive, Bibb Graves, and the new executive, B. M. Miller, was driven by John (Hurry) Cain, football hero of the University of Alabama. Governor Miller continuously lifted his hat to the cheering throng.

Judge Miller became Gov. Miller standing on the historic spot of the portico of the capitol where Jefferson Davis took the oath of office as president of the Southern Confederacy. The same Bible that was used in 1853, and by Alabama governors since then was also used in administering the oath of office to Gov. Miller by Chief Justice John C. Anderson.

There weer three former governors present to witness this ceremony. They were Charles P. Henderson, Thomas E. Kilby, and W. W. Brandon. Following the inaugural ceremonies, the new governor was escorted to the Whitley Hotel in Montgomery where he was guest of honor at a luncheon given by the original "Miller for Governor Club." The new executive of Alabama is now 66 years old. At the death of his father while Gov. Miller was quite young, he entered a country print shop to help support his family, and later became a clerk in a general store.

Inaugurated with Governor Miller was Lieut--Gov. Hugh D. Merrill of Anniston succeeding W. C. Davis of Jasper.

Other officials elected in the same voting and who took office Monday include Justices A. D. Sayre and Virgil Bouldin, reelected to the Supreme Court; Attorney General Thomas E. Knight, Jr.; Secretary of State, Pete B. Jarman, Jr., State Treasurer S. H. Blan; State Auditor John Brandon, State Superintendent of Education A. F. Harman, Commissioner of Agriculture and Industries Seth P. Storrs, Associate Commissioners Frank P. Morgan and Fitzhugh Lee, of the Alabama Public Service Commission, reelected, and Commissioner of Game and Fisheries I. T. Quinn, reelected.

Gov. Miller was waiting the twelfth hour before announcing any of his appointments, which include several important positions, such as adjutant-general and membership on the State Highway and Dock Commissions.

Gov. Graves said he would leave Tuesday for Baldwin County for an indefinite period of resting, hunting and fishing, after which he would go to Florida for a while.

Lieut-Gov. Davis will resume the practice of law at Jasper. Attorney General McCall will become an assistant in the attorney general's office.

Although the Legislature is in temporary recess until noon Tuesday, practically every member of the two houses was on hand to attend the inaugural.

Reports Monday were that Gov.-Elect Miller may not deliver his message to the Legislature for several days, preferring to defer his final conclusions and recommendations until he has completely assumed the reigns of governnment.

In such an event, legislators will have to content themselves with the declarations of the inaugural address as a guide to immediate administrative legislation.

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J. W. Maddox, prominent farmer of north of Clanton, was in Clanton on business last Monday. While in town he called at the News office.

W. L. Lenoir, one of Chilton County's progressive farmers living in the Mulberry Community was in town last Tuesday.

At All IGA Stores

A Few of Our Week End Specials---Zone 2

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DRIED BEEF, Wafer Sliced — Large Jar		23c
STRING BEANS Sumter, Southern Pack	2 Large Cans	25c
MACARONI or SPAGHETTI I. G. A.	2 7-OZ. PKGS.	14c
TOMATO SOUP I. G. A.	2 CANS	15c
TOMATO SAUCE Spanish Style—Fine on Macaroni or Spaghetti	2 CANS	15c
MIXED VEGETABLES Sliced Beets, or Diced Carrots, I.G.A. Fancy	2 Large Cans	29c
COFFEE "I" BLEND Always Fresh	Lb. Pkg.	35c
COFFEE "G" BLEND Always Fresh	Lb. Pkg.	28c
COFFEE "A" BLEND Always Fresh	Lb. Pkg.	23c
LUX FLAKES	PKG.	10c
MATCHES, I.G.A. Everyone Strikes — 3 5c pkgs		9c
PURE COCOA I. G. A.	POUND CAN	19c
PICNIC HAMS, Sunlight Shankless	Pound	17c
BUTTER Sunlight Finest Creamery	POUND	32c
HONEY POD PEAS Stokely's Finest—Exceptional Value	2 Large Cans	43c
SLICED BACON, Sunlight Rindless	Pound	29c
IRISH POTATOES No. 1 Colorados	5 LBS.	17c
BARTLETT PEARS Dessert Peaches or Ripe Apricots — I. G. A. Fancy	3 Tall Cans	43c
ICEBERG LETTUCE, Fine Heads	Each	10c
FLORIDA GRAPE FRUIT Large Size	2 FOR	15c
FLOUR I. G. A. Plain or Self Rising	24-LB. BAGS	$1.10
FLOUR Duchess Self Rising or Columbia Plain	24-LB. BAGS	81c

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THE BEST TEMPERATURE

By Dr. Christmas Seal

"You should keep your living room at 68 to 70 degrees if you would be well" says the Alabama Tuberculosis Association. This is worth serious thought coming from such a source, because we know that the Association does much for health education. They wish to keep the tuberculosis rate down and believe it will stay down better if we do not have so many coughs and colds. Sixty-eight degrees is ordinary room temperature, or 70 degrees when sitting quietly at rest.

Dr. Christmas Seal reminds you that to enjoy a moderate temperature the air of your room should have proper moisture. In dry heat the arid atmosphere is stealing moisture from your body and this may give a chilling sensation. One way to get the air moist is to keep a window open sufficiently to allow outdoor air to circulate freely through the room.

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Akerson's Successor?

Ashmun Brown, Washington correspondent of the Providence Journal, who is thought the likeliest selection as Secretary to the President.

Four Years Ago

From Issue of January 27, 1927

A colored helper, Lee Oden, employed by the Ford Motor Company was caught last Friday in the act of stealing some of the parts from the shop. He was given three months on the streets.

Sheriff Dudley Collins has selected Will Culp and G. W. Murrah as his deputies.

Mr. C. A. Patillo of Billingsley was in Clanton on business last Tuesday.

Mr. Leo Finklestein of Montgomery spent Monday in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Lande and family spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Margolis in Montgomery.

Mr. T. C. Gandy of Clanton Route 7 was a visitor to Clanton last Saturday.

Dr. S. C. Wood, formerly of Thorsby, has moved his office to Clanton.

W. T. Hand of Jemison was a visitor to Clanton last Saturday.

FARMERS OF STATE POOL 178,999 BALES

For cooperative marketing Alabama farmers have pooled with the Alabama Farm Bureau Cotton Association twice as many bales as they pooled at this time a year ago, and more than they have pooled in any previous year.

Figures released Tuesday by Allen Northington, secretary-manager of the association, show that poolings to date this year total 178,999 bales. This compares with 89,608 bales at this time in 1930. He expects delivery to pass 200,000 bales before the end of the season. Poolings for the 1929-30 season totaled 161,551 bales.

Alabama stands fourth in the amount of cotton pooled, being exceeded by Texas with 597,856 bales, Georgia with 225,430 bales, and Oklahoma with 209,699 bales. North Carolina is in fifth place with 169,667 bales.

Cotton pooled in the South is being sold through the American Cotton Cooperative Association, set up in 1929 with the help of the Federal Farm Board. Deliveries to this association from all the state associations to date total 1,975,445 bales.

This is more than twice as much cotton as was pooled in the South last season.

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MAIN STREET LOOKS AT BROADWAY

BY ERNEST CAMP JR.

New York.—A Farewell to Broadway:

Goody-by, you gaudy circus
Of splendor, lies, and lights—
A merry mask for heartbreak—
Of gin and jazz and nights . . .
Farewell, you Painted Lady,
You and your hurrying pack.
I'll think of you occasionally—
And wish that I were back!

If Only—

George Bell (that wasn't his name) had been arrested on a criminal charge. After several months at liberty on bail, the grand jury heard the case. Bell went home to await their decision.

That was on Friday.

He waited—an eternity of mental agony—thru a sleepless Friday night. Through a long, long Saturday. And the maddening, slow hours of Saturday night. When Sunday dawned he told himself he could stand the ordeal no longer. He shot himself. That night, in a hospital, he died.

Meanwhile, down at the postoffice, a letter waited for him. It was just a brief note, signed by the prosecuting attorney. It informed—or was intended to inform—the accused man that the jury had failed to indict him. . . .

Relatively Speaking—

In this town of incurable wise-crackers, Professor Einstein, during his recent visit, showed that he is no back number himself.

Harrassed for a concise explanation of his Relativity Theory, he finally broke down as follows:

"If a man holds a good-looking girl in his lap for an hour it seems like a minute, but if he sits on a red hot stove for a minute it seems like an hour. That's relativity!"

Going Too Far—

Notwithstanding, there was no excuse for an incident that happened a few nights ago.

A friend, dropping in at my peagreen apartment, spied a humorous college magazine on a table.

"The Yellow Jacket," I said chestily. "Swell little mag. My brother is one of the editors."

"Hip-hooray!" the smartest exclaimed. "At last—a writer in the family!"

Help!—

A little group of Serious Drinkers were in argument. The conversation turned philisophical.

"All right," hiccuped one of the stews addressing a newspaper man next to him, "—all right, what have YOU done for the world?"

"Me?" came the instant rejoinder. "Why, I sold advertising for The World."

The Height of Something—

Every small boy, at some stage of his career, has a consuming ambition to become a cowboy. Later, his ambition is to be a railroad engineer. But my great, Suppressed Desire was different. I wanted to ride through the streets of Monroe, Georgia, in clown costume, playing "Sweet Rosie O'Grady" on a steam calliope.

Maybe I missed my calling. All who agree with me please signify by—no, never mind.

Lions 'n' Taggers—

New York recently witnessed for the first time a complete circus presented on a theatre stage. The Jolson theatre, in 7th avenue, was remodeled for the event, the stage being enlarged and the floor braced to support the weight of elephants, et cetera.

But something was lacking. There was no big, mysterious tent pitched on the vacant lot down by the water-works . . . No exciting street parade, headed by a bellowing calliope. . . . no rumble or red-and-gilt cages seething with ferocious lions and wildcats. . . No sawdust, balloons, red lemonade . . . No "Stell—She Eats 'Em Alive!"

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A diamond ring she lost two years ago was recovered when an old bird's nest near Mrs. James Strong's home in New Orleans was blown down.

Reuben Diamondsen of Baltimore was fined $300 for smuggling liquor in cases containing "holy earth imported from Jerusalem for funerals."

Because of an error in reading a notice sent to him, Prof. Samuel L. Barber of Australia arrived in London a year ahead of time for a scientific convention.

Mrs. Albert Wright of St. Louis had her husband arrested for putting poison in a tart he gave her, but a chemical analysis showed that the tart was only poorly cooked.

After six bottles of home brew that was evidence against Wm. Kitok blew up in the police station at Evanston, Ill., Kitok walked out of jail a free man.

To pay an election bet, Albert Crockett was forced to push a wheelbarrow loaded with coal from his home town of Peoria to Chicago, a distance of 175 miles.

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! HIGH SCHOOL NEWS !

Pupils Who Were Exempted On Semester Examinations

The following students were exempt from mid-term examinations which were given on Thursday and Friday of last week. This honor requires that the student make an average of ninety per cent for the entire first semester.

Two students were exempt on all subjects: Joe Hall Johnson, and Jane Roberts. These two pupils were also allowed to carry five subjects which is the maximum allowed in any school.

The following were exempt on three subjects: Esther Lee Dennis, Ruth Maddox, Sallie Mahan, Eloise Raspberry, Myrtle Robinson, Dorothy Sessions, and Ethel Wilkerson.

Those exempt on two subjects are Viola Mae Carroll, Sarah Green, Herman Harris, Mary Heard, Eloise Jones, Elizabeth Stanley, Mae Vinson.

Those exempt on one subject were Wade Alford, Doris Aldridge, Gertie Mae Brand, Pearl Glenn, Flora Jones, Margaret Johnston, Dixie Johnson, Lois Miller, Dewey Williams, Faye Petty, Dorothy McKinnon, Mary Nell Jones, J. C. Massey, Willie Maude Kelley, Milton Diefenderfer, Jack Gillespie, Harriett Esco, Mildred Wilkinson, Elizabeth Lawrence and Allie Pearl Kelley.

This may seem a rather large list of exemptions, but in comparison to the number of students enrolled in school, the percetnage is small.

Basket Ball Activities

On account of not having an indoor court at Clanton, there will not be any night games here.

The team has had remarkable success so far. They have defeated Isabella twice, and Holtville high school one time. Beginning with this week, two games will be played each week until the day of the tournament at Tuscaloosa.

Senior Class Carries Out Robert E. Lee Program At Assembly

The Seniors entertained the school at chapel by giving a program honoring the birthday of Robert E. Lee. This program was very fitting, and portrayed the life and character of the man. Those on the program were as follows: Homer Carroll, John Lawrence, Jack Coker, Paul Cox, Frank McMurray, Joe Earl Gowan, Edwin Wagoner, Mary Haerd, Berniece Wililams, and Virgie Giles.

The exercises were enlightening aud made everyone realize that they should honor the name of such a noble character.

Mr. Warr Takes Senior Class To See Inauguration of Governor

The Senior III Class helped make real history last Monday when they witnessed the inauguration of Mr. Miller. Each one enjoyed the day very much. Mr. Warr carried them through the various rooms, various departments of the Capitol which was very instructive to all.

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Elmer Rood of Quincy, Ill., was arrested and fined $200 because he called his wife by telephone and said rough things to her.

A Clanton Resident
J. A. HESTER
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News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

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Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Foss went to Birmingham Sunday afternoon planning to stay until Monday afternoon.

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Miss Naemi Turnquist has accepted a position in the Selma National Bank and starts her work Tuesday of this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pate spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard.

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Mrs. Arthur Villadsen and children are visiting Mrs. Villadsen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

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The students of the Thorsby Junior High School earned $11.20 by sale of buttons labelled "Others" for the community chest. Mrs. Deason's room sold the most and will be rewarded by a half holiday and picnic Friday afternoon.

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Mr. Orville Freeman and Guy Higgins are building a sport model Heath aeroplane equipped with a Heath Henderson motor. We hope they have a success so that we may have an opportunity to go up.

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The Thorsby Institute has been favored with two new students since the Christmas holidays. They are Mr. Hal Broadhead of Clanton, and Mr. Fred Boyd of Dothan, Ala.

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Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald spent Tuesday in Clanton visiting her son, Mr. Lawrence Gerald.

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Mrs. L. E. Thornburg has joined her husband who is very ill in Birmingham. Conway, their son, is now residing at the Boy's Dormitory.

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Mrs. Frank Thompson has been suffering for several days with a severe cold. She is better now.

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Mr. Alton Cox was a visitor in Thorsby Monday.

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Misses Lila and Essie Hester of Birmingham spent the week end with their sister, Mrs. Jim Collins.

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Mrs. S. C. Wood has been ill for the past few days, but is reported to be better at present.

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Mr. Claude Billingsley of Birmingham spent the week end with his family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pete Nixon and daughter, Rena, and Mr. M. D. Walker and Miss Rena Rutherford of Deatsville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L Walker Sunday.

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Mrs. Lee Pate and Mr. and Mrs. H L. Walker motored to Deatsville last Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray spent Sunday in Prattville visiting Mrs. Gray's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Franklin and little daughter, Peggy Mims, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Collins motored to Montgomery Sunday.

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Mrs. Rick Franklin and little daughter, Peggy Mims, spent Monday in Jemison visiting her mother.

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Mr. Luke Denton and Norville Hall of Birmingham spent the past week end with Mr. Gersham Lowery. These three compose the trio known as the 'Melody Pals.' They presented a concert at Stanton Friday night.

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Mr. Herbert Lowery of Ft. Worth, Texas, has been visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Lowery.

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On Saturday night, January 24, at 7:45 the Scottish Concert Company will give the second number of the Lyceum course in the Thorsby Institute Auditorium. The company will be dressed in kilts and will present folk songs, folk dances and comedy. Those who have seen this company in other places recommend it very highly. Single admission, 50c for adults; 35c for students in either the Public School or the Institute.

The company consists of three women and one man. Miss Mary McMahon, the most famous of all Scotch sopranos in America, starred with Sir Harry Lauder in his last New York City engagement in the Knickerbocker Theater in New York. Miss Louise Graham, Scottish Dancer, has won over 200 prizes for her dancing and best dressed Lady Highlander. She was solo dancer with Princess Pat's Band. Her dancing features include Highland Fling, Shean Trews, Irish Jig, Scotch Reel and others. Mr. Alec Kelvin is now one of America's best known Scotch comedians. He is a winner also in competitive bagpipe playing, and a well known figure for many years in the music halls of England and Scotland. Miss Doris S. Kimball, accompanist, is the fourth member of the group. In the last year and a half this quartet has filled more than three hundred engagements.

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Mr. and Mrs. Julius Smith and little son, Lamar, spent Sunday afternoon in Montgomery visiting Mr. Smith's brother.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goodgame and Mr. and Mrs. Webb Parrish and little daughter, Billy Ann, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Billingsley.

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Mrs. Webb Parrish and little daughter, Billy Ann, spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goodgame.

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Mrs. Bob Davenport is visiting her sister at Mulberry for about two weeks.

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The Ladies' Guild will meet at Mrs. Cris' Thursday afternoon.

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The Annual Church Supper and meeting for the election of church officers was held at the Congregational church last Wednesday evening at six o'clock The church year ended by the church being clear of all debts. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald, Clerk; Mr I. L. Mixon, Treasurer; Mr. Carl Petersen, Trustee; Mr. A. N. Laurell and Rev. E. W. Butler, Deacons; Mrs. Carl Peterson and Mrs. S. E. Norton, Deaconesses; Mrs. H. M. Gerald, Superintendent of Sunday School; Mrs. S. E. Norton, Superintendent of Primary Department; Ushers, Mr. R. L. Primm and Cecil Each, Jack Peterson and Jack Higgins.

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There will be Union Prayer meeting at the Baptist church Wednesday night. Everyone is invited.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bob Goodgame have moved in to the Webb Parrish house by the gin. They moved Monday.

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Mrs. Molly Childress is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Davis Cleckler, for an indefinite time.

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Miss Frances Wilson was the guest of Miss Gertrude Jones of Clanton for the past week.

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Mr. Jim Pate is adding a new room to his place commonly known as the Han house.

Circle No. 3 of the Woman's Missionary Society met with Mrs. Willis Tuesday afternoon and elected their officers for the ensuing year.

The quarterly meeting of the W.M.U. of the Chilton County Association will meet at the Baptist church at Thorsby on Thursday morning January 22 at ten o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jones spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. Jones' parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Jones.

Mrs. Hester Ann Merchant and Mrs. Bob Davenport paid a visit to Mrs. Holcomb who has been ill for several days.

Mr. Kenneth O'Barr has been visiting for the past week in Birmingham. He is viisting several of his relatives and expects to return Saturday.

Mr. Luther Whitley and wife and Mr. Earl Posey of Birmingham were visitors in Thorsby over the week end.

Mrs. J. L. Mixon and little daughter, have been ill for the past week.

Mrs. Mary Thompson of Clanton has been viisting her sons, Mr. Hugh and Dudley Thompson, for the past several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Gibbons carried their little son to a specialist in Birmingham. It has been suffering from eczema.

Mrs. Jewell Patterson spent Sunday with Mrs. Martin Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Self spent the week end visiting Mrs. Self's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peterson.

Mrs. P. P. Coggins has been suffering from effects of cold.

Miss Pauline Bean spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. Clyde Mead.

Mr. Sumner Gerald brought five of his pals from Birmingham Saturday and they spent the day hunting.

Mr. A. I. Collins has gone to get his wife and baby daughter, Sarah Virginia. They expect to return about the 28th.

Miss Roma Lee Pate and Miss Hilma Collins and Mr. Carlton Collins visited the aviation field at Clanton Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Gerald of Birmingham spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Robinson of Lay Dam spent Sunday with Mrs. Robinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison Collins.

Prof. Will Bean has been put in charge of the collection of funds for the Community Chest in Thorsby. He has appointed as his solicitors Miss Marion Fairbank, Mrs. R. B. Franklin and Mrs. Donald Merchant. The need is very great. Everyone is asked to contribute as much as they are able.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson entertained their cousins, Mr. Chester Rhodes of Eufaula, Ala., and Mr. Willie Rhodes of Detroit, Mich., over the week end.

Mrs. Grover Bice entertained at a Bridge Party Wednesday afternoon. The home was beautifully decorated with fern and carnations. After a series of games high score prize was awarded to Mrs. Jack Simms Ambrosia, cake and salad were served to: Mrs. Lee Pate, Mrs. C. M Gray, Mrs. Rick Franklin, Mrs. S. C. Wood, Mrs. Jack Simms, Miss Agnes Leary, Mrs. Frank Thompson and Mrs. Grover Bice.

Mr. Herschell and Russell Hayes who went to Missouri seeking work returned fruitless.

Mr. Luther Ward and Mr. Erchel Martin motored to Montgomry on business Tuesday.

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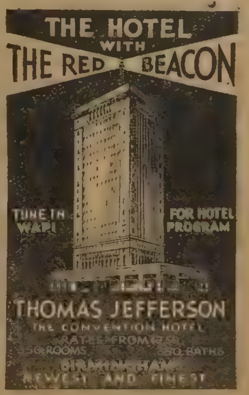

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Our New Governor

The man who became Governor of the Great State of Alabama Monday, has undoubtedly made a deep impression on those who make up this state of ours. That force of Judge B. M. Miller's character and his personality has left its impress on the mind of the public and his views on government as expressed during his campaign have had a strong popular appeal. An editorial appearing in The Montgomery Advertiser, from the able editor, Grover C. Hall, has the following to say concerning our new Governor:

"There is a certain quality of ruggedness about Judge Miller that marks him as a strong man, a quality of character that betokens honor and honesty, vigor and earnestness of purpose. There is a certain power in his personality indicative of ability and marked qualities of leadership. That is the impression that the generality of Alabamians have of their new governor.

"Judge Miller has long been known and esteemed by the people of Alabama. Through his participation in numerous state campaigns during his long political career he has been for many years an outstanding figure in public life. By his distinguished service on the bench, first as a circuit judge and later as a justice of the Supreme Court of Alabama, he earned the respect of all Alabamians. It was during his campaign for the governorship, however, that the people of the state came to know him best and to appreciate his qualities of leadership most.

Because he has made a deep impression on the people they will have great expectations of him as governor. His admirers have no doubt that he will live up fully to expectations. His friends frankly expect him to make not merely a good governor, but a great governor.

"Governor Miller will enter on his administration at a trying time. The difficult problems with which the state is confronted at this time, together with the high expectations which the people have of him, will not make his way at all easy. Gov. Miller himself is no doubt fully aware of the difficulties that lie ahead. There are certain things in his favor, however. He has the satisfaction of knowing that at the outset he enjoys the confidence of the people and their sympathy with his announced aims and purposes. He also has the knowledge that the Legislature is friendly to him and his general policies and wishes to cooperate with him as fully as possible. These facts are auspicious for the success of his administration."

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The Upturn Is Beginning

Reports from all over the country are to the effect that the Christmas trade everywhere was far better than merchants had anticipated, and that stocks of merchandise have been so far sold out that the shelves are practically bare in many sections in every line of goods.

This month in the larger cities the big stores are cashing in with post-holiday bargain sales to clear off the rest of their stocks, and people are buying much more freely than six months ago

That is the most encouraging sign of the times. It means, of course, that the retailers have got to begin buying from the wholesalers, who in turn have got to send their orders to the mills and factories. The wheels will begin to turn more rapidly as soon as this flood of new buying orders is under full headway. Men will go back to work, and in turn will have money to spend.

Unless something unforseen happens, we can not look for an instant return of the old prosperity. It will creep upon us unaware, as it has always done in the past, until some morning, while most of us are still croaking about hard times, everybody will realize at the same moment that hard times are over. That is what has always happened, and there is no reason to think it won't happen that way this time.

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America's First Great Man

Benjamin Franklin, born on January 17, 1706, was the first native of America to win international fame. He was in many ways the greatest man this country produced in its early days. His services to the cause of the Colonists and to the infant Republic were immeasurable. Hon. Charles E. Hughes, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, has called him "the greatest diplomat of all time." Franklin is the patron saint of printers, the first journalist of consequence produced on American soil, the father of the postoffice, the propagandist of thrift, the most prolific inventor of his time, the founder of libraries, the discoverer of the identity of lightning and electricity, a great humanist, a prolific writer—no wonder that he is often referred to as "the many-sided Franklin."

Unconsciously almost everybody quotes Benjamin Franklin in everyday commonplaces of speech. He was the first to write and put in print such phrases as "Honesty is the best policy," "Experience is a dear school, but fools will learn in no other." "Early to bed and early to rise makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise." When you say "God helps those that help themselves" you are quoting Ben Franklin. To speak of a person seeking a favor as one "having an axe to grind" is another Franklinism. Hundreds of common phrases which many people think are from Shakespeare or the Bible originated in "Poor Richard's Almanac," the humorous, kindly collection of wit and wisdom which had made Franklin famous long before the Revolution.

He was a human, entertaining and lovable [illegible] ting to all who knew him, as well as a statesman and a philosopher. It is well to remember Franklin and to celebrate his birthday by beginning to apply some of his maxims about thrift, not the least popular of which is "A penny saved is a penny earned."

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

"Every man's life is a fairy tale
written by God's fingers."
—Hans Christen Anderson.

And so we all go on living our lives. Some of us live our lives a great deal for others, some live merely for themselves and the satisfaction they get out of living. Then, some do not live, but merely exist. There are many things necessary for a man to really live—to live and be happy. Some are inclined to accomplish certain things and be satisfied at that, while others are continually trying to accomplish one thing after another and are never satisfied. To be satisfied is perhaps one of the most dangerous things in a man's life, yet, no doubt, it is quite a wonderful feeling.

Take for instance, Ben Franklin, he very seldom ever delved into old things. He studied what he might do to develop himself by sensing new developments. He delved into new stuff. Ben looked forward, to the things he might accomplish. As we go on talking about life, we would perhaps mention that seldom found fact that one thinks another's life is being lived for them—making it appear as if without one the other is useless. Then we could mention that illusion often heard of, that in a person's life, he finds that although he has attained success he finds that alone does not mean happiness, and that the living of another person with all the accessories so to speak, is the thing that fills that space where something is lacking. And as mentioned, there are those persons who are merely existing through the years. They were born into this world by a fond mother, but are just drifting with the ordinary tide, hither and yon. No ambition, no determination, never trying, never succeeding. That reminds me of a saying of Elbert Hubbard's: "The greatest mistake a man can make, is to be continually fearing he will make one." Then there are those persons who are devoting their lives to their own satisfaction, bringing pain and heartaches to others at times, in their quest for fame and fortune. You have seen that kind, and also those who live opposite to this manner, devoting a major part of their lives to others. We have them both. Then from Edwin Markham comes this, "He drew a circle that shut me out, heretic, rebel, a thing to flout. But love and I had the wit to win: we drew a circle that took him in." And so on through life we go.

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The editor spoke to me about a lady saying something to him about me and my infamous Who's Who, recently. Had something to do with being tempermental. I really don't remember anything along that line, and beg to be pardoned, if accused. However, I do remember a thought that presented itself to me in regard to this rather charming lady of Clanton, and to her I will say, you need not worry about that, because my opinion of you during the selection of the Who's Who has been more than complimentary.

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Now for a bit of news. I have been informed that in Birmingham there has been organized what is to be called the Chilton County Association. This is an organization for those who live in the Birmingham district who came from Chilton County. They pulled a party up there for these people last Friday night and officers were elected and plans are now underway for more of these social get-togethers for these Chiltonians. This social affair was held at the home of Mrs. Mabel Jones West, a former Chilton resident at 219 South Hawkins Street, West End. Mrs. West may also be found at the Tutwiler Hotel, Room 217, the office of the Alabama Woman's Democratic Club, of which she is president. The people living here will be informed of the next gathering up there, and will be extended a cordial invitation to be there, where they will be able to be with a large number of former Chilton County residents.

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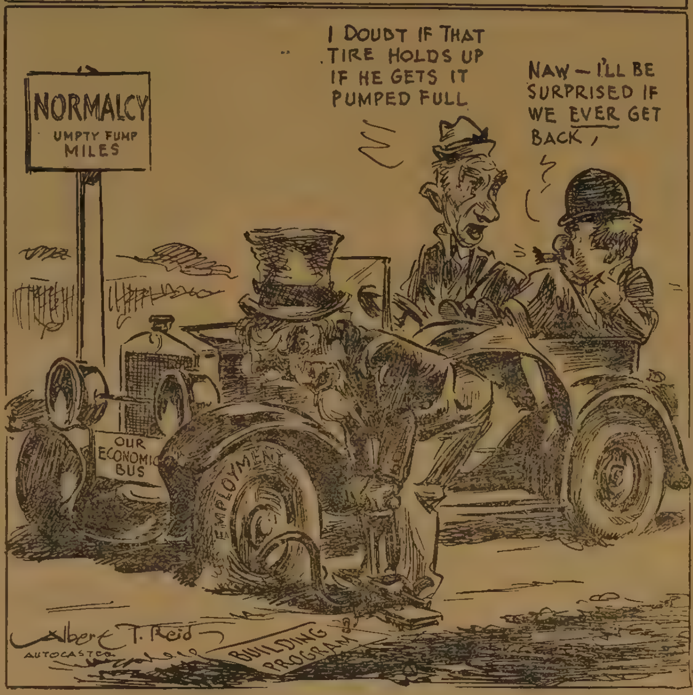
Well, when you read this, we will have a new Sheriff, because Walter Gillespie went in office last Monday, as did a couple of commissioners. I feel that with Walter in office the laws will be enforced correctly, however, I mean no reflection on the retiring sheriff, but just want to express my opinion of the new one. He has had lots of experience handling matters pertaining to the sheriff's office, and I feel that he will deal out fairness and justice within the law to everyone with whom he comes in contact.

In some recent adventures I have found some people living right round here who are extremely happy as a family. Perhaps I might be making a mistake in being so observant, but can't seem to keep from observing the small things as well as the large ones. It has been my good fortune to be invited to homes round town, and I have certainly enjoyed each visit. In some I have noticed without effort that pains were taken to show me I was welcome and I was treated as a guest, more than just a home-town fellow. In some cases I prefer the former, but very seldom, due to my cranky idea about that, and about people being sincere with their attentions. But only in one case have I found one thing I did not like, and I told my hostess about that, and she appreciated it, and even made arrangements so that it would not occur when I was there. That was extremely nice, eh? There is one thing I enjoy, that is visiting in a home, where there is no pretense on the part of the host or hostess. I like for them to be themselves, then I can be myself.

By the way folks, as usual on the first of the month, bill collectors are in full sway in Clanton. Well, recently I fell victim to one or two, or maybe more of these collectors, and was presented with bills on a statement head that was printed somewhere up in,—well, they was printed up north somewhere. Of course the collectors thanked me for the business when I paid them (yes, I really paid it) and he invited me to come to see them again. Yes, I'm going to trade with him some more, just like I've been doing and hope to pay him each time, even if he does have his statements and other stationery printed up north. I won't be so narrow as to allow a little thing like that to run me off. You can judge by this that I believe in trading at home when possible.

When that fellow makes some change or improvement in his business, as he has done in the past, no doubt our editor will make some mention of it in the paper and be glad to give him publicity. No doubt the editor will continue to champion the "Trade At Home" idea, and thereby benefitting the merchant, as well as others who favor home shops with their printing. I have no hard feelings against this fellow for having his printing done up north, but I'll be darned if I can see how he can do it and come to his local printers and solicit their business, and expect the local papers to keep boosting his town and county. So you see what I'm griping about this week.

Don't Leave All the Work to Uncle Sam By Albert T. Reid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UMPTY FUMP MILES
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NAW — I'LL BE SURPRISED IF WE EVER GET BACK,
OUR ECONOMIC BUS
EMPLOYMENT
BUILDING PROGRAM
Albert T. Reid
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LETTERS To The Editor

BUS LINES AND THE RAILWAYS

Bus passenger and motor freight lines have increased enormously within the past five years. What can be said in their favor? They serve people and and communities who reside off the railroads; they often provide more frequent schedules; their rates are somewhat lower, sometimes they provide a slight saving to patrons. What can be said against them?

Locally they employ no labor, and they pay not one penny of license or taxes to either County or town thru which they operate, they use our highways which were built from taxation and spend not one penny for their maintenance, they buy not one penny's worth of anything in Chilton County and they have no payroll in Chilton County, while the Louisville & Nashville Railroad last year had ninety-three employes in Chilton County on their payroll and the aggregate sum earned was $79,728.81, the major portion of which was spent in Chilton County. They paid in taxes last year $7,566,457. They paid the Town of Jemison $212.37, Thorsby $693.93, Clanton $214.50, and Coopers $183.74, or a total of $1,304.54 in city taxes. The motor lines did nothing to develop this county, own not one foot of land in this county, did not pioneer its development. They waited until the County was settled and prosperous and did not come then, they waited until the people taxed themselves to provided smooth concrete highways to replace muddy dirt roads, went to every trouble to construct and pay for their roads then and not until then did the motor bus and truck lines start competing with the railroads and the competion is unfair. Now that the railroad earnings have fallen enormously as a result of dull business and this unfair competition, it would be a good time for the interstate commerce commission which fixes all railroad rates, to unbridle the railroads as far as intrastate rates are concerned in order to allow them to compete with bus and truck lines. The railroads could afford to carry passengers at two cents per mile within the state instead of the present of three and a half cents per mile and compete with the bus travel which is cheaper than Railroad rates. The Railroads should have the right to reduce their rates within the State to what they desire so that they can meet the competition which is a violation of our present laws for Railroads to charge a higher or lower rate than the lawfully published rates prescribed by the interstate commerce commission. This is a progressive age. Sentiment plays a small part in the keen business strife and competition, however, the present competition under present conditions is unfair.

W. C. ERWIN,
Jemison, Ala., Jan. 14, 1931.

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An encouraging market trend is seen in the high price of New York judgeships.

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Anyway, the Farm Board has discovered that if farmers raised less it would bring more.

Optimism should revive with the advent of the new Spring seed catalogues.

The Legislature And Its Grist

By R. B. Vail

The present session of the Alabama General Assembly, or Legislature promises to be one of the most important sessions in the state's history. Ever increasing revenues must be supplied in the face of a staggering deficit of some $14,000,000, which must receive grave consideration. Appropriations to continue the proper functions of the state government which functions grow in an ever widening circle, requiring ever-increasing funds, must be made. The people are suffering a business depression that reaches into every home in the state and they are already taxed to the hurting point. These conditions make the task of the law makers now in session a tremendous one, requiring clear and courageous thinking. Solutions must be forthcoming, Alabama is a progressive state—the activity of the Legislature will be vitally important and vastly interesting.

The Alabama House of Representatives is presided over by Col. Alf M. Tunstall of Hale County, for nearly forty years active in Legislative circles. He was elected without opposition after a spirited pre-election campaign in which he was opposed by Messrs. Goodwyn of Montgomery, Goods of Wilcox and Fite of Marion. Col. Tunstall is forceful and masterly in his grasp of things political. He is keenly interested in the progress of the state and intimately acquainted with Alabama's possibilities and greatness.

Senator Holmes Powell was elected President Pro Tem of the Senate, which is presided over by Lieutenant-Governor Hugh D. Merrill. Mr. Powell is a young man who has rapidly risen to political power by his force of character. He is from Macon County.

Lieutenant-Governor Hugh Merrill is recognized as an old war-horse in the political arena. He has helped write Alabama's history for many long years, and his participation has always been constructive. He hails from Calhoun.

The question of Legislative reapportionment of the state is already causing some concern in Montgomery. The matter popped up in the Senate on the very first day of the session and it is a live question in informal House talk as well. Discussions for the most part revolve around Jefferson County, which with its nearly half million population would have its representation—now seven—more than doubled by reapportionment. As the constitution limits the number of members of the House, there would be no increase in the total number. Some of the smaller counties would lose members and some of the larger counties would gain them.

A number of young men hold membership in both houses of the present Legislature. The average age in the House is probably under forty, with Representative Williams of Calhoun rated the "baby member." That rating is based on age alone, not ability, as the gentleman from Calhoun possesses marked ability that promises to carry him far in Legislative circles.

Representative Barber of Jefferson, another of the "youngster" bloc, is probably the handsomest man in the House. Able and popular, he has already earned the title of "Shiek of the House." He wears all titles gracefully.

Representatives Jack of Hale, Patterson of Morgan, Beebe of Baldwin, Goodwyn of Montgomery, Molette of Dallas, Miller of Sumter, Poole of Butler, Goode of Wilcox, St. John of Cullman and Norman of Bullock are some of the old guard back again. Their influence will be felt in the grindings of the law making body.

Fitting and worthy resolutions of respect were passed by the House to the memory of Hon. J. Lee Long of Butler, former Speaker of the House, and Representative Mosley of Bullock, both of whom died as members of the House—Mr. Long about two years ago and Mr. Mosley about a week before the Legislature convened.

Newspaper men in the Assembly are Harry Walker in the Senate, representing Limestone and Lauderdale and in the House, Bob Sutton of Marengo, Earle Tucker of Clarke, Charlie Norman of Bullock, A. C. Lee of Monroe, Lewey Robinson of Jefferson and Joe Kettler of Crenshaw, the latter a "retired" newspaper man now practicing law.

Hon Thos. S. Frazier of Union Springs, is candidate, unopposed, for the vacancy in the Legislature for Bullock County. He will be elected early in February.

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First Lesson

By Fonza Headley, Clanton, Ala., R. 3

Now, reader, go along with me,
Away back to eternity.
Go back beyond the days of youth,
Where everything that was was truth—

Beyond the sorrow and the tears,
Beyond the suffering and fears,
Beyond the anguish and the gloom,
Beyond the shadow of the tomb.

Beyond all trouble and all pain,
Beyond all losses and all gain,
Beyond all sobs and bitter sighs,
Beyond the limit of the skies,

Before there was a ray of light,
Before there was a day or night,
Before a prayer was ever prayed,
Before the world was ever made.

Before there was a moon or sun,
Before time itself begun,
Before there was a now or then,
Before there was a where or when,

Before there was a here or there,
Or anything or anywhere!
Go back a hundred thousand years,
And farther still tho' filled with fears,

Go back until within the past
You fail to find the place at last,
Where the beginning you can see
At one end of eternity.

Go back until there's not a trace
Of anything but God and space!
God all around, below, above—
Unlimited in power and love.

Away back here removed from sight
Where everything that was was right,
Away back here removed from sin
Is where my story does begin.

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HOME MAKERS CLASS HAS DELIGHTFUL SPEND-THE-DAY

The Home Makers Class of Clanton Baptist church met for a spend-the-day at the church on Friday, January 16th. The meeting was held in Mrs. Hester's class room of the church.

The morning was spent in making garments for the needy of the community.

At the noon hour a bountiful lunch was served in the dining room of the church.

The Class held its business meeting in the afternoon, and plans were made to hold the next regular meetings on the third Friday of each month. The following members were present, Mrs. Dewey Rockett, Mrs. Loren Smith, Mrs. Joe Higgins, Mrs. Flem Higgins, Mrs. Dewey Eubanks, Mrs. S. J. Ezell, Mrs. Joe Mims, Mrs. Horsley White, Mrs. Jack McMurray, Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway, Mrs. Frank James and Mrs. J. Lee Smith.

The class will meet at the church for another spend-the-day on the third Friday in February. All members are urged to be present.

—Mrs. J. Lee Smith, Reporter.

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Fred Calloway has sufficiently recovered from a recent accident so that he is able to return to his work in South Alabama.

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Mrs. P. M. Pitts Hostess To "As You Like It" Club.

Mrs. P. M. Pitts delightfully entertained the "As You Like It" Club at her home Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in sewing. The club was glad to have Mrs. Haskew as a new member. Those present were Mesdames L. C. Warr, J. B. Atkinson, V. J. Gragg, W. A. Reynolds, T. R. Burdette, M. A. Gore, G. C. Walker, D. W. Haskew, L. H. Reynolds, Flem Higgins. The club will meet with Mrs. T. H. Neighbors January 29th.

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The members of Circle 6 will meet at the home of Mrs. J. B. Atkinson Monday p. m. at three o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

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Music Appreciation Club Met With Mrs. Upchurch.

Mrs. E. E. Upchurch entertained the Music Appreciation Club at her home Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. P. M. Pitts and Miss Della Latham as co-hostesses. An interesting program was rendered. After the program the hostesses served delightful refreshments to to the following: Mesdames J. D. Armstrong, J. B. Atkinson, Grady Broadhead, Barney Roberts, L. C. Warr, W. M. Polk, Frank Mullins, J. D. Mullins, P. M. Pitts, T. H. Neighbors, W. A. Willis, Misses Nell Wells, Emma Sue Morris, Mary Louise Pack, Madelyn Orr, M. Kendricks, Della Latham.

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WILSON-DuBOSE

The many friends of Miss Myrtle DuBose will be interested to learn of her marriage to Mr. Charlie Wilson, which took place on Monday at the Third Presbyterian church of Birmingham, Brother Bryan officiating.

Miss DuBose is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. DuBose of Inglenook. She is well known in and around Clanton, having formerly lived here.

Mr. Wilson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilson of Birmingham and is manager of one of Hill's Grocery Stores in Birmingham.

They will make their home in Inglenook. Their many friends wish them well.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gresham Lowery of Thorsby were among the out-of-town visitors to Clanton last Monday afternoon.

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Miss Betty Baldwin, a member of the Isabella High School faculty, was a visitor to Clanton Saturday.

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We Cordially

Invite

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Parrish

To Dine With Us

Sunday, January 25, 1931

As Our Guests.

THE DIXIE CAFE

HILL'S

Specials For This Week-End

Lard	Rex Pure 8-lb pail	98c
Soap	Export 8 Bars	25c
SALMON	Large Can each	10c
Washing Powder	Grandma's 7 Boxes	25c
Salt Meat	Boiling Pound	9c
Kraut	Stokleys 3 No.2Cans	25c
Potatoes	Irish Cobbler 5 pounds	15c
Oranges	Nice Size Per Doz.	15c
Jam	Sweet-um 43 oz. Jar or Qt. Jar Any Flavor	40c
PEAS	California Black Eye	6c
COFFEE	4 Lbs. Ground	90c
RICE	BLUE ROSE 5 Lbs.	25c
ONIONS	Per Lb.	2¾c

Hill Grocery Co.

Clanton, Ala.

The First Wine

By Rev. Thomas B. Gregory In The Birmingham News

One of the prettiest things in the intellectual story of that land of eternal marvel, is the legend bearing on the origin of wine.

In this time, above all others, when the "Wets" are moving heaven and earth to do away with the Volstead law and reinaugurate the reign of drink this story about wine comes as pat as a duck's foot in the mud.

No one knows how old the story is, but it is a good one, and it may make a splendid campaign argument in the next election.

The old Grecian legend runs as follows:

When Bacchus was a boy, being somewhat precocious, he journeyed thru Hellas to Naxos, and as the way was very long, he grew tired, and sat down upon a stone to rest.

As he sat there, with his eyes fixed upon the ground, he saw a little plant spring up between his feet and was so much pleased with it that he was determined to take it with him, and plant it in Naxos.

He took it up and carried it away with him, but as the sun was very hot, he saw that it would be likely to wither long before he reached his journey's end.

Accordingly, he cast his eyes about him, when he found a bird's skeleton, into which he quickly thrust the plant and went on.

But in his hand the plant sprouted so fast that it started out of the bone above and below.

This gave him fresh fear of its withering, and he cast about for a remedy.

He found the shoulder bone of a lion which was thicker than the bird's skeleton, and he stuck the skeleton, and the plant in it, into the bone of the lion.

Soon, however, the plant grew out of the lion's bone likewise.

Then he found the bone of an ass, which was still larger than the bone of the lion, so he put the lion's bone, containing the bird's skeleton and the plant and thus made his way to Naxos.

When about ready to set the plant he found the roots had entwined themselves around the bird's skeleton and the lion's bone, and the ass's bone; and as he could not take it out without damaging the roots, he planted it as it was, and it came up speedily, and bore to his great joy, the most delicious grapes.

From these grapes he made the first wine, and gave it to men to drink.

But behold a miracle! When men drank of it they first sang like birds; next, after drinking it a little more, they became vigorous and gallant like lions; but when they drank still more, they began to behave like asses.

A legend, but how true to the facts in the case! First, music, beauty, joy; then the passions, with all that they signify; and then to the maudlin, the silly, the idiotic.

Still helpful to us is the old legend if we will hear and heed its lesson.

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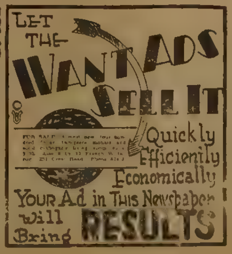
We await the sequel to the story of burglars who recently stole germ-inoculated rabbits from a Pittsburgh hospital laboratory.



Illiteracy Drive Shows Progress

Census Report For Alabama Cites Advances Made in Last 10 Years

While Alabama was increasing her population by approximately 300,000 between 1920 and 1930 and made substantial progress in reducing illiteracy and boosted the percentage of her population living in cities, according to figures just released by the Federal Census Bureau. The total population April 1, 1930, was 2,646,248, compared to 2,348,174 in 1920.

Of this total 1,700,775 were white persons, 944,834 negroes and 639 other colored, the ratios being 64.3 per cent white, or a gain of 17.5 per cent over 1920, and 35.7 per cent were negroes, this being a gain of but 4.9 per cent.

Other colored includes 69 Mexicans, 465 Indians, 52 Chinese, 25 Japanese, 25 Filipinos and 2 Hindus.

Of the total population, 1,315,009 were males and 1,331,239 females.

The white population included 1,646,339 natives, native parentage; 38,726 natives of foreign or mixed parentage, and 15,710 foreign born. Of the foreign born, 10,505 were naturalized; 1,121 had taken out first papers, and 2,730 were returned as alien, with reports on citizenship missing for a small number, compared to 2 per cent in 1920.

Those Past 21

Population 21 years of age and older numbered 1,348,401, or 51 per cent. Foreign born white 21 years of age and over amounted to 15,135, of which 2,479 were returned alien.

April 1, 1930, the date for which the count was made, there were 313,882 persons under 5 years of age; 331,713 from 5 to 9; 303,440 from 10 to 14; 294,168 from 15 to 19; 259,361 from 20 to 24; 208,954 from 25 to 29; 164,853 from 30 to 34; 294,862 from 35 to 44; 244,863 from 45 to 54; 129,663 from 55 to 64; 68,430 from 65 to 74; 30,810 75 years and over, and 1,296 for whom age was not given.

Of the total, 35.9 per cent were under 15 years of age; 20.9 per cent from 15 to 25; 25.2 per cent from 25 to 44; 14.1 per cent from 45 to 64; and 3.8 per cent or more.

The number of persons under 1 year of age was 61,030, compared to 62,550 in 1920. However, the group under 5 shows an increase between 1920 and 1930 as do the older groups.

On Percentage Basis

On a percentage basis persons in all groups from 15 years upwards represented a larger proportion of the total population in 1930 than in 1920, except in the group between 30 and 44 years, where the percentages remained constant. These increases are balanced by the smaller proportions of persons under 15.

Urban population in the state April 1, 1930, was 744,273, including 3,868 persons living on farms within cities of 2,500 or more population. The urban population amounted to 28.1 per cent of the total, as compared to 21.7 in 1920. The rural population amounted to 1,901,975, comprising 1,336,409 persons living on farms in rural territory, and 565,566 not living on farms. The rural population in 1930 represents an increase of 4 per cent, compared to rural population in 1920. The rural farm population, alone, was practically the same in 1930 as in 1920, nearly all the increase being in the rural non-farm group.

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Wadesonian Program

MONDAY and TUESDAY

January 26 and 27

Rex Beach In

"The Silver Horde"

Also A 1-Reel Comedy

Wednesday and Thursday

January 28 and 29

Charles Farrell In

'The Devil with Women'

Also 1-Reel Comedy

FRIDAY and SATURDAY

January 30 and 31

"Sage Brush Politics"

"The Rose Bowl Football Game."

Also 2-Reel Comedy

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Dollar-a-year men, widely known in Washington during the war, have been supplanted by bottle-a day men according to a capitol bootlegger.

Arundel on the Bay, a small village not far from Washington, is reported by the census bureau to be the smallest incorporated town in the United States, having but one legal resident.

Collins Chapel News

On account of the condition of the weather last week the Collins Chapel church was not completed, therefore, services will be held there Sunday weekk, February 2. Everyone has an invitation to attend and make a good start at the first of the year.

There will be preaching at New Salem Sunday by the regular pastor.

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—Subscribe To The News—

An American farmer was interviewing a negro who applied for work.

"Are you familiar with mules?" the negro was asked.

"No, sah," was the reply. "Neb hab been. Ah knows too much about dem to be familiar wid dem."

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A Memphis announcer fell in love with a female radio artist's voice and married her. But it will sound like static the first time she bawls him out.

A New Pair
FREE
if they
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SENSATIONAL! AMAZING!

CROWN SHRUNK OVERALLS

MORE pockets and more special features than any other overall. Made of extra heavy, deep dyed, eight ounce, secret process denim. The longest wearing, most comfortable and best appearing overall ever produced.

UNION MADE

Tom Kemp
Clanton

That's His Signature

YOUR HEALTH—or your life—may depend on the accuracy of the prescription the doctor writes for you. He makes certain it is right before signing his name to it.

But he does not check the prescription more carefully than the manufacturer or merchant checks the advertisement appearing over his name.

Look at any one of the advertisements appearing in this newspaper. Its sponsor is well known. That's his signature in clean, cold type—and he realizes that incorrect statements above it would jeopardize the health—the very existence of his business.

Continued advertising invariably is proof of honest advertising and honest goods. You and the millions of others who consult the advertising before you buy, have made advertising one of the great forces of modern business. You have made it important to the manufacturer, to the merchant—and to yourself.

Consult the advertising with confidence

Chilton County News

"BUY NOW!"

Help the "Buy Now" Movement—
Save Money—Reduce Your Home
Problems and Add to
Your Home
Comfort!

If You Have This

or vice versa

Then You Need This

Both Will Give You

SPECIAL JANUARY RANGE TERMS
$5.00 Down
30 Months to Pay Balance
$20 Trade-In for Your Old Range or Stove
$10 Set of Aluminum Ware Free

COMFORT
IN STEP
UP DOWN
STEP TO
1½¢
ELECTRICITY

SPECIAL JANUARY ELECTRIC WATER HEATER TERMS
$5.00 Down
30 Months to Pay Balance
$20 Trade-In for Your Old Fashioned Heater

ALABAMA POWER CO.

ELECTRICAL EXPANSION

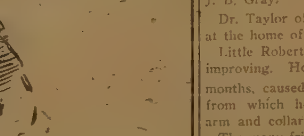
During 1930 approximately 850 million dollars was expended by electric light and power companies of the United States for new construction, extension and betterment of facilities, according to an official statement just issued.

This was practically the same as was spent in 1929, and involved large outlays for labor and materials which greatly aided in sustaining employment during the year.

Estimates already made as the result of a nation-wide survey of budgets now under preparation for 1931 indicate expenditures for the same purposes for the coming year of not less than 700 millions and they may considerably exceed that sum.

Factors affecting the amount of these expenditures, according to the statement, will be resumption of industrial power demand, the general investment buying of securities, and the assurance of a return upon investments sufficient to attract the required capital.

While industrial use of electricity fell off slightly during the past year, its home use showed a marked increase. During the past two years the average price per kilowatt hour throughout the country has been cut approximately 10 per cent, and is now the lowest in the history of the industry.



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From 7:00 A. M. until 3:30 P. M.
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Mt. Creek News

Mrs. Richard Culver who has been in San Diego, California for the past three months, is expected to return this week. She will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Culver and family. Her husband too is expected to meet her here. He is employed by the Government in Virginia.

Mr. J. N. Atkinson left Monday for Birmingham on account of the illness of his mother who is in the Baptist Hospital,

Mr. Arthur Gray, nephew of J. B. Gray, who lives near Friendship, spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gray.

Dr. Taylor of Prattville was a caller at the home of J. B. Gray Monday.

Little Robert Pettijohn is said to be improving. He has been ill for two months, caused from a fall at school, from which he received a fractured arm and collar bone.

The many friends of Mrs. E. A. Culver are glad to know that she is at home and improving. She spent ten days in Central Alabama Hospital.

A B. Y. P. U. Social is to be given at the home of Mrs. Herbert Williams Friday night. All members are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Eiland are visiting their son in Selma and daughter, in Troy. They will be away all the week.

Mr. Sam Eiland of Dothan spent the past week end with his wife and daughter who are here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Culver.

Messrs. Amzi Kicker and Carl Baxley left last Monday for Birmingham where they will be for several days.

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The children of R. B. Pleasant of Doeville, Tenn., are all O. K., as their names are: Olva, Ova, Ona, Kyle, King, Karle, Kale, Keys and Klan.

Mrs. Frances Culm of St. Louis hoarded $300 in bills in old clothing, but when she decided to bank them she found moths had eaten most of the money.

Hungry and without shelter, Pete Ledon of Cleveland, cursed a police sergeant in order to get food and a place to sleep.

My Best Girl

BY
KATHLEEN NORRIS

FOURTH INSTALLMENT

Maggie Johnson, whose father is a letter carrier, is the domestic drudge of the humble home where her mother does little except bemoan the fact that she has "seen better days" and her sister, Liz, who works in a beauty shop, lies abed late. Maggie has to get the family breakfast before she starts out to her job in the Five-and-Ten-Cent Store.

There's a new boy at the Five-and-Ten, Joe Grant. He tells Maggie that he has been assigned to work as her helper in the stock room. He seems rather dumb, but Maggie helps him through his first day at the store and shares her lunch with him in a cubby hole of a place that belongs to a mattress factory next door to the Five-and Ten.

They are looking over some cheap picture cards. One of them has a motto that strike's Maggie's fancy. "The way to begin the ideal life is to begin." She and Joe talk about that and Joe is surprised that the girl has higher standards than he had expected. When he goes home that night he is thinking about Maggie. And his home is the home of the owner of the Mack Five and Ten-Cent Stores, though Maggie does not suspect that he is the boss' son.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"What—with Uncle Tom?"

"With Uncle Nobody! It's a sort of —of underworld investigation. I got it on my own hook."

"Well, but that's nonsense," the woman said after a pause, somewhat at a loss. "Your father won't permit you for one instant to give up college and work! He——"

"My father told me he wasn't going to back me financially any more," Joe interrupted hotly. "Meanwhile, I'm done with college and I'm working and he can make what he likes of it!"

"Why, he'll not endure it one instant!" the woman said. "Meanwhile, aren't you going to the Russells'? It's Millicent's coming-out party—she'll certainly expect you!"

"I think I'll let Millicent cry herself to sleep, to-night," the boy said lazily. "My job has sapped my energies—what with cologne and postcards and tinsel and vegetable knives."

"Wat are you talking about!"

"Nothing. Nothing. But I'm a working-man now, no time for frivolities. Leave me be, mother. I'm dead."

There was a silence. The woman sat puzzled and disapproving, thinking.

"Listen, Joe. You do like Millicent, don't you? She's such a dear little thing," his mother presently began sentimentally, "and she likes you so much!"

"Give her my love and tell her I'm trying to get together enough money for our little nest," said Joe. "I'll see her at the club to-morrow, anyway—she always plays golf Sunday mornings."

"I don't understand you, Joe," his mother said in cold disapproval. "You went out of the house yesterday morning wild because your father had said he'd take you out of college if this spending of money went on. Now you say you've got a job and don't want to go!"

"I'm reformed!" Joe said jocosely. "The old man called me names this morning." It's just possible—it's just possible that some day I'll have the laugh on the old man!"

"I wish you'd stop talking nonsense, and follow me over to the Russells'," his mother said impatiently. "I don't know what they'll think if you don't come."

"Tell them I've had a change of heart—I've got religion," Joe said indifferently. "Tell them that the way to begin living the ideal life is to begin."

"To begin what?" sharply asked Lillian Spencer Merrill, wife of the owner of the Mack Merrill Chain Stores.

"Just that, darling. The way to begin living the ideal life is—to begin," said Joseph Grant Mackenzie Merrill mildly.

Mrs. Johnson, born Petheridge, cherished in herself, and planted in her daughters, an unbounded sense of righteous pride. The Johnsons had no pride, and no particular cause for pride she said.

But the Petheridges, and their collateral lines of Larkins and Lawrences! Ma told them thrilling tales of Gran-ma Larkin's sampler, hung above the Petheridge fireplace in the magnificent Petheridge home "down South," and about the Johnny Yanks mashing up all Gran-ma Larkin's cut glass, and about the slaves—hundreds of them, thousands of them, all singing and dancing and happy, and not any more wanting to be freed than so many irresponsible sparrows!

Pop, meanwhile, miserably represented not only the low-born Johnsons, but the entire ranks of the Johnny Yanks, as well. He would cringe while Ma was enlarging upon this topic, and nervously clear his throat. And whenever he spoke of Vermont families, Ma said with her rich unctious laugh, "Makin' wooden nutmegs, I suppose?" and the girls had to laugh, too.

Not that Maggie was not loyal to her father; she had no heart in the laughter Ma so often directed against him. But it was simpler all around to laugh.

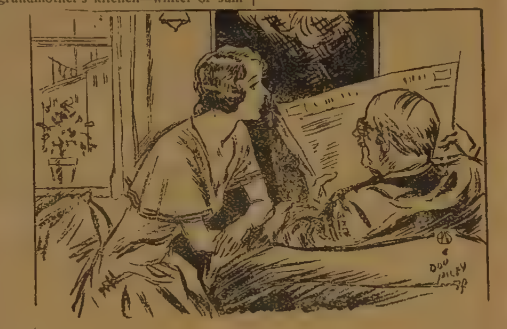
No use going against that particular current, there were too many others to struggle with, if one were to struggle at all!

Often, when Maggie and her father were alone, he would give her a fairer idea of the case.

"You see, dearie," Len would explain in his mild, uncomplaining voice, "Ma's just quotin' things she heard when she was a little girl. She never saw your great-grandmother's house, with those samplers and things." Your mother can't remember nothing about slaves and all that. I don't know as her folks ever had slaves, anyway. They lived right in East St. Louis and they had a drug stor—I don't know just what they would have done with slaves!"

Sometimes, Pa would ramble on to the other side of the ancestral picture, to his own boyhood on a Vermont farm.

"I surely would like you to see the place, some day, Maggie. There was eight of us boys, and my sister, Margaret—you're named for her, and for my mother, too. There's some of them there still, I daresay—I haven't heard for twenty years. You'd like your grandmother's kitchen—winter or summer, that was the place us boys liked to be! I remember when a big storm would be coming up—trees bendin' over, and planks rattlin' in the yard, and the old well-sweep creakin'—how we loved the kitchen then! There was a big open fireplace one side, but she had her range built right across it, and there wasn't never a drop of anything spilled on that range—she kep' it like black glass."



"Oh, Pop! But why did you ever come away?"

"I d'no, Maggie. Jest got restless, I guess."

"Look here, Pop. If my grandmother Johnson had nine children and no servants, how could she manage to keep the place so clean, and the stove shining so, and everything? Ma says that no lady ought ever to do her own work, and she says it can't be done!"

"Well, maybe your grandmother Johnson wasn't a lady, Maggie."

"Pop, do you think there's any hope I'm not a lady? Not like my grandmother Petheridge, I mean? Because," Maggie would rush on eagerly, "I'd love to have my kitchen always clean and orderly, and pies cooling on the window sill, and jam all put up, and me in a nice clean gingham dress—and a big stiff white apron, sitting down on the side porch, rocking, like you said Gran'ma Johnson always did! And I'd like to believe in all those newspaper budgets, and system, and having a regular hour for everything," Maggie would conclude, expectant eyes on his face.

"Well—I don't know, dearie. Your mother hasn't right good health, you know and your sister has to keep her hands nice.

And then, of course, we're poor folks, Maggie. When you have to do without things——"

"Pop, we're not poor! Why, you and I—make more than two hundred a month, Pa. And there's budgets as low as one hundred!"

"Two hundred a month for four folks ain't much in these days, Maggie, when everything's gone up so high!" It was the automatic protest.

"But, Pop—those budgets, and the lists the government sends out, and the newspapers and the magazines know how things have gone up, don't they?"

"Dearie, your Pop ain't much on mathematics," Len would say, passing a weary hand over his troubled forehead, shaking his meek, gray little head.

Ma, approached on the subject of household reform, had much to say and very, very little to do.

"When I and your pop was married, beef was fifteen cents a pound! I remember that, because I said to the butcher, 'Ain't that a lot?' I wasn't nothin' but an innocent child—I'd never done any work with my own hands before. 'Keep them little hands like flowers!' our old doctor, Dr. Lovejoy, use' to say. He was a Southerner, too."

Maggie only listened respectfully, feeling that if beef would only go down to fifteen cents a pound again, everything might yet be well. Meanwhile the kitchen grew shabbier and shabbier and water and grease and ashes darkened the chipped floor, and the plates were piled in the sink, and the faucets dripped on them unavailingly.

She had found room for the ideal leaflet that Joe had given her on the crowded shelf above the sink, and sometimes she looked up from the dishpan at it, with wondering eyes. "The way to begin living the ideal life is—to begin."

Her mother said that it didn't seem to her to make sense. 'Lizabeth read it once, suspiciously, and then forgot all about it. But Len and Maggie discussed it more than once, in some bewilderment. Len said frankly that he didn't "get it."

There was no hot water, and nobody in the world could wash the plates after a lamb stew dinner in cold. She piled them and scraped them while she waited for some water to boil.

"Maggie!" This was her mother, from bed. "Liz go out?"

"Ten minutes ago, Ma."

"Well, here's all there is to it," said Mrs. Johnson. "I'm at the end of my green, and I can't do no more leaves until I get some. I guess you're tired, ain't you?"

Not so very."

"You'll have to get the money from your father, Maggie!"

"Pop, have you thirty cents?"

"I guess so." He counted it out—dimes, pennies.

"Will two be enough, Ma?"

"How much did your father give you? Thirty cents — yes, that'll be enough, but I would like to know what Len Johnson does with his money! Shut that door!"

Dishes waiting, kettle so slow to heat, crumbs on the floor, batter spilled and dried on the stove, the red tablecloth rumpled, the sugar bowl upset, dish towels stiff with grease and water—no matter, the inspiration of it went before her like a banner, as she ran down the dark street.

"The way to begin living the ideal life is—to begin."

"Joe," Maggie asked, a day or two later, "how could you live the ideal life if nothin' in your life was ideel?"

"Ah, there's the catch!" Joe answered airily.

"The meaning of that ideal life thing is this: You're—you're all in your own mind, do you see? What you have doesn't matter. What you think and what you are is everything—and what bunk it all is!" he added sneeringly to himself. "Do you get me?" he asked aloud.

She did not get him at all, but she nodded.

"You must make everything beautiful in your life," Joe said, encouraged by her attention. "An old plate, for instance, an old stain on the wall. Why Maggie, the museums of Europe are full of them—old plates and ragged clothes and worn-out rugs and water stains, and everyone thinks they're beautiful! The ceiling of the Sistine Chapel for instance. Did you ever hear of that?"

"Michelangelo did it," Maggie said, nodding.

"And how did you know that?"

"Oh, we had it in school, an' then we have 'em here, among the fifteen-cent classic coloured reproductions," Maggie replied.

"Well. All those old pictures are dirty and worn, mouldering away—all the old palaces are, lots of the books, all of the furniture—and yet persons swarm over there every years and admire them," said Joe. "Now, the point is, suppose you had to live with a lot of rotting furniture, and chipped plates, and you just said to yourself—'These are beautiful and valuable relics——"

"You mean that cups an' chairs an' being poor and tired really have nothin' to do with the way you live?" she asked coming nearer to it than he had, as he recognized somewhat to his surprise.

"You've got it," he said.

There was vision in her uplifted eyes, as if the walls of the mattress factory, where they were sitting, had faded away, and new dreams of beauty and fitness and purity had risen before her inner sight.

"Joe, nothing could stop that if you once got it!" she said in a whisper. And then, half to herself, "I can't wait to get home and begin!" And after a while she said wistfully: "Joe, I wish I knew as much as you know."

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HAMILTON'S RECORD GIVEN

First Secretary of the Treasury Led Fight For Strong Centralized Government

It is given to but few men to impress their individuality indelibly upon the history of a great nation, but Alexander Hamilton achieved even more than this.

In calling attention to the 174th anniversary of his birthday on January 11, 1931, the Division of Information and Publication of the George Washington Bicentennial Commission points out the extraordinary versatility of the man whom Chief Justice Marshall ranked next to George Washington in importance during those critical years of our history.

The senseless sacrifice of this brilliant man, who was killed in a duel by Aaron Burr, caused an outburst of bitter and indignant grief among men of all parties throughout the nation, that has seldom been equaled in the history of the country.

Alexander Hamilton was born, as a Britsh subject, on the island of Nevis, in the West Indies, on January 11, 1757. At the age of 12, following his father's bankruptcy and his mother's death, he was thrown upon the care of maternal relatives at St. Groix, where he entered the counting house of Nicholas Cruger. In 1772 friends, impressed by his astonishing poise and maturity of mind, made it possible for him to go to New York to continue his education. Arriving there the Autumn of that year, he prepared for college at Elizabethtown, N. J., and in 1774 entered King's College, now Columbia University, in New York City. His studies were interrupted by the Revolution.

A visit to Boston seems to have thoroughly confirmed the conclusion, to which reason had already led him, that he should cast his fortunes with the patriots rather than with the Tories. Into the cause he threw himself with ardor. Early in 1776 the New York convention ordered a company of artillery to be raised. Hamilton applied for the command and his examination quickly dispelled doubts of his fitness in those who suspected mere youthful presumption.

The artillery company quickly showed the talent of its commander, who, by his proficiency and bravery in the campaign of 1776 around New York City, won the admiration of Generals Washington and Greene. Hamilton shared in the brilliant campaign of Trenton and Princeton and so distinguished himself as a dashing and gallant officer that, although he was barely twenty years old, Washington appointed him his Aide-de Campe with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

Hamilton, despite his other remarkable abilities, was unusually ambitious for military glory—an ambition he never lost. As a member of Washington's staff his duties were various and highly responsible, but he longed for the field and firing line with an independent command. In February 1781, he seized a slight reprimand administered by Washington as an excuse for abandoning his staff position and later secured a field command, through Washington, and won laurels at Yorktown, where he led his column in the final assault against the British works.

Whether as a soldier, lawyer or a statesman, he was a master in every field that he entered. Hamilton, beyond a doubt, had an inborn genius for finance, and was beyond question a pioneer in what has since become the most important department of practical government.

He founded the financial system of the United States and converted the barren clauses of the Constitution into a living organism.

When he became Secretary of the Treasury, he found there was a great mass of work to be done in organizing the collecting and disbursing force thruout the country. Congress immediately submitted to him a number of queries and problems for solution, and there came forth from his pen a succession of papers that have left their strong imprint on the administrative organization of the national government.

Among them were two reports on the public credit, upholding an ideal of national honor higher than the prevalent popular principles; a report on manufactures, advocating their encouragement; a report favoring the establishment of a national bank, the arguments being based on "implied powers" in the Constitution and on the applications that Congress can do anything that can be made, through the medium of money, to subserve the "general welfare" of the United States. Hamilton's doctrines, through judicial interpretation, have revolutionized the Constitution. The success of his financial measures were immediate and remarkable.

Hamilton's plan, to establish a national bank resembling in great measure the Bank of England, aroused as great an interest in Congress as the proposal to assume the State debts had brought forth. The project was finally passed by both Houses in practically the form that Hamilton had suggested and came before President Washington for approval on February 14, 1791.

So heated had been the debates in the House on the constitutionality of a United States bank, that the President felt doubts as to the power of congress to incorporate such an institution. He called upon his four cabinet members for their opinions. Hamilton, and Knox, Secretary of War, favored the bank; Jefferson and Randolph, attorney general, opposed. Hamilton, Jefferson and Randolph submitted written reports to the President.

Those written by Jefferson and Hamilton remain to this day among the most important expositions of our constitutional law and practice. Hamilton's arguments convinced Washington of the constitutional propriety of the measure, which he approved on February 25, 1791.

The subscription books were opened on July 4, following, and within two hours, the whole capital was subscribed for; and many persons who had hoped to buy stock found themselves left out. Never in the course of history has there been so immediate and permanent a financial foundation laid for any country's prosperity as that which was built by Hamilton, the men of the First Congress and President Washington.

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Philanthropist Passes

Nathan Straus, one of New York's greatest merchants, who devoted his life and his fortune to aiding mankind, died at 83:

Two Years Ago

From Issue of Jan. 24, 1929

The Chilton County High School basket ball team defeated the strong Pike Roads quintet here last Wednesday night. The score was 13 to 12 in favor of the Chilton team.

The Clanton unit of the Alabama Mills Company has begun actual production and more than half of the machinery is running at full capacity.

Miss Molla Payne Tabb and Mr. Raymond C. Smith received diplomas at the recent mid term graduating exercises of the University of Alabama.

Miss Pearl Carlson was in Clanton last Monday shopping.

A marriage which came as a surprise to Clanton and Chilton County was that of Miss Mary Nell Goodgame to Mr. Thomas H. Sims, Jr., which took place last Sunday afternoon at the home of Rev. A. L. Foshee near here.

Dr. J. E. Gowan accompanied by Messrs Reedie Taylor, L. B. Knox and Jesse Sam Gowan motored to Atlanta last Sunday.

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ARE YOUR BROOD SOWS IN GOOD CONDITION?

By Prof. W. B. Krueck

The condition of the brood sows upon the average farm will decide largely the number of pigs that will be farrowed in the average litter next spring

It has been consistently demonstrated that a brood sow that is in a thrifty, healthy condition at the time of breeding will usually farrow a larger number of pigs during the following spring season.

By good condition, however, in the case of a breeding animal, one doesn't intimate just a fat hog. The brood sow that is smooth, carrying a reasonable quantity of flesh that has been fed upon a ration properly balanced with a reasonable amount of protein, is usually in the most healthy condition and in the best condition to conceive for a large litter of pigs the following spring.

If brood sows have been carried largely upon the waste feed in the fields during the past few months, the good hogman will certainly find it desirable to add a reasonable amount of protein to his ration during the next few weeks and he will find that his sows will breed more uniformly and will be in better condition to produce a large litter of pigs.

Continuing the feeding of this protein during the gestation period has also been demonstrated to be extremely desirable and it has been shown that practically twice as many pigs are at the sides of brood sows at weaning time as where no good protein supplement is fed during the gestation period.

Concord-Billingsley

Rev. and Mrs. N. H. Culp from Pleasant Grove were present at our Christian Endeavor Sunday night. We were indeed glad to have them with us and invite them to come again.

Our program was very good. The topic was, "My Idea of What a Young Woman Ought to Be." Bro. Culp made a very commendable talk from this subject, which everyone enjoyed.

After the program he preached for us, having as his subject, "Jesus Is Passing By." The service was well attended.

Our Christian Endeavor is putting on a contest between the two groups, which will last one month, and at the end of the month the losing side will entertain the winning side.

The purpose of this contest is to try to get our members to attend regular, be punctual, read the Bible daily, contribute more and bring more new members.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Coggins from Pleasant Hill Community attended the preaching service here Sunday night We are always glad to have visitors with us at any time.

Miss Sallie Shaw returned home Saturday after spending some time in Coosa County.

Mesdames Tom Weldon and Willie Tindall visited Mrs. Minne Gafford who is very sick, last Sunday afternoon.

Bro. Headley was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Lawrence last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cowart and little daughter, Olideen, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw.

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The Pre-School Child Discussed Over WAPI

The importance of training children properly before they enter school will be discussed over WAPI from Auburn by Miss Lulu A. Palmer, director of the nursery school, Friday noon, January 30. Her talk, "Some Aspects of the Pre-School Child," is one of the many informative discussions on the noon-time broadcasts from the Alabama Polytechnic Institute during the week, January 26-31, 12:00 to 12:30 p.m.

The complete program for the week follows:

Monday—The Southern Beekeeping Conference, Prof. J. M. Robinson; Book review by member of English Department; Housekeeper's feature by member of extension staff.

Tuesday — Choosing, framing and hanging pictures, Miss Marguerite E. Odndahl; Primer for Town Farmers; Housekeeper's chat, Mrs. Mary Drake Askew; Mrs. G. Richard Trott, soprano

9:45 to 10:15—Dance music over WSFA (Montgomery) by the Auburn Knights.

Wednesday—The farm problem chat by Dick and Dan; The Outlook for the Second Semester, Miss Louise P. Glanton; John W. Brigham, tenor, and Earl Hazel, piano.

Thursday—Dairy feature by Earnest and Frank, the boys with the dairy temperament; Pharmacy feature; Housekeeper's chat, Mrs. Mary Drake Askew; Vocal duets by Dr. and Mrs. Harold Hoffsommer.

5:00 to 5:30—Auburn Department of Music.

Friday—Some Aspects of the Pre-School Child, Miss Lulu A. Palmer; Chemistry feature; Farm Science sanpshots.

Saturday—Housekeeper's chat, Mrs. Mary Drake Askew; With the Alabama Farmers, P. O. Davis; The Agricultural Situation, by department of agricultural economics.

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FRENCH WORKERS BUSY

Unemployment has become such an international calamity this year that it is fortunate that there remains one country in Europe to furnish jobs not only to her own population but to many foreigners as well. France, according to the United States Department of Commerce, receives contract laborers under visas of her ministries of labor and agriculture, and in addition to these, foreign laborers often enter the country with an ordinary passport and apply later for a worker's permit.

Though foreign workers are always the first to be dismissed in periods of depression, in 1928 there were 97,472 arrivals of foreign workers to 53,759 departures; in 1929, there were 179,321 arrivals to 38,870 departures; and in the first six months of 1930 there were 76,852 entrances and 32,145 departures.

About 62 per cent of the foreign workers go into industry and 38 per cent into agriculture. The nations represented are chiefly Poland, Italy, Belgium and Spain. The French maintain frontier, departmental, and municipal employment offices that place over a million workers annually. In July of 1930, a new social insurance law was passed, providing insurance against sickness, incapacity, old age, and death.

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TIME IS RIPE FOR HOG PRODUCTION SAYS GIST

"The time is ripe for Alabama farmers to grow more hogs for home consumption and for market during the fall and winter of 1931," declares F. W. Gist, state and federal statistician, who reported a decrease of 16 per cent in the number of fall pigs in Alabama as compared with a year ago.

"In the peanut area especially, hogs may be grown at a profit. In the rest of the state a sufficient corn crop next year, with beans and peas, will also make hog growing attractive," he said.

The decrease in the number of fall pigs for the United States is one per cent compared with a year ago and combining the fall survey as to the size of the fall crop and the June survey as to the size of the spring crop of pigs, the total pig crop in the United States is four per cent smaller this year than in 1929.

Although the survey shows the number of sows bred or to be bred for Spring farrowing in 1931 to be 12 per cent greater for the country as a whole, than the number of sows which actually farrowed in the spring of 1930, when allowance is made for the usual spread between breeding intentions and actual farrowings, there is likely to be little change in the number of sows which will actually farrow in the Spring of 1931 compared to the Spring of 1930.

Past surveys have shown that the number of sows reported as bred in the Fall were larger than the number reported as farrowed the following Spring, due to changes in intentions, death losses and other causes. The number of pigs saved per litter in the Spring of 1930 was unusually large, being 5 1-2 per cent above average. If the number saved per litter in the spring of 1931 is only average, the pig crop of 1931 will probably be somewhat smaller than that of 1930.

The average number of pigs saved per litter in the United States in the Fall of 1930 was 6.1, while in Alabama it was 5.4.

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Sardis News

W. M. U. Circle No. 3 met with Mrs. Girtie Pounds and Mrs. Ella Buxton on Monday afternoon with an interesting program on the Book of Ruth. Song, "When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder, I'll be There."

Devotional, 67th Psalm, read by Mrs. Lula Ratliff. Sentence prayers by circle members.

Program opened by Circle leader, Mrs. Girtie Pounds, with an interesting talk.

After dismission by Mrs. Ella Ratliff, refreshments were served by circle leader. Hot coffee and cake were served which everyone enjoyed.

—Mrs. Lena Ratliff, Secretary.

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Enterprise News

Friends of Cary Mullins are glad to see him back in school after a recent attack of pneumonia.

We are glad to hear that Miss Mary Burkhalter is steadily improving after her accident. We hope to see her back in school soon.

James Gandy is confined to his home with pneumonia.

The class party at Miss Vivian Silas' Saturday night was a great success, in spite of the weather. Among those present were Lena Mae DeLoach, Lucille Calloway, Lorene Yeargan, Gertie and Betty Donovan, Jewel DeLoach, Agnes Gay, Dawson Tucker, Luke Calloway, Cornelius Hand, Leonard Hand, Marian Tatum, Tom Mims, Claud Tucker and James Griffin. After some interesting games cookies and cocoa were served by the hostess.

The boys expect to go to Mt. Pleasant for a game Friday.

We are glad to hear that the Pierce family is moving back into our community.

The scrap coats the Home Economics girls are making under the direction of Miss Campbell are nearing completion.

Mack Silas and Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Hallman were the week end guests of the Silas family.

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MRS. SOPHENIA WATLEY, AGE 91 DIED AT HOME JANUARY 7TH

Mrs. Sophenia Watley, age 91, died at the home of Steve Pate near Jemison on Wednesday, January 7. The deceased was the widow of Tillman Watley, and is the grandmother of Mrs. W. E. Martin of Clanton. Funeral services were held last Thursday at edar Grove at two-thirty in the afternoon. Martin of Clanton in charge.

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An astronomer asserts that the universe is not as large as was formerly thought. Sharing in the general deflation, probably.

J. W. SISK BELIEVES IN REAL FARM PROGRAM YEAR ROUND

The first part of this week a representative of the News had occasion to talk to J. W. Sisk, a farmer of note of this county who resides about three miles west of Clanton, on Route three. In the conversation it was learned that Mr. Sisk had certainly seen fit to it that his family and livestock would be taken care of at all times.

Mr. Sisk stated that he had enough meat in his smokehouse, enough corn and other feed to take good care of his family and stock. He has two good cows from which he secures an average of three gallons of milk a day. He has two, and always trys to keep on hand two hogs of a fine breed. He has a fine flock of poultry, one good mule, and thirty-five acres of land. From his cows he is able to sell milk and butter in town almost every day, getting about $4.00 per week for this. From his hogs he killed one not long ago and has a splendid supply of meat now. From his chickens he is able to sell fryers and eggs, and is not the type of farmer who sells his eggs and butter in town and carries back to his home some canned goods or meat, or meal.

Mr. Sisk stated that he has something of a farming program that he carries out, and told of his program for the future which, if carried out will no doubt prove profitable. He rotates his crops in such a manner that he eliminates a high cost of fertilizer each year, and emphasized that fact that in his opinion the best bet the farmer now has is to reduce his cotton acreage to a great extent, and start raising something he can use at home. When asked to say in a brief way how he was fixed until the next crop, he stated, "I have got plenty of meat and other home raised food for my family. My cows, hogs and mule will not be in want for the proptr food, as I am fixed for that already, and I manage to sell enough milk, butter, eggs and chickens to take care of most of the rest of the things we have to have, and I am not noticing anything about this the people are calling hard times. I intend to keep working, if able, and keep planning for better farming conditions, and always try to look ahead."

At Mr. Sisk's home his family consists of Mrs. Sisk, a daughter and himself. He has been living in Chilton County for approximately fourteen years, and is a regular subscriber of the Chilton County News.

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R. L. Bayne, who is connected with the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co., of Montgomery, and T. W. Bryan of Clanton made a business trip to Montgomery last Thursday. Mr. Bayne has been engaged in work in Chilton County for his firm, with the assistance of Mr. Bryan.

Billingsley News

Mrs. J. H. Roebuck of Montgomery visited her sister, Mrs. Tom Patrick.

Miss Mary Collier spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Collier in Prattville.

Mrs. W. C. Wilson and little son, W. C., Jr., have returned from Birmingham from visiting relatives.

Mrs. Matt Askins has returned home after a lengthy visit with her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Thompson, of Montgomery, and Mrs. Harmon Davis, at Clanton.

Mrs. J. C. Hughes returned with her sister, Mrs. John Wonder, to Tuscaloosa Wednesday and spent the remainder of the week.

Mr. J. W. Patillo spent Wednesday in Prattville on business.

The friends of Otto Apperson will regret to learn of his illness, a severe attack of flu.

Mrs. W. T. Durden died at her home in Montgomery Friday night, the body was brought here Sunday for burial. Rev. J. W. Mitchell of Brent conducted the funeral at three-thirty o'clock Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Durden were former residents of Billingsley.

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Why There Was No Parade

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 19—There was no parade worthy of the name in the inauguration program today, but the simple passage of Gov.-Elect Miller from his hotel to the capitol was invested with a meaning and significance that great pomp could never bestow. Wherein that significance lies is a story.

Two weeks ago Mayor Gunter, whom tradition and custom made chairman of the inauguration committee, went to Camden with 14 of his associates on the committee to learn from the governor-elect what he wished in the way of ceremony. Tentative plans had been made for a parade of some ostentation. For instance it had been planned to include National Guard units and other groups which would entail a certain expense.

How Judge Miller reacted to these plans was learned yesterday from a member of the mayor's delegation. The governor - elect seemed embarassed when he heard what had been planned and vinced some hesitancy in saying what was on his mind. Finally he made a sort of speech to the delegation, and the members of the committee who told of that conference said Judge Miller's eyes were fringed with tears when he was through. What the governor elect said was something like this:

"Gentlemen, I realize that the people of Montgomery look forward to a spectacle and, speaking for myself, I too, like to see a fine parade. I have a great admiration for our National Guard, and, as governor, I shall have pride in the military of my state. But, gentlemen, since the election hundreds of citizens of this state have visited me here. Some have asked for appointments, some have for other matters, but all have brought word of poor business, and even destitution. What they have told me has made me sad. I am not perturbed by the financial condition of the state government, but I am deeply concerned about the condition of the citizens of the state. With this in my mind I do not feel like consenting to any costly display in connection with my inauguration.

"If I could have my way I would go straight to the capitol, take the oath of office and go to work without any ceremony whatsoever. I shall not ask you to go that far with me, but I want earnestly to request that no expense be incurred for a parade. I have asked for economy in my campaign speeches. I do not want people to be able to say that 'he just wanted economy for others.' And with some of our people going hungry, I do not believe that I could go through with an expensive show on my inauguration day."

Mayor Gunter and his associates were won to the view of the governor-elect. They were impressed with his sincerity and the plans were made accordingly.

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Three Years Ago

From Issue of January 26, 1928

Mrs. Etha Nix Vines died last Sunday night at a Montgomery hospital following a short illness.

The Robinson Department Store will soon occupy the former stand of the Alred Mercantile Company.

Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Green spent last Friday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Walker and baby spent Thursday in Montgomery.

Miss Margie Murphy spent the week end at home here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hanson of Lock 12 were in Clanton last Saturday.

Mr. John Deramus was a visitor here from Selma Saturday.

Mr. Luther Foshee made a business trip to Birmingham Monday.

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MULES FOR SALE

MULES—Five good farm mules for sale cheap. See R. W. Lowe at South Clanton, if interested. 1-22-1tp

TELEPHONE BOARD OF DIRECTORS WELL PLEASED WITH CONDITIONS

The Board of Directors of the Peoples Telephone Company met in a called meeting in Clanton Tuesday of this week. After attending to some business matters, the Board took a kind of view of conditions of the system, and expressed themselves as very much pleased with the prospects of the company for the coming year.

More work has been done on the lines in the country for the past three weeks than has been done before in three years; and people are now able to get central service who have not usd their phones in months. Phoneholders on other lines are now engaged in getting their phones and lines in order. New posts have been purchased by the company to be used inside the corporate limits of Clanton, and Mr. Lome Giles, the linesman and operator, is working on the lines in Clanton and getting them in better shape.

Several paid up their dues last week; but there are still others who need to pay. After last Saturday, if you have not paid your central fees, you will not be allowed service through the central; so the Board of Directors urges all phone holders to pay your fees at once, so that you may get a full years' service.

O. R. ROBINSON, President.
T. E. WYATT, Secretary.

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MT. PLEASANT PLAYS ENTERPRISE SCHOOL

On next Friday, January 23, the fast Enterprise Junior High School basket ball team meets the Mt. Pleasant team on the Mt. Pleasant court.

These teams are evenly matched, as they have divided two games thus far this season. Mt. Pleasant won the first 10 to 4 and Enterprise the second 12 to 6. A keen friendly rivalry exists between these two teams, and naturally the boys are going to exert their best to get the lead on the other.

The weather being suitable, we will play at 2:45 p.m. before the largest crowd yet gathered at the Mt. Pleasant court. Everyone is invited to see this thriller. Come. The teams are loaded for each other.

Mt. Pleasant Junior High School will go to Baker Junior High School next Thursday afternoon, January 22, to compete in a spelling bee. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. The match begins at 1 p. m.

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DR. NAPOLEON JOHNSON CONFINED TO B'HAM HOSPITAL

Dr. Napoleon Johnson has been confined to a Birmingham hospital for several days in preparation for an operation. It was learned that the operation was to have been performed yesterday, and the News at this time, had not received a report as to Dr. Johnson's condition.

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Perhaps, after all, President Hoover's Senate foes are his greatest political asset.

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School girls may not have a special aptitude for history, but they can usually remember dates.

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

The men of the city are invited to join the Wesley Bible Class. J. D. Armstrong and Macey Jones have been selected as team captains, and there is going to be something doing. All the departments of the school are taking on new life. Come and bring the family.

If you want to hear a simple, helpful Christian message be with us at both hours next Sunday. Sunday night we want you to come and hear, "The lessons from the postage stamp." We need you. You should have been there last Sunday night to witness and to enjoy the music of our young people.

If you have no church home, our door is open to you and we want you to come.

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Bishop W. N. Ainsworth will be in Selma on Thursday and Friday of this week. It will be remembered that Bishop Ainsworth preached in Clanton in November, dedicating the local Methodist church at that time. The occasion of his visit to Selma will be to meet with the preachers and one layman from each charge in the Selma and Greensboro districts. Rev. D. W. Haskew and W. M. Polk will attend this spiritual conference, representing the Clanton church.

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TWO CASES TRIED IN MAYOR LEE SMITH'S COURT MONDAY

There were two cases to come before Mayor Lee Smith' in city court last Monday morning. Jinks Pearson, negro was tried for public drunkenness, it was stated, and found not guilty. G. R. Culver was tried on charges of violating the Prohibition Law, and petty larceny, according to information. It was stated that Culver was arrested on January 21st by Officer Sherrod. He made bond and was released to appear in court Monday morning, at which time his case was continued until next Monday.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to the many neighbors and friends who gave of their sympathy and services at the time of the loss of our daughter. These kind words and deeds and the beautiful floral offerings were deeply appreciated.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Franz and Family.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest appreciation for the many words and deeds of kindness received during the recent illness and death of our brother Monroe Atchison. And also to thank those who sent such beautiful floral offering. May God's richest blessings be on each of you.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. Z. Atchison and Family.

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France plans to spend $1,550,000 during 1931-32 for reconstruction of roads devastated in the World War.

SHOTGUN SHELLS

We Have Reduced Our Prices On All Winchester Shotgun Shells

Come In And Get A Supply At These New Prices

Building Materials of All Kinds

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News Is Awarded Loving Cup For Outstanding Merit of Service

REPORT SHOWS FEATURES OF NEWS SERVICE

Honor Of Victor Hanson Cup Falls To Chilton County For First Time,

Bringing to Clanton and Chilton County the second honor for distinguished service from a newspaper in the State of Alabama in the past year, the Chilton County News was awarded the coveted Victor Hanson Loving Cup at the mid-winter meeting of the Alabama Press Association held in Montgomery last Saturday at the Greystone Hotel.

The Victor Hanson award is made possible through Victor H. Hanson, publisher of The Birmingham News and The Birmingham Age-Herald, and is awarded to some weekly newspaper in Alabama each year through the Alabama Press Association for performing distinguished service to the community or county in which it is published.

Every weekly newspaper in Alabama, totalling 129, was advised of the award to be made this year of this cup, information of which was sent out by the Committee on Awards, composed of men learned in the newspaper field. This information stated, " . . . . the main question is quality and quantity of service in determining the newspaper which has done the most for its readers." The first distinction of this kind the Chilton County News brought to this county was being named in the All-Alabama Eleven, the eleven outstanding weeklies in Alabama, this list having been given out last August, and selected by prominent men in the jour-

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District Sunday School Meeting At Alpine

There will be a District Sunday School Convention at the Alpine Baptist Church on Sunday, February 1st, beginning at two o'clock in the afternoon, according to W. J. Patrick, associate superintendent. Following is the program for this meeting:

2:00 P. M. Devotional, Timothy 2:15 by J. L. Moore.

2:15 Reports of all schools in district.

2:35 A full explanation of Standard of Excellence by T. L. Patrick and Jim Bentley.

3:05 The Pastor's Obligation to Train the Officers and Teachers, by Rev. J. C. Hill.

3:20 Effective Ways of Getting Training Done in Schools, by Mrs. J. C. Hughes.

3:35 The Convention Normal Course, by G. T. Dickinson.

3:50 Adjourn.

W. J. PATRICK,
Associate Supt.

VISITING DAYS AT COUNTY JAIL POINTED OUT BY NEW SHERIFF

A limit in regard to visiting days at the county jail in Clanton has been called to the attention of the public, by Sheriff W. H. Gillespie.

Hereafter, stated Sheriff Gillespie, visiting days at the jail will be on Mondays and Fridays only.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Jordan of Shelby spent last Sunday with Mrs. J. H. Williams here.

"MELODY PALS" TO APPEAR IN CONCERT AT THORSBY SCHOOL

"The Melody Pals" who are becoming favorites in this county through their singing and playing will appear in concert at the Thorsby Junior High School on next Friday night, January 30th, at seven-thirty o'clock, according to an announcement given the News.

These singers of old time and popular songs, became well known while appearing on programs of various broadcasting stations, and appeared at the Stanton school auditorium recently, before a large audience. Proceeds from the entertainment tomorrow night will go to the Thorsby P.-T. A.

KIWANIS CLUB OBSERVES THIRD ANNIVERSARY

Entertaining Program Given Last Thursday Night At Church

Commemorating their third year of service to Clanton and Chilton County, the Clanton Kiwanis Club observed this occasion with a special program at the Baptist church last Thursday night.

This occasion also was in observance of the sixteenth anniversary of Kiwanis International, and coupled with this, Ladies Night. Twenty-nine guests were included in the large number attending this special program.

The program opened with invocation by the Rev. D. W. Haskew, of Clanton. Followed by introduction of all guests. C. E. Stapp, Lieut.—Governor of this district gave a brief outline of the history of Kiwanis International. Dr. S. J. Ezell spoke commenting on a recent address by R. M. Crosland, president of Kiwanis International. Mack Wyatt addressed the assembly impressively on the objects of Kiwanis, unfolding in a most clear manner what Kiwanis is for.

One of the features of the program was a surprise arranged by Mrs. C. E. Stapp, county welfare superintendent, in which Kiwanian Erle Thomas played the part of a baby, lost and found. A report of the recent meeting in Montgomery of district trustees was given by Kiwanian W. M. Polk, local district trustee, and a talk was made by Massey Edgar, representative from Washing-

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ROSE BOWL BALL GAME SHOWN HERE THIS WEEK

Wadesonian Theatre To Present Showing of Alabama-Washington Game

The management of the Wadesonian Theatre has announced that the motion picture of the football game between the University of Alabama and Washington State College, which was played at Rose Bowl, in Pasedena, California, will be shown here Friday and Saturday of this week.

The showing of this film will be quite a treat for theatre-goers and others of this section, and those who can will be asked to see this picture Friday night if possible. In connection with this, will be shown "Sage Brush Politics."

Progress And Future Development Possibilities of Chilton County to be Shown in Special Edition

Work of compiling and publishing what will be known as the "Chilton County Booster Edition" of the Chilton County News is underway. This forthcoming edition of this newspaper will have embodied in it the coming realization of the dream of the Southland, a land of promise, of activities and developments, backed by the magic touch of genius to bring its possibilities into the fullness of realization.

Alabama is one of the outstanding industrial and agricultural states in the Union, and is destined to become one of the chief sources of many supplies for the entire nation, and the eyes of the nation are on it.

With Chilton County located in the heart of the state, and in the heart of these industrial and agricultural activities, it could be truthfully said that the eyes of this state are on Chilton County, one of the most progressive counties in the state, with 33,000 thrifty and progressive people who are taking advantage of every opportunity afforded for advancement and development.

The coming "Chilton County Booster Edition" of this newspaper will bring out these facts that this immediate territory is destined to become one of the most progressive in Alabama, and point out its many steps of progress in re-

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Award For Community Service

The Victor Hanson Loving Cup, awarded to the Chilton County News for performing the most distinguished service to its constituents in 1929-30. The award was made Saturday, January 24, at the Greystone Hotel in Montgomery.

Poultry Car Brings $2,600 To County

The Cooperative Poultry car which came through Chilton County the past week. went away loaded with approximately 19,400 pounds of poultry, secured at Verbena, Clanton and Jemison.

For this amount of poultry, there was approximately $2,600 in cash paid farmers of the county at the car door for this poultry, according to information received from the office of the County Agent here.

TOM PARRISH REPRESETING WELL KNOWN CLOTHING CO.

Announcement has been made that Thomas M. Parrish is now connected with the Scheuer Bros. & Company, wholesale dry goods and notions concern of Montgomery.

Mr. Parrish is well known in Chilton County, having been in the dry goods business here for some time. Representing this concern, Mr. Parrish will cover eleven counties in the state. The Scheuer Company is said to be one of the largest and oldest of its kind in the state.

Local Composed Play Will Be Presented

"The Legacy" a play which combines comedy, drama, and tragedy, and one which has been written and is being directed by a member of the faculty at Stanton school is to be presented at Stanton school on next Saturday evening, January 31st, at seven-thirty. The setting of the story is laid around the home of Cecily DeLane, the orphan girl who is to receive on her eighteenth birthday a legacy of $15,000.00, which her father left for her. "Temptation" and "Crime" working through Cecily's Aunt try to swindle the girl out of her inheritance, but ———.

Come and see the climax of this modern day story for yourself. Admission ten and twenty cents.

LEON SANFORD GOES TO JOB IN MONTG'M'RY BARBER SHOP

One of Clanton's popular young barbers left last Tuesday for Montgomery where he will operate one of the chairs in the Mancil Barber Shop. Leon has been with the Exchange Barber Shop in Clanton for the past two years where he has gained friends and customers right along. He is the son of Walter Sanford, a well known and one of the oldest barbers in the county.

Dr. Barton To Speak To Assembly Here

There will be a joint meeting of the Executive Committee of the Chilton and Unity Baptist Associations at the Clanton Baptist church on Friday afternoon, January 30, at two o'clock, according to an announcement given the News this week.

Dr. L. E. Barton, secretary of the State Board of Missions will speak to this assembly, and this is to be followed by a separate conference of the two committees.

It was also stated that it was very much desired for all pastors and a representative from each church of the two Associations be present at this meeting.

PAY POLL TAX BEFORE FEB. 1 TO BECOME VOTER DURING 1931

If you wish to vote on any question that may come before the public for votes during the coming year, you will have to pay your poll tax and qualify before February 1st, according to information that is generally known. The time is getting short for this to be done.

COUNTY P.-T. A. TO MEET ON FEB. 7TH

The Chilton County Parent-Teachers Association is scheduled to hold a meeting on Saturday, February 7th, according to Miss Cora Belle Maddox of the Isabella High School, who is president of the organization.

The meeting will be held at the Maplesville High School, in Maplesville, Alabama, beginning at ten o'clock in the morning. All local P.-T. A. organizations are urged to send their presidents to this meeting. Miss Maddox stated that she would like to have as many reports from the various local organizations made at this meeting as possible.

Those who expect to attend this meeting are requested to bring a picnic lunch as it will be an all-day meeting.

EX-SERVICE MEN CALLED TO MEET HERE MONDAY NIGHT

All ex-service men of Chilton County are requested and urged to attend a meeting of the local post of the American Legion to be held at the courthouse in Clanton next Monday night, February 2, at seven-thirty o'clock.

At this meeting there will be some important discussions concerning the cash bonus for ex-service men of the county.

International Harvester Co., To Celebrate Reaper Anniversary

MRS. J. H. WILLIAMS OPENS MILLINERY DEPARTMENT HERE

An announcement that will no doubt be received with interest throughout this county is that of the opening of a millinery department at the Chicago Sales Company in Clanton.

This added service of this store will be operated by Mrs. J. H. Williams, a milliner of wide experience. Mrs. Williams was formerly connected with The Fair, a popular ladies-ready-to-wear store of this place. She has had many years experience in this work and extends an invitation to her friends to visit her in her new location at the Chicago Sales Company store

TWO CHILDREN DIE SUDDENLY OF POISONING

Third Conaway Child In Hospital Suffering From Mysterious Poison Effects

Eunice Lee Conway, age 4, and Mary Fay Conaway age 2, died last week from effects of poisoning, said by attending physicians at the Central Alabama Hospital here to have been lead poison. Jerome Conaway, age 4, was dismissed from the hospital Tuesday, where he had been confined for several days suffering from the same effects.

The two dead are the children of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Conaway of the Isabella Community, and Jerome is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Conaway of the same community. Both families are widely known throughout this county as prominent in farming activities.

According to the report given the News, the two who were fatally poisoned had eaten some syrup from an old bucket they had found, and had possibly invited Jerome to join them. Mary Fay was the first to succumb to the poison, followed by Eunice Lee. They were ill only a few days. Eunice Lee died last Friday morning at the hospital here, and Mary Fay died the day before at her home

Contents of the syrup bucket were sent to the State Department of Health for an analysis, and at the time of this writing, no report had been received, it was stated

Funeral services for Eunice Lee and Mary Fay were held last Friday, jointly, at Mulberry

CHEST DRIVE REPORTS ARE BEING SENT IN

Jackson Chapel Community First To File Full Report With Committee

Reports from the various communities and towns in Chilton County are coming in at intervals, according to the office of the Welfare Superintendent of this county, in a statement given out this week.

The Jackson Chapel community was the first to send in a report of their efforts toward the Chest Fund Drive of the county. This community contributed very generously toward this worthy cause. They sent in a good supply of second-hand clothing, a nice

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SPECIAL FILM WILL BE SHOWN LOCAL THEATRE

Public Invited To See Replica Of Original McCormick-Deering Reaper

Saturday, February 7th, has been set as the gala day for the International Harvester Company to celebrate the One Hundredth Anniversary of the McCormick reaper. A full outline of the program for this day in Clanton may be found elsewhere in this [illegible] C. E. Hornsby Co., local McCormick-Deering dealers extend a cordial invitation to the people of this [illegible] see the special motion picture [illegible] McCormick reaper at the Wadesonian Theatre on the date named. No charge will be made for admission

One hundred years ago, 1831, Cyrus Hall McCormick [illegible] fully tried the world's first reaper at Steel's Tavern, Virginia. It was [illegible] of the present day a very crude affair, but really contained practically [illegible] basic principle of the present grain [illegible] hay machine The invention of the reaper stands along with Eli Whitney's invention, the cotton gin, as one of the basic patents of agriculture. After the reaper, if not directly from it came the long line of machines whereby agriculture has been changed from the sheerest drudgery to the greatest of all industries—the machines that have conquered wilderness and desert, built new empires, founded new civilizations, set millions of men free to create new industries, converted yesterday's luxury into today's commonplace of comfort

Historians have hailed the invention of the reaper as a prime factor in the great westward movement, the develop

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Date For County Play Day Is Set

The date for the county [illegible] Play Day, or Field Day has been definitely set, according to an announcement given out following a meeting of the Play Day Committee at the Grammar School last Saturday in Clanton

The date for this county-wide event has been set for March 13th, all day. The scene of the activities of the day will be at the county high school, where all schools in the county will display work done during the present school term

One of the special features will be the County Spelling Bee, in which winners in high school contests over the county will compete for the trip to Jacksonville to enter the district contest for the best speller, on March 21 A parade will also be staged in which every school will be represented, carrying a banner designating each one. Further plans from the committee will be published from time to time, it was stated.

MISS CALLIE WATTS TO GO TO EASTERN MARKETS SOON

Miss Callie Watts is leaving this week end to visit millinery and dress markets. While away she will have the advantage of show rooms from Baltimore, New York, Chicago and St. Louis.

Miss Watts has recently come to Clanton to operate The Watts Hat and Dress Shoppe, at The Fair.

New Sheriff Asks For The Cooperation Of Citizens of County In Enforcing Law

Jan. 26, 1931.

Editor Chilton County News:

Please allow me space in your paper to say that as Sheriff of the County it will be my duty to enforce all laws. and I am again pledging the people of the County that if an all wise and merciful God will give me health and strength I am going to enforce all the Laws impartially and to the full extent of my ability, but from my long and varied experience as an enforcement Officer, I know and realize that if I make a success in trying to enforce the Law I have got to have the cooperation and support of the good people of the County, and for that reason I am appealing to the good and Law abiding citizenship of the County who believe in good government and who believe in trying to make condition better for the boys and girls of our county, to give me their full cooperation and support.

In conclusion I wish to say to all the people of the County regardless of politics, religion or your financial standing, I will appreciate you visiting the Sheriff's Office and furnishing me or any of my deputies any information that you may have in regard to any violations of the Laws anywhere in the County, and I will positively assure

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MT. PLEASANT WINS OVER BAKER JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

On last Thursday afternoon the Junior High Department of the Mt. Pleasant school motored down to Baker, Jr., High where a lively and interesting "Old Time Spelling Bee" was staged.

After several hundred words were given out, Mt. Pleasant finally emerged victorious, but not until a brisk struggle was put up by three 'crack' spellers from Baker.

The contest ended with two of Mt. Pleasant's spellers standin. Renfro Price and Eunice Holley were those two. For Baker Junior High Miss Lois Baker was last to go down. After spelling many complex and troublesome words she was given the word 'Ligament' which proved the downfall of the Baker school.

The sides were apparently evenly matched as the number on the floor at different intervals of the contest were about the same.

Mrs. Strock, the Junior High assistant at Baker, alternating with Mr. Johnson, principal of Mt. Pleasant, gave out the words.

The spirit, interest and good sportsmanship manifested by both schools was highly noticeable, and to be commended.

As soon as the Mt. Pleasant group arrived, they quickly assembled and gave several school yells. They then marched in, bearing their school colors, gold and black, and lined up opposite the Baker group, and the battle was on. The rules used in this contest are practically those set down for the County-Wide Spelling Bee, sponsored by the Jacksonville State Normal, which will be held in this County in March.

Mt. Pleasant hopes to have the Baker School as their guests within the next few days. Watch for announcements and the date, and try to be present, for these two schools spelling against each other will assure most anyone two hours of wholesome enjoyment.

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Harry, wearing his first pair of pants went down town to see his father. After daddy had told him what a big man he was, he asked him if he would like a nickel. Harry replied:

"Well, it makes a feller feel better to have a little money in his pockets."

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

We ran over ourselves last Sunday with a record-breaking crowd at Sunday school and church. There were ten young men in C. E. Stapp's class, and the Men's Bible class had 26 present. Watch these two classes grow.

Next Sunday we have the Holy Communion, followed by a short sermon by the pastor. You need to hear about "Christ being all and in all." Come Sunday night at seven o'clock and hear about "God's Insurance Company."

There were thirty-one young people Sunday night in the League service. Our Leaguers have a splendid ball court back of the church and they are making use of it.

Miss Callie Watts, Mrs. Ida Arnold and Louise Arnold joined the church with us last Sunday. Methodism is growing in Clanton. We have a friendly people, and they will make you happy in your Christian life if you will only worship with them.

The special Bible study course begun last Monday was well attended. If you want to follow Christ in the harmony of the gospels, meet with us next Monday afternoon at three o'clock.

If you are a member of the Methodist church elsewhere, let the pastor get your church Certificate and place it in the local church. If you are not a member of any church, form the habit of worshiping with us.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to our many friends and relatives for their kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our husband and father. We especially thank Dr. Eiland and undertaker, Mr. J. Mell Martin.

—Mrs. Alfred Popwell and Children.

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SCHOOL EXPENDITURES YET SMALL

According to a recent research bulletin of the National Education Association, the American people spend $2.74 for public schools out of each $100.00 of income. At the same time, there is invested in school buildings $1.55 out of each $100.00 of public wealth as expressed in tangible property.

Sardis News

Friends of little Miss Orchard Pounds are very sorry to hear of her recent illness of pneumonia. But she is on the improvement list now, and her schoolmates hope she will soon be back in school.

On last Thursday morning the Death Angel visited the home of Mrs. Gladys Short and took away a loving husband and father. Mr. B. F. Short was ill several days. He leaves to mourn his death a loving widow, two small children, mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Short, two sister, Mrs. Mary Hayes and Miss Ida Short, seven brothers, Johhnie, Monroe, Fred, Irvin, Vardaman, Erle and Elbert Short.

Mr. B. F. Short was loved by all who knew him. There was a large crowd to pay their last respects. Rev. Homer Carroll conducted the funeral services. The remains were laid to rest in Sardis cemetery Friday at eleven o'clock.

Mr. B. F. Short was born and reared in Sardis community. He was twenty-seven years of age.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. Fannie Short is better today. We are greatly in sympathy with her.

Mrs. Zora Headley of this community is ill, but we are glad to say that she is better, and the baby is doing nicely.

Miss Eva Klinner of Birmingham spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virge Klinner.

Mr. Carlos Ratliff and Mr. Charlie Sansom were the guests of Mr. Kent Minor Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Ratliff motored from Selma Sunday and spent the day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff.

Mr. Willie Bovar was the guests of Miss Alphia Ratliff Sunday.

Miss Arie Ratliff was the guest of Miss Melda Sansom Sunday.

Mr. Oscar Klinner and family motored from Selma today and spent the day with his father, Mr. Bill Klinner.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Deason and children spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. John Huston near Maplesville.

Miss Alphia Ratliff and Mr. Willie Bavar, Mr. Carlos Ratliff, Mr. Charlie Sansom and T. J. Ratliff visited with Miss Ethel Gentry Sunday.

Miss Arie Ratliff, Miss Melda Sansom, Miss May Sansom visited Miss Ida Short Sunday afternoon.

—A Reader.

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Rural School Leaders Encouraged

Governor B. M. Miller's pronouncement upon education in the inaugural address has had heartening effect upon rural school leaders, according to Superintendent B. Lawrence of this county. The governor places education in primary position and makes it plain that additional funds for improvement must be provided through economy and through shifting of state appropriations to this point of necessity. In his platform and in his most recent statement, Governor Miller has aligned himself definitely with the most progressive school influences in the state, his views being in accord with the program recommended by the American Legion of Alabama and by the association of county superintendents of education. These state-wide organizations both asked for school relief along four specific lines: the provision of nine-months school terms in certain rural centers of each county where school spirit will support such, the appropriation of an adequate school transportation fund, an increase in the rural school building fund, and the elimination of all necessity for tuition fees.

"The public finds it hard to realize," says our local county school head, "that enrollments, building expense, school trucks, and the ever increasing demand by the people for better things educationally has caused the 1927 estimates for even the seven-month minimum term to be far outrun. In 1930, 2,198 school trucks carried 66,499 school children at an expense of $1,418,584 in Alabama; and all this money had to come from funds needed for longer terms and teachers' salaries, since no financial provision for transportation has ever been made by the state legislature. Last year $537,953 was paid by school patrons of our state as tuition fees, most of the amount being paid in rural districts least able to meet such a necessity. These things merely indicate the pressing need for school relief at many points."

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More Profit In Hogs Than Cotton

"Hogs for market are more profitable at present than cotton," reports F. W. Gist, statistician of the Department of Agriculture, who says that "One-third of the farmers are of necessity singing 'Nine cent cotton and 20 cent meat' while two-thrids have no pigs for next year's meat and six out of ten have no sows to breed from."

Commenting upon the fact that "with cotton at 77 per cent of its 1910-1914 price and hogs at 114 farmers can not grow cotton to buy meat," Mr. Gist said.

"Sixty-one per cent of the farmers in the state have no brood sow, 66 per cent had no pigs, and 32 per cent had no hogs for pork, in November last. One-third of our farmers are of necessity singing "Nine cent cotton and 20 cent meat," while two-thirds have no pigs for next year's meat and six out of ten have no sows to breed from. In the shortage of brood sows and pigs northern counties are seen to be outstanding, in some of them more than 90 per cent of farmers reporting none. With cotton at 77 per cent of its 1910-1914 price and hogs at 114 farmers can not grow cotton to buy meat. And certainly hogs for market are more profitable at present prices than cotton?"

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MANY TEACHERS BELOW STANDARD

The Alabama School Journal for January reports that 41 per cent of Alabama teachers are below the minimum standards accepted as essential; namely, two full years of training beyond high school for those who are to instruct elementary children and four years of training above high school for those who would teach in secondary schools.

These standards are modest; and the fact that any large number of our teachers can not meet them should cause the average citizen to think. When we consider the training required of doctors, lawyers, dentists, ministers, and others who must deal with body and mind, the fact comes home to us that the lady who shapes the mental reactions of our little children should be one who has been exposed to the very best lines of thought.

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ANNUAL MEETING CHILTON COUNTY W. M. U. IS HELD

The annual meeting of the Chilton County W. M. U. was held on last Thursday, January 22, at the Thorsby Baptist church. Pleasant weather added greatly to the success of the meeting and a large crowd was in attendance, for a very splendid program.

At the eleven o'clock hour, the Rev. J. W. Jones delivered a fine message to the gathering, using as his main topic "That the World May Know." Mrs. Gresham Lowery led the devotional for the afternoon session.

New officers were elected at this meetin, also.

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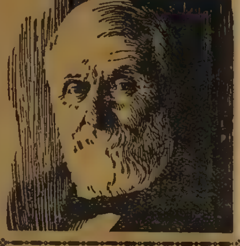

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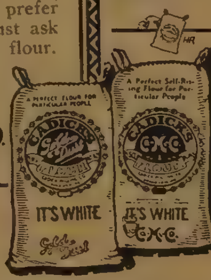
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Tudor Sedan	490	495	5
Fordor Sedan	590	600	10
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Cabriolet	595	625	30
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"I suffered intense pain in my head and back. At times I would have to hold to something to steady myself, so as to do my little work. I was worried about my condition.

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Airplane Became News Twenty-Five Years Ago

During the coming year, newspapers and magazines throughout the United States will celebrate the 25th anniversary of the date when the airplane was first recognized as news.

It was in 1906 that Collier's Weekly commissioned Jimmy Hare, its famous photographer, to become the world's first airplane photographer, and that the magazine's owner-editor, Robert J. Collier, became himself the first airplane correspondent and special writer on aviation.

Collier became the first private flyer and owner of an airplane, and his journalistic interest in the Wright Brothers led him to join with August Belmont and others in the formation of the Wright Airplane Company. He was one of the founders and first presidents of the Aero Club of America. He furnished the plane used for the first air mail, and was himself the first pilot to deliver naval orders to a warship.

Twenty-five years ago, although the Wright's obscure experiments at Kitty Hawk had been going on for three years, the world first awoke to the realization that human flying was not, after all, a physical impossibility.

The Collier trophy, awarded annually for the greatest development in aviation, was founded by him in 1911. Its recipients since that time include Glenn Curtiss, Elmer Sperry, Sterling Burgess, Grover Loening and Charles L. Lawrence. Curtiss received it for his automatic stabilizer, Sperry for his gyroscopic control, and Burgess and Loening for work with flying boats, and Lawrence for the development of the air cooled engine. Last year the trophy went to the National Committee on Aeronautics for its development of motor cowling or stream-lined facing which added many miles per hour to stock speeds.

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Don't throw away your Christmas Seals because Christmas is past. Keep them working till you have used your supply.

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People who weather an attack of tuberculosis in youth live happily to advanced age if they learn that tuberculosis will not tolerate strain. All through life they must avoid overwork, overplay and all excess.

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Don't lose your taste for outdoors just because it's January.

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News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

Little Henry Villadsen, who is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. T. W. Robinson, has the measles.

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Mr. Arthur Villadsen of Tuscaloosa spent the week end with his wife who is visiting her family here, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

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Mrs. Donald Merchant has accepted a position as teacher in Thomas Junior High for the rest of this school year. This school is located below Clanton.

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Last Saturday night a very appreciative audience at Thorsby Institute listened to the program given by the Scottish Concert Company. The company was dressed in Scottish kilts, and rendered Scottish songs, piano music, folk dances and bag-pipe music. This was the second number of the Lyceum program.

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Semester examinations at Thorsby Institute take place Thursday and Friday of this week. The second semester will begin February 2. Anyone planning to enter regular classes or to take music should see the registrar, Mr. Maddox, this week if possible.

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Next Saturday at three o'clock at the Dining Hall Miss Thoroman's music students will give a recital. Each music pupil is allowed to invite two. The Trustees' wives and the teachers of the Institute are also invited.

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Thorsby Institute played the basket ball team of the Birmingham Fifteenth Avenue Baptist Sunday School Saturday morning, January 24, on the local court. Three features marked the game, the close guarding of the T. I. boys, their inability to hit the basket, and their last minute victory. The score was 8 to 7 in favor of Thorsby.

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Mrs. Russell Peterson, who was married the latter part of December was complimented at a miscellaneous shower by her sister, Mrs. Clyde Meade, at her home on last Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 P. M.

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Mrs. Meade was in charge of the features of this party which were the following: Mrs. Zack Appleton rendered a reading entitled, "Our First Meal." Mrs. P. K. Villadsen won the prize in the Wishing Contest. Little Helen Louise Meade, neice of the bride and Marion Joyce Howard were dressed like dirty little country boys. They brought the gifts in on little wagons. Cake, cookies, doughnuts, and cocoa were served to about thirty-five guests.

Miss Bess Marie Eiland of Mt. Pleasant is the guest of Miss Frances Wilson for several days.

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Mrs. Earl Meade spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Meade.

Mrs. D. M. Paxon who has been visiting in Birmingham for the past week returned to her home Saturday.

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Mrs. Haryy Thompson of Birmingham spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mr. Kenneth O'Barr who has been in Birmingham for a week or two returned home Monday.

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Miss Ruth Gerald of Birmingham spent the past week end at home.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Robinson of Lay Dam were the guests of Mrs. Robinson's parents for the past week end, Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Littleton have moved to the Swanson place.

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Miss Ruth Peterson of Birmingham spent the past week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Peterson.

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The Parent - Teachers Association will meet with Mrs. McDonald Pearson Friday aftefnoon at two o'clock.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Moody of Birmingham spent the week end visiting Mrs. Moody's mother, Mrs. H. M. Garald.

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Rev. J. E. Each went to Mt. Creek Sunday to deliver a sermon. He was accompanied by his son, William.

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The Sunday School Council of the Thorsby Congregational Church met last Tuesday afternoon at the church and elected the following officers for the Sunday School to serve through the year of 1931: Mrs. H. M. Gerald, Superintendent; Rev. J. E. Each, assistant superintendent; Mr. Gerald Smith, chorister; Mr. Ronald Lucas, secretary; Mr. William Each, assistant secretary; Mr. C. C. Peterson, treasurer; Mrs. J. E. Each, home department and cradle roll; Mrs. Mixon, organist.

Mr. Lewis Hester of Birmingham spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. Jim Collins.

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Mr. T. A. McCollum and sister, Comila Mac, Fred Boyd and Miss Janie Kelly and Mr. Hughes took Sunday dinner with Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Each.

Mr. and Mrs. Mixon has a new radio installed in their home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Aikens Collins have returned home from Panama City, Fla.

The Sewing Circle met at Mrs. E W. Butler's Monday afternoon.

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Mrs. Rick Franklin had a quilting party Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Laurell, Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Norton and Mrs. Gerald went to Birmingham Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Mims gave a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of their daughter, Mrs. Sam Pate.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones spent Monday in Montgomery.

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Mr and Mrs. Tom Strain of Fairfield were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Smith Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Earle Collins spent Friday night with Mr. Collin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Collins.

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Mr. and Mrs. Julius Smith had as their dinner guests Monday evening the following: Mrs. Smiths parents, Mr and Mrs. Perry Gore and her brothers, Clyde and Claude, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Collins, and Mr. and Mrs. Z. Y. Appleton of Collins Chapel.

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Mrs. Doc Ward was the hostess to a Bridge Party given at her home Friday evening. Mrs. Mac Gray won the high score for the Ladies and Mr. Mac Gray won high score for the men. Ham sandwiches, cake and punch weer served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Mac Gray, Mrs. Rick Franklin, Miss Catherine Foss, Mr. and Mrs Frank Thompson and Dr. and Mrs. Wood.

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Miss Wilma Goodgame took Sunday dinner with Miss Sallye Thompson.

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Misses Ethel and Sallye Thompson spent Monday afternoon in Clanton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Thompson Sunday.

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Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood spent Monday in Birmingham.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ruffin of Clanton spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard.

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Miss Naemi Turnquist and Miss Kate Rodgers of Selma were week end visitors in Thorsby.

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Mr. Swanson, Rolf, Fred Howard, Ernie Hanson and J. O. Johnson left Tuesday morning for Milton, Fla., on a fishing trip.

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Misses Gracie and Gladys Smith who have been victims of the measles returned to school Monday.

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Miss Marion Fairbank is going to Birmingham Thursday to hear the Carlton College Symphony Band from Northfield, Minnesota. The Business Womens Club of Birmingham is responsible for this treat.

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Mrs. Fred Howard and two daughters, Mabel and Lucile, spent Monday in Birmingham.

Mr. Leonard Lowery, two sons, L. C. and Horace, Mr. Herbert Lowery and Mr. Gresham Lowery, went to Birmingham Monday.

Mrs. Lee Pate and Mrs. H. L. Walker went to Montgomery Friday shopping.

Mrs. Mac Gray has for her guests for a few days her mother, Mrs. A. B. Coley, and aunt, Mrs. Roebuck, of Prattville.

Miss Mary Nell Jones of Clanton was the week end visitor of Miss Lois Thompson.

Miss Catherine Foss spent the week end in Clanton visiting Miss Helen Diefenderfer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bentley spent Tuesday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Collins were the spend-the-day guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson Sunday.

Little Calvin Pate was host to his birthday party at his home Monday afternoon at 3:30 Various games were played. Harps weer given as souvenirs to the boys present and little dolls with a bottle to the girls present. Lemonade, ice cream, candy and cake were served to the following: Mary Margaret Mims, Marie Each, Clementine Pearson, Peggy Mims Franklin, Imogene Lowery, Antionette Merchant, John Flyod Mims, Lamar Smith, Melton and Melvin O'Barr, and Calvin Pate. Calvin was six years old.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bentley have a new radio installed in their home.

Miss Bertha Littleton of Birmingham was the week end guest of her sister, Mrs. Emmett Billingsley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Maddox spent the week end with Mr. Maddox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maddox, of Pates Chapel.

Miss Roberta Collins of South Thorsby is spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. George Freeman of Randolph.

Master Sam Bentley was the champion button seller at the Thorsby Public School. The school raised eleven dollars and twenty cents. Sam sold almost as many buttons as all the rest together.

Master Ira Martin won a prize of one dollar for being the champion flavoring seller. He sold seventeen bottles.

There will be a musical concert given at the Thorsby Public School on Friday night, January 30, given by the Melody Pals, consisting of Luke Denton, Gresham Lowery, Norville Hall. This is under the auspices of the P.-T.-A. Admission 15c and 25c.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson spent Tuesday in Birmingham.

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Dudley Epperson, a mail carrier of Central City, Ia., who retired at the end of 28 years, figured out that he had walked 309,935 miles, had worn out 60 horses and seven automobiles.

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Because of hard times, Norman Emmons, a convict who fled from the Leesbuhg, N. J. prison farm three years ago, recently returned of his own accord.

It will be easy for Nettie B. Fried of Seattle to become used to her bridal name as she recently married Emil B. Fries.

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While a passenger train paused for 57 minutes at New London, Conn., a daughter was born in one of the coaches to Mrs. Leroy R. Lamb of New Haven.

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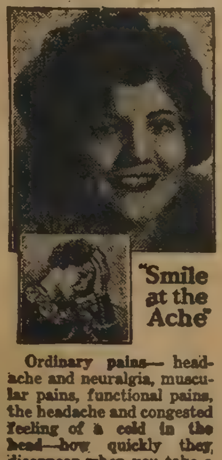

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This award was for distinguished service rendered to Clanton, Chilton County and the people here, during the years of 1929 and 1930, and was made by a committee composed of Grover C. Hall, editor of The Montgomery Advertiser, P. O. Davis, editor Alabama Polytechnic Institute and Howard C. Smith, noted feature writer. These men are seen in the spotlight of the high type of learned journalists. During the years covered by this award, the Chilton County News was owned by J. B. Atkinson, attorney of Clanton, and a figure in state affairs. It was through his cooperative efforts that this newspaper has grown and prospered and much credit is due him for giving this service through the columns of the Chilton County News, to the people of this county.

Still, with this in mind, we do not hesitate to say that we fully realize that it was the cooperation of those citizens of this county mentioned, and their interest in this newspaper that has aided the News to render this distinguished service to the people. The Chilton County News has been published with the interest of Clanton and Chilton County and sound democratic principles as its guiding lights, and will continue in the future to strive and push forward with this interest still at heart.

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Farm Plans For 1931

Within a few weeks plans for farm operations for the coming crop season must be made, and, as always, those who adopt a well-balanced program will be better off at the end of the year than those who proceed in haphazard fashion.

In many cases it seems almost impossible to impress upon the farmer the importance of producing his own food and stock feed at home. A good garden, a milk cow or two, hogs to provide meat, some chickens and sufficient pasturage, hay and corn for his livestock would do more to relieve the farmer's condition than all the relief he may expect from the government or any other outside source.

Agricultural leaders, county agents, farm magazines and local newspapers have urged such a program for years, but in most cases with little result. But the failure to follow such a plan is the reason for much of the distress w[illegible]h now exists among the farm population.

It is impossible to make ends meet on the farm when nine-cent cotton and 80-cent wheat must be sold to buy [illegible] might be easily raised at home. By [illegible] n to the raising of food and feed, [illegible] rincipal money crops could well be [illegible] ling the surplus which causes low [illegible] armer has to sell.

[illegible] ers do not like advice, especially from a town or city source, but no thinking person can deny that this particular advice is sound. Those who act upon it will obtain more satisfactory results from their efforts than those who depend on one crop which may have to be sold next fall at less than the cost of produc[illegible]

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A Word of Sympathy

The Chilton County News, this week, wishes to express its deepest sympathy to the Conway family of the Isabella Community in its bereavement of the recent death of Eunice Lee Conway, age 4, and Mary Fay Conway, age 2, who were so suddenly taken from their midst last week. This expression, although small, is sincere, and we hope that it will aid Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Conway and relatives in bearing this misfortune.

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The Business Outlook

Since the beginning of the year much space has been given by newspapers and magazines to a discussion of the business and industrial outlook. Predicitions of a rapid restoration of normal conditions are not being made nearly so freely as they were a year ago, yet expert opinion is in the main optimistic.

Reports from many industrial centers show that about 100,000 men were put back to work in automobile, railroad and other industries in a single week, and further reports of increased forces have been of daily occurrence.

While so far those given jobs represent only a small percentage of the unemployed, it is encouraging that a start in the direction of industrial revival has been made.

In the meantime much is being done by governmental and other agencies in an effort to afford emergency relief to those who are actually suffering for the necessities of life; but this task is an enormous one, and distress is likely to be widespread for some time to come.

While it is generally conceded that recovery from the depression will be slow, many leaders believe that when normal times do arrive again the country will be on a sounder basis than ever before. That will certainly be true if all the people will heed the lessons of recent months and cooperate intelligently to avoid another orgy of overproduction, speculation and other excesses, such as that which brought about our present plight.

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

"The man who trusts men will make fewer mistakes than he who distrusts them."
—Cavour.

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Confidence in your fellowman is certainly going to play a great part in bringing about real prosperous times. So many instances have I heard of those who could put their thumbs down on helping a fellow who is down (but not out). Those concerns that are squeezing the nickels now, even tho they are plenty able to turn loose a few to help others, are certainly not doing their part in hastening the return of prosperity. Why, it looks to me like now is the time for them to let go a little money, because folks need it and are willing to pay for it. So why not take advantage of the situation and make money with your money. Not a bad idea, if I do say so.

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Well, now what do you think, dear readers. Haven't I been telling you that this newspaper I've been so diligently writing for, was a real newspaper? I had almost filled this column up for this week, when in comes the announcement that the award for the most outstanding service of any weekly newspaper in Alabama, had been given the News. So I just had to take out some of the other I wrote and ask to get this in, because I got mentioned in the report on this award, and being egotistical as I am, I wanted to call your attention to that fact.

Now, I guess you will si up and take notice of me and my rambling thoughts. I'll amount to something yet, eh? Well, I have my opinion about this thing and about some people I know. Folks, I just feel like I could do most anything now, so let's go. Chilton County has walked away with an honor that most every other county would like to have, in getting this loving cup for distinguished service. It was cooperation with a capital C, that did the trick. Let's keep it up.

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If we all knew as much as some think they do, what a wise generation this would turn out to be * * * that sudden outburst of euthusiasm that welcomed the arrival of Lindbergh, Jr., might popularize the infant industry * * * however, I have seen no signs of it yet * * * yes, the seventy-five mile speedster gets there all right * * * sometimes to the place mentioned in the sermons * * * no objections from me, however * * * except he sometimes takes innocent folks with him.

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Women Ought Not Read This

This little squibb is a message in sympathy of the men round town. The women would be advised not to read it.

I do not believe that it would contribute one item of peace to the mind of any woman. I usually have the last word too,—could a more unusual punishment be given a woman? Ever since the time Eve led Adam out into this world of bill collectors, tax gatherers, policemen, temptating flappers, the power of man has been weakening. And so now, as it looks like this power is going to reach the vanishing point, I'm giving this timely, yet weighty hint to the men folks. I fully realize, as other men do, that man's path is piled high with failures in this direction. Looks like every time men try to establish a fraternity or society, before it gets going good, the women come along and organize something like it and call it an auxilliary, or aid. And soon the men are kept busy following the dictations of the women's organization. No doubt, men, I will be in sore need of your help when this column comes out this week, and the women read it. I know they will read it, although I warned them not to at the beginning. That's the way of a woman, you tell them not to do something, and darned if they don't just do it or bust something. There is a possibility that someday, some man will be awarded a medal from Congress, for his bravery in leading a successful or failing fight against the wiles of the women. But, as thing are running with me along this line, looks like I'm going to fight a losing fight, and finally give in. But I'll make it hot for the one that makes me give in to her. Just wait.

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Sorry I had to make that outburst against the women, but I've been bothered with them so much lately—they just will not let me alone, so I'd had to express my feelings somehow, and felt this was the safest way, provided the editor will let it get by. But he don't know much about women, so maybe he will not understand it as I do. Sometimes I pity the old fellow, and feel sorry for him, just because he is not up much on this subject, and he won't listen to me, and my telling him that someday he is going to be snared, gobbled up, roped, tied, and every other thing by some woman, if he don't watch out.

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If I get by with that last crack, and those about the men, I'll be all right for awhile.

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Looks like we are going to have another bowling alley in town, in spite of it. Well, guess I'll do a little personal looking-into that matter, and see how I like it. It's kind of new to me now. You know about my personal investigations.

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Chanced to be down near the railroad the other afternoon and a freight train was passing. The major part of the train was made up of flat cars bearing new rails for some railroad. Now that looks like things are getting back to where they ought to be. It sure looked good to me, because I realized that to turn out a shipment like that, it took lots of men back to work. Boys, let the good work go on.

I'm telling you, we have certainly got a swell little town, and county too, as far as landscaping is concerned. Heard a fellow talking the other day, who had been up in the air, to view our metropolis, and he says he had no idea that Clanton was so well laid off in blocks and that it looked so good from the air. Said it made him feel prouder of his town. Now, that's the way I like to hear folks talk about their home town.

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In this space I desire to extend to the Conaway family of the Mulberry Community, my deepest sympathy in their recent bereavement of the sudden and shocking deaths in their family, taking from them their young loved ones. I feel, too, that in doing this I am also expressing the sympathy of this newspaper. "Every man's life is a fairy tale, written by God's fingers." So He has written this chapter into the Conaway family. He doeth all things right, so may we think that He wanted these innocent young ones with Him in Heaven.

MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

I sat in with the farmers meeting at the Court House, and listened to what experts had to say about economic conditions. While there I pondered many things. I wondered why it was that men from all over the county would gather in such great crowds to listen to men tell them about cotton production and cattle prices, and then gather in such small crowds to hear God's Man tell them about character production and the merits of eternal life. It seems to me that people are more interested in making a living than they are in living. As I looked upon that great throng of people gathered in and around the Court House my heart went out to them that I might lead them to my Lord.

The speakers gave this reason and that one for the economic depression, but they missed the mark all around. What is back of this depression that is upon us? There are two causes and two alone—our forgetting God and our wasteful way of living. Mr. Babson tells us that the cause of the depression is that American life has gone beyond its spiritual attainments. He tells us that our prosperity must now stop until we bring up our spiritual life. My advice to the people of Chilton County is that you go back to God and make Him first. You get back to your church life and show church loyalty. Observe God's holy day and make it a day of worship. Stop your fast way of living and get your hands gripped on the things that are worth while, and stay by your home. If that vast host of men at the Court House would come back to God, and become just the kind of man that God wants each to be, in less than twelve months there would be no depression in Chilton County. The surest way to keep hard times in the land is to keep God out of the heart. No man liveth unto himself.

I heard some farmers talking and they seemed to be of the opinion that the government was going to untie a big sack that day, and dish out a portion of cash to every man in the county. That may have helped to swell the size of the crowd. We have learned to be present when we hope to get something for nothing. For many years we have been "Rolling our dollars away" and now that we have no dollars to roll, we are looking for a good spirit who will have mercy on us and roll the dollars back to us. The sooner we realize that the government is not going to roll dollars to us, the better for us. The government is wise enough to only help the folks who are willing to help themselves. That is why the experts were present to tell us how to bring about production and how to make a living.

The best advice that I heard at the meeting was uttered by one of the speakers when he told the crowd to go back home and do their best to make a living and stop this wild desire to make money. He advised that the family board at home as well as the mule, the cow, the pig, the hen and the cat. A ship was out in the ocean—off the mouth of the great Amazon river in South America. They had no water and they signalled to a passing ship, "Stop and give us water!" The other ship signalled back, "Let down your buckets where you are." They did so and found fresh water with which to satisfy their thirst. The time has come when we must stop signalling to the government for help, but let down our buckets where we are and make a living at home. Booker Washington gave good advice to the colored race when he told them to "Let down your bucket where you are." Try that land that is all around your little country home and see what it contains to keep the wolf away from your door. It is longing to pour corn into your barn, meat into your barrel, syrup into your cans, potatoes into your bank, hay into your loft, eggs into your pan and lard into your bucket.

I could see pictured on the faces of many the determination to go out and do the thing that they were told to do. They seemed to think that they could do it. That fellow who came down the stairway saying "It can't be done" will be coming back next fall with an earnest appeal to the government crying for help. I heard one man say, "I think that I can do that very thing," and next fall that fellow is going to have a living at home. He may not be able to own an automobile and he may not have money with which to buy gas, but he will have plenty to eat and his children will not go hungry. Can you make a living? Let's all join in on the song, "I think I can" and next fall you will be happy as you look at your full smoke-house and your bulging barn and then you will sing, "I thought I could. I thought I could." No man is ever whipped until he thinks he is whipped. Folks, let's go back to God, back to our churches, back to the simple life of living at home, and then just as sure as there is a God in the heavens, we will become a prosperous people again.

IDEAL DRY GOODS COMPANY TO CONTINUE IN MAPLESVILLE

A few weeks ago, the management of the Ideal Dry Goods Co., of Maplesville, announced to the public that that store would be closed and put in connection with the Clanton Cash Store at Clanton, which store is operated by the same parties, Jesse Baker and O. B. DeLoach.

This announcement has been recalled by these men, and definite decision has been made stating that the Ideal Dry Goods Company will remain in business at Maplesville, as usual. This decision was made following protests from various citizens of Maplesville, and that section, to the closing of the store, according to the operators, and coupled with these protests and an increase in business of the store, caused the management to decide to allow the place to remain as a business house of Maplesville.

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MT. PLEASANT JUNIOR HIGH WILL PLAY STANTON SCHOOL

Next Friday afternoon, January 30, the swift Stanton Junior High school dribblers will meet the Mt. Pleasant team on the latter's court. Everyone come.

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ALFRED POPWELL DIED AT HOME NEAR HERE THURSDAY

Alfred Popwell, age 86, one of the oldest citizens of the county, died at his home south of here last Thursday, following a lingering illness.

Funeral services were held on the following Friday afternoon at Popwell cemetery, with Rev. J. S. Kelly officiating. Interment followed in the Popwell cemetery with Martin of Clanton in charge.

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Concord-Billingsley

We had an excellent Sunday School lesson last Sunday morning, the subject of our lesson being on, "How to Overcome Temptation." Many interesting points were brought out along this subject. The attendance was better than usual. We hope the attendance will continue to grow during this year.

Also the Christian Endeavor program was very good, almost all the members were present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams and family spent Sunday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. W. R. Ledbetter, of Stanton.

Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

We are sorry to say that Mrs. Minnie Gafford, who has been sick for some time is not improving any at this writing.

Miss Bessie Williams spent Tuesday of last week with Mrs. Lon Buzbee of Clanton Route 3.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Little spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hicks of Billingsley were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

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STATES WIDOWS OUTNUMBER WIDOWERS NEARLY 3 TO 1

There were almost three times as many widows as widowers in Alabama when the federal census was taken in April, 1930, the Census Bureau shows, there being 110,080 widows and only 38,946 widowers in the state, a higher proportion of widows than the census shows for other states.

The percentage of married females 15 years of age and over is larger than that of males, and there also is a larger percentage of divorced women than men.

Males 15 years of age and over in the state April 1, 1930, numbered 835,246, of whom 266,977, or 32 per cent, were single; 521,268, or 64.2 per cent, married; 4.7 per cent widowed; 0.9 per cent divorced.

Of the 861,967 females 15 years of age or older, 214,039, or 24.8 per cent were single; 524,158, or 60.8 per cent married; 12.8 per cent widowed and 1.5 per cent divorced.

The percentage of single among foreign-born whites is relatively small, mainly because most foreign-born whites are past the usual age of marriage. The percentage of single and married among negro males and females is lower than among native whites, while the percentage of widowed and divorced is higher.

These figures, which the report states, are subject to slight corrections.

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When the judge sentenced Charles Claudus of Medford, Ore., to ten days for stealing, Claudus complained, "I want to stay all winter."

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After a birthday party, Joe Pagoraro of San Mateo, Calif., was arrested after trying several times to shoot the moon.

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When Almon Spear of Rockland, Me., who is 6 feet tall and weighs 260 pounds cranked an auto he broke the crank into three pieces.

GIRL SCOUT TROOP OF MITCHELL DAM AND CLANTON TROOP HELD JOINT MEETING FRIDAY

The "Be prepared" group of girls of Mitchell Dam accompanied by their competent lieutenant, Miss Sue Sharpe, met with the Clanton Troop last Friday evening at six o'clock to prepare together requirements of the second class test. Miss Guy, captain of the local troop advises that she hopes to have about sixteen of her troop pass the second class test in about two weeks. Other members of the troop are preparing the Tenderfoot test.

Miss Guy wishes to hereby notify all members of the Clanton troop that the meeting hour of the troop has been changed from five-thirty to six o'clock each Friday evening and urges all the Scouts to be on time for each meeting.

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THE TWO CHILDREN OF MR. AND MRS. DENSON CONOWAY PASS AWAY LAST THURSDAY

On last Thursday morning, January 22, the Death Angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Denson Conoway and took from their midst their darling baby, Mary Faye, aged 2 years, returning the following morning and taking Eunice Lee, aged 4.

'Twas hard to give them up, but God saw a better place in His Kingdom for them, so He took them home to be with the angels up there.

Their death came as a shock to everyone. Their many friends extend to the parents and loved ones their heartfelt sympathy in this, their time of grief and sorrow.

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E. B. Mills, prominent merchant of Billingsley, was in Clanton on business last Monday.

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of that certain note and mortgage executed on the 28th day of May, 1928, by H. G. Parsons and wife, Kate Parsons, to Bank of Verbena, Verbena, Alabama, said mortgage being recorded in Book 130 of Mortgages at page 284, in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Autauga County, Alabama, and said note and mortgage being due November 1, 1928, and the same now being past due and unpaid; therefore the undersigned mortgagee will proceed to sell the following described real estate as described in said mortgage in front of the Court House door of Autauga County, Alabama, in the Town of Prattville on Monday, 2nd day of March, 1931, between the legal hours of sale at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash; the said property being described as follows:

One half acre of land described as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 20, Township 20, Range 16; thence South 41 degrees and 30 minutes East of South 188 feet to a stake thence East 2 degrees and 30 minutes South of East 223 feet to a stake; being a point of beginning of this lot, thence North 18 degrees East of North [illegible] feet to a stake, thence West 18 degrees West of South 159 feet to a stake, thence East 18 degrees South of East 138 feet to point of beginning containing one half acre, more or less, lying and being in Southeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter, Section 20, Township 20, Range 16, and being the lot or parcel of land upon which my dwelling house is located, whether correctly described above or not; the above lot or parcel of land situated lying and being in the Town of Marbury, Autauga County, Alabama, also a lot in the Town of Mt. Creek, Alabama, described therein as follows: Commencing at the Northeast corner of the gin lot, thence North 45 degrees 147 feet to the Southwest corner of a lot known as the Effie Dennis lot the beginning point, thence 45 degrees 117 feet to a stob, thence North 60 degrees West 104 feet to a stob, thence South 54 degrees West 93 feet to a stob, thence South 45 degrees East 117 feet to the point of beginning, also one lot described as follows: Commencing at a point on the east side of the L & N R. road three hundred feet North of the center of a stream which runs under said railroad and two hundred and fifty feet east of where the right-of-way ends, which is fifty feet from center of main line of said railroad running south one hundred and fifty-three feet nine inches, thence west ninety-one feet, thence Southeast one hundred seventy-seven feet forming a triangle, lying and being situated in the Southwest Quarter of Section 17, Township 120, Range 16, Chilton County, Alabama.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the amount due on said note and mortgage and the expenses incident to said sale, including a reasonable Attorney's fee.

This 17th day of January, 1931.

BANK OF VERBENA,
Mortgagee.
Omar L. Reynolds, Attorney for mortgagee.
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Clanton - - - - Alabama

Boy Scout Activities of Clanton

Dan Smith, Troop Reporter

Well, I'm back again this week folks. Sorry I did not have anything the past few weeks. Our troop has been real busy lately.

I don't beljeve I have told you about our new Scoutmaster. Our new Scoutmaster is John D. Mullins, who filled the vacancy left recently by the resignation of H. T. Walker, at the sorrow of the entire troop, but we have found in Mr. Mullins another fine fellow, and we like him.

Since, unfortunately, I missed one troop meeting, I will have to tell you about the last one, held on last Friday night. But before I go any further let me tell you about our new meeting place. Until a few weeks ago, the regular meeting place had been at the office of the County Agent, but since the night has been changed to Friday night, we had to move to the basement of the Baptist church, due to the fact that the Girl Scouts will use the office of the County Agent on Friday nights.

Now we will return to the troop meeting. As there was no business to bring up before the meeting, we devoted our time to playing wholesome games, suitable for Boy Scouts. The first game was Capturing the Flag, a very exciting one. This was followed by the game called Crane and Crow, one that required quick thinking and cooperation on brain and muscle of the body. After this other games were played by the two patrols. The next meeting will be held on Friday night at six-thirty.

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Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Kimbrough and son, Duke, Jr., and Mr. Furgeson, all of Birmingham, came down Sunday to visit Mrs. Kimbrough's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus.

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MONTGOMERY MAN IN HOSPITAL FROM ACCIDENT NEAR HERE

Fred W. Stewart, of Montgomery was brought to the Central Alabama Hospital here last Monday morning early suffering from injuries received in an automobile accident just north of Thorsby.

Stewart was accompanied by Sam Marshal, who was not so seriously injured. They stated they were on their way from Tuscaloosa to Montgomery when the accident occurred. The accident is said to have been caused by the driver of the car falling asleep. The car is said to have run off the road and overturned, knocking both occupants unconscious. They were picked up by a passing motorist and brought to Clanton.

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MRS. J. M. NIX DIED AT HER HOME IN AMARILLO, TEXAS

A message received here the past week stated that Mrs. J. M. Nix died at her home Wednesday of last week, in Amarillo, Texas. Mrs. Nix has been in failing health for a number of years, and moved to Texas on account of this. She had been in a critical condition for something like three weeks prior to her death.

The deceased was at one time a resident of Clanton and a church worker of note here. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Potts, who have been dead sometime. Mrs. Nix is survived by her husband, two daughters, Evelyn and Mrs. Robert Windham, both of Texas. One brother, Forrest Potts, of Denison, Texas, and one half-sister, Mrs. Claud Jones, formerly of Clanton.

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TROOP 51, LAY DAM, GETS DOWN TO BUSINESS

Last Friday night, January 23, 1931, Troop No. 51, met at their meeting house at Lay Dam. We had a meeting that every Scout enjoyed.

We elected an assistant Scoutmaster who is known as Mr. E. W. Lakeman. We must all know him as a fine young man, I call him. Afterwards, we started getting down to real business.

We divided our troop into two patrols, then the boys elected assistant patrols leaders as well as patrol leaders.

The names of the two patrols are Flying Eagle Patrol and Bob White Patrol. Then we got out our books and started work on our Second Class test. We ended up by saying the Scout Law.

—Scribe of Flying Eagle.

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Mrs. J. B. Atkinson Hostess To Circle Number Six.

Mrs. J. B. Atkinson was hostess to the members of Circle 6 at her home Monday afternoon. The devotional was conducted by the chairman, Mrs. A. C. Smith. An interesting program was enjoyed. Members present were Mesdames G. C. Powell, C. V. Heath, F. M. Connell, J. P. Hayes, J. D. Broadhead, J. A. Hester, P. D. Wilson, T. L. Parrish, A. C. Smith, E. G. Hyman, J. R. Hardy, L. A. Calloway, Miss Bettie Mullins, Miss Mollie Hannon, and Miss Laura Robinson. The circle will meet with Mrs. L. A. Calloway next meeting.

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Benefit Bridge Party Given At Home of Mrs. Lee Smith.

The Parent-Teachers Association of the Chilton County High School entertained on last Wednesday afternoon at a benefit bridge party given at the home of Mrs. J. Lee Smith.

Fourteen tables were arranged in this attractive home for the games, with delicious confectioneries served at each table.

All expenses of this occasion were taken care of by donations and quite a neat sum was realized for the local high school. The high score prize, a beautiful pair of silk hose, was awarded to

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Mr. and Mrs. Burton Mullins of Eufaula were visitors to Clanton Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dave Dunn of Montgomery spent last Tuesday with their sister, Mrs. Kicker.

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Miss Jane Roberts spent last week end with Miss Ernestine Childs, at Woman's College.

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Miss Delene Williams, who has been spending the holidays with home folks returned to Howard Monday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Robinson spent Sunday in Union Grove.

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Barney Isbell of Columbiana is visiting Chester Wingard.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Callen went to Birmingham Monday.

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Jim Roberts went back to Auburn Sunday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Duffey of Mt. Creek spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Newt Gray.

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Mrs. Osmond Middleton of Birmingham was a welcome visitor to Clanton for the week end.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fox have returned home after spending several days at Moffat as guests of Dr. and Mrs. Tucker.

Young Matron's Sewing Club Met With Mrs. Loren Smith.

The Young Matron's Sewing Club of Clanton was delightfully entertained on last Thursday afternoon at her home. All members present enjoyed sewing during the afternoon, and a delicious salad plate, with hot chocolate was served to the following:

Mesdames Milton Smith, Grady Heflin, Dewey Rockett, Spurgeon Calloway, Reedie Taylor, Horace Jones, Joe Higgins, Jack McMurray. Invited guests of the club were Mrs. Marcus Polk, and Mrs. Bill Murphy.

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Mrs. L. C. Cromwell left for Montgomery Tuesday after spending several weeks with Mrs. J. Q. Wade.

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Dr. Napoleon Johnson is improving.

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Mr. L. F. Gerald is out after having the flu.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hayes and children of Lay Dam motored to Montgomery Tuesday.

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Mr. Roswell Falkenberry and Harry Creagh of Selma were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry motored to Selma Sunday.

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Miss Bell McColl and Miss Mary Dowell of Montevallo and Bernard Reynolds of Selma spent the week end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry.

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Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Boyd and little daughter, Gypsy Ann, of Selma, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Falkenberry.

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Mrs. Ernest Rockwell and Mrs. Roy Beard of Selma were guests of Miss Madelyn Orr Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson motored to Vincent Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Warr motored to Tallassee Sunday and spent the day.

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Faithful Workers Class to Meet.

The Faithful Workers Sunday school class will meet at the home of Mrs. C. B. Cox next Tuesday afternoon.

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Sunbeams will meet Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Baptists church.

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Miss Cleo Broadhead of Maplesville was in town Sunday.

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Circle No. Five of the Baptist church met with Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway on Monday afternoon. The meeting was well attended and was presided over by Mrs. W. J. Billingsley, the chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mullins, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Durwood Mullins, motored to Montgomery.

! HIGH SCHOOL NEWS !

Organization Of High School Orchestra

Miss Ann Lou Burns of the Meeks School of Music at Selma has organized a very promising class of pupils in both string and wind instruments. We can't say at this early beginning just what the future will be, but we feel that a splendid class will be going in a few days. Miss Burns stated that she would have them ready to play in public within thirty days if they kept up the enthusiasm that they have at this time.

Dr. Haskew Visits School
By Sallie Mahan

Bro. D. W. Haskew honored the school again with a visit. He gave a short encouraging talk, in which he brought out the importance of keeping a definite goal in view if one is to attain complete success. To emphasize his point he made some very graphic illustrations: One was to make a straight line through the snow is to look at a tree on the other side of the field instead of looking at your feet as you walk along. Another one was to turn your wheel to the left if your boat was going towards the right, and to the right if it turned to the left and look straight ahead to the shore.

Basket Ball Games
By Herman Harris

Wednesday night Chilton High met and defeated Bibb County High at the Calera indoor court. The whole Chilton team played well and showed some nifty pass work. The final score was 34 to 11 in Chilton's favor.

Friday afternoon Chilton went to Plantersville to play the Bibb County boys. After a tight game Chilton was defeated by a score of 22 to 18.

On Friday afternoon, January 30, the local team will meet the strong Selma team on Chilton's court. Come and "root" for your colors.

Tomorrow afternoon, Wednesday, at 3:00, Holtville will invade our court for a return game with our boys. We are looking forward to a scrappy game in both of these contests.

High Attendance In School For Month Of December

We are glad to state that our attendance in school has never been better than this year.

The following figures may be of interest to you:

In the Junior III Class, 58.8 per cent were perfect in attendance. In the Junior I Class, 58.7 per cent were perfect in attendance. General attendance in the Senior II Class was 96.4 per cent. General attendance in the Junior I Class was 96.2 per cent. Average for the entire school was 94.7 per cent. Tardies were one-tenth of one per cent. One hundred and twelve pupils have perfect attendance records for the month, out of the total enrollment of 233.

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MRS. WILLIE HAYES DIED AT HOME IN MACEDONIA COM.

Mrs. Willie Hayes, aged 23, died at her home in the Macedonia community Wednesday of last week. Funeral services were held on the following Thursday with Rev. B. Lawrence officiating. Interment in the Macedonia cemetery. She was Miss Virgie Caton of the Pates Chapel community before her marriage. Funeral services for the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Hayes was held about two weeks ago. Mrs. Hayes is survived by her husband and other relatives.

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The widely known and popular Powell's Pressing Shop of Clanton has reopened its doors with new management in the person of Lonz Parrish and Elmer Powell, both of whom are will known throughout the county.

Mr. Parrish has had experience in the clothing line, and Mr. Powell has been connected with the former management of this shop for sometime.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest appreciation for the many words and deeds of kindness received during the brief illness and death of our two darling babies, Eunice Lee and Mary Fay Conoway.

Especially do we thank Miss Wilner McCrow and Mr. J. Mell Martin for their services rendered. May God's richest blessings be on each of you.

—Mr. and Mrs. Denson Conoway.

Humorettes

Young Hubby: "Dearest, what did you do with that rubber plant Aunt Agatha gave us?"

Young Wife: "I put it upstairs, honey. Why do you ask?"

Young Hubby: "Oh, for no particular reason. I was just wondering what kind of salad this is."

"Repeat the words the defendant used," said the lawyer.

"I'd rather not," said the witness, timidly; "they were hardly words to tell a gentleman."

"Ah," said the attorney, "then whisper them to the judge."

A kindly landlady inquired of the young bride how she and her husband proposed to spend their holiday.

"Our plans so far," replied the bride, "are tentative."

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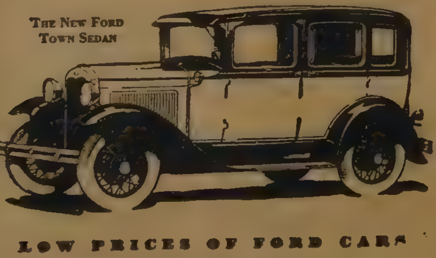

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MAIN STREET Looks at BROADWAY

Sea Sickness? Not Much

Let the thermometer rise to within a fractional point near spring or summer warmth and New Yorkers by the thousands will flock down to "dat ol' debbil sea,"—10,000 of them in fact.

Last Sunday, crowds, attracted by the warm sun (52 degrees warm) strolled on the boardwalk or beach at Coney Island. They began to arrive early in the day, and concession owners opened their restaurants or oiled wheels of merry-go-rounds as each train and trolley brought more.

Several clubs of winter bathers, who make regular pilgrimages to the surf, welcomed others who braved the cold water for a few moments.

Fifty patrolmen from nearby precincts aided in handling the unexpected crowd.

Check And Rubber Check

Standing on the busiest corners these days are men selling checks—rubber ones. They hold them high in the air, stretch them back and forth and cry, "Buy a check of the Bank of United States. Five cents, They always bounce back."

Thus a bank failure has by so much decreased the ranks of the unemployed.

Aquarium

A sign displayed on a compartment containing live specimens of fish at the aquarium in Battery Park reads:

"These fish are capable of changing color eight times in as many minutes."

We shudder to think what would happen if they tried out some of the modern dances.

Chameleon Canine

New York is fast stealing Pittsburgh's shady reputation as the smokiest city if you ask Mr. A. Townsend Kaplan.

He recently brought a complaint against the Washington Square extension of New York University charging the university with emitting such dense clouds of smoke that it was impossible for his dog to take his usual outing on the roof without changing color. His white dog turned coal black every time he is taken out, says Mr. Kaplan. He understands that dogs get dirty, yes, but questions the need of a dog turning from white to black in five minutes.

"If I wanted a black dog, I would have bought a black dog," he says bitterly.

Maxic Silencer

The rumbling of an elevated train going past a pawnshop drowned out the noise of shattering glass when a gem thief heaved a brick through the window some days ago. The proprietor didn't know it had happened until he went to the window to point out some jewelry to a customer. But the jewelry was gone, and so was the brick-thrower together with three bracelets, one of them set with 148 diamonds, valued at $2,000.

Trafficalities

Here are some statistics for you "busiest corner in the world" fans.

Figures supplied by the deputy police commissioner show that the busiest traffic corner in New York now is Park Avenue and 57th Street, where 42,377 automobiles pass every twelve hours. The junction of Fifth Avenue and 42nd Street, heretofore the "busiest corner" now stands fourth in the list of police traffic tallies.

In the height of the summer season, Ocean and Fort Hamilton Parkways, Brooklyn, is the most heavily traveled, 57,896 cars having been counted in twelve hours, due to the Coney Island rush. In fall and winter the total is cut in half.

Class dismissed!

Why Pay More?

His store sells cigarettes, cigars, candy and refreshments at cut-rate prices. It is about 6 feet wide and 25 feet deep. While buying some articles there, we remarked that he must do a pretty good business at such a good location.

"We have to," he replied, "to pay the rent. How much is it? $8,000 a year."

(Yes, thank you, I think I'll stick to batting out a column.) W.K.

Miss Peachblow: I hope you won't feel hurt because I refused you.

Mr. Breaker: Not at all! Not at all! I assure you. I feel honored, positively honored. I'd rather be refused by you than anyone I know.

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Enterprise News

Miss Willodean Collins spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Waites and family of Billingsley.

Miss Jewel Pierce and Miss Lena Mae DeLoach spent Sunday with Miss Mary Burkhalter, who is still confined to her home after being burned several weeks ago.

The many friends of James Gandy are glad to welcome him back in school after a serious attack of pneumonia. James is one of our best ball players and the team has missed him badly.

Miss Vera Cox spent the week end with Miss Ester and Lula Mae Brown of Billingsley.

Miss Emmie Lee Wheeler and Mr. Luther Pyron of Selma were visitors in our community Monday and Tuesday.

The Junior II History Contest will end with a social Saturday night at the Griffin home. All members of the class are urged to be present as many plans are being made for a pleasant evening.

Miss Mabel Wilkins, a student at Jacksonville teachers College returned Monday morning after a week end spent with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wilkins.

Miss Edna Johnson was the guest of Miss Delene Owens Sunday.

The boys expect to return a game at Union Grove Friday. This will probably be the toughest game of the season.

Miss Eleanor Silas is spending several weeks in Camp Hugh with relatives.

Miss Jessie Davis was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George White of Montgomery the past week end.

Misses Kate and Emmett Courtney were the dinner guests of Miss Lucille Griffin Sunday.

Miss Minnie Pearl Kleckley continues seriously ill, her friends regret to learn.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE

State of Alabama, Chilton County, In Probate Court.

Letters of administration upon the estate of T. J. Mims, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, R. W. Heflin, on the 20th day of December, 1930, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate will be required to present the same within the time required by law or the same will be barred.

This 10th day of January, 1931.

R. W. HEFLIN,
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Eastview News

Rev. A. W. Sparks, who is associate secretary of Town and Country Life work in the Congregational churches, will preach here Monday night, next, February the 2nd. Everybody is invited to attend and hear Rev. Sparks next Monday night. Services will begin about 6:45. Come early. Rev. Sparks will go from here to Mt. Springs and preach Tuesday night.

Mr. J. P. Rushing and family were the all-day guests of Mr. J. F. Nelson and family Sunday.

Rev. A. C. Nelson and family were the dinner guests of Mrs. Sallie Strength and family Sunday.

Misses Lillian and Evelyn Devaughn were the guests of Misses Mary Sue and Emma Dean Smith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. Lum Speer and family.

There was several visitors from other communities at church Sunday and Sunday night. Come back again, we are always glad to welcome you to Eastview.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Glenn were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Nelson Monday night.

Mr. J. A. Dobbs and family visited Mr. Dobb's parents, of Shiloh community Sunday.

Mr. J. A. Dobb's cow died Sunday night.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Teel of Clanton Monday.

Come to Sunday school next Sunday and to Christian Endeavor Sunday night. The Lord needs more workers in his vineyard.

INTEREST CENTERED ON ACCIDENT PREVENTION

The problem of automobile accident prevention with its many related factors, will come in for much legislative consideration during 1931.

Many state have signified their intention of adopting laws requiring rigid examinations of drivers. This is believed by many authorities to be the best single means of keeping the dangerous driver off public highways.

In a few states compulsory insurance legislation will be considered, but in view of the unsatisfactory experience of Massachusetts, it is doubtful if it will be passed. More generally popular is the "safety responsibility law," now in effect in New York, Connecticut and other states. This law provides that a driver, after causing an accident, must provide proof of his financial responsibility before being allowed to again operate a car.

Laws for periodical inspections of cars for controlling pedestrians walking on the highways, and far banishing ancient and dilapidated motor vehicles, have likewise been proposed and will receive due consideration.

In the aggregate, the vast volume of suggestions for improving highway safety gives good reason for optimism. Every step taken, no matter how small, means that at least a few lives are saved, a few pieces of property protected. The public is reaching a state of mind that gives no encouragement to those who, through carelessness and incompetence, sow death along the highways.

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Mt. Spring News

Rev. A. W. Sparks will preach here next Tuesday night, February the 3rd. Everybody is invited to attend and hear Rev. Sparks preach here next Tuesday night. Services will begin at about 6:45. Come early.

PASTOR.

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My Best Girl

BY

KATHLEEN NORRIS

FIFTH INSTALLMENT

Maggie Johnson, whose father is a letter carrier, is the domestic drudge of the humble home where her mother does little except bemoan the fact that she has "seen better days" and her sister Liz, who works in a beauty shop, lies abed late. Maggie has to get the family breakfast before she starts out to her job in the Five-and-Ten-Cent Store.

There's a new boy at the Five-and-Ten, Joe Grant. He tells Maggie that he has been assigned to work as her helper in the stock room. He seems rather dumb, but Maggie helps him through his first day at the store and shares her lunch with him in a cubby-hole of a place that belongs to a mattress factory next door to the Five-and-Ten.

They are looking over some cheap picture cards. One of them has a motto that strikes Maggie's fancy. "The way to begin the ideal life is to begin." She and Joe talk about that and Joe is surprised that the girl has higher standards than he has suspected. When he goes home that night he is thinking about Maggie. And his home is the home of the owner of the Mack Five and Ten-Cent Stores, though Maggie does not suspect that he is the boss's son.

Maggie, at home, begins to suspect that her mother's complaints are due to that lady's belief that happiness depends upon material things, while at the store she continues to surprise Joe by her appreciation of the realities of life.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"A lot of it's bluff," he said carelessly. But he liked her blind admiration, nevertheless.

"Does your mother work?" she asked him one day.

"My——?" He started, considered. "Not now," he said. "She split a Board the other day," he said, after thought.

Maggie saw nothing unnatural in this. She visualized a sturdy bareheaded old woman helping with the family supply of kindling.

"What does your father do, Joe?"

"The only real work Dad does now is on a golf course, at a country club," Joe answered scrupulously.

"A gardener?" she asked, widening her eyes. "A caretaker?"

It was a shame to tease her, but then she was such a simple little dumbbell, Joe reflected. Grimy little face, grimy little hands, mud-colored apron, and boots a size too big.

Maggie was talking.

". . . but she was quite a swell. She didn't have much money, mind ju, but he did. Mackenzie was in the business then, an' they say he named his son for him."

There was a familiar ring about these facts; could she possibly be speaking of her employer and of his father?

"What on earth are you talking about?" he asked blankly.

"Merrill," she answered readily. "Mackenzie was the brains, they say—he was the 'Mack'—but he's dead. But Merrill is the soul of honour, and he not only has the faculty of drawin' good men about him, but he has made a small fortune out of the Mack, took care of most of her family, an' has kep' sev'ral of her relatives out of jail for what they done profiteering in wartime as well!"

Joe was staring at her, oddly, a slow smile spreading on his face.

"Who taught you that piece?"

"Ev'ryone knows that."

"Is—that—so?" He grinned. Relatives of his mother kept out of jail, eh? That was probably Uncle Irving and young Irv.

He looked at her, musing in his turn. "I'd like to walk Maggie in on the old man some day—or better yet, walk him into the store and introduce Maggie as the fine, independent girl he's always talking about," Joe reflected. "I'd say, 'You keep suggesting that I get out somewhere and meet a real girl—well, she's real, Maggie. And she's going to step right off the floor of the Mack into the position of your only daughter-in-law!' "

"I might bluff it, anyway," his thoughts ran on. "Maggie's such a little sport, she'd enjoy playing the part. She'd make up for it and carry it off like a comedienne!"

But he couldn't play any games with Maggie. The poor kid was falling in love with him fast enough as it was.

"It's probably her first crush," Joe thought, watching her not without a sort of generous pity. "She'll have it bad. But it won't hurt her, it never hurts anyone."

She was far enough from any appreciation now, at all events, as she chattered on of everything she found interesting, sometimes making him laugh, sometimes—oddly—giving him a prick behind the eyes that owed itself to a very different sensation. Maggie had never thought of love, for herself.

Her own affairs, indeed, were entirely secondary.

But she betrayed herself to Joe with almost every word and glance.

"I'll tell you what, Joe, I like you better than anyone else except my own fam'ly!"

"Don't like me as well as your sister, huh?"

"Well, I like some things about you as well as I like anythin' about Liz," she might finally decide.

The little figure drooped against a length of drab-painted brick wall, the small, hard-worn hands were clasped in one of her rare moments of idleness, and her absently staring eyes wore an unusual expression of sorrow and doubt. Joe's heart pricked him.

"I hope you're not beginning something that you can't finish, Maggie!" he said to himself more than once.

One day he brought her a long envelope, which, upon opening it in an expectant flutter, Maggie found full of printed "G's," large and small, cut from magazines and newspapers.

"Oh, Joe, it's awful cute the way you learn me!" she said, her betraying eyes luminous, her whole being melting toward him visibly, irresistibly. And she presently reported that her mother and sister had made dry, half-contemptuous reference to the fact that she did not drop the ubijuitous final consonant any more.

She told him that he had brought her all her luck.

"It was the day you first"—she paused—"first came," she resumed briskly, deciding upon her verb, "that I got on to the ideel idea. And then 'member that you gave me one that night going home? Well, I put it up by the clock, and we—we just about live by that card. It's made a difference in Pa, an' it's made a difference in me, an' in everything."

"I see a difference in you," he said seriously.

"Oh, Joe, honest—do you?"

"Honest, I do."

"How?"

"Well, in everything. The way you talk, the way you look, the way you act," he said.

"Oh, I wisht—" she said elatedly—"I wisht you could see the difference in our kitchen! Pop, an' I ask each other every night, 'Is it ideel?' And we won't go to bed unless it is!"

It soothed him to have her so openly, so completely adoring.

She thought him brilliant, she thought him well educated, she thought him wise and witty and lovable, when his own failed him.

And her laughter! The divine, the inimitable gift of mirth had been given her—Joe first thought Maggie pretty when he first saw her laugh. She lived in a delicious gale of it.

That little soft touch on his coat, that little soft girl-person jumbled against his shoulder for a minute, in the crowded aisle, those black-fringed eyes brimming with mirth and affection — those were all darned agreeable things, his thoughts would agree.

A hundred times, a thousand times, he heard her call herself lucky.

With her usual eager rush she retailed a hundred reasons. Her health, her wonderful family, her mother—described as "genteel," her dashing sister, who had such a good job and her father—without whose assistance Maggie's yearnings toward the "ideal life" would have been crushed in the bud, and whose companionship meant everything to the washer of the Johnson dishes and the keeper of the Johnson kitchen.

"But you've had hard luck, Joe," she agreed pityingly.

This vexed him, too. Or perhaps the prickling, uncomfortable emotion it aroused, was not vexation, but something deeper—something nearer compunction. Of course he had had a rotten deal. But for Maggie to be the one to see it!

"How d'ye mean I've had hard luck?"

"Oh, well, every way! You weren't raised for this kind of work—and you hate it, and you keep thinkin' that you'd rather be somewhere else, doin' something else, an' you don't like these girls here in the Mack?"

"Does your mother cook well?" she asked.

"None. Doesn't know a darn thing about cooking," Joe confessed.

"Don't your father help her none any?" Maggie asked.

"Never. The old man is no more use around the house than a paper monkey!"

"Joe, I do think that's pretty hard on you! Who makes your bed?"

"Oh, anybody. Last night I had dinner with some friends of ours named Russell," Joe volunteered.

"And did she give you a good dinner?"

"Oh, yes—she cooks all right." An odd look came into Joe's eyes. "Her daughter was there."

"Daughter? An' her husband?"

"No. Mill—Milly's not married."

"The daughter ain't?"

"Nope."

"Just a little girl, huh?"

"Nope. Milly's about—nineteen."

"I guess she's pretty, ain't she?"

"She's beautiful."

But he told himself that he must stop this teasing, when he saw her suddenly daunted face, the gallant efforts she made to appear quite herself.

But he saw that her color had ebbed and that the little hand that steadied the boxes was itself unsteady.

He felt oddly shaken. He returned to his own business filled with a wretched sensation that he must somehow make this up to Maggie. Yet—hang it!—the very making up would carry the matter further, and it had gone far enough.

He shook himself physically. He could not shake the thought away. He unlucky—with the roadster parked a few blocks away, and the comfort of one of the State's most beautiful homes back of the roadster. He unlucky—a Merrill playing at work, here in one of the stores he would largely own some day!

More bewildering still, he was beginning to like this play work.

But oddly, unexpectedly, there were moments when the Mack filled his soul with a deep content. Joe revelled in the rush and hurry, the absurdity and yet seriousness of everything that went on in the Mack. Even Smith and Fleming sometimes took Joe into their counsels, as they wandered importantly to and fro.

Joe's championship of Maggie helped her from the very beginning—an obvious fact that made her still more his abject slave. On a dismal early January day Maggie first appeared in what might have been called her normal form he heard the congratulations that the busy girls flung at her from all sides, and congratulated himself that he was partly responsible at least.

She had done no more than electrify everyone by discarding magnificently, and without permission, the disfiguring ticking apron. That was all. But the effect was astonishing.

Everybody looked at her, everybody praised her, and the packing-room boys went down like a row of ten-pins.

It was on this same day that she said to Joe, with a carefully careless air:

"I'll bet, if you fell in love, Joe, it would be with a regular young lady, wouldn't it?"

"How do you mean, regular young lady?" Joe asked.

"Well, I mean—you know, a—a nice—sort of smiling—" Maggie floundered—"I mean—" she began again desperately—"mean, for instance, that there are lots of girls in this store that you couldn't call young ladies!" she said turning scarlet.

"No, you might call them nice girls," Joe conceded, "and you might call them smart girls. But no, you'd hardly call them young ladies."

"Like school teachers and lib'arians," said Maggie.

"Yep. I guess school teachers and librarians would be young ladies all right," Joe laughed. "Leave it to you to think a thing like that!" he said.

"My aunt was a school teacher, Joe," she said, "Joe, how would a person who wasn't a lady get to be one? Somebody must of commenced, once, you know."

"Well, reading the backs of newspapers and magazines about manners, for one thing."

"That helps a lot, and to be always looking for the right way to do things, to be quiet and gentle and listen to the way nice persons speak. And then, of course, there's always the rule that a lady puts the feelings of others before her own—thinks of others first."

"Nice things all join together, don't they, Joe?" she said, in deep thought.

"I don't get you Miss Johnson."

"Here's what I was thinkin': Last Sunday in church they said something about believin' that you have a good thing, and you have it. Not will have it, but have it. An' that's like the ideel life—I wrote that up on the same card. It was in my prayer book, an' I got it all straight. Now those two things go together, don't they, Joe?"

"They do," he said, struck. "But I think that you were smart to see that, Maggie."

(Continued next week)

Billingsley News

The boys basket ball team with their Coach, J. O. Simmons, entertained the girls team with their Coach, Miss Louise Comer, and the faculty of both schools with a chicken barbecue Friday evening near the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Beadle's. Games and stunts were enjoyed throughout the evening by everyone present.

Mrs. W. J. Patrick motored to Montevallo Friday afternoon, returning with her for the week end were Misses Inez and Maude Lee Patrick, and Miss Margaret Hall. Miss Willie Jeanne Patrick of Montgomery also spent the week end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Powell of Verbena were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baxter Sunday.

Those who attended the annual meeting of the W. M. U. at Samaria the 21st were: Mesdames Hattie Dickinson, J. F. King, T. L. Patrick, and J.C. Hughes. Each reported the very best meeting ever.

Miss Mattie Pearl Wilson of Birmingham was the week end guest of Mrs. W. C. Wilson.

Mr. Edwin White of White City was the guest of Miss Lila Green Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Thompson and Letcher Thompson have returned from a visit to Clio and Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Simpson of Horton are vistiting the parents of the latter. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Marlar

Mr. and Mrs Homer Carroll of Clanton were visitors here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Patrick and Miss Maude Lee Patrick motored to Montgomery Sunday to see William Joseph Patrick, the new son of Mr and Mrs. W. C. Patrick.

Mrs. J. F. Apperson and son, Otto, spent Friday evening in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Jones of Autaugaville were guests of Mrs. Hattie Dickinson last week.

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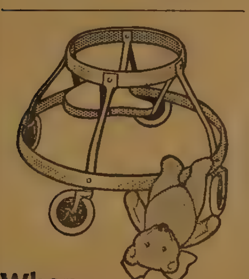

When BABIES are Upset

BABY ills and ailments seem twice as serious at night. A sudden cry may mean colic. Or a sudden attack of diarrhea. How would you meet this emergency—tonight? Have you a bottle of Castoria ready?

For the protection of your wee one—for your own peace of mind—keep this old, reliable preparation always on hand. But don't keep it just for emergencies; let it be an everyday aid. It's gentle influence will ease and soothe the infant when he cannot sleep. It's mild regulation will help an older child whose tongue is coated because of sluggish bowels. All druggists have Castoria.

Fletcher's CASTORIA

IMPROVING COTTON CONDITIONS

The Federal Farm Board has issued an appeal to "each individual farmer" urging him "to adjust his farming program in 1931 so as to produce cotton only on the more fertile land" as a way to reduce his cost of production.

The Secretary of Agriculture makes a definite plea in his annual report for efforts to improve the quality of cotton grown in the United States.

These and other official statements show that quality of cotton and economy in production are regarded as of fundamental importance to the agricultural situation in the South. A few active factors in the cotton industry are thoroughly alert to these problems. The Durene Association of America with its strict adherence to the Government's high standard for staple selection, and with its standard mercerizing stipulations never before so highly set, is fostering the Federal Farm Board's program by finding and improving upon increasingly large markets for quality cotton.

This manner of cooperation between the quality mercerized yarn group and the Federal Government is not only to the interests of the Southern farmers but also of distinct service to the American public making it possible for them to identify fiber and precessing excellence in cotton merchandise bought blindly until recently.

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Brewton—Adkisson & Mason, local pecan dealers, shipped two carloads of pecans from this point to Memphis, Tenn.

Farmers Advised Grow More Corn

That Alabama Farmers will profit by growing more corn is proved by figures released by F. W. Gist, statistician of the Department of Agriculture showin that "the corn crop of last year was about half of the needs of farmers, to say nothing of other folks who would buy from them if they had it to sell."

Mr. Gist reported that corn was harvested from 2,800,000 acres and at a yield obtained about five and a half million acres to corn would have been necessary to supply farm needs.

"If the yield of 1927 (15.1 bushels per acre) be the standard it would require about 4,000,000 acres" he said. This would take at least a million acres from cotton, or a reduction of about 26 per cent. This plan, while it might at present peak yields give enough corn, would still be unwise. The cost of corn production, as in all other commodities, depends upon acre-yields. The corn yield of 1927, while it was our highest, was still ridiculously low, and especially in some counties. In thirty-six counties that year the yield was below the average for the state, and last year only seven counties produced as much as 15 bushels per acre, while thirty-one produced less than 10. Corn can not be grown profitable at maximum yields and our minimums will always leave us short unless we use more acres than practicable.

Farmers have not only learned to produce profitable yields of cotton, but most of them are doing it when they get a fair price. Just as easily they can learn to produce profitable yields of corn. Readjustment of both corn acreage and corn yields is at the present time the chief problem of the Alabama farmer.

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MANY FARMERS SCARCE OF HAY

Fifty-five per cent of Alabama farmers saved no hay last year, according to F. W. Gist statistician of the Department of Agriculture, who said: "Only Calhoun and Henry are outstanding in the large portion of farms saving hay, while in 16 counties more than three-fourths of the farms reported none."

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Greenwood—Preliminary steps being made toward resumption of business by Greenwood Bank and Trust Company and First National Bank.

Chilton County Abstract Co.

M. D. FOSHEE, Manager

A good business man will not buy a farm or any property without first looking it over to see what it is worth.

However, some will buy or loan money on land without an abstract.

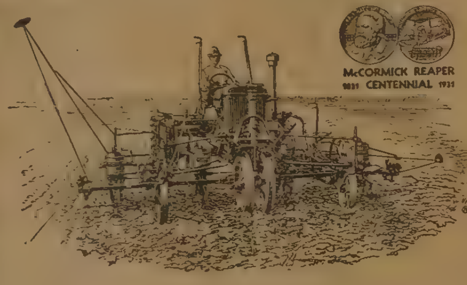
Isn't it equally as foolish to buy a farm without looking it over as to buy it and not know whether the titles are good or not? Without an abstract you do not know where you are getting the land you looked at or not.

Before investing in land in any way have an abstract made and be safe.

M. D. Foshee Clanton, Ala.

TENTATIVE PROGRAM
ON
McCORMICK REAPER CENTENNIAL
AND POWER FARMING DAYS
At
WADESONIAN THEATRE
February 7
Clanton, Alabama

McCormick Reaper Centennial Celebration and Power Farming Entertainment



JUST one hundred years ago Cyrus Hall McCormick gave the world its first reaper That was in 1831. Now, in 1931, we celebrate the centenary of that great event.

We want you to come in and be our guest for a day. A special program has been arranged for your complete enjoyment. *Two miles* of mighty interesting motion pictures—short talks on subjects of interest to every farmer. Plan now to be with us!

A full-size, working reproduction of the original 1831 reaper will be on display.

You will also see the five-reel motion picture, "Romance of the Reaper" —especially filmed to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the invention of the McCormick Reaper.

10:00—A. M. INTRODUCTION
- A. Short Talk by County Agent.
- B. County Agent to Introduce Dealer.
- C. Dealer to Introduce Branch Mgr. or Asst. Branch Mgr. of Int. Harvester Co.

10:15—A. M. Talk, Invention of the Reaper, by Branch Mgr. or Asst. Branch Manager.

10:45—A. M. Film, Romance of The Reaper.

11:35—A. M. Registration of Farmers and Distrubution of Centennial Medallion Souvenirs.

11:50—A. M. Announcement of Lunch by Dealer.

1:00—P. M. Film, Power Farming in the South—preliminary remarks by O. I. Cunningham, advertising man, IHC.

1:40—Talk, Importance of After Sales Service, by E. L. Freeman, Service Manager, Birmingham Branch, IHC.

2:00—P. M. Adjournment to dealer's store for open discussion on care, adjustment and operation of machines (especially power farm machines).

The Public Is Cordially Invited To Attend This Gala Event. No Charge for Admission.

Kiwanis Club Observes Third Birthday Here

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ton County, on forest preservation.

Those present at this entertainment of the Clanton Kiwanis Club were, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Powers, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mullins, Mr. and Mrs John D. Mullins, Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Haskew, V. J. Elmore, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Warr, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Polk, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hance Alred, Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Upchurch, Mrs. R. D. Woodson, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. James, Erle Thomas, Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Ezell, Mayor and Mrs. J. Lee Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Massey Edgar, Mr. and Mrs. Percy M. Pitts, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mell Martin, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stapp.

Raymond C. Smith, Miss Bess Mathews of Camden, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Page, Mrs. F. J. Page, Mrs. Mamie C. Smith, Billy Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wyatt, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Callen, and Mr. and Mrs. Reedie Taylor.

Future Prospects Of County In Edition

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cent years. Opportunity beckons on every hand, and this county is on the verge of an economic awakening, with dreams about to be realized. hopes of half a century coming to pass. It stands upon the threshold of one of the greatest developments and consequently the greatest prosperity that any section has ever known, and the special edition of the Chilton County News will be devoted to telling the world of these outsttnding facts of our county.

The cooperation of every citizen of Chilton County is asked to make this edition a success. It wil lbe devoted to the welfare of this county, illustrating the wonderful possibilities that are today facing the citizenship here. Information will be needed, and asked to be sent in, and the whole edition will come forth as an outstanding credit to the entire county.

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Mt. Creek News

A B. Y. P. U. entertainment was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Williams last Friday night. Those present were Misses Bessie and Lena Thrailkill, Bessie Culver, Mary Elizabeth Eiland, Hazel and Elizabeth Baxley, Sudie Mashanna, Mesdames Sam Eiland, Richard Culver, Henry Taylor, J. N. Atkinson, Messrs. Oscar, Sam and Raymond Cobern, Herman Adams, Olis Headley, Jimmie and Tommie Glenn, Newt Atkinson, Andrew Dennis, Glenn, Edd and Arnold Grant, Batson Culver, Carl Cannon, Amzi Kicker, and Little Miss Ella Dean Headley. Games were played and enjoyed by all. Then delicious refreshments were served.

Dr. Fowler and Miss Mabel Dennis motored to Montgomery last Friday.

Mr. Johnnie Long and family of Montgomery were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Culver last Sunday.

Mr. Albert Long, who has been in Milledgeville, Ga., for the past two months, is now with his mother here, Mrs. H. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Connell and children of Texas are visitors of her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. B. Aldridge.

Mrs. Johnson and daughter, Opal and granddaughter, all of Montgomery, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Green.

Mrs. Richard Culver of San Diego, Calif., arrived in Mt. Creek last Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Green and children of Clanton were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Green last Sunday.

Miss Trudie Fowler, who teaches in Birmingham, spent the week end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Fowler.

Mr. Willie Johnson of Mt. Creek, Ala., Route 2, died last Sunday night, January 25, 1931. He was 67 years old. He is survived by his wife and two children, Mrs. B. T. Calloway and Mr. D. B. Johnson, both of near Mt. Creek, and one sister, Mrs. Fannie Johnson, of Pinson, Ala., and two brothers, Jake and Lewis Johnson. Burial services were held at New Hope church.

Mr. E. F. Grant left last Friday for Birmingham where he is expected to hold a job with the L & N Railroad. He has been employed by the L & N for a number of years.

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News Awarded Loving Cup For Service

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nalism field from various part of the state.

The report of the Committee on Awards as read at the meeting of the press association in Montgomery Saturday, by Grover C. Hall, the able and distinguished editor of The Montgomery Advertiser, is as follows:

"There is no yardstick by which any weekly newspaper may be measured in promoting the welfare of its constituency. Your committee charged with the duty of selecting the weekly newspaper which has performed the most outstanding service to its readers, has chosen a newspaper which in its judgment has backed the needs of its county in the best manner. To quote from our circular letter of July 3, 1930, which was also given to the editors at the Birmingham midwinter meeting in January, 1930 we said: "——the main question is quality and quantity of service in determining the newspaper which has done the most for its readers." A newspaper is also judged by what it has tried to do, as well as by what it has done.

"Demonstrated leadership for higher standards of life is required. Your committee realizes that it is difficult and slow work to move civilization forward, and yet, this is the first great function of the American press: to record and sponsor progress.

"The Chilton County News of Clanton, Alabama, has sponsored a number of outstanding features for the benefit of Chilton County. We make no attempt to measure them or all, or to name them. From a study of copies of the News as they come to our desks we glean the following:

1. It stood for a county agent and helped secure one.
2. It furthered securing a county welfare worker.
3. It backed the getting of a rural school supervisor.
4. It sponsored the community chest drive successfully.
5. It is published: "In the interest of Clanton and Chilton County."

"Since both "Quality" and "Quantity" of news and editorials are to be considered, we submit still further particulars gleaned from copies of the Chilton County News. or sent us by citizens nominating the editor, Billy Smith, of Clanton.

Some of the Features Noted by the Committee

It has backed drainage for Clanton as an aid to industry and development.

It carries County Agent news weekly, also news from other County workers.

It gave widespread publicity to Farm Bureau drive in May, 1929.

It stood for 9 full months of school for rural Chilton County.

It gives liberally of school news from all parts of the County.

It has regular column for Chilton County High School news.

It has 4 to 8 columns of Chilton County local items and news.

It carries local columns from Thorsby and Verbena.

The County Ayent says he receives full cooperation.

Civic oryanizations, especially the Kiwanis speak well of news treatment.

It has a clean cut, constructive editorial page of 1 to 2 columns weekly.

It has an editorial page feature column by "Doug".

It carries features on home economics, farm news, State Capitol news, etc.

It boosts new home industries, see paper of January 17, 1929.

It uses cuts of new preachers, County Agent, groups of school workers, etc.

"The above are the main features gleaned from a limited number of issues. It is not meant that we have mentioned all excellencies, nor do we mean to give the editor all the credit for putting over all of the good things done in the County. Society is too complex to define credit in this manner.

"Your committee has judged what the editor tried to do, how hard and with what persistence he tried to do it and the probable results he should achieve. The Victor Hanson Cup is awarded for service and results and appearance and manner of service is secondary. We, therefore. 'award' The Victor Hanson loving cup for 1929 and 1930, for the greatest service to constituents to editor Billy Smith, of the Chilton County News."

Howard C. Smith, Feature Writer,
P. O. Davis,
Grover C. Hall, Chairman.

The cup was handed to the editor of the Chilton County News, following the reading of the report, by Dr. Frank Willis Barnett, widely known feature writer and speaker of Birmingham, Alabama.

Since the purchase of the Chilton County News in 1927, by J. B. Atkinson, attorney, it has been operated under a policy to work for a bigger and better Chilton County, striving to give to the people the news in a clear and precise manner, carrying as much helpful information in its columns as permitted, boosting Chilton County to the best of its ability, and offering its services to the people in a wholehearted manner.

Those comprising the personnel of the Chilton County News during the time covered by this award are J. B. Atkinson, as publisher, later selling to Billy Smith, editor; Vernie Teel, associate editor and in charge of the mechanical department, and John VanDerveer, Jr. Since last month an addition to the News force was made in the person of Bonnie Hand, apprentice.

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Chest Fund Reports Are Being Sent In

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sum of cash and food.

Among other places sending in reports are South Clanton and West End. Reports and comments coming in indicate that much interest is being shown in this drive for funds for the needy of the county, and more interest has been shown in the past week, it was stated. This report is also shown in evidence of the vast amount of clothing and food sent in. The Chilton County Chest Fund drive will continue through this month or longer, and final reports will be published in the very near future.

Committees that were appointed or volunteered during the time arrangements were being made, are working more than ever on the drive this year, and are receiving the hearty cooperation of all citizens in this work.

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Sheriff Asks For Citizens' Cooperation

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you that any information (verbal or written) furnished the Sheriff's Office will be kept strictly confidential.

I am respectfully, your servant,
W. H. GILLESPIE,
Sheriff.

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ASSESS PROPERTY BEFORE FEB. 1 AND AVOID ADDED PENALTY

By way of information and advice, the News passes to its readers the fact that all property in the county must be assessed before February 1st, 1931, in order to avoid payment of an additional ten per cent penalty, on and after that date. There are four days in which to avoid this penalty.

Harvester Company To Observe Anniversary

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ment of transportation, and the great industrial revolution. This revolution swept the United States and the world. Millions of people were enabled to leave their farms, settle new territory, and build great cities. The percentage of persons engaged in agriculture to the total population gainfully employed has decreased from about 80 percent during 1831 to less than 25 percent at the present date, which indicates clearly the increase in the producing ability of the average farmer. One readily realizes that this offers the opportunity for the remaining population to engage in the development and production of the many comforts and luxuries now enjoyed by all of us.

Throughout the United States and the world the International Harvester Company and distributors of their products are celebrating this advent which has meant so much to civilization. At certain points in every state and country special programs commemorating the invention of the reaper are being planned.

According to announcement received by the News from a representative of the International Harvester Company, definite arrangements were made at a meeting in Birmingham on Monday, January 19th, for holding this Celebration at Clanton, Alabama, on Wednesday, February 4th, beginning at ten o'clock a.m. and lasting until 3 o'clock p.m. The meeting will be held in the Wadesonian Theatre building here, in cooperation with C. E. Hornsby, local McCormick-Deering dealer.

The plans for the program consist of motion pictures, short instructive talks by officials of the Harvester Company and others. They will also have on display an exact reproduction of the original reaper.

Those in charge anticipate a great program here on February 4th, and urge that all those in this county and entire section make it a point to be present for this Celebration.

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LOST POCKETBOOK

Lost one black pocketbook, between Pleasant Grove Church and Clanton. Pocketbook contains substantial sum of money, and if finder will communicate with G. M. Durbin, Clanton, Route 3, Reward will be given.

BEAUTIFUL
Yet Not Expensive

New Spring Coats And Dresses

Arriving daily. We have never seen prettier styles and materials. Our dresses are priced within the reach of every purse. You will find the kind of dress you want in any color or in prints at very moderate prices. You don't have to be rich to be stylish, if you trade with us. *Don't forget our Coats are prettier than ever before and you will be astonished at the LOW PRICES on them.*

FOOTWEAR

We always have the new things in footwear. When you see the new things now you know the prices are ALL MUCH LOWER.

A Few Specials For Saturday

SILK HOSE
Ladies Pure Thread Silk Hose—All —Colors—$1.75 Quality For $1

PETER PAN PRINTS
Just Received 100 New Fancy Patterns. —They're beautiful; fast colors 23c

GINGHAM
A Good Grade of Gingham —For 5c

MENS OVERALLS
High Grade, Full Cut, Mens Overalls —All Sizes for 73c

TOWELS
Regular 25-Cent Quality of Common —Turkish Towels For 15c

BOYS OVERALLS
Full Cut 220 Weight Denim; —Sizes 6 to 15, for 48c

Be Sure to see our line of womens Dress shoes specially priced at $1.98

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MEMBERSHIP IN LOCAL POST OF LEGION GROWS

Thirteen New Members Added To List At Meeting Last Monday Night

The Chilton County Post No. — of the American Legion held its regular monthly meeting at the courthouse in Clanton last Monday night. The major part of this meeting was devoted to the discussion of the government bonus for ex-service men, and the local post went on record as endorsing the idea of the Government paying the adjustment compensation certificates for ex-service men.

At the meeting Monday night the membership list of the Chilton County Post was increased by thirteen, bringing the total up to fifty-eight members, and a noticeably large number of ex-service men were present here.

In the membership contest between the States of Alabama and Georgia the local post of the American Legion has as its opponent, Eaton, Ga. Latest figures show that Chilton County is somewhat ahead of their opponent in this contest.

The next meeting of the Chilton County Post will be held on the first Monday night in March, according to Commander Joe N. Calloway. Following is the resolution which was adopted at the meeting Monday night, in regard to the compensation certificates:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, due to the depressed economic condition existing through-ut the country, thousands of World War Veterans are in poor financial cir-umstances, and

Whereas, their financial condition could be relieved by the Government paying all Adjusted Compensation Cer-ficates in full.

Now, Therefore Be It Resolved, by Chilton County Post No. 6 of the American Legion, that it go on record as favoring the passage of an act by Congress authorizing the payment of all adjusted Compensation Certificates in full.

Be It Therefore Resolved, that our Representative and Congressmen be urged to initiate and press the passage of such an act during this session of ongress.

Be It Further Resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to our epresentative and Congressmen.

Done in open meeting this the 2nd. ay of February, 1931.

J. N. CALLAWAY,
Post Commander.
C. McKEE, Adjutant.

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S. S. Convention At Marbury, Ala.

The convention of the Verbena Dis-rict of the Unity and Chilton County aptist Associations is scheduled to be eld at Marbury, Alabama, on Sunday, ebruary 8th, according to C. D. lughes, vice president.

Following is the program for this eeting which will begin at two o'clock the afternoon:

2:00 P. M. Devotional, Mrs. W. A. oss.
2:15 P. M. Reports.
2:35 P. M. Four Compelling Dynam-: Love, Work, Godliness, Happi-ss, by Rev. J. D. Hughes.
2:55 P. M. Special Music.
3:05 P. M. Why we fail, by Rev. A. Joiner.
3:25 P. M. Round Table Talks, by r. H. A. Harris.
3:45 P. M. Announcements; Adjourn.

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HE LEADER NEVER FAILS IN ITS OFFERINGS OF BARGAINS

Continuing his practice of offering ch week to the people of this section ecial bargains in wearing apparel and goods, M. Lande, of The Leader, again this week telling the people of me of his outstanding bargains he to offer at his store.

The Leader's ad will be found in an-her section of this issue of the News. r. Lande stated that they have been ceiving shipment after shipment of w goods that are being placed upon rival in their vast and complete stock dry goods and ready-to-wear, ready the buyer to come in and look them er.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Popwell have nounced the birth of a fine baby boy Saturday, January 31. The new ar-al has been named Robert Lloyd.

County Council P.-T. A. To Meet On Saturday

Announcement has been made by Miss Cora Bell Maddox, president of the Chilton County Parent-Teacher's Association, to the effect that this organization will hold a county-wide meeting on next Saturday, February 7th.

This meeting will be held at the Maplesville High School, Maplesville, Ala., beginning at ten o'clock in the morning. Miss Maddox urges that all P.-T. A. organizations over the county send representatives at the county meeting, Saturday, and bring reports.

Those expecting to attend this meeting are requested to bring a picnic lunch as this will be an all-day meeting.

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KIWANIANS HAVE PLANS FOR WORK OF MERIT

Dr. Haskew Delivers Address On Home Town Boosting At Recent Luncheon

Plans that are now underway and some that are under a formative stage, indicate clearly that the Kiwanis Club of Clanton will have shortly, outlined one of the most progressive and inspiring years of work that has ever been shown in Clanton by the club.

Closer relation of the business men and the farmer has been one of the objectives of the local club and plans for this to be furthered in its already progressive stage are being attended to by the committee on this particular line of work. Plans for the establishing of a market here for hogs, and other products of farmers are being mapped out in a most satisfactory manner, according to information received from a meeting of the directors of the Clanton Kiwanis Club last Monday night.

At the regular weekly luncheon of the club, held Thursday of last week, with Kiwanian Frank J. Callen in charge f the program, Dr. D. W. Haskew, pastor of the Clanton Methodist church, addresed the club in a most impressive manner on the boosting and building of the town and county, giving pointers of showing the town off in its best at all times, and advertising it to an advantage. Following is the address delivered by Dr. Haskew at this luncheon:

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HARRIS BROTHERS STORE IN SOUTH CLANTON DESTROYED

Fire completely destroyed the Harris Brothers Store and filling station in South Clanton, early yesterday morning.

Origin of the fire had not been determined at this time, but early arrivals at the scene said it started in the rear of the building, a frame structure. The building was owned by A. C. Harris, and D. W. Harris, brothers, who had spent a neat sum of money recently on making the filling station attractive.

The local volunteer department answered the call, but due to there being no water connections in South Clanton, they were unable to assist but little, and that to only the extent of keeping a lookout for other buildings nearby. The building was a total loss with its entire contents.

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IRBY TRAYWICK ARRESTED ON MURDER CHARGE, NEAR HERE

Charged with the murder of W. Y. Long of Nevada City, Mo., sometime last October, Irby Traywick, age 24, was arrested last week by Sheriff Gillespie, near Pletcher, Alabama.

According to the information given the News, Traywick was wanted in Missouri for this murder, and had been traced to this state. The police at Selma notified Sheriff Gillespie and Traywick was located, brought to the jail in Clanton, and later turned over to the Selma authorities.

It was also stated that the car belonging to Long was found in Traywick's possession.

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COMIC WEDDING AT COLLINS CHAPEL CHURCH

There will be a Comic Wedding at the Collins Chapel church Saturday night, February 7, 1931. The proceeds will go for the paying on the new piano.

If you want a good laugh for a dime, come. If you do not want a laugh, stay at home. There will be a 10c admission charge.

Goodwill - A Community Asset

This being an address delivered before the Clanton Kiwanis Club at their meeting on Thursday of last week by Dr. D. W. Haskew, pastor of the Clanton Methodist church. Dr. Haskew kindly consented to allow the News to publish this address this week, for which we express our appreciation.—The Editor.

Friends of the Kiwanis Club, I am happy to be with you about this festal board today. I am glad of the opportunity to bring to you the message of this hour. We are thinking today about the question of Good-Will as a Community Asset, and I assure you that it is a question of vital importance to each of us and to all of us.

The most of you are fathers and you know what it means, and you know how you feel, when your child comes home with a hundred percent report from his teacher in school. That report makes you swell with pride, and whether you say so or not, your judgment is that you have a very fine boy in your home. The thought that I want to get home to you at this time, is that we should have a city located on the Montgomery - Birmingham highway, that is one hundred percent in her records as a community of civic pride. In order to do that we must be one hundred percent in our good will for Clanton. It is needless for me to ask you, "Do you really love Clanton?" That is evident among this bunch of men, but I may ask, "Are you a bundle of walking and talking propaganda for your home town?" I know a lot of men who have just as good a wife as any man need to want, but you would never think so if you were to listen to what he says, and watch the way he acts. You have a good town here in your midst, it is the capitol of Chilton County, and it may be that we have dropped down to that low level of accepting it, just about like we accept our wives, "It is hard to get along with them and hard to get along without them, and so we fume and fuss our lives away." It is difficult for the outside world to determine whether we love or hate our home town.

It is a fact that we make the citizenship of Clanton, and to us the citizenship of this community will be just what we think them to be. A wise old farmer was one day digging post-holes by the side of a highway. Along came a man who had all of his goods on his truck. He stopped to chat with the farmer, and to ask him what kind of people lived over in the next community. The farmer asked him, "What kind of people lived where you came from?" "Why, those people where I came from were terrors," said the man, "And that is why I am moving." "Well," replied the farmer, "You will find the same kind of folks where you are going." The mover traveled on with fear and apprehension. Late that afternoon another truck came along loaded with household goods. It stopped to have a friendly chat with the man. The man on the truck had his family with him,

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Booster Edition of News Will Carry Message To The Outside World of a Welcome and Prosperity

The work of compiling information, and securing reservations for the special "Chilton County Booster Edition," of the Chilton County News has been making very rapid progress during the past several days, and judging from all indications this edition of the Chilton County News will be published as an outstanding credit to Clanton and the entire Chilton County.

Citizens of the county have responded wonderfully well to a call sent out for interesting data concerning the county which will be used in a most constructive manner in this edition. Photographs of various individuals are coming in in numbers and pictures are also being taken of buildings, such as schools, churches and public buildings over the county, as well as some of the homes and other attractive scenes. All these will be arranged in a most attractive manner throughout the "Chilton County Booster Edition."

Copies, numbering several thousands, of this special edition will be mailed out over the county, and over the entire state, and into other states, to carry a message from Clanton and Chilton County to the outside world, telling of the wonderful future and present possibilities and the recent growth of this town and the entire county, and to extend a welcome to the world to come and see that Chilton County is truly one of the garden spots of the world, offering things in the agricultural and industrial world that are not to be passed up by the broadminded men of industry. Those persons desiring information concerning the compiling of information, and the securing of photographs for this forthcoming edition, and who may have suggestions to offer will be welcomed at the News office wheer they will be shown just what is being done. Orders for extra copies of "The Chilton County Booster Edition" will be taken at the News office also.

ROAD CONNECTING CHILTON AND COOSA IN GOOD SHAPE

Recent reports from a reliable source stated this week that the state highway that connect Coosa County with Chilon County, intersecting the Birmingham - Montgomery highway just north of Verbena, Alabama, is now in excellent condition.

Due to rains during past weeks the road was rather rough in spots, but since there has been no rain on it for several days past, and due to the work that has been done on it recently, the road is smooth and there will be no trouble in getting over it. That part of the road referred to is on the Coosa side of the river. The Coosa and Chilton sides are connected with a ferry, driven by motor, and operated by competent operators, assuring passengers safety, and speed.

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ROBINSON DEPARTMENT STORE TO OPEN WITH ALL STOCK SALE

Elsewhere in this issue there is an announcement from the Robinson Department Store of Clanton to the effect that they will open their doors on Friday morning at eight o'clock to the people of this section for a real money saving sale of their entire stock.

Since the recent misfortune of the Robinson Department Store, they have been closed until they could adjust their stock and arrange it to be placed on special sale. Mrs. W. C. Robinson stated that practically every item in the store, whether damaged or not, will be sacrificed at tremendously low prices.

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Alex Margolis of Uniontown has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Lande, and Mr. Lande, and his brother, Ben Margolis, in Clanton for several days.

MRS. F. A. GULLEDGE RECEIVES BROKEN LEG IN FALL RECENTLY

Mrs. F. A. Gulledge, of Verbena, received a broken right leg when she fell at her home Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Gulledge, who is in her eighty-fifth year, was passing from one room to another when she slipped, breaking the leg just below the hip.

She summoned help by calling to other members of the family, and doctors were called in. Due to the position of the break and Mrs. Gulledge's age, the fall affected her considerably and some fear was felt for her safety for awhile, but latest reports from her bedside at her home stated she is resting very well. Visitors were allowed to call, during the first few days, but have been kept out of the room lately. Mrs. Gulledge is one of the oldest residents of Verbena and a member of a prominent family of this section of the state.

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TEN ARRESTS RECORDED IN SHERIFF'S OFFICE PAST WEEK

Sheriff Gillespie and deputies have recorded ten arrests within the past several days, according to information from that office here Tuesday.

These arrests are on charges ranging from disturbing public worship to murder in the first degree, many of which are for violating the prohibition law.

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DIRECTORS THORSBY GROWERS ASSOCIATION ARE TO MEET

The Board of Directors of the Thorsby Fruit and Truck Growers Association will be called to their regular meeting on next Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, according to Mr. C. C. Peterson, president of the organization. The meeting will be held in Thorsby, at the headquarters.

Cases Disposed Of In Mayor's Court

Several cases have come up before Mayor's Court in Clanton during the past several days. W. H. Glass came up to answer to charges of violating the Prohibition Law, his case being continued to February 9th, it was stated.

Clifford Guetlz was fined one dollar and costs for peddling without license in Clanton. Curtiss Williams, negro, drew a fine of five dollars and costs on a charge growing out of his refusing to pay board, it was stated. Johnnie McDowell came up to answer charges of disorderly conduct last Monday morning, it was stated, and received a fine of $7.50 and costs. Officer Sherrod figured in the arrests of Glass, McDowell and Smith.

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CENTENNIAL OF REAPER DRAWS LARGE CROWD

Enthusiasm of Visitors Meets Interesting Program Of Harvester Company

The celebration of the One-Hundredth Anniversary of the famous McCormick-Deering Reaper, held in Clanton yesterday was attended by a large and enthusiastic crowd of people from all sections of the county and some from other counties.

The program was carried out with preliminaries at the Wadesonian Theatre, where a special motion picture of the beginning of the McCormick reaper was shown to a packed house. One of the features of this event in Clanton was the showing of a replica of the original reaper as made by Cyrus McCormick, inventor. This replica was brought here on a special International Truck and attracted quite a bit of attention, with one of the companies representatives ready to explain about it, and answer questions, relative to the machine

Souvenirs, in the form of attractive medallions were also given to the visitors. The International Harvester Company also had on special display here, several of their trucks, and various other farm machinery, at the plant of C. E. Hrnsby, local dealers, with James O. Turner, local manager.

Among the visiting representatives of the harvester company here yesterday for this celebration were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McCutcheon, branch manager of the company, O. L. Cunningham, advertising manager, E. L. Freeman, service manager, and Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Roland, Mrs. E. L. Culpepper and Mrs. W. R. Gunn, all of Birmingham.

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POTATO GROWERS TO MEET IN COUNTY DURING THIS WEEK

Those farmers who are interested in growing potatoes for market will meet in Clanton next Saturday, Feb. 7th, at the County Agent's office at ten o'clock a.m. This meeting is for the Clanton district.

The Verbena district will meet at the depot in Verbena tomorrow, Friday, at two o'clock in the afternoon. These meetings will prove profitable to those attending.

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CHICAGO SALES COMPANY HAS ON BIG SPECIAL DOLLAR DAY

In this issue of the News will be found a full page ad from the Chicago Sales Company of this place announcing their Dollar Day, for Friday and Saturday of this week.

Reedie Taylor, manager of this large store stated that in this Dollar Day Sale he was trying to give to the people of this section some bargains that are real bargains, and that in doing this he wished to show his appreciation of the splendid patronage from the people during the past few months.

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PARTY LOCAL PEOPLE GO TO ATLANTA MARKETS RECENTLY

A party composed of Mrs. M. Lande, Miss Etta Baker, Mrs. J. H. Williams, Mrs. Louis Williams and Miss Maggie Rawlinson left last Monday for Atlanta where they will go through the markets showing late styles for women's wearing apparel.

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Your home paper announces your arrival at birth, tells the story of your achievements while living and pays the last tribute of respect to your memory when death claims you. Do you see in the foregoing reason why you should be unfriendly to your home paper?—Andalusia Star.

ATTENDANCE RATINGS FOR SCHOOLS GIVEN

Dixie Cafe Gives Attendance Prizes For Winners December

The Dixie Cafe, Clanton, Alabama, is giving the attendance prizes for December. Mitchell Dam, Maplesville Jr., and Jemison Sr. Grades win these prizes.

—Mrs. C. E. Stapp.

Junior High Grades

No. 1. Maplesville—E. E. Owen, principal; enrollment, 46; 98.14%
No. 2. Chilton County High—L. C Warr, prin.; enrollment 127: 96.88%
No. 3. Mt. Pleasant—R. C. Johnson, principal; enrollment, 58. 96.82%
No. 4. Collins Chapel—Zac Y. Appleton, principal; enrollment, 34; [illegible]
No. 5. Thomas Jr.—G. C. [illegible] principal; enrollment, 38; .... [illegible]
No. 6. Enterprise—H. A. Harris, principal; enrollment, 69; 95.15%
No. 7. Verbena—W. E. G. Sutton, principal; enrollment, 71; [illegible]
No. 8. Baker—G. G. Williams, principal; enrollment, 49; [illegible]
No. 9. Union Grove—Harlem G. Daniel, principal; enrollment, 39; 94.14%
No. 10. Thorsby—W. T. Bean, principal; enrollment, 43; 91.99%
No. 11. Coopers—J. L. Wilson, principal; enrollment, 23; 93.33%
No. 12. Jemison—J. A. Peterson, principal; enrollment, 112; 92.96
No. 13. Stanton—Luther E. Little, principal; enrollment, 43; 91.77%
No. 14. Concord—J. M. Parrish, principal; enrollment, 43; 84.41%
No. 15. Isabella—J. D. Griffin, principal; enrollment, 79; 79.79%
Average for County—enrollment, 874; percentage of attendance .... 93.00.

Senior High Grades

No. 1. Jemison—J. A. Peterson, principal; enrollment, 65; 97.92%
No. 2. Maplesville—E. E. Owen, principal; enrollment, 34; 97.84%
No. 3. Verbena—W. E. G. Sutton, principal; enrollment, 42; 95.04%
No. 4. Chilton Co. High—L. C. Warr, principal; enrollment, 105; 92.38%
No. 5. Isabella—J. D. Griffin, principal, enrollment, 44; 87.73%
Average for County—enrollment, 290; percentage of attendance 94.18

Elementary Grades
(continued next week)

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Last Saturday the News office received a pleasant call from Walter Randolph, of Montgomery. Mr. Randolph is connected with the Farm Bureau of Montgomery, and was en route to Fayette, Alabama.

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Power Company May Issue Bonds

The Alabama Power Company Monday filed with the Public Service Commission an application for authority to issue and sell $10,000,000 principal amount first and refunding mortgage gold bonds.

In another petition the company asked permisison to issue 40,000 shares of six-dollar cumulative preferred stock without nominal or par value, entitled to dividends at six dollars a share a year. This stock would be priced at not less than $100 a share and would net the Power Company not less than $95 a share, the petition said.

Both petitions were set for hearing before the Commission in the Birmingham City Hall Feb. 17 at 9:30 a.m.

Thomas Bragg, vice president of the Alabama Power Company, signed each of the petitions, which claimed the money was to be used for the lawful objects of the utility company as acquiring and constructing plants and in property improvements now being contemplated.

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"TWO DAYS TO MARRY" TO BE PRESENTED AT THORSBY SOON

"Two Days to Marry," a comedy in three acts will be presented at the auditorium of the Grammar School in Thorsby, Alabama on Saturday night, February 14th.

This laugh provoking play is to be put on by the Order of The Eastern Star of Thorsby, and the ladies are anxious to have a large crowd. Admission will be fifteen and twenty-five cents.

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FIRE NOTICE

Hereafter when turning in a fire alarm, call 79, and do not hang up the receiver until you have told fully where the fire is.

25c SALE 25c

BLACKEYED PEAS OR NAVY BEANS 5 lbs. 25c

QUAKER MAID BEANS 4 16 OZ. CANS 25c

HAND PACKED—RED RIPE TOMATOES 4 No. 2 Cans 25c

RUMFORD BAKING POWDER Lb. Can 25c

3 MINUTE OATS 3 14 Oz. Pkgs. 25c

A&P ESTABLISHED 1859 "WHERE ECONOMY RULES"

EVAPORATED Apples 2 Lbs. 25c

PEACHES evaporated 3 lbs. 25c

ENCORE SPAGHETTI 4 Cans 25c

SODAS N. B. C. Premium 2 Lb. Pkg. 25c

OKRA and TOMATOES 2 NO. 2 CANS 25c

APPLE SAUCE A & P 2 NO. 2 CANS 25c

PURITY NUT OLEO lb. carton 15c

Coffee 8 O'clock per pound 25c

RICE BLUE ROSE 5 lbs. 25c

PICKLES Alabama Girl 26 Oz. Jar. 25c

PRUNES Santa Clara 4 lbs. 25c

IONA CORN No. 2 Can 10c

Toilet Tissue, Waldorf 4 Rolls 25c

FLOUR - PLAIN OR S. R.

24-Lb. Sack WELL BREAD FLOUR	65c
24-Lb. Sack of IONA FLOUR	75c
24-Lb. Sack SUNNY FIELD FLOUR	85c

ONIONS Per Pound 3c

POTATOES Per Pound 3c

THE GREAT ATLANTIC & PACIFIC TEA CO.

SOUND BUSINESS METHODS

In time of economic depression most American business corporations bend every effort to retain the services of all employees, to avoid cuts in wages and salaries and to maintain the entire organization required for more prosperous times. Some businesses, of course, have been compelled to retrench and have been obliged to reduce personnel and reduce wage overhead, but as a general practice corporations are utilizing every resource to keep organizations intact.

Joseph Wilshire, president of Standard Brands Incorporated, recently made this statement:

"We have not so far decreased our personnel and we hope to avoid dispensing with the services of any employees, anywhere. We have not decreased wages. Everything else being equal, we believe in holding our organization together at any expense. As sales shows the whole-hearted cooperation of all our employees and justifies their retention. They are all working fulltime, and some of them overtime. which Standard Brands Incorporated was founded, namely, small stocks to the retailer, resulting in quick turnover, is not only fundamentally sound, but expressions received during the past year from the trade indicate that it is practically sound."

American buisiness, with such sound principles behind it, is playing an important part in hastening the day when this country will again enjoy prosperous times.

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When Patrolman William J. Smith was an hour and a half late for roll call and explained that he had fallen asleep on his beat, police commissioners sentenced him to reduce his weight by 60 pounds.

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A 600-pound bell was recently stolen from a church at North Richmond, Ind.

Mrs. Fred [illegible] of St. Louis broke up a bridge game when she turned to her opponent's husband and said, "Darling, what does one do when one has 13 spades?"

News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

Three new pupils enrolled at Thorsby Institute, the second semester, Nell Tracey, Louise Robinson of Thorsby, formerly of Milledgeville, Georgia, and Mabel Bass of Birmingham, who is a boarding student. Her sisters, Lena and Lucille, at one time were students at Thorsby Institute. The school now has an enrollment of ninety-four.

An afternoon musical recital was given at the Dining Hall Saturday afternoon by the pupils of Miss Thoroman. Besides piano music the harmonica club of boys played and two trios sang. One trio was composed of Kathryn Foss, Lois Thompson and Fred Boyd, who sang, Gypsy Love Song. The other trio, Kathryn Foss, Lois Thompson and Edna Lee Wilder sang, "Goin' Home." These tros have sung before at chapel and are always enjoyed very much. The first number of the recital was ,"Old Folks at Home," played by Ralph Pate. The last was Mazurka, played by Katheryn Foss. After the recital light refreshments were served The guests expressd themselves as having enjoyed the afternoon very much.

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Saturday night, February 21, the Annual Declamatory Contest will be given at Thorsby Institute. Those who will participate are Odell Rowe, Margaret Peterson, Myradine Martin, Wilma Goodgame, Conway Thornburgh, James Kincaid, Rev. M. Lockhart, and Charles Croker. Everyone is invited. Admission will be 25 cents for all except students, for whom it is 15 cents.

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On February 28, will be an open meeting of the Literary Society. Admission 10 cents.

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Miss Jennye Robinson is expected home from Palatka, Florida the middle of this week.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Each and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard attended the singing at Collins Chapel Sunday afternoon.

Everybody come to see "Two Days to Marry," a comedy in three acts to be presented by the Eastern Star of Thorsby at the Grammar School Auditorium, Saturday night, February 14, 1931. Admission, Adults, 25c; children, 15 cents.

The cast of characters is as fololws:

Simon P. Chase, as black as his face, Mr. Marvin Davenport.

Mr. James J. Dare, a wifeless heir, Mr. Gresham Lowery.

Ruford B. Sawyer, a timid lawyer, Mr. Edward Howard.

Emily Jane Pink, Blacker than ink, Mrs. E. N. Bentley.

Sadie L. Boise, a widow by choice, Miss Clara Vines.

Imogene McShane, the sweet young thing, Miss Frances Wilson.

Walter M. Blair, a millionaire, Mr. C. R. Foss.

This is an unusual play put on by local talent and there is a laugh for everyone. All who wish to get married right away, why, come to see "Two Days to Marry" and it will help you to tie the knot right away, within two days.

Mr. and Mrs. Arne S. Christenson and family of Birmingham and Mrs. Jerry Davis and two children also of Birmingham spent Sunday with Mr. Christenson's mother, Mrs. Christenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Reagan.

Miss Effie Nugent of Birmingham spent the week end at home visiting her grandmother and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Collins and Mrs. Leonard Hayes left for Gadsden Wednesday to see Mr. Bass.

Mrs. Wilber Marcus is spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Leonard Hayes.

Miss Lois Thompson spent the week end in Clanton with Miss Mary Nell Jones.

Mrs. Frances Shirley Pate spent the week end in Birmingham.

The Boy Scouts and the boys of the dormitory spent Friday night camping in the Parrish woods. Mr. Sutlive was the chaperone. A delightful time was enjoyed.

There was a basketball game between Thorsby Institute team and Collins Chapel team on the Collins Chapel court. Our boys won by 17 to 13.

Mr. Jim Collins was the victim of a surprise party on his birthday last Saturday evening. Bridge, Rook and dominoes were enjoyed throughout the evening. Cocoa and cake were served to the following guests: Mrs. Roberta Childress, Miss Willie Littlejohn, Miss Nettie Littlejohn, Misses Lila and Essie Hester of Birmingham, Miss Frances Wilson, Mr. Steve Hughes, Mr. Green Thomas, Mr. John Collins, Mr. Perry Littlejohn, Mr. Lewis Hester of Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Heaton, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Littlejohn, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Collins. After refreshments, music was furnished by Mrs. Jim Collins, Mr. John Collins, Mr. Perry Littlejohn, and Mr. Jim Collins.

Misses Lila and Essie Hester and Mr. Lewis Hester of Birmingham were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Collins.

Miss Pauline Richardson of Felix, Ala., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Davenport.

Mr. Kenneth O'Barr spent several days last week in Birmingham and Monday in Mobile.

Little Joe Earle Parrish was the guest of Miss Frances Wilson Tuesday.

Mr. Mansel Perkins of Birmingham spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. A. F. O'Barr.

Miss Louise Collins spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

The Melody Pals rendered a splendid program at the Grammar School Auditorium last Friday evening. A large number was present and the entire program was enjoyed by all.

Miss Clara Hayes spent Monday with Mrs. A. F. O'Barr.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mims motored to Randolph Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Freda Sharp was the guest of Miss Frances Wilson Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tracy have moved into the Sunburg house Monday. They come from Georgia.

The little son of Mr. Paul Barrett of Birmingham was run over by a truck and it is reported to be hurt rather seriously. Its grandfather, Mr. Jim Barrett was called to its bedside Tuesday.

The P.-T. A. met with Mrs. MacDonald Pearson last Friday afternoon. A large number of parents were present. A prize was presented to Mr. Bean's room for having the most mothers present.

Mr. J. P. Sornson spent Tuesday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harris of Birmingham spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pate.

Mr. Bob Davenport is much better at present. He has been seriously suffering from erysipelas.

Regular services at the Baptist church Sunday and Sunday night. The pastor, Rev. J. W. Jones, will preach. Morning subject will be "Influence." Evening subject "The Conquering Host of God." A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to be present.

Circle No. 1 of the W. M. S. met with Mrs. C. E. Cox Tuesday afternoon.

Circle No. 2 will meet with Mrs. S. C. Wood Tuesday afternoon.

The monthly meeting of W. M. S. at the Baptist church met last Wednesday afternoon at the church with a large attendance. The vice-president was in charge, Mrs. G. F. Harper.

The young peoples council meeting of the W. M. U. of the Chilton County Association will meet Sunday afternoon at two o'clock at the Thorsby Baptist church with Mrs. J. D. Griffin Counselor in charge. All young people are requested to be present.

Mr. M. A. Carlton of Dadeville spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Frank Thompson.

Mr. Turner Gamble of Dadeville was a visitor of Miss Ethel Thompson Sunday.

Mrs. W. W. Robinson of Lay Dam is spending a few days with her family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Peterson spent the past week end in Birmingham visiting their children there.

Miss Esther Johnson of Birmingham spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Moody of Birmingham viisted Mrs. Moody's mother, Mrs. H. M. Gerald, during the past week end. Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Moody, accompanied by Mrs. Gerald and Miss Odie Lee Arthur, motored to Montgomery.

Mrs. Julius Smith had as her Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Earl Collins.

The Ladies Aid Social will be at Mrs. Each's home Thursday afternoon. This week there will be two socials in order that those who are not able to come in the afternoon may come at night. The second social will be at seven o'clock at the same place.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Pate spent the week end with Mr. Pate's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pate.

Mr. Lester Pate and one of his boy friends of Elba, Ala., dropped by Sunday on their way to Birmingham.

Mrs. E. R. Piper entertained the sewing circle Monday evening.

Mrs. Jim Pate spent Tuesday in Jemison at a quilting party.

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After playing 100 hours in a bridge marathon, four boys of Wewoka, Okla., were rushed to barber shops in ambulances, where they fell asleep in the barber chairs.

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Because wheat is plentiful and money is scarce in Lethridge, Can., region, Charles Hanson accepts a bushel of wheat in payment for one admission to the movie theatre.

"INSIDE" INFORMATION

When cooking potatoes, score or prick the skin to let the steam escape.

Ice box cookies can be made from any stiff cookie dough. Instead of rolling out the cookies and cutting them into fancy shapes, roll the dough into a cylindrical piece, cover it with a clean cheesecloth, and store it in the ice box over night to become firm. With a sharp knife slice the cookies off thin when ready to bake them.

The vogue for tomato cocktails, made of the juice of canned tomato, seasoned with salt, pepper, and a little lemon and horseradish, is excellent because it adds to the day's supply of three valuable vitamins—A, B, and C. These vitamins are retained by tomatoes even when they are cooked or canned, and the inclusion of some tomato in the diet as often as possible is recommended by all nutrition specialists.

Leftover egg yolks have many uses. They are a valuable source of iron and so should always be utilized. Hard-cook them in the double boiler, mash, and season for sandwich filling. Or use either hard cooked or raw yolks as a foundation for salad dressing. Raw egg yolks can be mixed with chopped beef to broil in cakes or bake in a roll. Several good egg sauces for fish meat can be made with the yolks, only and soft custard for dessert does not require the whites.

Keeping dirt out of the house is easier than removing it when it has once come through open doors and windows, tracking in, and careless family habits. Remove dust regularly from window sills, porches, steps and walks. Use fine meshed screens, or cheesecloth where much road dirt may be blown in. Put mats and scrapers at the doors, and insist that muddy overshoes and boots be left outside. Provide a place for keeping them near the back entry. An empty orange crate on end makes a good receptacle for rubbers and galoshes.

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Jules Gresser, accused of stealing 200,000 fracs from his employers in Paris, told the court that he took the money to encourage sport in France.

EIGHT HOURS OF FRESH AIR EVERY NIGHT

By Dr. Christmas Seal

January is the time to make a resolution that fresh air is just as good in winter as in summer and that sleeping room windows shall stay wide open in spite of cold weather. The difference between closed and open windows is one of the chief reasons why there is more illness in winter than in summer.

Dr. Christmas Seal agrees with Professor C. E. A. Winslow of Yale University who says that fresh air is absolutely necessary to heatlh and reminds us that fresh air is outdoor air and the best way to bring it into the house is through open doors and windows. In warm, still air the body can not easily get rid of the heat which it constantly generates. Fresh air carries away this blanket of hot air, relieves feelings of stuffiness and lassitude, and helps us to keep quick and active in mind and body instead of degenerating into old fogyism.

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Remembering a ticket for a traffic violation that she had gotten eight months ago, Evelyn Donnelly, a New York Show girl, recently paid a $2 fine in traffic court.

HAIRCUTS
25c
Considering the Present Conditions, We Have Dropped Our Prices on Haircuts to
25c
STRICTLY CASH
Dixie Barber Shop
G. T. TIPPETT, Manager

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GARDEN & FIELD SEED
We can save you money on all varieties of English Peas, Beans and SMALL GARDEN SEED IN BULK, *Seed corn --- All the Best Varieties of Watermelon seed.*
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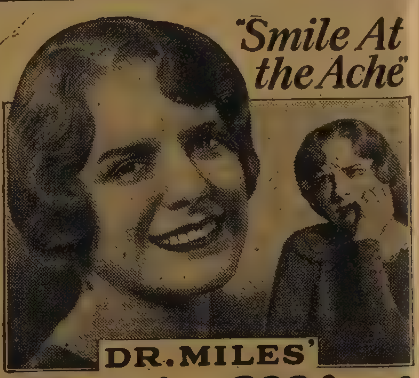

DR. MILES' Aspir-Mint

Suffering? There's a new, pleasant, mint-flavored, tablet that relieves ordinary headache and neuralgia, muscular pains and functional pains. It's excellent for Coryza—cold in the head—and for the sore throat that often accompanies it.

Physicians have been writing prescriptions for a similar combination for years.

The Dr. Miles Medical Company has standardized this well balanced formula and is glad to offer it in the form of a stable, palatable, mint-flavored tablet for home use. Pocket Size 15c, Regular Package 25c

YOU'LL GET RELIEF OR YOUR MONEY BACK

My Best Girl

BY

KATHLEEN NORRIS

SIXTH INSTALLMENT

Maggie Johnson, whose father is a letter carrier, is the domestic drudge of the humble home where her mother does little except bemoan the fact that she has "seen better days" and her sister, Liz, who works in a beauty shop, lies abed late. Maggie has to get the family breakfast before she starts out to her job in the Five-and-Ten-Cent Store.

There's a new boy at the Five-and-Ten, Joe Grant. He tells Maggie that he has been assigned to work as her helper in the stock room. He seems rather dumb, but Maggie helps him through his first day at the store and shares her lunch with him in a cubby-hole of a place that belongs to a mattress factory next door to the Five-and-Ten.

They are looking over some cheap picture cards. One of them has a motto that strikes Maggie's fancy. "The way to begin the ideal life is to begin." She and Joe talk about that and Joe is surprised that the girl has higher standards than he had suspected. When he goes home that night he is thinking about Maggie. And his home is the home of the owner of the Mack Five and Ten-Cent Stores, though Maggie does not suspect that he is the boss' son.

Maggie, at home, begins to suspect that her mother's complaints are due to that lady's belief that happiness depends upon material things, while at the store she continues to surprise Joe by her appreciation of the realities of life.

Joe knew that Maggie was falling in love with him before Maggie discovered. But he was a little slow in discovering that he, in turn, was falling in love with Maggie. But he admitted to himself that his admiration for her was growing, and the girls in the store began to notice something different about her.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"But now, lissen, Joe," she resumed seriously, "here's what I want to ask you. Could anyone who wasn't born to be a lady—now, f'rinstance, like me—my mother talks a lot about my grandmother Petheridge, but—but my mother"—she hesitated—"you wouldn't say she was always puttin' others first, and thinkin-ger an' serving-ger others before she does herself. You couldn't—honest!—say that, Joe. So that—" Again she paused. "An' 'Lizabeth positively is not a lady!" she admitted regretfully. "Well, anyway, I do not think Liz is a lady—not yet, anyway. But Joe—do you think——"

Again she floundered. "I guess I couldn't!" she said hastily, shrinking back, gallant, and she saw she was trying to save his feelings. "You don't have to tell me, Joe," she said.

"Maggie, I not only believe you could but I believe you will!"

"Well, if you say so," she almost sang, and she rattled joyously away.

On the next Sunday he went to see her.

He reached the Johnson cottage in the neighborhood of three o'clock.

He had to wait a few, cold, wet, silent minutes before footsteps, audibly approaching through the house, notified him that it had been heard.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson admitted him. For want of any guidance,—for Liz, after a shout of "Maggie! Man here!" had almost immediately disappeared into what later proved to be her bedroom door,—Joe had followed the little hall into an empty dining room smelling of rotting apples and dust, and had put his head in at the kitchen doorway.

Ma Johnson, a heavy, woolen kimono tied about her ample form with draggled tassels, was in the rocker.

At the sink stood a nondescript, forlorn little figure that Joe could not for some minutes at all identify with the gallant picture he had formed of Maggie's father.

Behind the table and between the sink and the stove was Maggie. She looked at him and said delightedly:

"Well, what do you know! I never heard you ring. If it isn't Joe Grant! Joe, have you had dinner "

"Just up from the table. Hello, Maggie," Joe said, grinning.

"This is my mother, make your acquainted with my father; Pop, this is Joe Grant," said Maggie.

Ma was evidently not favorably impressed by Maggie's friend.

"I didn't know you expected a caller, Maggie."

"I didn't, Ma. Sit down, Joe. You don't have to finish those if you don't want to, Pa I hate to have you—take off your apron."

"Sometimes—my father—kinier helps me, Joe," she stammered, with her gallant little smile.

"I don't mind wipin' 'em one bit, Maggie," her father's mild voice said surprisedly.

"I'll help you," said Joe, putting his hat and coat on a chair in the corner of the kitchen and helping himself to a dish towel.

"When we haven't a maid we eat out here. I'm one that's always had,' said Mrs. Johnson. "So it don't come very easy for me to put up with this sort of thing."

"I see," Joe said, nodding. He sat down on the edge of a chair, and cleared his throat, and said politely:

"Mrs. Johnson, if you've no objection, could Maggie go out with me for a while?"

"Why, I haven't no objections," Mrs. Johnson said discontentedly, after a moment. "Maggie isn't nothing but a child, Mr. Grant, an' her father an' I don't want her to get no silly notions into her head."

"Temp'rarily—temp'rarily she has accepted a position in a—well, in a five-and-ten," said Ma.

"I work there myself, you know, Mrs. Johnson."

"I've no doubt you do! An' I've no doubt it's a real nice place an' all that," conceded Ma loftily. "But it isn't Maggie's sort of place. To put the whole thing into a nut-shell——" Mrs. Johnson was resuming briskly, when Joe's opportunity to discover whether she was really capable of this elision was destroyed by Maggie's abrupt re-entrance into the kitchen, and in another minute they were out in the dull, cold, wintry Sunday street, and she was dancing along at his side.

"Want to go to a movie, Maggie?"

"Oh, I'd love it!"

"How about 'The Highwayman'?"

"Oh, Joe, no! That's a sixty-cent show. There are lots of nice little ones over on Chelsea Avenue here for twenty-five."

They were at the window, he put down his money. But there were nothing left on this Sunday afternoon but loges, at a dollar a chair. Maggie's face fell, and immediately her eyes widened and she caught at his arm.

"Joe, don't be a fool! Two dollars! It isn't worth it!"

But he saw her give a little bounce of sheer excitement and felicity as they went in past the mirrors and marble columns and red boundary ropes, and he thought it was. Their seats were in the very front of the balcony—deep, comfortable seats, with wide arms.

It was pleasant, somehow, to have that earnest little fragrant baby face come close to his in the dark, and that fuzzy aureole of gold brush his cheek, and that eager little whisper reach his ears.

Joe kept his handsome head bent close to hers, and leaned his shoulder even closer.

Her face was beaming with satisfaction and wet with tears when they came out into the chilly dusk.

In parting he presented her with an enormous box of sweets.

"Oh, Joe Grant! Oh, Joe — two pounds! Oh, thank you—thank you!"

"Oh, hush," he said. "Now you run in and I'll watch you until you're inside the door."

She fled up the path, tried the knob of the porch door, called a joyous "Good-night and thank you!" into the dark, was silhouetted against a gush of red light, and then was gone.

Joe walked two blocks to his car, raging at himself.

"Gosh, what a fool I am! What on earth did I do that for?"

Millicent Russell, sitting next to him at dinner, was a pretty girl. From a point an inch or two below her armpits, to a point an inch or two above her knees, she was packed into a tube of spangled satin. Her arms were heavy with links of gold and platinum, her legs looked bare, if they were not actually bare, her feet were elevated dipzily upon pinnacls of gold leather. Her cheeks were smoothly and brilliantly rouged, her lips stiff with grease, her eyebrows shaved into two startling, inky arcs. Millicent's breath was thick of alcohol and nicotine, her eyelids, colored with blue oil, were lowered with fatigue and boredom, and she had no more hair than her brother had.

"I thought you had to go to prison to get a clip like that!" said Joe.

"Isn't it adorable? They call it the cocotte," Millicent told him enthusiastically.

"It's a crown of glory. If I were a girl," Joe said, with sudden fire, "I'd have hair. Beautiful braids and curls and masses—of hair. It's pretty!"

"Say the word, Joe, and I'll be your little covered wagon," suggested Millicent, in an odd tone, and with a daring little laugh.

"Nothing doing. I'm in coll," Joe answered.

"You're not in coll! You're working. I like you an awful lot, Joe. You think I'm crazy, saying this. Perhaps I am. But,"—her voice was husky—"but I like you an awful lot, Joe."

Girls always said that to him, and presumably to all the other fellows, when an evening had reached about this point, Joe reflected. That was the way persons got engaged, nowadays.

Millicent was trying it now. Right here at the Carters' hot, crowded, stupid party, Millicent Russell was trying to land him.

"Nothing stirring," he said briefly. "Come on, let's dance."

Millicent raised the heavy eyelids, looked at him with superb insolence.

"Who's the other woman, Joe?" she drawled theatrically. "God, you are a brute!"

"There isn't any other woman!" He believed it. Yet, even now, when his face was close to Millicent's curled, perfumed bobbed head, he had a sudden memory of Maggie, childlike and eager, in a sleazy little faded white dress, with a mop of living gold tumbling upon her small shoulders.

Sunday night. It was an actual relief to think that tomorrow would be Monday, and he would be back in the clean busy stir of the Mack again.

He told himself, when Monday arrived, and he reached the store to find a demurely radiant Maggie prettier and more endearingly proprietary in her manner toward him than ever, that this nonsense must stop. Therefore, it was with a real surprise that he heard himself saying to her, late on Tuesday afternoon:

"What you doing to-night, Maggie "

"Night school," she answered, color and breath beginning their usual acceleration instantly.

"Night school! I didn't know you went to night school!"

"Why—why, but you told me to!" she accused him reproachfully.

"I—when did I? How do you mean?"

"Before Christmas. Just after we first began to talk. You said, 'Maggie, you ought to go to night school!'"

"Did I?" He was stricken. "What do you study?" he asked.

"Political economy and French," she answered bravely.

"That's a darn good choice!" Joe assured her. "If you ever go abroad, you don't want to be embarrassed about pronouncing words."

"Maggie!" came a harsh voice from upstairs at this point. "Maggie Johnson! What's happened you down there in the stockroom? Start your trotters up here with them felay medallions!"

"Oh, holy Nelly!" Maggie ejaculated, seizing the green cards upon which the medallions were stitched, and fleeing wildly from Joe's too seductive neighborhood. "She sent me down for them fifteen minutes ago."

She left Joe very thoughtful. He took an opportunity, when they chanced to be entering the automat together for a late luncheon, to say deliberately:

"Look here, Maggie. I've got something on my mind to say to you, and by George, I'm going to say it. I want to warn you. Don't waste time, at seventeen, taking any crush too seriously."

"Who do you think I've got a crush on, Joe?"

"I know damn well whom you've got a crush on!" Joe growled.

"Is zat so?" Maggie asked, flushing. "Suppose the person I had a crush on had a crush on me?" she asked.

"A person might like you a lot, Maggie, and wish for all sorts of good things for you," Joe said rather slowly. "Without—without, I say, having a crush on you!"

"Well, that'd be enough for me," she answered, still in the same audacious, high-spirited key. "I don't want any kissin', an' as for pettin' parties."

"Now, look here, you little idiot," he said, half angry and half laughing, "don't think you can get away with that sort of thing! When your hour strikes, my dear, you won't be so sure you can get what you want. You'll be sick for more than kisses, then, Maggie, and afraid to take them. The whole world will turn itself into a sort of blur, with a man in the center, and when he speaks you'll answer, and you'll say what he wants you to say, too Don't fool yourself. You and I are friends—friends—friends—I was down and out when we first began to talk together, and you gave me a right steer and it kind of made you like me. I like you—I love you—I think you're a perfectly keen kid. But that kind of love's different. You're too young to know anything about it. Believe me, it's got a lot of pain in it, and it leaves a scar—you don't get over it——"

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After suffering ill treatment at the hands of her former husband, Mrs. Hulda Tingle of Philadelphia bequeathed him $1 "to buy a rope to hang himself with."

Leadership

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ALABAMA'S greatest natural resource is the quality of leadership inherent in her people. Alabama has an almost unlimited wealth of mineral deposits, timber, fertile soil and waterways. It is the center of a market of about twenty million people with a buying power of more than seven billion dollars yearly.

But these have little value without management—without that quality of leadership which in the past has carried Alabama safely thru every crisis.

Always in the past, leaders have stepped forth from the throng in periods of political disorder or of economic stress and carried Alabama's banner forward to new heights. But the line is not played out. The blood of these great leaders still flows through the veins of Alabama's sons.

In every county you will find today business leaders who have turned their backs on *this* depression, wiped off their losses, shut their ears to hard times talk and started planning for the good times which are coming back again.

By their courage and faith, their energy and vision, these business leaders will contribute in large measure to prosperity's return. Alabama's progress in this new decade will be determined by the response of our people to wise leadership.

After traveling thru the darkness of depression, Alabama's present business leaders have come into the dawn with a new appreciation of the great opportunity the future holds in store for our state and a new determination that Alabama *shall go forward*—at a far faster pace than she has ever yet traveled.

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Liberty Hill News

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The following attended the singing at Collins Chapel Sunday afternoon and reported a fine singing: Mr. and Mrs Zack Lowery, Mrs. G. L. Foshee, Miss Olene Mims, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Foshee, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Littlejohn, Mrs. Emma Foshee and Miss Eula Foshee.

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Next Saturday and Sunday are our regular preaching days. Everybody come that can as you are sure to hear some fine sermons.

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We will have singing in the afternoon also. All lovers of music are invited.

Circle No 1 of the W. M. S. will meet with Mrs. G. L. Foshee on Thursday afternoon, after the second Sunday. All members are urged to be present.

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Our Sunday school is improving right along. However, there are others who should come.

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Mrs. Eula Durbin is improving after a serious spell a week ago.

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LEARNING BY MAIL

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About two and a quarter million persons in the United States are now taking correspondence courses in various subjects, embracing almost everything under the sun. A majority of these courses are practical and helpful, while others are of questionable value.

Like every good idea, the correspondence plan of teaching and study has been exploited from time to time by unscrupulous individuals, who promise results which any intelligent person should know are impossible of fulfillment.

This should not deter any earnest seeker for knowledge from enrolling in a correspondence school, however, because there are many such institutions of established reputation that are rendering splendid service to thousands of students.

The correspondence plan of study is sound in principle. The important thing is to select a school whose methods are sound in practice.

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Mrs. Beatrice Wolfe of Memphis, Tenn., charged in her suit for divorce that her husband, who was a pugilist, didn't confine his fighting to the prize ring, but frequently practiced his punches on her.

$330,000 ALLOTTED STATE IN U. S. BUILDING PROJECT

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Allocation of $575,000 to be used in construction of federal buildings in Alabama and Mississippi was reported to ongress Monday by Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, according to Associated Press dispatches from Washington.

The funds were set aside for building as follows:

Alabama

Albertville, postoffice, $65,000
Attalla, postoffice, $65,000.
Mobile, quarantine station, $50,000
Sylacauga, postoffice, $75,000
Greenville, postoffice, $75,000

Mississippi

Hattiesburg, postoffice, $245,000.

Secretary Mellon reported that no further authorizations were necessary for the national construction program, which includes allocations of $68,764,000 for public buildings, $49,515,000 of which is to be used for cities and towns [illegible]

The appropriations for these buildings must be carried in the second deficiency bill which has not yet been drafted, the press dispatch stated

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Prohibition And Politics

The long-awaited report of the Wickersham Commission on the enforcement of the Prohibition law reopens on a national scale the whole question of whether or not Prohbition can be enforced. That means that the "Wet vs. Dry" issue will be one of the biggest, if not the dominant issue of the Presidential campaign of 1932.

The Wickersham report itself is definite in its main conclusions and recommendations. It is opposed to repeal of the 18th Amendment. It is opposed to the restoration in any manner of legalized saloons. It is opposed to the Federal or State governments going into the liquor business It is opposed to any change in the law to permit the manufacture and sale of light wines and beer It believes that the cooperation of the states and the support of public opinion is necessary for complete enforcement of the Prohibition law, but believes that there has been an improvement in enforcement since the forces for that purpose were reoganized, although enforcement and obedience to the law are still inadequate, as are the agencies of enforcement.

The commission recommends that more money should be appropriated for enforcement, and the organization and personnel improved and backed up by more efficient laws for the prosecution of violations and the conduct of investigations. In addition, the commission recommended that "IF the 18th amendment is revised" it should give Congress the sole power to regulate the liquor traffic, and not leave anything to the states.

With this last conclusion President Hoover, in his message transmitting the report to Congress, disagrees. He thinks that the burden of enforcement should not rest entirely upon the Federal Government. He has previously expressed himself as feeling that the states have not done their full duty. But with the main conclusions of the commission he agrees.

All of the members of the commission agree on the general statements of fact in regard to Prohibition enforcement, but some of them disagree with the conclusions, although all signed the report. In separate memoranda different commissioners expressed themselves in favor of total repeal of the 18th amendment, of the Government going into the liquor business or authorizing the states to do so, of changing the Volstead law without repealing the Constitutional provision for Prohibition, and of other palliative measures.

Smoking Ruins

By Vernie Teel

Quite a [illegible] times I have been present at scenes [illegible] and each time there is something [illegible] that touches my heart [illegible] and the blanket of [illegible] ground, has reflected [illegible] destroyed. And again [illegible] the savings of a life [illegible] in the hearts of [illegible] strength to begin [illegible] the picture of a man who [illegible] establish a successful business. [illegible] have the good things of [illegible] the long trail again.

[illegible] wax eloquent, nor become [illegible] purely material things [illegible], a great many of our [illegible] result of what we have [illegible] sometimes more a part [illegible] gone.

[illegible] I viewed the smoking ruins of quite a [illegible] part of the night I made [illegible] We had had several days of dry weather and it seemed that on almost every hill there was a red ring of fire, and in the valleys and along the road was a stifling fog of smoke. 'Twas a grand scene to see the lights twinkling so, and I might well have imagined that they were camp fires of a vast army. And as an army in war is a gigantic machine of destruction, so this seemed to me I was prone to try to pierce the future through this veil of smoke. And each time the picture came back of our children seeking employment that might have been supplied by the lumber industry. Too, there was a view of those suffering from effects of disastrous droughts which might have been made less severe if our forests had been allowed to go unhindered about the business of making us a mammoth sponge for the storage of surplus water. And there was a glimpse of future farmers seeking new, rich soil, but finding only the hard, red clay, under a film of black.

As these stray thoughts passed thru my mind I concluded that it is easy for us all to understand and sympathize and help when man's handiwork is destroyed, but that we can not always grasp so easily the fact that nature is literally moving heaven and earth to give us all those things which contribute to our well being. Nor that when we through carelessness or thoughtlessness send these gifts up in smoke nature alone has the power to return them to us.

I present these thoughts to the readers of this newspaper for whatever they may be worth, with the sincere belief that nature is a bountiful giver, which makes it our duty to conserve our natural resources.

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Better five dollars an acre profit from a hundred acres than a dollar an acre loss from five hundred acres.

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The newspapers print lots of advice about how to build houses, but they fail to tell us how to get the money to pay for them.

"ROUND TOWN"

--by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

"Don't part with your illusions. When they are gone you may still exist, but you have ceased to live."—Mark Twain.

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And so Mark cuts loose with a wise saying this week that hits me in a tender spot. It is illusions, the right kind that have furnished so many inspirations for some of the good things people have done. But to have an illusion, to later find it was a disillusion, is something not wished for.

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I extend a welcome to The Sweeper, who came into existence in last week's Union-Banner, under the column head of The Cinder Pile. The Sweeper made a good clean sweep with his broom, or whatever he uses, at his first shot, and if he is new in the game, I might be able to give him a tip or two, but, if he is not new, then maybe he will be able to give me a tip or two worthwhile.

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Pardon me just a minute, dear readers, while I send a message to fellow columnists in papers over the state. You columnists who took it upon yourselves to talk about this editor I have here and about his getting that loving cup, should not have been so frank with your opinions telling about how he blushed. I gotta come out and defend him, because I know him and if you knew him like I do, you would know why he blushed when given that cup, if he did blush. But anyway he appreciated the things you said about him and his newspapers, I know.

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Brother W. J. Parrish was in town the early part of the week, and I found out that he is carrying on his fine wok of doing something good for someone as usual. I kind of like to talk to Brother Parrish, because I find he is interesting.

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Had a chance to have a few words with this Mr. H. C. Falkenberry the other day, and I find there another good man. Mr. Falkenberry came here from Selma, and is in business here as you already know, in the Falkenberry Cash Store. Went in there the other day and looked over his stock of goods, found it complete and with some attractive prices. I have an idea that Mr. Falkenberry is a wide-awake fellow too.

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In my history making trips around town, I have a better slant on our bankers in Clanton and over the county. I find that they are holding things in line these days in a big way. You take John Page up here at the First National Bank, he is sure a fellow that looks ahead and takes care of the present as well as the future, and he has a crew of assistants that are doing the same thing. Frank Callen, at the Peoples Savings Bank, sits tight and holds things in the road too, doing fully his share of giving Clanton some banks that are sound and prosperous. His force of assistants are also among those found in the best banks.

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This News office where I hand in this copy every week is sure on the go. I can walk in there and if I don't snap around right fast and furious, I'd probably get run over and trampled, cause all the workers there seem to be always doing something and busy. Now they are working on a Booster Edition for Clanton and the whole county, and if I might say so, it is sure going to be a wow, judging from what I have seen of it, and the photographs they are collecting up from over the county to put in it That fellow Bell and his assistant, Bob Gore, apparently know their onions in handling special write-ups and photographs, and I've seen some of their other work. If the News edition will be like that. Boy, it will be a beauty. Saw a list of the reservations being made for space in it and for extra copies the other day, and I've about decided I'm goign to try to get them to put my picture in there with the other "prominent people."

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Mr. Lande, up at The Leader, is sure one of those big optimistic and prosperous fellows these days. I find it something of a pleasure to talk to that man. He never says anything about business being bad, but just keeps on keeping on. That's the spirit I like, and that's the spirit that is going to win out in the long run. I'm with you, Mofris.

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Was just thinking the other day about the youngsters that are coming up in our town, those who are to become the future citizens of Clanton and this county. In my mind, I went up one street and down the other, picking out the possibilities of great citizenship in the future for this county of ours. I found that there are some real possibilities linked up in the youngsters coming on. Of course then I reflected back to some thoughts about whether they are being brought up under the proper environment to make real outstanding citizens. And, at the conclusion I thought that was something to be given some thought by the older people, especially the men of our county, so that is one of my infamous tips again. Have had occasion to b out a little late at night recently and might add that I noticed several youngsters still hanging around with the older boys in the regular hang-out places at a late hour. That is not doing the youngsters any good either, because at their age, they are now no doubt forming their habits and opinions.

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I send greetings this week to H. Clay Pless, at the Dadeville Spot Cash, in Dadeville, Ala. Clay, when I read your column, and then after I became acquainted through our editor, with you, I think I'm going to like you, but don't start kidding our editor like you did last week. You already know he is bashful, and blushes like that schoolgirl you spoke of.

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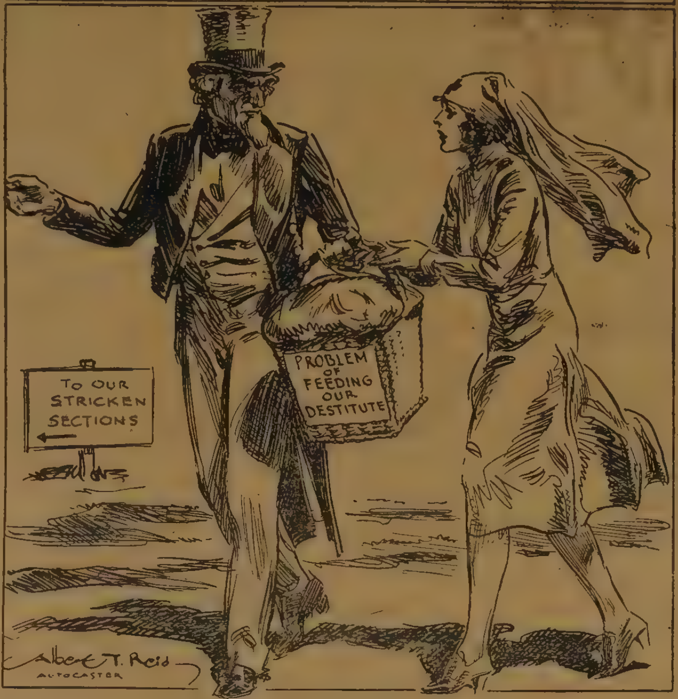
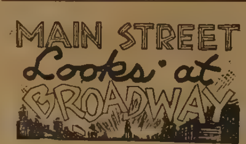
THE LUVERNE JOURNAL

PROBABLY MISINFORMED

The Luverne Journal probably was rather misinformed in its impression of the reception given the Alabama Editors by Gov. B. M. Miller when they called on him recently. It is difficult to understand how the Journal received this impression, so stated the Montgomery Advertiser, and this newspaper wishes to bear witness that the welcome shown the editors by the Governor of Alabama was exceedingly warm and generous, and apparently each member of the party calling on the Governor was impressed by his cordiality. His response to the invitation sent him by Howard C. Smith, was pleasant, although he stated he regretted he could not attend the luncheon on account of that being one of his busiest weeks.

When the Red Cross Calls—Give! By Albert T. Reid




MAIN STREET Looks at BROADWAY

Rural Manhattan

This city has not lost all its rural atmosphere. During 1930, permits were issued for goats, horse-shoeing, smoke houses, well water and carting fat.

Health Commissioner Wynne, who listed the above in his annual report, also said that more than 13,000 persons were bitten by dogs last year. He predicts a dogless city, and says that the dogs will be delighted and willing to go. He points out that no dog enjoys being shut up in an apartment all day except when he is taken out for an airing on a three-foot leash with his head in a muzzle.

Dr. Wynne's prediction, unfortunately coming just as the "400" of New York's dogdom is being groomed for a show, aroused the ire of dog fanciers. One of the enthusiasts declared positively that most of the dogs here are "perfectly happy."

Speak for yourself, Fido.

Apple Sauce

A taxi driver, arrested and hailed into court, was asked why he had deliberattly wrecked a man's box of apples by running his cab into it. The cabman declared that the man, supposedly unemployed, was his landlord, and that he was forced to pay him $75 a month for a $40 flat.

He didn't like it, he said, so he thought he'd even things up by exposing him as a fake.

The court, investigating, found that the cabman's story was true. Case dismissed. Now there's one less apple seller on the sidewalks of New York.

Little White Lies

Little scholastic white lies are daily being poured into guard's ears, but few rah-rah boys get past, they say. One youngster claimed he was here on vacation from Washington State college. Skeptical doormen asked him where it was located.

"In Seattle, of course," the boy answered, blushing nervously.

"Yah, yah! it's in Pullman, Wash.," they cackled. "Throw him out." So they threw him out.

Even a Talking Hen

And then there's the poultry show at Madison Square Garden. The entire basement looks and sounds like a giant poultry farm, what with cackling, crowing, quacking and so on.

Any city dweller who thinks that New Yorkers sneer at edible fowl should call at the Garden. Aside from the barnyard varieties there are turkeys, pheasants, peacocks and ducks, not to mention Mehitable, the robot chicken who actually lays a wooden egg upon request of almost anyone. Show officials say that she is the only talking hen in captivity, the miracle being accomplished by a phonograph concealed inside her covering of fine feathers.

What Prize Culture

Only "real scholars" will be allowed in the main reference room of the New York Public Library. That does not include college boys, however, so if you wear those klassy, kollegiate klothes and a big knot in your tie, it's useless to try to crash the gate.

The march of culture has so taxed the library's facilities that a regulation has gone into effect banishing college and high school students to libraries of their own schools.

The director says that 4,035,178 persons entered the library last year, an increase of 24 per cent over 1929. 11,864,160 volumes were issued for home use, 5 per cent more than in 1929.

Mother Earth

Suspended in a pit of one of New York's newest skyscrapers, the Daily News building, is a huge globe, slowly turning.

It represents the Earth, and completes a revolution every 10 minutes. Set in black marble around the sides of the room are diagrams, weather predictions and wind velocity statistics. Overhead are charted the stars in their courses.

When gazing at this man-made portion of the universe in action, there comes to one the eerie feeling that he has been transplanted to another planet, and is staring down, hypnotized, into endless space.

Rich Man (Poor Man)

A Wall Street financier who contributed $50,000 to establish a food depot for the unemployed wanted to see how it was functioning.

He left his limousine at home and made the trip in a taxi. He had the driver stop across the street, got out, walked over and entered the old church in which the depot was located. The cabman watched him in astonishment, then jumped from his cab and followed him through the door.

"Hey! Don't give this guy anything to eat!" he shouted to attendants inside. "He's got money. He took a cab down here!"

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Walter Kelly Gillespie, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gillespie, who has been confined at the Central Alabama Hospital with pneumonia, is improving according to latest reports.

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GROUNDHOG DAY

Of all weather superstitions, perhaps none has been more widespread than that associated with Groundhog Day, February 2. According to a belief held by many, the groundhog emerges from his winter hibernation on that day, and if he sees his shadow he goes back into his hole for another six weeks, during which a continuance of winter weather may be expected.

If, on the other hand, February 2, is cloudy, the animal will remain outside, which is a sign of an early spring.

Just how the groundhog keeps track of the date, including the extra day in leap years, is not explained, but many actually believe he does it.

Other animals than the groundhog are supposed to behave similarly. In Germany it is the badger; in England the hedgehog; in France the marmot, and among the Scandinavians the bear.

February 2 is also known as Candlemas Day in the church calendar, commemorating the presentation of Christ in the temple and among its observances is the blessing of candles for sacred use. It is also associated with weather signs identical with those attributed to the groundhog. There are several old rhymes similar to this:

"If Candlemas be bright and clear
We'll have two winters in the year"

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Reform—Work completed on new city water system.

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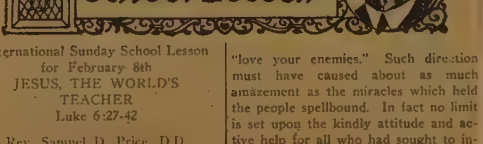


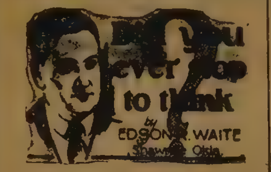
International Sunday School Lesson
for February 8th
JESUS, THE WORLD'S
TEACHER
Luke 6:27-42

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D

A new term had been used when Jesus proclaimed the Kingdom of God. He set forth the principles of that Kingdom in all of His addresses but especially in the Sermon on the Mount, Matthew 5,6,7. It is thought that this great message was repeated in briefer statements in the Sermon on the Plain, from which this lesson study is taken. Give careful attention to all the items in Luke 6 for they have much to say about daily living.

Listeners must have been amazed at the nature of the teaching. In the past they had been urged to take an "eye for an eye" and if strength permitted they would probably seek to give back with added interest when an injury had been done. Now this Positivist says "love your enemies." Such direction must have caused about as much amazement as the miracles which held the people spellbound. In fact no limit is set upon the kindly attitude and active help for all who had sought to injure them. After doing all they could, they were advised to "pray for them that despitefully use you." What we call charity was to be dispensed with real kindness. Such teachings have an application today as we are importuned by the needy and worthy who are hungry because of lack of employment.

Some profound truths are hard to understand. Jesus, however, made His meaning very clear in our Golden Text We call it the Golden Rule. Note that it is positively stated and not in a negative form as presented by the philosopher Confucius. AS YE WOULD THAT MEN SHOULD DO TO YOU, DO YE ALSO TO THEM LIKEWISE.



Frank H. Smith, president of the Portland Cement Association, says:

That civilization without highways would be impossible.

There have been isolated civilizations but they did not last. For a civilization can not take root and become characteristic of a race or people unless there is some positive means by which the common fund of wealth, of methods of doing work, of legend and fact can be distributed among the people.

About a century ago the boundaries of western civilization were swept away by the introduction of telegraphy. Here was a means of communication incredibly swift. The telephone followed. And in this century we have already been given radio communication with the ends of the earth. Communication is the essence of civilization, but with every ramification of communication by word there comes an increasing necessity for communication by personal contact, by the actual exchange of goods.

So the highway, instead of retiring into obsolescence as communication by word has spread and quickened, has gained a new importance. The motor car has brought swift mobility within reach of the people; it remained for the highway engineers to make their roads useful to the motor car.

The engineers have done their work well. They have developed the concrete highway, a highway Roman in its strength but thoroughly modern in its smooth efficiency. Over the ever-increasing mileage of concrete highways the fore-runners of civilization speed—speed directly and easily into the ken of the great masses, the people to whom civilization brings its richest rewards.

Motor cars are measured by the millions. More and more insistently they clamor for place on the highways of the world. Far-sighted people are, here and there, building highways so wide, so direct and unobstructed that the flow of thousands of cars each day is swift and easy.

Col. E. S. Gorrell, president of the Stutz Motor Car Company, says:

That there should be no place in the great American system of publicly owned highways for privately owned bridges.

The existence of a great number of toll bridges at key points on the great, national and state highways creates an anomalous situation. Through the expenditure of public funds, great highways are constructed leading from metropolis to metropolis. The users of these roads have paid for them thru taxation direct and indirect. At some vital point on the road private enterprise reaches out to demand its tribute. The leech at the throat of travel is the ubiquitous toll bridge.

In the past toll bridges, just as toll roads, have been necessary for the development of the country. The opportunity for private gain was necessary to advance our frontiers. But now that our economic development has practically freed us from the toll gate on the post road, why shouldn't the toll bridge follow into oblivion?

The bridge is an integral part of the road. The people own the roads—why shouldn't they own the bridges? The roads are free. Is there any logical reason why the bridges should not also be?

RELIEF AND POLITICS

Every right thinking person has profound sympathy for all who through no fault of their own find themselves unable to obtain the necessities of life. Measures for relief in such cases have a strong appeal, and it is to the credit of human nature that this is so.

But, unfortunately, certain politicians are apt to play upon the generous impulses of the public by seeking approval of ill-advised and unsound schemes which are advanced in the hope of making political capital for their promoters. It is perfectly easy for a Senator or other legislator to gain a certain amount of publicity and applause thru introducing a bill for raiding the treasury under the guise of affording relief for the destitute.

To carry out their plans, they would not hesitate to hamper the recovery of business and industry by imposing oppressive burdens which would counteract the constructive efforts now being made to put more men on the payrolls. And right now bigger payrolls would afford the most effective and permanent means of relief.

These same politicians have not hesitated to reflect upon the Red Cross Society, the most capable and effective agency in the world in matters of personal relief. Red Cross officials declare that their efforts have been hindered by these attacks of politicians who want credit for themselves, which they seek to obtain by proposing vast government appropriations to be expended under the direction of other politically-minded agents.

President Hoover very aptly characterized such tactics as "playing politics at the expense of human misery."

When the judge asked Mrs. Bessie Salnitsky of Chicago why she had obtained three divorces from her husband, she answered, "It's because he is so nice to me between divorces then when we are married he gets mean."

Restless CHILDREN

CHILDREN will fret, often for no apparent reason. But there's always Castoria! As harmless as the recipe on the wrapper; mild and bland as it tastes. But its gentle action soothes a youngster more surely than a more powerful medicine.

That's the beauty of this special children's remedy! It may be given the tiniest infant — as often as there is need. In cases of colic, diarrhea or similar disturbance, it is invaluable. A coated tongue calls for just a few drops to ward off constipation; so does any suggestion of bad breath. Whenever children don't eat well, don't rest well, or have any little upset—this pure vegetable preparation is usually all that's needed.

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FLOWERS FOR ALL OCCASIONS
Clanton Both Phones Alabama

! HIGH SCHOOL NEWS !

Dr. Rutland Makes Dental Talk At Chapel with Use of Slides

By Mary Courtney Jones

Last September Dr. Rutland from the State Department of Health working with the dentists of Chilton County at Clanton, made a dental inspection of all the pupils. After the examinations were made with suggestions that each pupil's name be entered with a star when his mouth was corrected.

Dr. Rutland made our school another visit last Wednesday and gave us a most splendid talk. He showed by the use of slides and explained that pyorrhea is a condition of the teeth and not a disease. He also showed different stages of decay in a tooth. His visit was to emphasize to us that the teeth are an important factor in our health and the use of the tooth brush was a good habit. A certificate is to be awarded to the room that has 100 per cent teeth corrected.

School Campus Undegoes Complete Change in Use of Shrubbery and Flower Planting

Mr. Brewster from Auburn, gave us some good suggestions about improving the looks of the campus. These few days have seen quite a bit of improvement in the planting and rearranging of flowers. Almost any period of the day may be found some of the boys working on the campus under the directions of Mr. Walker and Mr. Varnell. This work is done by the boys in the agriculture classes and manual arts department. You will see a different campus we hope in the next few months.

Basketball—Jemison vs. C. C. H. S. Wednesday Afternoon

Clanton will play Jemison in a tight game of basketball Wednesday afternoon at 3:15.

Jemison has defeated some of the strongest high school teams in the state this season. C. C. H. S. has played real good ball. Selma defeated C. C. H. S. by only two points last Friday afternoon. Selma has not been defeated this season. From the above, it will seem that quite a "scrappy" game will be in store for all when the whistle blows Wednesday afternoon. Come out and encourage the boys to play their best.

C. C. H. S. defeated Holtville High last Tuesday afternoon to the tune of 65 to 13. There was no comparison between the two teams. Coach Walker used every substitute he had on the team.

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

Throw that excuse that you have to the winds and come on to church next Sunday as you know and as God knows you should do. You owe God just as much fidelity on His day as you owe your own business the other six days. Sunday is not a day of lounging and laziness. It is God's day and you should give him a square deal.

Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. and preaching at 11 A. M. The night service is at 7 P. M. We are anxious to see people who can go to church do so. If you have lost both legs you will not be expected to walk to God's house, but as long as you have the two that you use in going to business, you will be expected to let them take you to worship. If you have legs that will run you around the house on Sunday, you should let them run off to church.

Last Sunday we welcomed Luther Ellison into our church fellowship.

BIDS OPENED ON CEMENT FOR STATE HIGHWAY JOBS

Bids on 230,988 barrels of cement to be used in prospective highway paving projects in Montgomery, Escambia, Calhoun, Talladega, Cullman, Dallas and Baldwin Counties were opened at the offices of the State Board of Administration yesterday. Tabulation of the bids which are regarded as satisfactory showed it was stated an average price submitted of $2.42 a barrel, delivered.

All five of the Alabama cement manufacturing plants participated in the bidding. Awards which will take place some time within the next ten days, will be on the basis of one-fifth of the total amount bid on to each of these Alabama concerns.

Claude Curtis and C. T. Rice realized that it did not pay to advertise when prohibition agents discovered the following sign over their still near Electric, Ark., "Whisky for sale. Six bits a pint. Positively no credit."

The Way of Life
By BRUCE BARTON

What Does Your Butcher Say

One day last winter I was riding with the gentleman who runs a livery stable and provides food and lodging for my horse. It was some weeks after the stock market unpleasantness.

"How is business?" I asked him

He answered that he had never known it to be worse. "Only a few of our horses are saddle horses," he said. "The others are owned by the butchers and bakers and candlestick makers who supply the fashionable people on Park and Fifth Avenues. And do you know that those little merchants can't collect even to pay my oats bills? It is terrible."

A little later I was repeating the conversation to a friend who makes his home in a fashionable suburb. He has ample means but, compared with some of the multi-millionaires whose estates are in the same community, he is comparatively poor.

He told me that he had been protesting mildly to the butcher about the steady increase in his meat bills. "I do not understand," he had said. "We always pay promptly on the first of the month. We do not eat extravagantly, and yet our meat seems to cost us more all the time."

The butcher confessed that the bills were high. He shrugged his shoulders helplessly. "What am I to do? You and the other people of moderate means are the only ones who pay your bills. The rich men on my lists keep me waiting for six months or even a year. Everybody's meat costs more in consequence."

I suppose the percentage of four-flushers in the Park Avenue district and in the New York suburbs is very high. There must be thousands of families struggling to "keep up with the Joneses." But all over the country the same thing occurs to a greater or less degree. It is due not merely to the fact that people are living beyond their means. Much of it is nothing more or less than downright thoughtlessness.

I used to be a great believer in reforms. I enrolled in Causes and supported high grade Candidates, and was generally loud and vigorous.

In my old age I have come to feel that most of our troubles would be washed away if we would only be just reasonably courteous and decent to one another.

Hospital Notes

Walter Kelly Gillespie is recovering nicely after a recent operation.

Little Terah Mims is doing nicely.

Mr. E. L. Bone underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. J. W. Edwards (Uncle Dick) was admitted to the hospital Sunday.

Mr. S. I. Wagner was admitted Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Taylor is recovering rapidly.

Mr. Fred M. Stewart is doing well.

Mrs. W. V. Headley was admitted Sunday morning.

Mrs. J. E. Easterling was admitted Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Loyce Littlefield died Monday night.

Mr. O'Neil Glass went home Saturday.

Little Lois Cotton is telling everybody, "This sunshine puts pep in me."

OFFER PRIZE FOR OLDEST PIECE OF HOME FURNITURE

Household Science Institute Seeks Materials for Exhibit During Chicago World's Fair

Have you a mohair-covered chair or sofa in your home? If so, you may be two hundred and fifty dollars the richer for it!

The News is in receipt of a message from the Household Science Institute, Chicago, asking for help in locating the oldest piece of mohair-upholstered furniture in the United States. The Institute feels that there is a possibility of its being found in this section. The style of the sought for furnitude or its use or non-use at the present time are not important, providing it is in good condition. The owner of the piece selected will be awarded two hundred and fifty dollars and the piece itself will be exhibited with other old-time furniture during the World's Fair at Chicago in 1933.

Back of the Institute's offer is the desire on the part of Grace Viall Gray, its director, to ascertain the longevity of mohair. Although innumerable pieces of mohair-covered furniture and mohair rugs have seen many years of hard daily service, it is claimed that unless deliberately injured no instance has yet been found of a mohair fabric ever wearing through.

Clanton people who feel that they have something of interest should communicate with Mrs. Grace Viall Gray, Household Science Institute, 7 S. Dearborn St., Chicago, Illinois, giving the history of the piece they have in mind and all facts concerning age, color, condition and other pertinent information, Mrs. Gray will then decide whether the article is the one wanted and make arrangements for shipping it to Chicago

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A doctor may be a first class diagnosticiaan yet not able to recognize Infantile paralysis. It is a tricky disease

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BILL'S GARAGE &
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Enterprise News

We are glad to see Mary Burkhalter back in school after her accident.

Pauline Strickland is confined to her home with ivy poisoning.

Miss Ila Mae Cox of Billingsley spent the week end with Miss Gulma Traywick.

The boys won their Coca Colas Friday in the game at Union Grove coming out with a nice score of 10 to 4. Both teams played a hard fast game most of the scores being made during the first half. William Wilkins walked off with the scoring honors, although all the boys deserve credit.

A group of young people enjoyed a picnic Sunday at Log Cabin Beach. Among those present were Eleanor Silas, William Wilkins, Lucille Griffin, Emmet Courtney, Kate Courtney, James and Turner Griffin, Howard Boockholdt, Cecil, Lorene and Nell Yeargan, Jewel, Maggie and John Pierce, Harvey Partridge, Collyer Goodson, Vivian Silas, Dawson Tucker, Lee Silas and Lucille Calloway.

We are planning a fiddlers convention in the near future. The date will be announced later.

Mrs. E. D. Cook and Merrill Arant of Montgomery were the week end guests of Mr. and Mr. C. A. Arant.

Mrs. J. C. Boyd of Montgomery visited Mrs. J. B. Boyd the past week end

The game with Mt. Pleasant Friday afternoon has been postponed We expect a game with Thomas Junior instead.

You can get well from tuberculosis in Alabama just as well as in any state of the Union.

Our Cold and Cough Remedies are good. If you need medicine of any kind buy at Clanton Drug Co.

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constipation

"I HAD a stubborn case of constipation after a very severe spell of grip," says Mr. John B. Hutchison, of Neosho, Mo. "When I would get constipated, I'd feel so sleepy, tired and worn-out.

"When one feels this way, work is much harder to do, especially farm work. I would have dizzy headaches when I could hardly see to work, but after I read of Black-Draught, I began taking it. I did not have the headaches any more.

"When I have the sluggish, tired feeling, I take a few doses of Black-Draught, and it seems to carry off the poison and I feel just fine. I use Black-Draught at regular intervals. It is easy to take and I know it helps me."

This medicine is composed of pure botanical roots and herbs. Contains no chemicals. In 25-cent packages.

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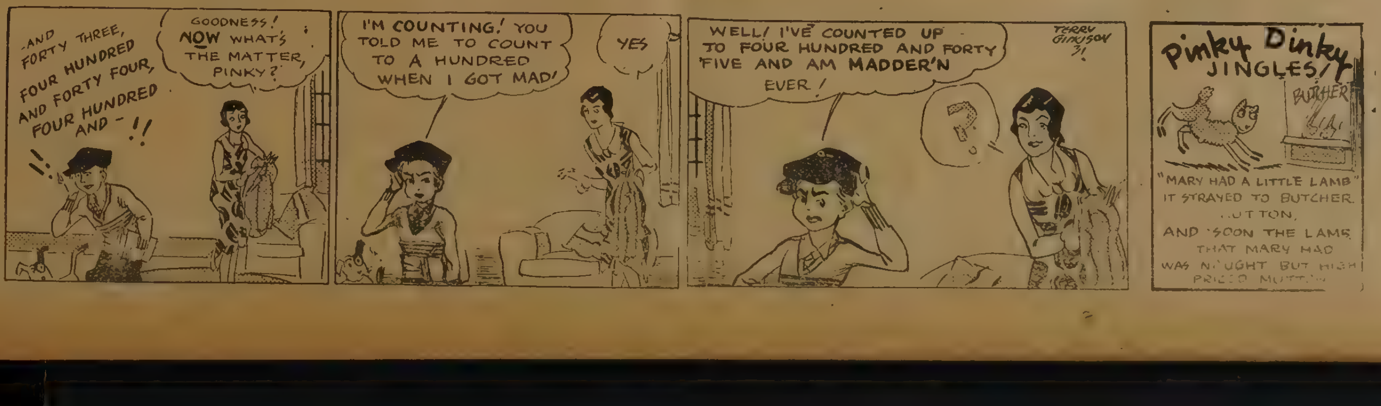
PINKY DINKY

IT DOESN'T WORK WITH PINKY

By Terry Gilkison


AND FORTY THREE, FOUR HUNDRED AND FORTY FOUR, FOUR HUNDRED AND - !!
GOODNESS! NOW WHAT'S THE MATTER, PINKY?
I'M COUNTING! YOU TOLD ME TO COUNT TO A HUNDRED WHEN I GOT MAD!
YES
WELL! I'VE COUNTED UP TO FOUR HUNDRED AND FORTY FIVE AND AM MADDER'N EVER!
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TERRY GILKISON '31
Pinky Dinky JINGLES!
BUTCHER
"MARY HAD A LITTLE LAMB" IT STRAYED TO BUTCHER BUTTON, AND SOON THE LAMB THAT MARY HAD WAS NAUGHT BUT HIGH PRICED MUTTON

COAL and COKE
Build Buying Power

....Payrolls they Create
Are Spent at Home

EVERY Alabama cotton farmer knows that soil wears out . . . and that unless he keeps on putting *back* into the ground again health building plant foods it will cease to grow crops.

Exactly the same thing is true of Alabama business. Unless Alabama citizens enrich the Alabama market by putting *back* into it money they have made, the Alabama market will wear out and cease to grow profits.

Almost all of every dollar that you spend for Alabama coal or coke goes *back* into the Alabama market, enriching it again so that it can keep on growing profits for the Alabama merchant, farmer, manufacturer, lawyer, doctor and business man.

Almost all of every dollar that you spend for Natural Gas leaves the state, taking money from the pockets of Alabama people who buy from you—impoverishing instead of enriching Alabama soil.

The Natural Gas line from Louisiana which runs thru Alabama, has an annual capacity of about thirty-six billion five hundred million cubic feet of gas. This is the equivalent of about one million three hundred and fifty thousand tons of average Alabama coal or coke per year.

Production of this supply of Louisiana gas requires absolutely no Alabama labor, and creates no payrolls for the state.

Production of its equivalent of Alabama coal or coke would furnish a years work to about one thousand Alabama miners.

The transportation of this supply of Louisiana gas requires practically no Alabama labor after pipe lines are once laid.

The transportation of its equivalent of Alabama coal or coke requires over 27,000 freight cars, gives employment to many Alabama railroad employees and produces gross revenues for Alabama railroads of about one million seven hundred thousand dollars.

This is the seventh of a series of advertisements, published by Alabama coal and coke companies about Alabama coal and coke.

To help all Alabama business—your business—burn Alabama coal or coke in your home or power plant.

Alabama COAL

LABOR HAS TO EARN TO SPEND

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P.-T. A. met last Wednesday night, January 28th, with an interesting program as follows:

Robert E. Lee's birthday:

Song, "Dixie," sung by all.

Essay, The Story of Lee's Boyhood, by Samuel Headley.

A Georgia Volunteer, by Aric Ratliff.

Music in Camp, by Clara Headley.

The Blue and the Gray, by Charlie Sansom.

The Meeting Between Grant and Lee, by Miss Davis.

The Sword of Robert Lee, by Garland Deason.

Song, Tramp, Tramp, the Boys Are Marching, by all.

Gettysburg, by Zannie Hayes.

Gone Forward, by John Robert Klinner.

Grandpa's Chum, by Curtis Headley.

The Conquered Banner, by Annie Ratliff.

Come, Butter, Come, by School Children.

A Poem, by Louise Sansom and Emma Lee Headley.

A Poem, Jack and Jill, by Ray Buxton.

A Poem, Hickory, Dickory, Dock, by Marshall Dene Pounds.

After the program minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Cookies and peanuts were served as refreshments.

Sunday School met heer at this place Sunday morning at ten o'clock with a good attendance. Subject was, "Our Friend and Helper."

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff and family spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Deason.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Ratliff motored from Selma Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Deason.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ratliff spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Zula Davis.

Friends of Mrs. Zora Headley of this community are sorry to know of her illness. She was carried to the Central Alabama Hospital Sunday. We hope she will soon be able to come back home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Deason and family spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Ernest Grooms.

Mr. Willie Bavar and Mr. Kent Minor visited Misses Alphia and Arrie Ratliff Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Carlos Ratliff and Mr. Garland Deason visited Misses Mildie and Lucinda Sansom Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Filman Smith spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sansom.

The W. M. U. ircles, No. 2 and No. 3, met with Mrs. Ethel Hayes on last Thursday, for the purpose of quilting a quilt for the Orphan's Home.

Mrs. Pearl Hollis is on the sick list but she is better now.

On next Saturday and Sunday is our regular preaching days and we invite everybody to come and be with us.

Attracted by the beauties of a funeral chapel in a cemetery at Seattle, Wash., Ronald Hooper and Gladys Leslie, were married there recently.

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Emory F. [illegible], who is alleged to have paid $2.20, all in dimes, to have his wife slain, was given a sentence of life imprisonment at Los Angeles.

When three-year old Robert Kirchoff Felser of Chicago was adopted by his grandparents, he legally became his grandparents' son, his mother's brother, his own nephew, and his own uncle.

FARM BOYS USE POWER

A new type of farmer is developing among club boys who are learning the advantages of quality in production, and at the same time getting a first hand demonstration of efficiency from the cost standpoint, according to a recent bulletin.

Some examples are given, among them that of Robert Dobbin, a high school junior of State Center, Ia., who is also a club boy living on a 320-acre farm. In December he exhibited the reserve champion beef carcass steer at the International Live Stock Exposition in Chicago.

In combination with his club work, young Dobbin assists in the operation of the farm, which is equipped with a large and a small tractor. The larger is used for soil preparation and silo-filling. With a one-acre corn picker attached it picks the 120 acres of corn. The smaller tractor is used for corn plowing and other suitable tasks. The modern methods employed make for more economical production and consequently more profits.

A Southern boy, Oscar Hoyt, of Louisiana, improved on the methods of older farmers and proved the superiority of narrow rows in cotton growing by producing two bales of cotton on one acre last summer. Next season he will use his father's tractor exclusively in his cotton project.

On the farm, as elsewhere, modern machinery and improved methods make for greater success, and in the adoption of these the farm boys are leading the way.

DEATH RATE LOWER

For the first time since records have been kept, the death rate in 81 principal cities of the country fell below 12 per 1,000 of population during 1930, according to the Census Bureau. The rate for the year was 11.9.

The best health years previously experienced were 1921 and 1927 with 12 and 12.3 per 1,000 respectively. The highest death rate recorded was 19.6 in 1918, when influenza swept the country. In the last 10 years the highest rate was 13.2 in 1926. The city death rates are slightly higher than those for the entire country, but less than 1 per 1,000 higher.

The United States average of approximately 12 deaths per 1,000 population is about the same as that of England, Germany, Sweden, and Switzerland; a small fraction higher than that of Norway and the Netherlands, but lower than the rest of Europe. The rate in Soviet Russia is the highest of any country for which statistics are available, being about 25 per 1,000, or more than twice as great as that of the United States.

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Deciding he didn't want to get out of the warm jail, when his term was up, it took the sheriff, his wife and two deputies to induce William O'Keefe of Bottineau, N. D., to leave.

VULCAN PLOWS
and Repairs

VULCAN "BEST CHILLED" PLOWS
Made by The Vulcan Plow Co., Evansville, Ind.

TRY THE VULCAN

We Have a Complete Line of the Genuine Vulcan Plows and Repairs

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A checker game played by mail, lasting 217 days, ended when Harold Harrison of Hudson, Wis., cornered a king with a pair of kings and defeated William Bloom of Ashland, Wis.

J. B. ATKINSON
Attorney-At-Law
Office Over Robinson Department Store
Clanton, Alabama

FOR SALE — [illegible] and Flat [illegible] 100, 25 cent [illegible]

DR. CALDWELL'S
THREE RULES

Dr. Caldwell watched the results of constipation for 47 years, and believed that no matter how careful people are of their health, diet and exercise, constipation will occur from time to time. Of next importance, then, is how to treat it when it comes. Dr. Caldwell always was in favor of getting as close to nature as possible, hence his remedy for constipation is a mild vegetable compound. It can not harm the most delicate system and is not habit forming.

The Doctor never did approve of drastic physics and purges. He did not believe they were good for human beings to put into their system. Use Syrup Pepsin for yourself and members of the family in constipation, biliousness, sour and crampy stomach, bad breath, no appetite, headache, and to break up fevers and colds. Get a bottle today, at any drugstore and observe these three rules of health: Keep the head cool, the feet warm, the bowels open. For a free trial bottle, just write "Syrup Pepsin," Dept. BB, Monticello.

Collins Chapel News

The following names are the ones that appeared on the honor roll for January:

First Grade: Eason Maddox, Wilton Maddox, Helen Hubbard, Sarah Nell Littleton, Alean Shaneyfelt, Cleady Mae Adams, and Elouise Littleton.

Second Grade: Maxine Mims, Hildon Bussey, and Violet Bice

Third Grade: Elon Fields, Wyndall Murrah and Helen Willis

[illegible] Grace [illegible] and Faye Martin

Sixth Grade: Janie Smith, Margaret Bean, Vera Burnett, and Elvie Gore.

Fifth Grade: Horace Bean, Warren Benson, Jack Benson, Lessie Davis, Zalia Hall, and Alpha Plier.

Junior I: Frances Gore.

Junior II: Ruby Willis and Lena Burnett.

Junior III: Victor Davis and Edna Gore.

There will be a play entitled "Comical Wedding" at Collins Chapel church Saturday night, February 7. Admission will be 10c. The proceeds will go for the new piano. Everybody has an invitation to attend if you want to have a god time, and laugh lots. It will begin at 7:30 o'clock.

There will be preaching at Collins Chapel Sunday by one of our old pastors, Rev. Norris. Everybody come.

Also there will be preaching at New Salem by the regular pastor, Rev. Z. Y. Appleton. Everyone come.

The post office at Jacksonville, Fla., received a letter addressed as follows: "Mrs. E. H. Holmes, who lives next door to Mrs. Jenkins, who owns a cow, Jacksonville, Florida."

After being divorced for a year, William Bonnville and Eliza Bonnville, who were first married 30 years ago, have announced their engagement in Worchester, Mass.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of that certain note and mortgage executed on the 28th day of May, 1928, by H. G. Parsons and wife, Kate Parsons, to Bank of Verbena, Verbena, Alabama, said mortgage being recorded in Book 130 of Mortgages at page 284, in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Autauga County, Alabama, and said note and mortgage being due November 1, 1928, and the same now being past due and unpaid; therefore the undersigned mortgagee will proceed to sell the following described real estate as described in said mortgage in front of the Court House door of Autauga County, Alabama, in the Town of Prattville on Monday, 2nd day of March, 1931, between the legal hours of sale at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash; the said property being described as follows:

One half acre of land described as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 20, Township 20, Range 16; thence South 41 degrees and 30 minutes East of South 188 feet to a stake thence East 2 degrees and 30 minutes South of East 223 feet to a stake; being a point of beginning of this lot, thence North 18 degrees East of North 159 feet to a stake, thence West 18 degrees West of South 159 feet to a stake, thence East 18 degrees South of East 138 feet to point of beginning containing one half acre, more or less, lying and being in Southeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter, Section 20, Township 20, Range 16, and being the lot or parcel of land upon which my dwelling house is located, whether correctly described above or not; the above lot or parcel of land situated lying and being in the Town of Marbury, Autauga County, Alabama, also a lot in the Town of Mt. Creek, Alabama, described therein as follows: Commencing at the Northeast corner of the gin lot, thence North 45 degrees 147 feet to the Southwest corner of a lot known as the Effie Dennis lot the beginning point, thence 45 degrees 117 feet to a stob, thence North 60 degrees West 104 feet to a stob, thence South 54 degrees West 93 feet to a stob, thence South 45 degrees East 117 feet to the point of beginning, also one lot described as follows: Commencing at a point on the east side of the L & N R. road three hundred feet North of the center of a stream which runs under said railroad and two hundred and fifty feet east of where the right-of-way ends, which is fifty feet from center of main line of said railroad running south one hundred and fifty-three feet nine inches, thence west ninety-one feet, thence Southeast one hundred seventy-seven feet forming a triangle, lying and being situated in the Southwest Quarter of Section 17, Township 120, Range 16, Chilton County, Alabama.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the amount due on said note and mortgage and the expenses incident to said sale, including a reasonable Attorney's fee.

This 17th day of January, 1931.

BANK OF VERBENA,
Mortgagee.

Omar L. Reynolds, Attorney for mortgagee,
1-29-4tcR
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Lois Moran In
"THE DANCERS" --- All Talking
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FRIDAY and SATURDAY—February 13th and 14th
"PHANTOM OF THE DESERT"
All Talking Western
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75c TABLE LINEN

A beautiful assortment of fancy colored borders in wide widths; special for Friday and Saturday, 2 1-4 yards for only **$1**

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This is the regular $1.50 quality diaper cloth and ready made diapers, all in 27 inch. Limit 1 package to a customer, at, each, only **$1**

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A Regular Size cotton blanket, and all are in dark colors. Limit Two to a Customer, while 15 lasts, Per Pair, only **$1**

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A real fine gauge glove silk underwear in panties, bloomers and vest most all sizes, we are offering you this at the lowest price in history, per pr. **$1**

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This is an extra large size towel, which you can buy now at a great savings, assorted color borders, while our stock lasts, 5 for **$1**

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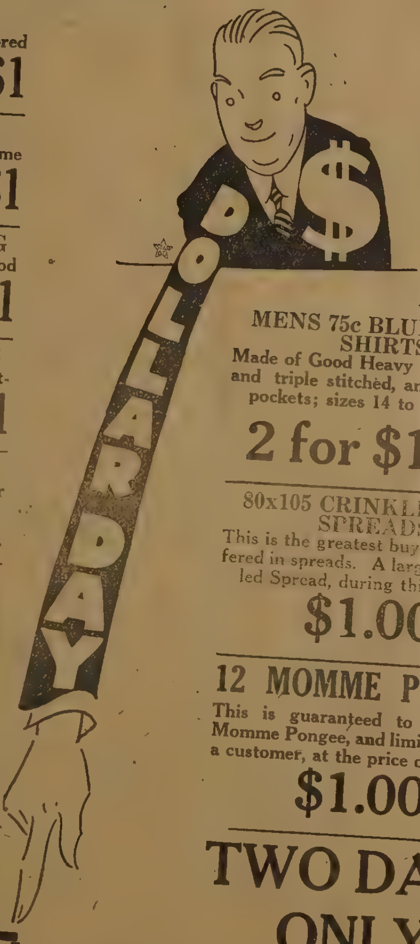
Beginning Saturday at 10 o'clock, we are going to offer 500 yards of 36-inch fast color prints in good quality, none sold before this time, and when this is gone no more to offer. Limit 10 yards to a customer—Special, 10 yards for

$1.00



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The greatest value ever offered in all silk hose in chiffon or service weight with peacot top, all sizes, and newest colors

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MENS 75c BLUE WORK SHIRTS

Made of Good Heavy Blue Shirting and triple stitched, and two large pockets; sizes 14 to 17; Special

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80x105 CRINKLED BED SPREADS

This is the greatest buy we have offered in spreads. A large size crinkled Spread, during this Sale for

$1.00

12 MOMME PONGEE

This is guaranteed to be the 12 Momme Pongee, and limit 3 yards to a customer, at the price of 3 yds for

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TWO DAYS ONLY

Friday & Saturday

February 6th and 7th

HEAVY SEA ISLAND SHEETING

We have placed on this Big Dollar Day Sale for Friday and Saturday only,. Limit 15 yds. to a customer; 15 yards for **$1.00**

BOYS OVERALLS

We have a limited supply of these overalls we are offering during this Sale cheap, sizes 4 to 16

2 pair for $1.00

CURTAINS and RODS

We are offering you during this Big Dollar Sale a full made five-piece curtain and rods to hang, all

for $1.00

39-INCH SILK CREPE

A beautiful quality of crepe in all leading shades and this crepe will give you perfect wear, only

$1.00 per yard

MENS $1.50 SHIRTS

We have just bought a big lot of shirts which formerly sold for $1.50, we are offering you during this Big Dollar Sale for

$1.00

Millinery Department

We are featuring during this big DOLLAR *event a nice selection of spring hats. All the newest and smartest styles that can be offered. This a great opportunity for you to buy a new spring hat at a great saving, and we specially invite you to come in and inspect our millinery department, which is operated by Mrs. Collister Williams. And don't think she hasn't got something to offer you for*

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J. A. Maddox

The Legislature And Its Grist

By Bob Vail

The lamp burner of Wilcox continues to trim wicks! Employees are being dropped almost daily from the state's payrolls. Gov. Miller considers these dropped as surplus. He is getting down to bed rock. Heads of some state departments affected feel he has already gone below bed-rock. When it is demonstrated to the governor that the state's business requires more clerks and helpers than he is leaving in the various departments, he has let it be known that he will authorize adding sufficient help to conduct the business properly. But he says he must be convinced that more help is needed. Some criticism is being heard concerning some of the governor's appointments. The assertion is frequently made that he is not giving his friends proper consideration. The governor takes the position that the state's best interests must first be conserved—then politics may be served. Aye, verily, the lamp-burner of Wilcox continues to trim wicks!

State Senator Bart I. Cowart of the Third Senatorial District, (Blount, Cullman and Winston Counties) hails from the strongly Republican County of Winston. Senator Cowart who is a highly successful business man is the first state [illegible] elected from Winston County. He is a staunch Democrat who has long served his party. Among other [illegible] appointments given [illegible] the Senate is [illegible]

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[illegible] houses of the present Alabama Legislature are as follows:

Legionnaire House Members

Bullock County, C. D. Norman, Calhoun, Percy M. Pitts, Clanton, Cleburne, F. B. Parker, Heflin, Colbert, C. F. Carmichael, Tuscumbia, Conecuh, J. F. Kelly, Repton, Coosa, Felix L. Smith, Rockford, Elmore, Arthur Glover, Wetumpka, Franklin, W. H. Key, Jr., Russellville, Jackson, John M. Snodgrass, Scottsboro, Jefferson, John C. Morrow, Birmingham, Lewey Robinson, Birmingham; Lee, Roy L. Smith, Phoenix City, Marengo, Robert E. Sutton, Linden, Mobile, Edw. I. Grove, Mobile; Talladega, Richard B. Kelly Jr; Washington, J. Massey Edgar.

Senate Members

Lawrence-Morgan, J. Marvin Kelly, Hartselle; Jackson-Marshall, C. D. Scruggs, Guntersville; Talladega, D. Hardy Riddle; Roanoke, Paul J. Hooten, Jasper, Coleman Shepherd; Monroeville, E. T. Millsap, Troy, G. J. Hubbard; Hurtsboro, C. G. Brown; Selma, J. W. Lapsley; Eutaw, E. F. Hildreth; Goodwater, John A. Darden; Dothan, Hubert Farmer.

Representative Cooper Green of Jefferson, is one of the new and young members of the present House. Though he comes from a county where school conditions are probably the best in the state, he makes his shibboleth "Better rural schools." He says he wants to see the best of school houses, containing adequate facilities under the direction of high grade teachers conducting full nine months of school, in every school district in Alabama. He pledges [illegible] and work to that end.

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[illegible] ers in the House at present are Representatives Hubert Davis of Macon and Tom M. Arrington of Montgomery. They are the only members of the 1901 Constitutional Convention in the lower house of the present Legislature. A gracious gesture by Speaker Tunstall was in placing these two men on the committee to receive the picture of Chairman Knox of that convention, which will be presented to the Legislature early in February, a special event on the House program. Messrs. Davis and Arrington serve with Representative McElderry of Talladega on this special committee.

Clerk Handley Stewart is the "working member" of the state Legislature. His work starts when the others quit and keeps up far into the night. It would be truer to say his work starts when the others start and never stops. He has been Clerk of the House a number of years and is a splendid official.

Representative Burns Parker of Cleburne is a live member of the Alabama House of Representatives. He is an ex-Sargeant in our well-known Uncle's army—and those Sargeants were allegedly hardboiled. Some folks who opposed him in the recent campaign say he qualifies! He carries "among his souvenirs" an affidavit prepared by [illegible] political [illegible] attest [illegible] for him and his political prowess. Active and alert, he is an outstanding member of Alabama's [illegible] body.

There are three Republicans in the [illegible] Representative Percy Pitts of Chilton [illegible] Posey of Winston and Lloyd of DeKalb. There are three "Independent Jeffersonians" or followers of Tom Heflin in the House—Representatives Burton and Hollingsworth of Chambers and Jordan of Clay.

Representative Charlie Coates of Clarke County introduced the celebrated "Tom Heflin Resolution" in the House. It criticised Heflin in caustic terms for his "poor sportsmanship" in connection with his conduct since the November election. It was probably the most interest-compelling document brought before the present Legislature and attracted thoughtful attention of the members when presented. It carried in the House 91 to 3—only the 3 "Heflin Democrats" voting against its adoption. The three Republican members voted for it. Representative Coates received nationwide publicity following its passage, calls being made from papers all over the country for stories about the resolution and about its modest author. The Senate adopted the resolution 33 to 0—two senators being absent. It was moved for passage in the Senate by the Senator from Heflin's own district—Hon. Paul J. Hooten.

For the theft of 40 cents, Anthony Carbinari of New York was given a 7-year prison sentence [illegible] was recently [illegible] to take bets on the races.

IRON BEDS
$2.50 and up - 50c week

RANGE STOVES
Guaranteed
$29.50 --- $1 weekly

DRESSERS
$5 and up --- 50c week

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$2.50 each --- 50c week

Bed Room Suites
$49.50 --- $1.50 a week

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$35.00 --- $1.00 a week

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Mrs. T. H. Neighbors Hostess To "As You Like It" Club.

The "As You Like It" Club met at the home of Mrs. T. H. Neighbors on Thursday afternoon. The home was beautifully decorated with early spring flowers. Late in the afternoon the hostess served a delicious salad course to the following: Mesdames V. J. Gragg, M. A. Gore, D. C. Alred, J. B. Atkinson, Flem Higgins, G. C. Walker, D. W. Haskew, T. R. Burdette, L. H. Reynolds.

Mrs. L. H. Reynolds will be hostess for the next meeting.

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Mr and Mrs. J B. Atkinson motored to Sylacauga Sunday.

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Miss Zora Lee Bearden of West Blocton has been the guest for the past several days of Miss Leora Mims.

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Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Watts and son, John W., and Winstons Mims of Birmingham spent last Sunday here with Mrs. Mattie Mims.

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Mrs. Floyd Aldridge is spending some time in Birmingham as guest of relatives.

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Mrs. C. T. Jones and children of Thomasville, Ga., P. W. Thompson and son of Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Maury and child of Montevallo, and Mr and Mrs. John Golf, of Montgomery were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thompson the past week end.

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Mrs. F. L. Thompson of Selma spent the past week end with relatives here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jones spent Sunday with Mrs. Glenn at Mt. Creek, Ala.

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Misses Annie Mae and U. L. Foshee spent the past week end at their home west of Clanton.

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Mr and Mrs. Ocie Webb and little son of Russellville, are visiting the former's parents near here.

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Miss Edith Hand, Mr. Chester Hand Miss Mamie Sue Stewart and Bob Coleman of Birmingham spent Sunday as guests of Miss Ruth Hand.

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Mrs. C. E. VanDerveer enjoyed an airplane ride last Thursday afternoon, and comments from Mrs. VanDerveer showed she found it to be a thrilling experience for one of Clanton's oldest residents.

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Misses Myrel Walker and Louise Jackson of Montgomery were guests of their aunt, Mrs. M. B. Arant, in Clanton last week end.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wade and little daughter of Russellville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade Monday and Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Callen and little daughter [illegible] motored to Selma Sunday, and were accompanied by their [illegible] on the return trip. Billy [illegible] visiting relatives there.

"Switch to Fitch" we have this guaranteed line of hair and scalp remedies, complete. —Clanton Drug Co.

Miss Pearl Thomas Honored With Birthday Dinner.

Miss Pearl Thomas was honored on last Thursday night at a birthday dinner at the home of her parents near here. The home was attractively decorated in flowers, carrying out a color scheme of pink and green.

A delicious and well prepared supper was served to the following guests: Misses Nora Gore, Dorothy McKennon, Flora Thomas, Elva Gore, Era Mims, Messrs. Jess McKennon, Herman Gore, Jim Smitherman, Clarence Murray, Howard Mims, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gore, Mr. and Mrs. Flyd Gore, Mr. Amos Bean, Mr. Howard Mims, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Solari of Birmingham. Following this enjoyable dinner, music was furnished by Foster Miller, Aubrey Gore, Howard Mims, Jim Smitherman, and Manuel Mims.

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Mr. and Mrs. Flem Higgins and Flem Jr., spent Monday in Birmingham.

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Mrs. Parker Taylor of Roanoke was a visitor to Clanton last week.

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Mr and Mrs Grier Culver of Mt. Creek were among the visitors to Clanton Monday.

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Mr and Mrs. Lloyd Popwell of Birmingham spent Sunday in Clanton with Mr. and Mrs. Joe N. Calloway.

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The many friends of Mrs. J. R. Broadhead will regret to learn that she is ill at her home here.

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Little Billy Popwell who has been confined to a Birmingham hospital for some time, returned to his home in Clanton last Sunday. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Popwell.

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Miss Callie Watts, operator of the popular Watts Hat & Dress Shoppe of Clanton, left Monday afternoon for the markets at Atlanta and St. Louis.

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A Heavener, Okla., man sent a check to T. A. Freeze, of Little Rock, Ark., as payment for seven chickens which he had stolen from him in 1896, saying that his conscience hurt him every time he "sank a tooth" in a chicken drumstick.

State Anti-Rabies Vaccine Now Used

Manufacture and distribution of anti-rabies vaccine from the new State owned and operated laboratory at the State Health Department was begun Monday, Dr L. C. Havens, director of the State Laboratories, announced.

Manufacture of the anti-rabies vaccine will result in a saving of about $15,000 annually, it was estimated, as all vaccine heretofore has been purchased by the department.

Figures supplied by Mrs. H. C. Brown, supervisor of the antitoxin division, showed that the cost to the state of distributing anti-rabies vaccine to persons who had been bitten and were unable to pay for treatment for the past six years was $156,190.

The expense to the State when vaccine was purchased is shown by years as follows: 1925, $20,942; 1926, $25,137.50; 1927, $25,492.50; 1928, $31,043.50; 1929, $26,059.50 and 1930, $27,514.50.

Until August, 1929, Pasteur treatments were used, which cost nearly twice the amount as the new and more economical Semple treatments which became available and have been used since that time.

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GOOD LIGHTING PAYS

Skimpy lighting in industrial plants lowers production, increases spoilage of materials and causes many accidents, according to Charles H. Weeks, labor commissioner of New Jersey, whose department has made an extensive study of the subject. Poor lighting also causes serious eye strain which further reduces the efficiency of the workers.

A concrete example is given by Mr. Weeks, in which the installation of a modern lighting system in a large industrial plant led to an increase of 12 to 16 per cent in production and reduced spoilage of material more than 50 per cent. It was also found that 18 per cent of industrial accidents in the state were caused by defective lighting arrangements.

Not only in factories, but in business houses, offices, school-rooms and homes as well, good lighting pays in efficiency comfort and improved eyesight. Its cost is trifling in comparison with the benefits it confers.

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A few days after Mr. and Mrs. John Keuhner had moved from Rush Hill, Mo., to Newark, N. J., their cat walked in after a foot journey of over 1,000 miles.

ENJOY YOUR TRIP.

There is one thing that people who go South on ships do not complain of, and that is the trip itself. That is the reason why so many automobilists who have tired themselves out in past years are now engaging passage on to the Clyde-Mallory Lines at New York in order to make the journey a delightful part of the visit to Florida. Returning travelers who have garnered rich returns in the wholesome atmosphere of shipboard life, and strolled the decks, enjoyed the spacious lounges, music rooms, tea rooms, musical entertainment or social hours, declare with emphasis that the way to go South is over the bounding deep, via the Atlantic Ocean. They say the happy, carefree atmosphere of shipboard life is the place where troubles are forgotten, and land-born worries are banished, with the result that Florida, the famous land of sunshine becomes a success, bodily and mentally when the steamship lands you at the dock.

After all, why go on a vacation if you have to work harder for it than you would if you stayed at home? Thousands of people need a rest more when they get back than they did before they went away. It is the realization of this fact that is turing our investigating and discriminating American travelers to try something else besides their skill at driving automobiles at breakneck speed to playgrounds of the South.

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Harrison Gallerson of Fresno, Calif., had to pay his taxes twice, as an investigation disclosed that the first "collector" was not a tax collector.

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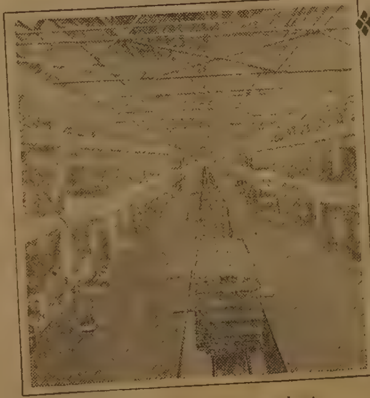
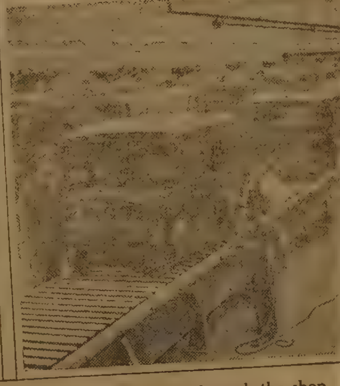


Trains unload in the plant.



Bodies starting through the shop.

Conveyors carry wheels with mounted tires over a line on which cars pass to comp

The highly important part played by conveyor systems in all Ford Motor Company manufacturing and assembly plants is graphically shown in the above three pictures taken in the recently opened Edgewater, N. J., plant. One of the pictures shows how parts may be unloaded from freight cars within the plant only a few feet from the various assembly lines. Another picture shows automobile bodies starting their trip on a conveyor while the third view is of the conveyor system use wheels to the chasses which are also moving veyor. As indicated in the picture, a consta wheels on which the tires have already bee moves around and over the chassis assembl a chassis enters the section, workers, in gro each take a wheel from the hooks and fast chassis.

YOU HAVE BEEN WAITING FOR THIS SALE

This is the Sale You Have Been Expecting To Hear About. It is Here and We Are Placing Our Entire Stock of Goods on Sale at Tremendously Reduced Prices.

Everything To Be Sold Below Cost

Come In and Select What You Want. The Price Will More Than Please You. We Have Not Moved This Large Stock and are Still Located in the same building

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Friday Morning February 6th 8 O'clock
Continues untill Stock Is Sold

Come Early

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Mt. Pleasant Junior High School News

On last Thursday afternoon Prof. Williams and Mrs. Strock brought the sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth grades of the Baker school over to Mt. Pleasant to compete in their second Spelling Bee this year. The contest was lively, interesting and worthwhile throughout its time.

The long hallway of the Mt. Pleasant building was ideal for this purpose. Immediately after arriving the Baker group formed a long line and marched in, lining up in the hallway just opposite the Mt. Pleasant students. Fifty-three pupils from each school participated in the match.

Words were given from the State adopted textbooks. Intermediate, and Junior High Speller. This contest ended with four Mt. Pleasant pupils still standing. Those four were Renfro Price, Lucile Price, Dorothy Jones and J. P. Culp. The last two up for Baker were Willis Baker and Myrtle Powell, and what a thrill they put into this contest is something everyone should appreciate. These two clever spellers flashed many surprises to everyone by spelling with seemingly great ease words that are ordinarily considered difficult.

But to their regret and to Mt. Pleasant's exultant joy, the word "Parliament" was called, after a brief pause, two attempts were made by the last Baker Speller, Miss Myrtle Powell, the word passed to Miss Lucile Price. 'Finis' was written to the contest. Amid great cheering and noise the Baker classes departed everyone feeling greatly benefited from the friendly contest.

Mt. Pleasant added another victory this week to its winning column. The Stanton Junior High School boys came over last Friday and after an interesting basketball game had climaxed the scores revealed that a rather one-sided victory had been chalked up, in Mt. Pleasant's favor. The final score was 16 to 8. The Mt. Pleasant boys took an early 6-point lead and never relinquished it during the game.

The Junior II and III Home Problems Class, under the supervision of their instructor, Miss Littlejohn, gave a Reception in honor of the basketball team last Friday night. The entertainment was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Edwards. Several new games and contests were introduced. A delightful time was had by all present.

The attendance at school has been good during the last month. We feel fortunate in not having an epidemic of some dreaded disease to break into our school as it has some other schools.

The Parent-Teachers meeting will be held at the school building next Thursday afternoon, February 5, at two-thirty. The President and teachers all urge members to be present. Several interesting and important matters are to be discussed.

Several of the pupils have been inquiring recently just why Miss Littlejohn and Miss Raney went to Montgomery last Saturday week. They supposedly went on business, but this year their seems to be a marriage epidemic sweeping through the teaching profession, and too, the larger percent secretly, so naturally how are you going to keep suspicion from arising? But nevertheless, the report "Not Guilty" so guess we may rest contented at that.

We were glad to have a large number of patrons to visit our school last Friday afternoon. We cordially invite you to come again. It is encouraging to both teacher and child for the parent to manifest this interest in visiting the schol. Remember the P.-T. A. meeting next Thursday.

Our County School Superintendent, Mr. Lawrence, has promised to come out to our school within the next few days and make a talk to the Junior III Civics class. The subject has not yet been announced, but will be by the next issue of this paper.

Through the sale of garden seed the school has raised $4.15 which will be applied for school equipment.

The Junior III English Class is having a series of debates. On Monday (this week) Misses Luettie Cooper and Vera Jones will match their arguments against Messrs. Woodrow Price and Grady Miner. The girls will uphold the affirmative side of the question: 'Resolved that the fly is a more deadly enemy to mankind than the mosquito.'

On Tuesday the subject will be: 'Resolved that the Radio is more enjoyable than the Victrola.' Julia Edwards and Renfro Price will speak for the negative side, while Eunice Holley and Grady Miner will support the affirmative.

The fast Junior High boys basketball team from Jemison High School will meet the Mt. Pleasant team on the latter's court next Friday, February 6. Jemison presents a well-balanced team and a good hard fought game is in store. Game called at 2:45 p.m.

Everyone try and see this game.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geiger and family came down Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Geiger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus.

Marriage Licenses

The following names are those to whom marriage license have been issued during the month of January, 1931, from the office of the Probate Judge of the County:

D. F. Willis and Miss Delene Lambert.

Lewis Williams and Miss Pearl Minor.

Paul Williamson and Miss Vara Maddox.

C. L. McSheeam and Miss Daisy Lee Lovelady.

Gewin Eaves and Miss Irene Wilson.

James E. Dorminey and Miss Lettie Collum.

R. C. Davis and Miss Lucille Honeycutt.

W. S. Christian and Miss Kathryn McLean.

Pete Solari and Miss Gladys Thomas

J. O. Cofer and Miss Emmie Avery.

Ocie D. Deavers and Miss Clara Esrene Ray.

Herschell Lowery and Miss Lillian Melton.

Matthew Berkley and Miss Bessie Wesson.

B. F. Roberts anw Miss Vadie Little.

F. B. Jones and Miss Eva Davis.

Ernest Lenoir and Miss Nettie Sims

William J. Jones and Miss Lillie Dupree.

Chris Boyd and Miss Esther McLellan

Harvey Dobbs and Miss Myrtle Mullins.

Russell Floyd Taylor and Miss Gertrude Williams.

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Concord-Billingsley

Several members from this church attended the first quarterly conference which was held last Saturday at Pleasant Grove church.

The President of the Alabama Conference, Rev. C. W. Walton, was present. We were indeed glad to have him with us.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williams and children were the all-day guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Little Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Williams and Crawford Owens of Fairview community were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. Y. Sims.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Tindall and children spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Fonza Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams spent Sunday as the guests of their daughter, Mrs. R. A. Hicks, of Billingsley.

Misses Bessie and Allie Williams were the dinner guests of Miss Virginia Little Sunday.

Mr. Clyde Sims spent the week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams, of Fairview community.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw and family spent a few enjoyable hours with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Foshee Saturday night.

Mrs. C. D. Foshee was the Saturday evening guest of her sister, Mrs. Fonza Williams.

Remember, w ar still having Sunday school at ten o'clock in the morning and Christian Endeavor at six o'clock in the evening.

We invite all our friends to come and be with us.

It seems that the members of both C. E. and Sunday School are taking more interest. We hope this will not stop at the close of the contest, but that it will grow better during all the year.

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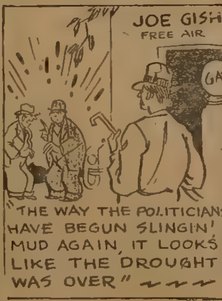
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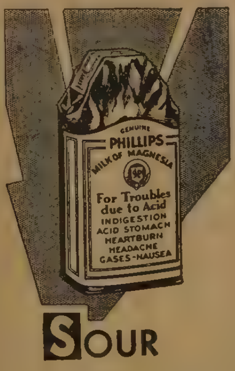

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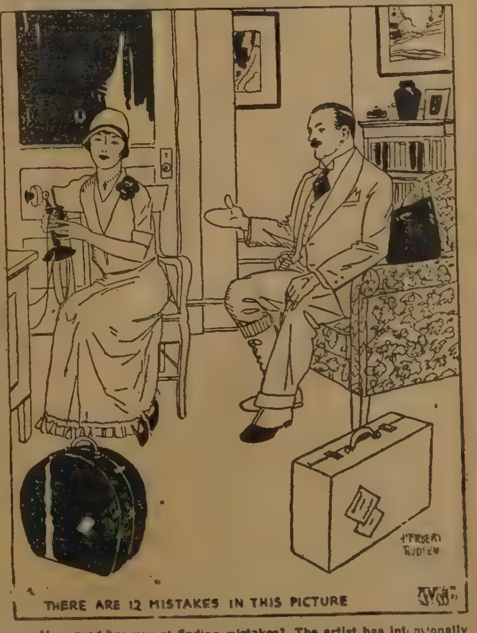
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Settlement of Bonus Certificates To Be Discussed at District Meetings of The American Legion

There will be a District meeting of the American Legion within the next ten days in each Congressional District of Alabama. These meetings are called by the Past Department Commanders to arrange for a membership drive during the Past Commanders' Week, February 7th to 14th inclusive.

It is planned to have a general discussion of the settlement of the Adjusted Service Certificates or "Bonus" at each of these meetings, and every exserviceman who is interested in this question should make arrangements to attend the meeting nearest his home, and in the meantime, let every member of the Legion see as many exservicemen who are not Legionnaires and urge them to attend these meetings and join the Legion immediately. The power of the Legion depends on its membership.

The places and dates of each meeting are listed below:

District No. 1—Mobile at 11:00 A.M. February 8.

District No. 2—Greenville at 2:00 P. M. February 8.

District No. 3—Enterprise at 11:00 A. M. February 8.

District No. 4—Anniston at 3:00 P. M. February 8.

District No. 5—Alexander City at 12 N. February 8.

District No. 6—Tuscaloosa at 10:00 A. M. February 1.

District No. 7—Cullman at 11:00 A. M. February 8.

District No. 8—Decatur at 1:00 P. M. February 8

District No. 9—Bessemer at 1:00 P. M. February 8.

District No. 10—Jasper at 1:00 P.M. February 8.

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DR. H. C. JUNKERMAN MOVES OFFICE TO THORSBY, ALA.

Dr. H. C. Junkerman, dentist, who has been located in Clanton for sometime, recently moved his office to Thorsby where he will be located in the future.

Dr. Junkerman said that his office will be open every day in the week with hours of eight to ten o'clock in the mornings and from one to three o'clock in the afternoons.

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Billingsley News

Rev. F. E. Stafford of Plantersville filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church here Sunday. He used as his subject, "The Life of Christ." This was one of a series of sermons that he is giving on this subject.

Rev. A. S. Bentley is recuperating from a recent illness and was able to fill his pulpit at Indian Grave church Sunday morning.

Those who attended the District Sunday School Convention at Alpint church Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patrick, G. T. Dickinson, James Bentley, Earl Davis, Mrs. J. C. Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Patrick.

Miss Nettye Mason Pattillo from Womans College in Montgomery spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pattillo. She had as her guests Misses Burk and Allen, also from the college.

Rev. Mr. Edwards from Porterville, Miss., passing through, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Apperson Sunday. Mr. Edwards held a meeting at the Methodist church several years ago.

The friends of Mrs. Henry Gafford will regret to learn that she continues seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. King and Miss Mabel King motored to Birmingham Sunday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Olive.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Marlar and Mrs. Vashti Wright are visiting relatives in Birmingham this week.

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and he let it be known that he was moving into the community just over the way, and said he to the farmer, "What kind of people liver over there?" Again the farmer asked him what kind of people lived in the community out of which he had just moved. "Just the finest folks in the world," said the man "and it broke our hearts to leave them." "Well," said the old philosopher, "You will find them same kind of folks wha' you am going." In other words you will determine what Clanton is to you. If you look at Clanton through a yellow glass, the whole city will look yellow. If you look at it through a green glass, the city looks green to you. That is just the reason why so many of us are constantly lamenting the times and the citizenship with whom we have to live. Get a clear glass and look thru it and you will see the sunshine and hope will come down upon you like the falling of the dew.

This is a day when political lines are drawn and we pride ourselves that we belong to the Republican party, or the Democratic party. It is all right for you to be a Democrat or a Republican if you so desire, but I would like to organize a new party in these days of gloom. I would not make it a "Duke's Mixture" as the most of our parties are today, but I would make it clear and full of sunshine. I would name my new party, "The Radiance party." I would call a meeting of all those who believed in my party, and together we would lay down the planks of our platform. The first plank that I would nail down good and hard would be the plank of working and not weeping. We would put every man in our party to doing something. He would not be allowed to stand on the street corners weeping for a job while the soil was calling for someone to come and make it a well of production. The second plank that we would nail down would be that of boosting and not knocking. Do not understand me to say that I approve of some of this wild, reckless boosting that we hear before Rotarians, Kiwanians, and other clubs, but I keeps hope and courage alive. There would be no place for knockers in my new party. The third plank would be that of cheerfulness and not grouchiness. A grouchy man can be a Republican and he can be a Democrat, but he can not belong to the Radiance party. One of the serious troubles of today is that we are going about as though we had a grouch with the government, the weather and the Lord. The soil has not gone out of business, the weather man is not on a strike, and God is not dead, and why should we go moaning about the streets? My fourth plank in my Radiance party would be courtesy and not adbruptness. These Democrats and Republicans have about forgotten the fundamentals of courtesy. They are abrupt in their speech, mannerism and ways. The members of my new party would be required to speak in courteous language, act in a courteous way and deal with his fellow man in a courteous spirit. We would live together in courtesy and kindness. A fifth plank in my party platform would be patience and not complaining. The members of these old line parties are acting today just like they have never known of such times as we are now having. Business ran down in 1914 and in 1921 just like it is now. It is coming back just like it did then. We need a new party of patience so that we will not go wild with complaining. I visited a sick patient not long since and he filled the room with his groans. I asked the family if he were in agony? They said not that they could detect. They told me that he had formed the habit of grunting whether he had pain or not. I sometimes think that we are about like that patient. We have formed the habit of grunting, whether we suffer or not. The Radiance party members should be patient. The last plank that I would nail down in my Radiance party would be that of economy and not wastefulness. I would drive this plank down with twenty penny nails and then I would clamp it with iron. It does not matter which party held the governmental reins, the most evident thing in practice was that of wastefulness. We have wasted enough in the last ten years to tide us over any kind of depression times. While the dollars were rolling toward us, we caught them and rolled them away, and now we are crying our sad bosoms empty because we have no more dollars to roll. You note that I have made work to be the beginning plank and economy the closing plank of my new platform, and that is not a mere happen so. They are where they belong. The Radiance party is founded upon work and economy, and it thrives upon boosting, cheerfulness, courtesy and patience. I would take this new party with its platform and I would stand it in the streets of Clanton, and I would face it to the future and not to the past.

I know no place where conditions are more favorable for the growing of this Radiance party than right here in Clanton. We are in the center of the State. We are near the half way line between Montgomry and Birmingham. We have a county filled with country white people, the very bone and blood of American life. We have a farming section that can not be surpassed anywhere in the State. We are the heart of the Alabama Power Company. We are out of debt as a county. We have a link up of the best school system to be found anywhere. We have fine churches in Clanton and nice country churches on every hill top in the county. It looks to me that this new Radiance party should grow in this favorable soil.

If this Radiance party has your good will, may I not ask that you show it. Show it by taking off that slouchy garment that is to be seen thrown around our city in some places. When Nehemiah traveled around Jerusalem he discovered that there was much rubbish scattered in every section of the city. They secured wagons and carted this rubbish off to the dumping grounds. You Kiwanians look around Clanton and see if you can not find much rubbish. When there are unkept lots, rubbish piled here and there, the city looks just like a woman with a beautiful face and yet with a slouchy dress. The first thing that I saw on entering Clanton was that unsightly swamp that you find almost within a stone's throw of your business section. Mud, slush and weeds. If you have a good will for your own community, you will do your best as an individual and as a club to remove the slouchy garment that is to be seen resting on the body of our beautiful little city. If you will join our new Radiance party, we are asking that you show it, not only by removing the slouchy garment, but clothing your city with a bright garment of care, pride and prosperity. The premises about our homes need more care. Our buildings need painting. There should be a wholesale plantin gof flowers. The man's heart that is right toward his own town, will clothe his home and premises with a new garment that shines. In the thrid place, you should show your willingness to join this new party by entering into the progressive movements of your city and county with a heart that is all aglow with interest and enthusiasm. It is easy to be a well wisher for progress, but it is hard to lead in the ranks of progress.

I close with this statement, the good will of the citizenship of a community means as much to the well being of that community, as the blood means to the body of an individual. If the blood that goes flowing through your veins is an asset to your life, then your good will for your city is an asset to the place where you live. I thank you.

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Clanton Grammar School Honor Roll

Following is the Honor Roll of the Clanton Grammar School for the month of January, 1931:

First Grade: Frances Smith, Clara Marie Cooper, James Duke Heflin.

Second Grade: Lurline Benson, Mary Wyatt, Lillian Smith, Norman Harris, Berniece Lowe, Ann Ross, James Carl Martin.

Third Grade: Annie Cordelia Smith, Mary Louise Maddox, Grace Hicks Ezell.

Fourth Grade: Peggy Page, Theda Wyatt, Olive Rainer Elmore, Mildred Maddox, Nell Rockett.

Fifth Grade: Marie Benson.

Special Mention List

First Grade: Mary Helen Maddox, Kathleen Armstrong, Doris Deloach, Marjorie Bullard, Sarah Nell Sessions, A. J. McKinnion, Charles Neighbors, Preston Mims, Jack Lowery, Lauretta Vines, Edna Blalock, Nina Flo Headley, Myrtle otton, Louis Eubanks, Wilbur Prince.

Second Grade: Iris Alford, Katherine Ware, Eunice Price, Aubrey Teel, Joseph Green.

Third Grade: Blanche Thomas, Lenell Eubanks, Mary Frances Atkinson, T. J. Rasberry.

Fourth Grade: Mary Culver, Dorothy Carter, Nell Jones, Mary Aniece Polk, Mary Reba Peyton, Ruth Thomaston, Henry Esco, Sidney Nelson.

Fifth Grade: Agnes Powell, Willodean Teel, Marzelle Taylor, Margaret Golson, Elzie Sewell.

Sixth Grade: Jane Neighbors.

CARELESSNESS NOT BLAMED IN CONAWAY CHILDREN'S DEATH

The attention of the News has been called to the article appearing in last weeks issue in regard to the death of the two Conway children, of the Isabella community, and the statement made about them possibly having been poisoned by eating syrup from an old bucket they had found. It has been stated that it was not through carelessness of any kind that these children were able to get this syrup bucket, and that how they got hold of it, the older persons are at a loss to determine.

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Read Our Advertising.

ROSE BOWL FOOTBALL GAME TO BE SHOWN HERE NEXT WEEK

Due to some misunderstanding on the part of the concern from whom the Wadesonian Theatre was to secure the picture of the Rose Bowl Football Classic, the Alabama-Washington game they were unable to show this film here last week as scheduled, but definite announcement has been made this wek that it will be shown here on Friday and Saturday of next week. See the program of the theatre elsewhere in this issue.

As a special feature for tonight, the Wadesonian Theatre is presenting William Haynes, that popular comedian, in "Remote Control." This talking picture has just completed a record run at the Alabama Theatre in Birmingham, and is expected to draw a large crowd here.

YOUNG PEOPLES' COUNCIL W. M. U. WILL MEET

The Young Peoples' Council of W. M. U. meeting will be held at Thorsby Baptist Church Sunday afternoon, Feb. 8th, at two o'clock.

The program consists of the following.

Song: "Stepping in the Light."

Devotional: "Ye are the light of the World."

Special Music.

Roll Call.

Demonstration: Thorsby Young People.

Introduction of Associational officers.

Goals for 1931.

Election of officers.

—Secretary of the Young Peoples' Council. AVOLEEN WEBB.

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Flour	Grandmas Wonder 24 lb. bag	90c
FLOUR	Eagle Brand 24 lb. bag	75c
HAMS	Picnic Per lb.	15c
Mayonnaise	8 oz. Jar	15c
Soap	Export 8 bars	25c
Beans	Colorado Red 5 Pounds *Very Rich in Food Value*	25c
Potatoes	Seed Peck	55c
Onion Sets	quart	10c
Snuff	Bruton's 3-20c boxes	45c
Tobacco	Prince Albert 2 Cans	25c
Tobacco	Bloodhound Thick Plug	15c
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NON-JURY TERM CIRCUIT COURT FEBRUARY 17TH

Large Number Cases Are On Docket For February Term Of Circuit Court

The February non-jury term of Circuit Court of Chilton County will convene in Clanton Tuesday, February 17, with Judge George F. Smoot, presiding and Hon. Winston Huddleston of Wetumpka, representing the State.

Following are cases on docket for this term of Circuit Court:

February The 17th, 1931

Fondie Young, et al, D. Bond.
Napoleon Ray, V. P. L.
C. C. Simmons, Petit Larceny.
Walter Kelley, A. with a weapon.
Joe Bike, V. P. L.
Joe Farmer, D. M. V. while Intox.
Charlie Roper, V. P. L.
Hayes Varner, et al, D. Bond.
Odis Jones, Public Drunkenness.
Lafayette Watts, Assault & Battery.
Dan Jackson, V. P. L.
Willie Pilgreen, Fraudulent check.
O. A. Price, D. M. V. While Intox.
Will Henry, Reckless Driving.
Hattie Roberts, V. P. L.
Renza Mims, V. P. L.
John Kelley, V. P. L.
C. E. Dessenger, Reckless driving.
C. E. Dessenger, Absconding after an accident.
Arch Robinson, Fraudulent Check.
Gene Stockdale, V. P. L.
Loyld Caton, V. P. L.
Angolas Ratliff, A. & B.
Homer Ratliff, Dist. Public Assembly.
Leslie Davis, Reckless Driving.
Pearlie Ware and Henry Sawyer, Adultry.
Tom Davis, V. P. L.
Leslie Davis, D. M. V. While Intox.
Jim Gennings alias James Janings, V. P. L.
George Huett, V. P. L.
Joe Tom Middlebrooks, V. P. L.
Elijah Thomas, V. P. L.
Claud Hunt, V. P. L.
Marion Chandler, A. I. O. L.
E. E. Middleton, Reckless driving.
Terse Killingsworth, A. I. O. L.
Harry Weissbuck, Reckless Driving.
Richard Palmer, Reckless Driving.
Ervin Wilson, V. P. L.
Nanion Oden, V. P. L.
Jent Oden, Petit Larceny.
Albert Townsend, Receiving Stolen Property.
Willie Jones, C. C. Pistol.
Merle Deats, A. I. O. L.
T. D. alias Tip Roper, V. P. L.
John McHeard, Presenting Fire Arms.
Ed. Adams, Presenting Fire Arms.
Henry Underwood, Petit Larceny.
J. C. Goodson, Petit Larceny.
Coy Ray, Public, Drunkenness.
Coy Ray, Malicious Injury to property.
William Allen Mickey, A. & B.
G. W. Coburn, Maintaining an Insanitary Privy.
Taff Spence, Petit Larceny.
Bud Boswell, V. P. L.
Edgar Duram, Public Drunkenness.
Joe Tom Middleton, et al, D. Bond.
General Harrison, C. C. Pistol.
F. W. Beasley, Fraudulent Check.
Perry Johnson, V. P. L.
Reuben Willis, V. P. L.
Cary Ray, V. P. L.
E. E. Middlebrooks, Reckless Driving.
Thomas Hawkins, V. P. L.
John Ratliff, Selling Mortg. Prop-

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J. B. ATKINSON NAMED AS CHAIRMAN OF C. M. T. C.

Major S. R. Tupper, U. S. Army, in charge of Citizens' Military Training Camp enrollment, has announced the appointment of J. B. Atkinson of Clanton, as Chairman of enrollment in Chilton County. Upon the recommendation of Mr. Atkinson, the following citizens have been appointed assistant chairmen: Lt. T. B. DeRamus, Verbena.

According to Major Tupper the state quota will be filled by March 1st and applications received after that date will be considered alternates. Accepted applicants from this county will be sent to Ft. McClellan, Ala. Any young man of acceptable character, who is between the age of 17 and 24 may apply for this training. All necessary expense, including transportation to and from camp, camp facilities, food, clothing, laundry and services of instructors, is furnished free by the Government.

Major Tupper urges those who [illegible] to take advantage of the Government's offer of training to get in touch with the County Chairman or CMTC headquarters, 256 Federal Building, Birmingham, immediately.

VALENTINE PARTY AT THE ISABELLA HIGH SCHOOL

The News has been requested to announce this week that there will be a Valentine Party at the Isabella High School west of Clanton on Friday night February 13th, beginning at seven-thirty o'clock.

Prizes are to be awarded for the best costumes, so everyone is requested to do their best in arranging a costume to wear at this party.

A program consisting of songs and contests will be rendered and candy will be sold. Those attending this are assured of a real evening of fun and entertainment. Admission will be ten cents.

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FARMERS URGED TO LIVE FROM LAND BY CHIEF

Chief Statistician Joined By State Department With Program

In order to help farmers to help themselves, the Alabama Department of Agriculture and Industries hopes to cut the cotton acreage in the state by 2,100,000 acres next year and to substitute corn and hay crops in its place, according to F. W. Gist, Chief of the Bureau of Statistics.

This plan of the state department links up directly with a program being sponsored by the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, entitled "Farming for profit in 1931." The plans show that farmers should plant enough food and feed crops to take care of themselves and their workers and to strive for increased diversification of farm products, with an addition of hogs and poultry as "cash crops."

It was stated that the plan is intended to prevent suffering from unfavorable conditions as experienced last year and to permit the Alabama farmer to "Live from the land."

Mr. Gist stated that he told farmers shortage in feed and food was caused by the drought and business conditions were responsible for the low cotton price. Mr. Gist was quoted as saying, "I told them that to prevent a return of these conditions they must change their practices so as to have enough food on hand for their own needs and some left over for sale."

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DEAD NEGRO FOUND ON HILL NEAR COOSA RIVER RECENTLY

The body of a negro man was found last week near Coosa River between Norman's Camp and Mitchell Dam, and after the decomposed body was brought to Clanton, it was found shortly after burial that it was a negro by the name of Macaroni Wright, age 17.

The discovery was made by a Mrs. Easterling who was passing through the woods on a trail to a neighbor's home. J. Mell Martin, Clanton undertaker, and coroner, was notified. He went down to the scene of the discovery and reported that evidence showed that the negro had been dead approximately a month or more.

No clue could be found when the discovery was made and investigated, as to the identity of the negro. Preparations were made and the body brought to Clanton and buried. Shortly after the burial, an old negro man came up to the office of the undertaker and after viewing the cap and shoes and other wearing apparel, he stated it was his son, who had disappeared from home about two months ago to go to the home of an uncle. Beside the body of the negro, Coroner Martin stated they found a quart jar with a small amount of whiskey in it. No definite clue had been advanced at the time of this writing, as to the cause of the death.

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MILLER APPOINTS GREEN SUCCESSOR'S ASSISTANT

D. F. Green, former state superintendent of banks, was appointed by Gov. B. M. Miller, Tuesday, assistant to the present head of the banking department, H. H. Montgomery, of Anniston. This position is provided for in a bill introduced in the Legislature yesterday afternoon.

In announcing the appointment, Gov. Miller said that under present conditions, he deems it advisable for Mr. Montgomery to have an assistant in the handling of departmental affairs, especially one who is thoroughly conversant with state banks and banking conditions generally at the present time and for the past several years.

Father Of John Browder Succumbs

News of the death of William Mario Browder, age 69, of Montgomery reached Clanton the early part of this week. He died early Sunday morning in Montgomery following an operation. He lived at 718 Washington Avenue, and is the father of John Browder, well known resident of Clanton.

The deceased was a life-long resident of Montgomery and was held in the highest esteem by those countless persons there who knew him. He had been engaged in the mercantile business in Montgomery for fifty years. He was a Shriner and a member of the Andrew Jackson Lodge of Masons, and served on the vestry of St. John's Episcopal church for thirty-five years.

Surviving is the widow, and three sons, John, of Clanton; Hubert M. and W. M. Browder, Jr., of Montgomery. Funeral services were held at eleven o'clock Tuesday morning at Greenwood, Dr. Richard Wilkinson, officiating. Leak Company in charge.

John Browder was called to the bedside of his father last Thursday, and remained in Montgomery, until after the funeral, returning Tuesday night.

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Kiwanis Sponsors A Pig Contest

Mr. Earle Thomas, vocational teacher at Isabella, and chairman of the Agriculture Committee of the Clanton Kiwanis Club, was instrumental in getting the Kiwanis Club to sponsor what seems to be a splendid project for the boys this year. C. E. Stapp and S. J. Ezell are on the Agriculture Committee with Mr. Thomas, and all of them are pushing the program heartily.

The plan is as follows: To get at least 20 boys who are interested in pigs to take a litter farrowed early in the spring, say March or April, and care for them properly until this fall when most of the pigs will be about six months old. All of the pigs will be finished out about the same time and on a set date all the boys will be asked to bring their hogs to Clanton where buyers from the packing houses will bid for the lot.

It is preferred that the boys take a good sow so they can get the experience of properly handling the sow and pigs from before farrowing time until they are ready for market. This will encourage the boys to take care of the sow and litter at farrowing time so as to have as large a litter as possible to enter the contest with.

The boy who has the heaviest and best finished out litter on the date of sale, age taken into consideration, will be awarded a nice prize.

County Agent Stapp states that the outlook for hogs is pretty good, and he is anxious to see this project go over in a big way. He is now ready to enroll boys who want to enter the con-

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"UNCLE DICK" EDWARDS DIED AT HOSPITAL HERE FRIDAY

James Edwards, age 84, died at the Central Alabama Hospital in Clanton last Friday following a lingering illness.

The deceased is perhaps one of the oldest citizens of this county and is familiarly known to practically the entire population of the county as "Uncle Dick."

Funeral services were held on the following Saturday. Interment taking place in the Clanton Cemetery. He is survived by several relatives over the county and a large following of friends.

Another Poultry Car To Be Through Soon

With the price of eggs so low and with indications that eggs as well as chickens will go still lower, another poultry car has been scheduled as follows:

Verbena, Wednesday, February 18th, 2 to 5 P. M.

Clanton, Thursday, February 19th, all day.

Jemison, Friday, February 20th, until noon.

This will likely be the last car for some time as prices are expected to go lower.

The following prices will be paid at the car:

Colored Hens	15c
Leghorn Hens	12c
Roosters	8c
Stags	12c
Friers (1½ to 2½ lbs.)	22c
Turkeys	20c
Geese	8c

Cull your flocks close, because at the present price of eggs only your best hens lay enough to pay for their keeping. Your good hens will still make you a little money.

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County-Wide Spelling Bee

It seems that there is some misunderstanding about the Spelling Bee which is to be held in connection with the County Play Day. According to a report from the office of the Superintendent of Education, each school in the county may send its one best speller. The school is to select this one best speller from any grade through the ninth grade. Then the two best spellers in the County Spelling Bee will go to Jacksonville to spell in the District Spelling Bee.

A handsome trophy will be awarded to the winner of the Jacksonville Spelling Bee. This trophy will not be awarded to the individual but to the county represented by the winning contestant.

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MUST BE MARRIED SOON

James Dare, a wealthy society man, advertises for a wife; must be married by March 5. He bars no creed or nationality. Call, write or wire his residence before the said date."

So reads the ad in the paly "Two Days to Marry" to be presented next Saturday evening, February 14, at the Junior High School Auditorium of Thorsby. The Thorsby Eastern Star sponsors this play. A barrel of fun will be presented to each one present. Young men come and learn how to propose; young ladies come and get you a husband.

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BOX SUPPER AT PILGRIM'S REST SCHOOL, NEAR PLETCHER

There will be a box supper, and a cake for the prettiest girl at Pilgrim's Rest school, two miles west of Pletcher Saturday night, February 14th. Proceeds for the benefit of the church and school. Everybody come.

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MRS. MINNIE NETTIE GAFFORD BURIED AT BILLINGSLEY, SAT.

Mrs. Minnie Nettie Gafford, age 34, died at her home near Billingsley, Friday, February 6.

Funeral services were held on the following Saturday at Billingsley. Martin of Clanton, undertaker, in charge. The deceased is the wife of W.H. Gafford and the daughter of Dan Donovan.

'A MAN AND A MULE'

Editor's Note: This article was carried sometime ago by the News, and by a large request we are publishing it again.

Over the hill trailed a man behind a mule drawing a Dixie plow. The clod hopper was "broadcasting."

"Bill, you are a mule, the son of a jackass, and I am a man made in the image of God. Yet, here we work, hitched together year in and year out. I often wonder if you work for me, or I for you. Sometimes I think this is a partnership between a mule and a fool. For surely I work as hard as you, or harder. Plowing here we cover the same distance, but you do it on four legs and I on two. So, mathematically speaking, I do twice as much work per leg as you do.

"Soon we'll be preparing for a corn crop. When the crop is harvested, I give one-third to the landlord for being kind enough to let me use this corner of God's universe. The other third goes to you, and what is left is mine. But while you consume all your third with the exception of a few cobs, I divide my third among seven children, six hens, two ducks and a banker. Bill, you are getting the best of me; it ain't fair for a mule, the son of a jackass, to rob a man, the lord of creation, of his substance. And, come to think about it, you only help to cultivate the ground. After that, I cut, shock and husk the corn, while you look over the pasture fence and 'hee-haw' at me.

"All fall and part of the winter, the whole family, from granny, down to the baby, pick cotton to help raise money to buy a new set of harness and pay interest on the mortgage on you. And, by the way, what do you care about that mortgage? It doesn't worry you any. Not a darn bit. You leave that to me, you ungrateful, ornery cuss.

"About the only time I am your better is on election day, for I can vote and you can't. But if I ever get any more out of politics than you do I can't see where it is. Alabama Farmer.

FIDDLERS CONVENTION TO AID SCHOOL FOR A LONGER TERM

There will be a Fiddlers Convention at the Enterprise School, near Clanton, on next Friday night, February 20th, according to an announcement given the News this week. The convention will begin at seven-thirty o'clock.

All fiddlers far and near are invited to come and take part in this entertainment. A cash prize will be awarded to the winner. The public is invited to come and enjoy the event.

Proceeds from this will go to the aid of making the term of the Enterprise school a full seven months. Admission will be fifteen and twenty-five cents. This announcement was made by Prof. H. A. Harris, principal of the school.

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BOY SCOUTS TO OBSERVE 21ST ANNIVERSARY

Local Mayor Issues Proclamation Setting Feb. 8-14 As Anniversary Week

Members of the Clanton Boy Scouts Troop are this week observing the 21st Anniversary of the Boy Scout organization which is also being observed throughout the United States at this time.

This week will also mark a nationwide round-up of membership for Boy Scouts organizations. The Organization was started February 8, 1909, and since that time has grown into a tremendous organization for boys and their training as future citizens of the United States, as well as those of other countries.

In observing the week of February 8 to 14th, J. Lee Smith, Mayor of the Town of Clanton has issued the following proclamation:

Mayor's Proclamation Celebrating Scoutings 21st Anniversary, Feb. 8th to 14th, 1931

Whereas, the week of February 8th, through 14th celebrates 'the coming of age' birthday of the Boy Scouts of America and the President of the United States has seen fit to set aside and proclaim this week as the Anniversary Week that such should be observed throughout the Nation; and,

Whereas, the year 1931 marks the twenty-first year of the existence of the Boy Scouts of America and it has been for such time a power in the teaching of boys and leading them into the principles of right thinking, clean living and constructive citizenship; and,

Whereas, day by day, month by month and year by year this great organization has shown itself to be a great force for good and because it is deserving the commendation, interest and active support of our good people; and,

Whereas, Clanton and her surrounding communities have enjoyed the benefits and influence of the character development and citizenship training organization,

Therefore, I, J. Lee Smith, Mayor of the City of Clanton, do hereby proclaim the week of February 8th thru 14th Anniversary Week in this city and that we do honor the Boy Scouts of America and I call upon the people to observe with Scouts and Scouters alike that they should pledge their active, moral and financial support and continuance of same in the work of this great organization.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said city, and caused the same to be attested by the clerk on this 2nd day of Febraury, 1931.

J. L. SMITH,
As Mayor of the City of Clanton.
Attest: C. H. PIPES, Clerk.

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FIDDLERS CONVENTION AT THOMAS JR. SCHOOL ENJOYED

The Fiddlers' Convention at Thomas Jr. School was enjoyed by a large crowd. Nine prizes were awarded, being donated by Clanton Drug Co., 2 sets of fiddle strings and rosin; Upchurch Drug Co., safety razor set; Calloway Drug Co., Ever Ready Pencil; Hill Grovery Co., 1 sack of flour; A & P Tea Co., 1 sack flour; Dixie Barber Shop, 1 hair cut; Lowe Service Station, 1 lb. coffee; Van Smith, 1 lb. coffee; Farmers Hardware Co., flashlight, $1.75; International Harvester Co., cash, $2.50; Tom Kemp, pr. socks; Culver & Jones, 1 lb. coffee; The Fair Store, gents belt; V. J. Elmore, big stick candy; Alred Drug Co., Ever Ready pencil; Clanton Cash Store, pr. socks; Service Barber Shop, hair cut and tonic. The proceeds were $39.15, which went to our P.-T. A. Watch for the announcement of "Aaron Slick from Punkin Crick," coming soon.

LOCAL FARMERS ARE TO GET DROUGHT RELIEF

Co. Agent Points Out Specific Instructions To Those Who May Apply Here

County Agent Stapp, Mr. W. L. Popwell, Mr. J. C. Page and Miss Zora Guy attended the Drought Meeting in Montgomery Sunday.

A representative of the Federal Government addressed the meeting and explained who was eligible for the Government loans.

Only farmers in the drought stricken areas will even be consideerd. The Act of Congress pertaining to loans in the drought area states plainly that only farmers whose crops were materially decreased by the drought last year will be considered. It further states that only such farmers who **can not** get help anywhere else, (as from banks, supply merchants, etc.) will be eligible.

Mr. Stapp is holding meetings this week as follows:

Verbena High School, Tuesday night, February 10th, at 7 P. M.

Enterprise School, Wednesday night, February 11th, at 7 P. M.

New Cedron School, Thursday night, February 12th, at 7 P. M.

He is asking that only farmers in the drought area of this County who can not get help from other sources attend one of the meetings.

Farmers who live in the south end of the county, probably Beats 5, 10, 6 and 15 and maybe others, and were damaged by the drought and who do not get to attend one of the above scheduled meetings are asked to call at Mr. Stapp's office Friday, February 13th.

Mr. Stapp is anxious to find out this week who may be eligible for Government loans.

This is going to be a difficult task and Mr. Stapp asks that only farmers in the drought area and who can not get help anywhere else make applicatio for a loan.

Mr. Stapp states that it will be necessary for him to cancel all engagements for terracing, orchard work, etc. until he has finished with the drought relief work.

There are many details involved in loaning government money, and Mr. Stapp will have to stay in the office and give practically his full time to these loans for the next two weeks.

DROUTH LOAN INFORMATION

The Drouth Loan Committee of Chilton County, composed of Mr. W. L. Popwell, Mr. T. F. Patterson, Mr. J. C. Page and Miss Zora Guy, after attending the meeting in Montgomery, Ala., February 8, 1931, at which time G. L. Hoffman of Washington, D. C. Administrative Officer in Charge of Farmers Seed Loans in the United States, gave full instructions to all county loan committees as follows:

A farmer to receive a drouth loan in 1931 will

1. Have farmed in 1930.
2. Must have suffered severe crop losses due to drouth, storm or hail in 1930.
3. Must be unable to secure finances or supplies from any other source for making a crop in 1931.
4. Each farmer must swear to the correctness of his statements to above conditions.
5. Farmers receiving drouth loans must use funds only for the purchase of feeds, seeds, and fertilizer.
6. The committee of Chilton County is composed of Mr. W. L. Popwell, Mr. T. F. Patterson, Mr. J. C. Page and Miss Zora Guy. This committee will receive applications for loans at Farm Bureau Office, Clanton, beginning on Monday morning, February 9.
7. The county agent will assist farmers making applications. The Chilton County Drouth Loan Committee will forward applications to Farmers Seed Loan Office in Memphis for final consideration. Where passed upon favorably loans will be made by Memphis office.
8. Applicants will be received from landlords and tenants, white and colored.
9. The applicant must agree to use such seed, fertilizer and methods of farming, to plant a home garden and a sufficient acreage to feed crops to supply feed for livestock in accordance with recommendations of the local representative (county agent) of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.
10. Farmers receiving these must give a first mortgage [illegible] crop and this money must be paid back to the United States treasury from the first sales of 1931 crops with [illegible] 5 per cent per annum.

Eastview News

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Henson of Clanton visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dobbs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Deloach of Clanton was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Smith Sunday.

Miss Edith Dobbs was the dinner guest of Misses Mary Sue and Emma Dean Smith Sunday.

Mr. J. W. Coggins and family of Mt. Springs visited Rev. A. C. Nelson and family Sunday evening.

Mrs. A. C. Nelson is on the sick list this week.

Miss Ida Bell Dobbs was the dinner guest of Mrs. Cornelia Coggins Sunday. We have a real good Sunday Schol here every Sunday in the year. Does your boy attend Sunday School? If not, bring him next Sunday. Judge Lewis L. Fawcett of the State Supreme Court of New York says, "my experience during 23 years on the bench, in which time over 4,000 boys under the age of 21 weer convicted of crime, of whom but three were members of Sunday Schools."

Sunday schools and churches cost something in money, effort and energy, but it is well worth the cost. If all the boys and girls would attend Sunday school and church each Sunday it would not be long till every jail and prison house in the land would be closed. There are four kind of church goers. 1. Those who attend when they feel like it, but do not often feel like it. 2. Those who attend the revivals and special days, as Easter, but are afraid of getting in the habit of going to church. 3. Those who attend when nothing prevents, but are satisfied to fall back on any old excuse for staying away. 4. Those who allow nothing to keep them away from their work. Be a loyal church goer. Come to Sunday school next Sunday.

Representative Bob Sutton of Marengo is a working member of the Legislature. He seldom has anything to say, but does plenty of thinking and "saws wood!" He is an ex-service man and a newspaper editor, being owner and editor of the Linden Democrat-Reporter.

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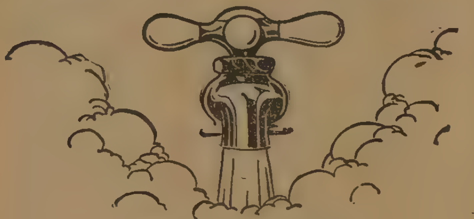

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Fairview News

The many friends of little Edwin Culp will be glad to learn that she is improving at the Central Alabama Hospital, where she underwent an operation for abscessed lung. She has been sick twelve weeks with pneumonia and abscess.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Warren motored down from Birmingham and spent the day with their mother, Mrs. Ola Edwards,. Sunday.

Mrs. Ruth Durbin is spending this week in Birmingham with Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Durbin, and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Wagoner motored out to the Hospital Sunday afternoon to see Mr. Sam Wagoner.

Miss Edith Culp and Mr. Harvie Mims dined with Miss Jewell Foshee Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Nelson and Zula Emma, Mabel and Mary Frances and Junior Nelson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billingsley Sunday.

Mrs. Tempie Durbin of Tuscaloosa is spending some time with Mrs. J. D. Culp.

Quite a crowd from this place attended the play at Pleasant Grove Friday night. Those enjoying this were Mrs. M. R. Durbin, Misses Ruby and Louise Cox, Jewell Foshee, Inez McKee. Messrs. Osmond Culp, Cecil McKee, H. L. and Claudie Mims, and all reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Mims were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Foshee.

Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Cox spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. McKee Saturday night.

Mrs. Shelley Gilliland and children from Cane Creek spent the week end with her father, Mr. J. D. Culp.

Mrs. J. D. Culp is staying with her little daughter, Edwin, at the hospital.

Misses Peggy Foshee, Edith Culp spent the afternoon with Inez McKee Sunday.

Misses Ruby and Louise Cox, Mr. J. D. Williams spent a few enjoyable hours with Misses Mildred, Edna and Comer Durbin Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. McKee and Mr. Osmond Culp motored out to town Sunday afternoon to visit their little sister, Edwin Culp, at the hospital.

Mrs. Eunice Henley and children, Mrs. Shelley Gilliland and children, Mrs. Tempie Durbin, Mrs. A. B. Foshee, Misses Jewel and Mariata Foshee, Inez McKee and Mr. Cecil McKee were the guests of Mrs. Sallie McKee Saturday afternoon and while there listened at the boys from here play over the radio station WAPI at Birmingham, better known as our Band from Clanton. All reported a nice time and hope to have the pleasure of listening to them again.

Concord-Billingsley

On last Friday morning God called Mrs. Henry Gafford to her reward. She had been confined to her bed for sometime. Before her marriage she was Miss Minnie Donivan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Donivan.

First, she was married to Mr. Irvin Vinson. He was killed some years later, and then she married Mr. Henry Gafford.

She is survived by her husband, two sons, Alton and Earl Vinson, three brothers, John, Grover and Howard Donivan, of Montgomery; seven sisters, Mrs. R. P. Wililams, and Mrs. E. J. Weldon, of this community, Mrs. Dock Owens of Shiloh community, Mrs. Will Williams of Bethsalem community, Mrs. J. F. Baxter of Billingsley, Mrs. Tom Carter and Mrs. Neatie Bougs of Birmingham.

We pray God's richest blessings and benedictions on the bereaved, especially on those two little orphan children.

Funeral and burial services were held at Billingsley Saturday evening with Martin in charge.

Messrs. Charlie Williams and Clyde Sims, Misses Bessie Williams and Clara Dell Sims attended the play party that was held at the home of Miss Estin Brown last Saturday night.

Mr. W. W. Williams of Fairview community was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. O. Y. Sims, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fonza Williams spent the past week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams.

Everybody come to preaching and to Sunday school next Sunday. We have elected a new school teacher for the young peoples class, Mr. Olin Culp. Let's give him the best of attendance and make him feel that we are proud of him as our teacher.

MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

A company of Clanton ladies were seated in the sitting room of a certain home. They were talking as ladies usually talk. At last a bit of community gossip came up for review. It was noted that one lady in the company closed her lips and had nothing to say on that topic. It was remarked of her later, "That is a very fine lady. One of the most commendable thing in a woman is not to take part in chewing the rag when gossip is on review." To that statement we wish to give our most hearty approval. It is the safest plan to say nothing, when something kind can not be said. The sage has said, "There is enough meanness in the best of us to make us ashamed to say anything about the rest of us."

In one of Chilton County's schools there was a teacher who thought much and talked much about planting shrubbery and grass about homes and school houses. He believed in it and tried to get others to see things as he saw them. One day he stopped in front of his own home and looked at the place where he lived. Not a bush of shrubbery, no grass, not even a drop of paint on the building. His premises did not measure up to his message. He changed things. He hushed speech and went to work. He built a new house painted it, planted shrubbery and sowed grass. Then everybody in the community became interested. When we learn the art of doing the thing ourselves that we want other people to do, then it will be no trouble to get them to do the same thing with us. Actions speak louder than words. What you want other people to have, first have that thing for yourself.

I stood at the depot and watched the conductor of the Birmingham train. With watch in hand he was ready to give the signal to move on. Just a moment before he was to lift his hand a woman dashed up out of breath "Please conductor," she gasped, "Let me get a ticket and get on that train." The accomodating conductor held his train for the belated passenger, but it did not suit his ideas of promptness. One of the most annoying habits is that of always being late. Some people stem to be born about ten minutes late, and they are never quite able to catch up. They go to church late. They go to engagements late. They even try to hold up a railroad system because they are late. It is just as easy to be on time as it is to be late. Form that habit and see how it works.

When I was a student in the Southern University I was told by my wise professors that certain subjects were "Elective," and that certain subjects were "Compulsory." The authorities of the school told me what studies I must take. I had no choice in the matter. If my course called for three hours in history, I had no right to call in question that regulation. In the Christian life there are certain things that are compulsory. It is not a matter of option with the believer. We must keep the laws of God. Then there are things that we must do in our church loyalty. You have no right to get up on Sunday morning and make church going an "Elective" act of the day. If you are a Christian and you are in good health, it is not left for you to decide whether you will go to God's house. That is one of God's "Compulsory" requirements. When you choose to stay at home, you take the bits in your own teeth, and by your actions say, "God or no God, church or no church, I am going to stay at hem." Church going is not elective in the Christian's life, but it is compulsory.

Not many afternoons ago I was riding along the highway this side of Thorsby, and out in the field that stretched along the road I saw a little barefooted boy following the plow. He moved with dignity and my heart went out to him as he followed the mule. The steadiness of his plow showed to me that he was master of the situation. He was not much taller than his plowhandles, but he knew what he was about. Be patient with the boy who is following the plow today, for he is going to be your preacher tomorrow. Do not look upon him with pity today, for tomorrow he will be your doctor, your lawyer, your banker, your mogul drivers, your song leaders, your great teachers. That boy on the farm is learning how to do things, and you can count on it, he will be doing them tomorrow.

Amzi Barber of Jefferson County, the "handsomest member" of the lower House, made a rousing speech favoring the appropriation for the confederate Veteran's Reunion to be held in Montgomery later in the year. Representative Barber paid fine and worthy tribute to the old soldiers and was warmly applauded. The bill carried overwhelmingly.

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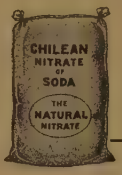

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Clanton Methodist Church

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In spite of the gloomy weather of last Sunday, we had a good congregation. Our Sunday school is growing. Our people are becoming more interested and loyal. Our young people are attending church. Last Sunday there were fourteen boys sitting on one bench, all about the same age. A beautiful sight for church life.

Next Sunday do not make going to church elective in your case. Make it compulsory. Be in Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. at preaching at 11 A. M. and at 7 P. M.

We believe in doing everything in connection with our worship in decency and in order. The church is not a place for amusement, but worship. It is the voice of God that says, "Be still and know that I am God."

We insist that you form the church going habit.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to the many friends and relatives, and also to Mr. Mell Martin, for their help and kindness during the sickness and death of our father, Anderson Baker. We pray God's blessing on each and everyone.

—His Children.

—Subscribe To The News—

Representative Massey Edgar of Washington has introduced a bill to limit the number of times a shot gun may be fired from one loading. It is in the interest of game protection. If his bill becomes law it will be illegal to fire any shot-gun more than three times from one loading. This will limit the hunter to three shells at a time in his pump or automatic shotgun. Representative Edgar feels that the birds should have a better chance with the hunter.

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The Legislature and Its Grist

By Bob Vail

The "Bus Bills," as they have come to be known, brought hundreds of interested persons to Montgomery during the past week, some to urge and some to oppose passage of these bills. The bills are to regulate trucks and busses on the public highways of the state. They are being studied by the Committees on Commerce and Common Carriers of the two houses. Representative Beebe is chairman of the House committee and Senator Cowart is chairman of the Senate Committee. The public is vitally interested in this matter. Though there has been a great deal of fireworks surrounding this proposed legislation, we predict when the bills come out of committee and are presented to the House, which will probably be during the week, they will be in good form from the standpoint of the public. They will protect this new transportation industry without infringing too much on the railroads, or permitting the general interests of the public to be abused. The person who would use the public highways for personal gain should pay for such use of them. That is fundamental. The public must be protected on the highways from traffic hazards. That is also fundamental. One-light vehicles, over-loaded trucks, vehicles too long or too wide or too high for public safety, must be regulated and made safe; careless, indifferent and the "road hog" type of drivers must be removed from the highways. These things are demanded in the best interests of the public. We believe they will be forthcoming when the new bills are finally enacted into law.

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The legislature of Alabama and surviving members of the Constitutional Convention of 1901 paid tribute to John B. Knox Tuesday, on the occasion of presenting to the state a portrait of him as the chairman of that convention, such as seldom falls to the lot of a living man. Mr. Knox was given much credit for creation and ratification of the constitution which forever restored white supremacy to the people of Alabama. The portrait, which shows the Anniston statesman as he appeared 30 years ago, will hang above the speaker's chair in the hall of representatives. Mr. Knox was a handsome man in those days and still retains the upright carriage, clear eye, magnetic presence and powerful mind which made him the beloved leader of the 155 framers of the basic law of the state. His speech in appreciation carried the ring and force that stamped him then, as now, a man among men.

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Senator John Craft of Mobile was a useful member of the legislature when he was young in years and initiated many of the humanitarian measures now in force in this state. As the dean of both the branches of the assembly, he is now proving even more useful, giving his colleagues the benefit of his long service and wide experience.

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The senior member of the Mobile delegation in the House is Edward J. Grove, who has served three terms as representative. He is a young man, a lawyer and a "scrapper" for the port of Mobile. It is observed that he never takes the floor unless he really has something to say.

Representative George A. Sossman of Mobile is one of the youngest members of the House and one of the most promising of the new crop of budding statesmen. He is making a great fight to restore the Mobile Bay pilots to their original status under which they developed both fame and efficiency. He was once the "King Felix" of the Mobile Mardi Gras but resumed his Democracy the day after the carnival.

William C. Taylor, the second new member of the House from Mobile, was firing a locomotive on a "jerk-water" railroad not many years ago and then he became a switchman. He studied law, became a leader in organized labor circles, was admitted to the bar and later elected to the legislature, all within a few years. "Bill" is a hustler, a real doer.

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Charles Albert Coats, Sr., representative from the county of Clarke, awoke to find himself famous after his introduction of House joint resolution rebuking Senator Heflin for some of his remarks about the latest Alabama election. Mr. Coats has been justice of the peace and also sheriff of his county. He lives where he was born, in Clarke county, and looks somewhat like Will Rogers in the face.

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Before investing in land in any way have an abstract made and be safe.

M. D. Foshee **Clanton, Ala.**

News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

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The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. G. F. Harper Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Bertha Davenport spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Hester Ann Merchant.

Mr. and Mrs. Pink Cleckler and children returned home last Tuesday after a three weeks vacation.

Mr. F. M. Caton and Miss Jessie Driver were married Saturday afternoon at the home of Rev. J. W. Jones, with Rev. Jones officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jones of Clanton spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Jones.

Y. W. A. will meet Friday evening at four o'clock at the Baptist church.

Mrs. Hester Ann Merchant had as her Sunday dinner guests the following: her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Maddox and family.

Mrs. A. P. Villadsen and sons returned to their home in Tuscaloosa, after spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

Miss Jennye Robinson will arrive on Wednesday fro Palatka, Florida.

Mr. Rascoe Maddox and his brother, Wilbur, spent Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Merchant.

Mr. Loyd D. Criswell of Birmingham called on Miss Frances Wilson Sunday afternoon.

The Senior Class of Thorsby Institute elected the following officers: President, Byron Bean; Vice President, Eunice Williamson; Secretary, Kathryn Foss; Treasurer, Ralph Roy. The following were elected to represent the class on Class Night: Poet, Margaret Peterson; prophet, James Kincaid; will, Fred Boyd; historian, John Adams.

Christian Endeavor was held at the Congregational Church Sunday evening, February 8, 1931, at 6:30 o'clock. The topic was "What is Implied in, 'God Is My Father?'" Some of the topics for discussion were: "Our Father a King," "He Provides for Us," "Fatherhood Implies Love," "Fatherhood Implies Unity in the Family." Special music was furnished by the faculty. All are cordially invited to come next Sunday evening and hear discussed, "What is Implied in 'the Church as a Family.' "

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Thorsby Institute Honor Rolls
First Semester, 1930-31

First: No grade below 85 per cent, general average of 90 per cent or above Lois Thompson, Myradine Martin, Wilma Goodgame.

Second: No grade below 75 per cent, general average of 85 per cent or above Charles Croker, Karl Ekblad, Edith Foss, Phares Raybon, Louise Bates, Brown Russell, Margaret Peterson, Helen Diefenderfer, Dorothy Franklin, Gerald Smith, Helen Lowery, Eunice Williamson, Verlon Goodgame, Byron Bean, James Kincaid, Kathryn Foss, Fred Boyd, Myrtis Canington, M. Lockhart, Ella Howard, Odelle Rowe, Carrie Smith, Oliver Lyon.

Third: Perfect Attendance:

John Adams, Louise Bates, Christina Bosworth, Myrtis Canington, Hilma Collins, Rubye Connatser, Charles Croker, Helen Diefenderfer, Christine Dopson, Juanita Each, Wilma Goodgame, Kathryn Foss, Verlon Goodgame, Olean Hybart, Mildred Jeffries, Mamye Johnson, Janie Kelley, Kathrye Lenoir, Oliver Lyon, Louise Maddox, Myradine Martin, Lola Martin, Albert Mims, Mary Ruth Nix, Conradine Pate, Roma Lee Pate, Mary Sue Porter, Ruth Primm, Evie Lee Rowe, Odell Rowe, Brown Russell, Frances S. Pate, Harold Smith, Leo Spivey, Catheryn Stallings, Lois Thompson, Eunice Williamson.

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Mrs. J. H. Collins went to Gadsden to see Dr. Bass last week, and is improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Collins visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Marcus Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson and daughter, Frances, were the spend-the-day guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Scott last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Littleton and family moved to Selma on Monday of last week.

Little Marie Lucas got her eye injured one day last week while she was playing with her sister. The injury is reported to be rather serious.

The lower floor of the Masonic building is being put in order for the Boy Scouts.

There will be Union Prayer meeting Wednesday night at the Congregational Church. Everyone is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Foss and daughter, Catherine, and Miss Jennie Mae Thoroman motored to Birmingham last Wednesday evening to hear the noted musician Paderewski.

Mr. H. R. Maddox and Misses Arthur and McKee motored to Birmingham last Wednesday evening.

Miss Margaret Davidson returned to Thorsby last Saturday evening after an absence of several months. She left Tuesday but will return soon.

Mr. H. C. Junkerman presented the library of Thorsby Institute with a set of the Century Dictionary and Encyclopedia and a bookcase to hold them.

Howard Bros. presented Thorsby Institute with a dozen rose bushes.

The Sewing Circle met with Mrs. J. E. Each Monday afternoon.

Miss Freda Sharp spent Saturday night with Miss Frances Wilson.

Miss Jewell Wilson returned home Saturday evening after spending several weeks in Birmingham.

Mrs. Rick Franklin and Mrs. Helen Gray spent Tuesday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peterson and children of Tarrant City, spent the week end with Mr. Peterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Peterson.

Miss Lillian McKee was the dinner guest of Miss Frances Wilson Sunday.

Don't forget, everybody, to come to see the play, "Two Days to Marry" to be staged at the auditorium of the Junior High School Saturday evening at 8:00 P. M. Admission 25c and 15c.

Mrs. S. C. Wood had a family reunion at her home Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. King of Selma, Mrs. Watts and Mrs. Herne of Birmingham, Mrs. Wood's mother, Mrs. Parnell, and her brother, Mr. Eugene Parnell, of Birmingham.

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When you see (R) after a Senator's name you may know it means either Republican or Radical.

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Training schools for janitors are proposed. A course in thermometer reading should be included.

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New York Aquarium has added several new tanks, probably to accomodate out of town suckers.

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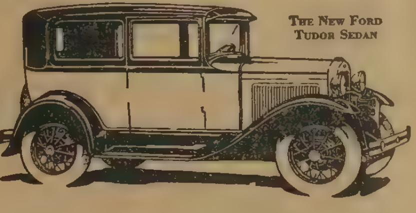

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It Is Worth It After All

Chilton County is at present in a position and in such a spotlight that results can be accomplished in the way of making it a bigger and better county, and there can be no sound reason why the citizens should not put forth a united effort to take advantage of this at this time. To accomplish such results, there must be an outstanding willingness to bury jealousies and differences of the past. A feeling should prevail that the people of the community either stand or fall together. If the spirit of "every man for himself" prevails, there is not much hope for any community with a population of people with that spirit.

There are enough broadminded men in the towns and communities of Chilton County to put over anything they should undertake to promote the interest of the county. But before this can be done, past differences will have to be shoved aside and all work together, bringing about a condition that there will not be any great amount of effort on any one individual in such undertakings. Clanton has ceased to be in the roll of small town stuff where one man will refuse to cooperate merely because he doesn't like the other fellow. Clanton has reached the point where the citizens here are going to have to be big, talk big and act like big men. Clanton and Chilton County are almost up the hill,,and a good shove will do a great deal of good, provided it has enough strength behind it.

There most certainly must be a spirit of ambition for the community's interest in the future, in the minds of the people in order to promote the development of a town. The future of their town and county will have to be very dear to their hearts, and pride in its welfare, regretting its losses, hope earnestly for its future, must prevail. It would be very difficult to prevent a town from forging ahead, if its people would feel that way. One good way to put that idea across and make a success of it is for tht people of this county to make it a fixed habit to speak well of their county, point out with pride the excellent things it has accomplished, and forget its failures. Are you a citizen proud of your county, interested in its future, or is your slogan, "every man for himself," and let the devil take the tardy ones?

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Three Kinds Of Farmers

One of the drawbacks to any discussion of the farmer and his problems is the uncertainty as to what sort of farming is under discussion. There are three different types of farmer, and in almost every part of the United States all three are to be found side by side.

The most widely distributed type is what may be called the "non-commercial" farmer, the great group with whom farming is not so much a business as a mode of living. This type raises no considerable amount of any one "money crop," but grows on his own land the means of subsistence for his family and, counting out the eggs, butter or other marketable produce traded in town for store goods, handles very little cash in the course of a year.

The group of farmers who are specialist, "one-crop" farmers, is probably the largest numerically and in acreage under fence. They are business men, in the broad sense, producing nothing but a single commodity which they sell or hope to sell, for money, and growing nothing, or almost nothing, which they themselves consume. The single crop may be cotton, tobacco, wheat, corn, oranges, apples, celery or potatoes, depending upon location. Dependent upon their money returns from the single cash crop for everything which they eat and wear, these are the first to feel the effects of a general business depression and are constantly at the mercy of competition and over production in their staple crops. This is the type of farmer at whose relief most of the political remedies for agricultural ills are aimed.

The happiest farmers are the third class, those whose farming operations combine those of the other two. They live off the soil and can continue to live independently and comfortably year in and year out, except for natural catastrophes such as floods or drought. They grow enough of one or more cash crops to figure as important factors in the produce markets, but failure in any one year to cash in on such crops or livestock does not reduce them to penury or plunge them into debt.

For forty years and more the United States and the various State departments of Agriculture, as well as the agricultural colleges have been preaching the gospel of diversified farming in the one-crop regions. Every once in a while some natural or economic disaster drives the one-crop farmers of a district into diversification, and the result is always greater prosperity and stability, not only for the farmer but for all the people of his district or state.

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Experience in Europe proves that the dole system is a system under which conditions become constantly more doleful.

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When the farmers of the South bring back the old-time smokehouse, adorned with everything for the table, [illegible] will disappear [illegible]

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Care would reduce accidents but the trouble is that care, to a lot of people, is an accident instead of a [illegible]

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There is no love lost between Mr. Hoover and the Senate [illegible] there is an awful lot of lost motion.

"ROUND TOWN"

---*by Doug*

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

"The man who talks about himself may be conceited, but that's better than talking about others, as some do."

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Now that ought to clear up some of your opinions about this featured columnist talking about himself so much. And yet, after all, it is others that I write about extensively. In fact it is others who furnish the greater part of my topics from week to week. If it were not for the others, there would be no need for me writing this column, and if it were not for others, where would I get enough material to fill this column each week? I ask you.

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Getting peoples' attention might be termed an art, and many business men are studying it. That very art developed the idea of advertising. So you see I have to do a bit of advertising about myself now and then to get the attention of people.

I wish I had seen Dr. Haskew's address last week in time to have called your attention to it, and that it was going to be published in the News. There was some exceptionally fine thought in it, and if you did not read it, you should dig up last week's issue of the News and read that address headed, "Goodwill—A Community Asset."

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Folks, if things about something local remain as they are, I have an idea that soon I will be giving you something about something that will be very interesting to some people, and rather a pain in the neck to others. But frankly, I hope that some folks will change their minds.

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It occurred to me not so long ago that some people can certainly be real small about some things. Now, I admit that in the past I have allowed things to get under my skin, but never again, since seeing how some others have acted. Straining at gnats and swallowing camels, so to speak.

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Speaking of getting peple's attention, who ought to know all about the art of getting attention? Why, the printer, indeed. He has those makings of every word that can be spelled, and ink for any color that can be printed. And he has the paper to produce the effect. Now take for instance the newspapers, they are here ready to serve ready to take your message out to the people in printed form, and set in such a manner that it will get the attention of the people. Can you beat it?

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Some people had an idea that advertising over the air would be detrimental to the newspapers, and possibly cut down on their business from advertising. Well, in my opinion, radio advertising will soon pass on into the limbo of used-to-be things, because it can readily be seen already. What happens to you when you are enjoying a number over the radio and the announcer steps up to the mike and begins talking about some make of shoe, or some reducing cream for would-be-thin women, or talks about the advantages of using this and that. Why, you want to turn to another station right away, and if you do, and there's no music there, then you turn to another. In other words, advertising coming in over the air, is in most cases shunned by those with radios, and they don't care to listen to it. But put it in the newspapers and it catches the eye, not the ears, and it is read. For an illustration, if you should HEAR female footsteps, and not SEE the one making them, you would not know whether she was a good-looker or not, but if you should SEE her, then you would be able to form your opinion right there. Ain't I right?

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During the past several days, I have had occasion to overhear some conversations and the idea expressed in a recent address always came to my mind. It is about our town and county. Do we love it? Do we take pride in it? Are we interested in its future growth? De we want it to be advertised to the outside world? Unfortunately, I have been shown that apparently we have some citizens in our town who never give those questions a thought, but just go along, thinking of themselves, and the Dollar. Maybe they do not know that there is such a thing as a future. Maybe they do not realize that a town can go backward a lot easier than it can go forward, and that to make it go forward, it takes some power, some united effort, from lots of sources.

If I might say so, just now is a bad time to call people names, or to tell them they with their ideas are undesirables. There was once a certain purchasing agent who has been trying to make mince meat of every man coming in contact with him, building up for his own future, the hatred of people he may some day need. The other day the president of the company handed the agent a communication something like this:

"Dear sir: Thanks for your quotation of $2,225 for remodeling the right wing of our office. We think your price 'ridiculous, unwarranted, insufferable, and the whole idea rotten.' Those are hard words, but we quote them from your own purchasing agent. He used them on the last three quotations we made to him on printing."

Everybody was made to feel bad on account of the rileness of that agent. He wanted to show his authority, but didn't know he was making enemies by doing it.

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Robert Popwell, down at Popwell's Pressing Shop, put an ad in the paper last week, and heard that he said this week that he had done more business since then, than before the ad. Just another convert in the idea that it pays to advertise. They are falling every day when their ads appear in newspapers.

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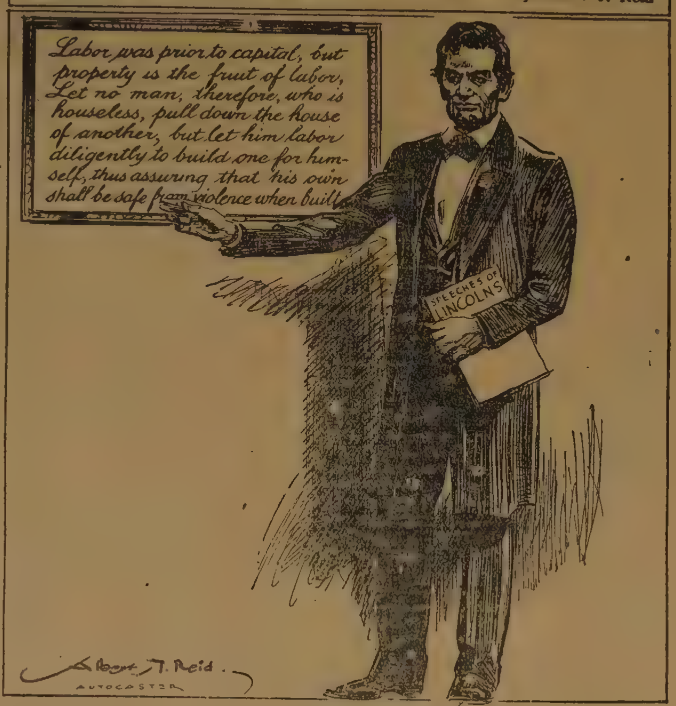
This Chilton County News I'm writing for is about to put me to work, since they have started actual work on that big booster edition of the paper that will come out soon. Was around there Saturday and Bill Coggins drove up to the back door with his dray with a truck load of paper. I asked him how much was there and he said there was over one ton of paper. And I found out that that ton of paper would be used in one edition of the News. Got to doing a little figuring myself then for curiosity, and found that there will be something like over two hundred thousand pages to shoot out of the News office in that special edition, if I didn't figure wrong. Maybe I can get the editor to put my picture in it. Looks like most every other important person in town has got their picture in it. But in the editor's opinion, I don't amount to much these days, so I know what to expect from him.

As Good Advice Now as Then— *By Albert T. Reid*


Labor was prior to capital, but property is the fruit of labor. Let no man, therefore, who is houseless, pull down the house of another, but let him labor diligently to build one for himself, thus assuring that his own shall be safe from violence when built.
SPEECHES OF LINCOLN
Albert T. Reid
AUTOCASTER

NEWS FROM THE NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE

And how does the head of the Government feel after his Wickershampoo?—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

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Farm Board Salaries Denounced As "Exorbitant"

Washington, Feb. 11—In a discussion of the Independent Offices Appropriation Bill in the House, Representative Woodrum (Dem., Va.) made the following statements concerning salaries paid by the Federal Farm Board, which have been denounced as exorbitant:

"We found that a gentleman by the name of Milner is manager of the Grain Stabilization Corporation and the Farmers' National Grain Corporation. . . He had formerly been connected with the Grain Stabilization Corporation at a salary of $36,000 a year. When he took over the additional duties as manager of the Farmers' National Grain Corporation, he was given an additional salary of $14,000, so he gets a salary of $50,000.

"He has an assistant manager who receives $27,000 a year.

"Then of course, the Grain Stabilization Corporation has to have a treasurer. He gets $20,000 a year.

"The Cotton Stabilization Corporation has to have a manager and he is guaranteed a minimum salary of $25,000, with a graduated scale that may run up to $75,000, according to the earnings."

On the question of who pays these salaries, Mr. Woodrum said that while theoretically they are paid by the two Corporation agencies referred to, that "the only funds which the Stabilization Corporation has are what it borrows from the revolving fund, and in case of loss, the loss comes on the revolving fund. . . So it is idle and ridiculous to say that because these salaries at this time are being carried on the books of the Stabilization Corporation and the Grain Corporation that they are not coming out of the Treasury of the United States. They are coming out of the Treasury of the United States, and the loss, if and when it comes, must be borne by this revolving fund."

Mr. Woodrum predicted that the next Congress will be asked for another $100,000,000 for the Farm Board revolving fund, for which $500,000,000 already has been appropriated.

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Henry P. Fletcher, Chairman of the Tariff Commission, according to a Washington political writer, appeared at a local bal masque recently in the character of Disraeli, so perfectly made up that he could not be identified for a long time. What character could have been more appropriate? Disraeli didn't know anything about the tariff either.

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President Hoover and Political Judicial Appointments

Washington, Feb. 11.—Attorney General Mitchell and Senator Schall (Rep., Minn.) are in open controversy over the proposed appointment of Ernest A. Michel, Minnesota lawyer, endorsed by the Senator for a Federal judgship. Attorney General Mitchell holds that appointments should not be made "to pay political debts." He states President Hoover's attitude as follows:

"President Hoover has raised a standard of judicial appointments in which political 'usefulness' does not enter. He has refused repeatedly to be bent by such motives."

In this connection it is recalled that the appointments of Judge Parker of North Carolina to the Supreme Court, Judge Watson of Pennsylvania and Judge Hopkins of Kansas to the District Court were all opposed in the Senate on the ground that the appointments were political.

Attorney General Mitchell's references to the proposed appointee have led to a retort on the part of Senator Schall that the Attorney General used "less than good taste."

After citing this statement, the New York Times remarks that "he (Mr. Mitchell) might better be charged with a lack of memory." Although the paper points out that the Attorney General resisted the Pennsylvania and Kansas appointments, Mr. Hoover, however, did not withdraw either name and they were both confirmed, but only after strong opposition.

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New York policemen are not all as hard boiled as might be imagined. When the dog of Louis Dominick, 71, was impounded for non-payment of license, for which the owner could not raise the money, Patrolman Perretti paid the necessary $2, sending the mutt and his aged master home happy.

Justice Zoul of Cleveland says he has kissed 10,000 brides for whom he has performed the marriage ceremony. Admitting that kissing may be unhygienic, he declares he has never been sick. He also observes that "any man who lets fear of disease prevent his kissing a pretty woman isn't much of a man anyway."

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Hoover Tries to Drag Red Cross Into Politics, Says Baltimore Evening Sun

Washington, Feb. 11.—Referring to the controversy between President Hoover and the Senate as to whether relief funds for food to drought sufferers shall be made by Congress or the Red Cross, the Baltimore Evening Sun recently said:

"By persuading the Red Cross to undertake the whole burden of relief—even though he (the President) has to use pressure to do it—he obviously places himself in a better position to defy Congress.

"But we wonder whether this effort to drag the Red Cross into politics isn't a little too transparent. The Red Cross has an excellent reputation which it would be a pity to injure. In the past its appeals have been taken at their face value and the people have always responded generously. So, in consenting to become a tool of politics and thus lowering itself in the eyes of the public, it stands to gain little and lose much."

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Hoover [illegible] at Increased Tariff Taxes on Workers and Farmers

From the Rawleigh News and Observer

President Hoover once said: "No matter how devised, an increase in taxes in the end falls upon the workers and farmers." When he signed the tariff bill he put millions of increased taxes on them.

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The historical "Era of Good Feeling" under President Monroe now has its antithesis in the "Era of Ill Feeling" under President Hoover.

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Activities Over State

The following record of industrial activitiy lists items showing investment of capital, employment of labor and business activities and opportunities. Information from which the paragraphs are prepared is from local papers, usually of towns mentioned, and may be considered generally correct.

Opelika—Shell Oil Co. secured ten-year lease on vacant lot of Dickson property at corner of North Ninth St. and First Avenue.

Aliveville—Work started recently on rebuilding of two spans of Alabama Tennessee & Northern Railway bridge across Tombigbee River.

Clanton — Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Moore took over ownership of Watkins Cafe, located on Sixth Street, south of courthouse building.

Tuscumbia—J. N. Bobbit purchased a half interest in Reed Brothers Dry Goods Store here.

Sayre—State Highway Department to consider plans for construction of new bridge across Warrior River here.

Clanton—J. D. Straiton and G. E. Jacks opened new furniture repair shop in building located beyond Wade Ice Plant.

Birmingham—Funds to be appropriated for completing construction of new courthouse building at this place.

Albertville—Standard Oil Co. constructing modern filling station on lot across street from Albertville National Bank.

Clanton—DeMabel's Beauty Shoppe recently installed modern hair drying machinery.

Decatur—Stockholders of Tennessee Valley Bank of this city recently received dividends amounting to 20 per cent.

Andalusia—Picture Shop moved from Adams Boarding House on Dunson St. to Milligan building on the square.

Birmingham — Steel industries resumed operations here.

Andalusia—A. E. Barfield sold his shoe shop known as City Shoe Shop to J. J. Moates on recent date.

Tuscaloosa — Tuscaloosa Mattress Factory completed work of rebuilding recently burned plant.

Auburn—Contract to be let for construction of new school building here.

Andalusia—W. C. Girdner purchased Green Mill on South Three Notch from Benny O'Neal and will open for business.

Greensboro—State Highway Department making preliminary surveys preparatory to starting construction of new road from veterans' hospital site to Greensboro Road.

Birmingham—Contracts for construction of 10 steel barges, involving expenditures of more than $600,000 for use on Mississippi and Warrior Rivers, have been placed with two Alabama concerns.

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ATTENDANCE RATINGS FOR CHILTON COUNTY SCHOOLS

(continued from last week)

No. 5. Jackson Chapel—J. C. White, prin.; enroll., 66; perfect 46; 94.89%
No. 6. Enterprise—H. A. Harris, prin.;
No. 1. Mitchell Dam—Mrs. Irene Miller, principal; enrollment, 15; perfect, 14; 99.60%
No. 2. Concord—O'Dell Perkins, principal; enroll., 28; perfect, 16; 96.70%
No. 3. Free Springs—Fraulein Lowery, prin.; enroll., 23; perfect, 11; 96.00%
No. 4. Maplesville—E. E. Owen, prin.; enroll., 249; perfect 117; 94.82%
No. 7. Thomas Junior—G. C. Weldon, prin.; enroll., 161; perfect, 104; 94.82%
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No. 8. Oak Grove—Lesta Cobb, prin.; enrollment, 35; perfect, 18; 94.17%
No. 9. Pates Chapel—Mrs. J. S. McNeil, prin.; enroll., 56; per. 26; 93.90%
No. 10. Pilgrims Rest—Leila Belle Smith, prin.; enroll., 19; perfect, 10; 93.57%
No. 11. Stanton—Luther E. Little, prin.; enroll., 170; perfect, 125; 93.21%
No. 12. Collins Chapel—Zac Y. Appleton, prin.; en., 151; per. 95; 93.16%
No. 13. New Cedron—Nina Mae Harris, prin.; enroll., 32; perfect, 13; 93.11%
No. 14. Popwell—Mrs. J. F. Apperson, prin.; enroll., 30; perfect, 16; 92.88%
No. 15. Verbena—W. O. Bradley, prin.; enroll., 227; perfect, 117; 92.65%
No. 16. County Line—Ruth Mize, prin.; enrollment, 27; perfect, 16; 92.88%
No. 17. Jemison—J. A. Peterson, prin.; enrollment, 337; perfect, 290; 92.27%
No. 18. Thorsby—W. T. Bean, prin.; enroll., 161; perfect, 8; 91.99%
No. 19. Clanton Grammar—I. T. Quinn, prin.; enroll., 339; per., 175; 91.78%
No. 20. Union Point—Jewel Minor, prin. enroll., 38; perfect, 22; 91.75%
No. 21. Mineral Springs—J. E. Harrell, prin.; enroll., 65; perfect, 35; 91.49%
No. 22. Adams—Mrs. Louise Chambers, prin.; enroll., 12; perfect, 5; 91.28%
No. 23. Lay Dam—Lois Primm, prin.; enroll., 28; perfect, 23; 91.19%
No. 24. Mullins—Ruth Jones, principal; enrollment, 31; perfect, 9; 90.33%
No. 25. Flint Hill—Martha Jane Mims, prin.; enroll., 35; perfect, 9; 90.00%
No. 26. Baker—G. G. Williams, prin.; enroll., 141; perfect, 120; 89.90%
No. 27. Mars Hill—J. S. McNeill, prin.; enroll., 39; perfect, 17; 89.11%
No. 28. Cooper—J. L. Wilson, prin.; enroll., 133; perfect, 67; 88.70%
No. 29. Minooka—Jesse Lee Price, prin. enrollment, 34; perfect, 15; 88.50%
No. 30. Providence-C — Ivy Harrell, prin.; enroll., 51; perfect, 13; 87.85%
No. 31. Morganville—Mrs. Marion McGalliard, prin.; en., 26; per. 7; 87.30%
No. 32. Union Grove—Harlem Daniel, prin.; enroll., 91; perfect, 55; 87.14%
No. 33. Corinth—Mrs. W. A. Norris, prin.; enroll., 24; perfect, 15; 86.94%
No. 34. Shoults—Willie Barnes, prin.; enroll., 24; perfect, 12; 85.55%
No. 35. Pine Dale—J. W. Moore, prin.; enrollment, 73; perfect, 18; 85.42%
No. 36. Cane Creek—Simuel Mims, prin.; enroll., 63; perfect, 12; 84.86%
No. 37. Providence—Irving P. Kennedy, prin.; enroll., 51; perfect, 10; 84.42%
No. 38. Chestnut Grove—Alice Nolen, prin.; enroll., 37; perfect, 10; 84.27%
No. 39. Freeman—Willie Littlejohn, prin.; enroll., 76; perfect, 15; 83.54
No. 40. Mt. Pleasant—R. B. Johnson, prin.; enroll., 131; per., 116; 83.37%
No. 41. Concord—J. M. Parrish, prin.; enrollment, 158; perfect, 60; 83.33%
No. 42. Shiloh—H. L. Davis, principal; enrollment, 47; perfect, 13; 82.68%
No. 43. Isabella—J. D. Griffin, prin.; enrollment, 130; perfect, 67; 82.65%
No. 44. Cross Roads—Georgia M. Billingsley, prin.; en., 36; per. 8; 76.77%
No. 45. Smith—Murphy Bratton, prin.; enrollment, 37; perfect, 8; 76.21%
No. 46. Vermont—Green Thomas, prin.; enrollment, 123; perfect, 35; 76.19%
No. 47. New Harmony—Pearl Minor, prin.; enroll., 22; perfect, 7; 72.78%
No. 48. Culp—Fannie LeCroy, prin.; enrollment, 30; perfect, 5; 62.63%
No. 49. Fairview—Mrs. Zella Scott, prin.; enroll., 25; 51.70%
Average for County—enrollment, 4100; perfect, 2180; 87.67%

The Dixie Cafe, Clanton, Ala., is giving the attendance prizes for December. Mitchell Dam, Maplesville Jr., and Jmison Sr. Grades win these prizes.

—Mrs. C. E. Stapp.

Attendance Ratings for Chilton County Colored Schools

No. 1. New Convert—Ada W. Davis, prin.; enroll., 80; perfect, 64; 100.00%
No. 2. Jemison—O. A. McBryde, prin.; enrollment, 57; perfect, 54; 99.61%
No. 3. Lay Dam—Mabel D. Youngblood prin.; enroll., 11; perfect, 10; 97.40%
No. 4. Clanton City—E. W. Burt, prin.; enroll., 129; perfect, 91; 96.75%
No. 5. Johannah—Mabel Sistrunk, prin. enrollment, 21; perfect, 8; 96.19%
No. 6. Lomax—Mattie B. Coker, prin.; enrollment, 34; perfect, 16; 93.97%
No. 7. Riderville—A. Wilson, prin.; enrollment, 65; perfect, 40; 93.75%
No. 8. Providence—Sadie Bryant, prin.; enrollment, 9; perfect, 2; 91.34%
No. 9. Campbell—Joseph Sistrunk, prin. enrollment, 43; perfect 14; 91.31%
No. 10. Mt. Zion—Ethel B. Sherrer, prin.; enroll., 40; perfect, 10; 90.33%
No. 11. Big Springs—C. H. Adams, prin.; enroll., 38; perfect, 10; 90.27%
No. 12. County Training—L. C. Johnson, prin.; en., 224; per., 79; 90.19%
No. 13. Verbena City—Lillie Bell Hicks, prin.; enroll., 76; perfect, 27; 89.30%
No. 14. Maplesville—Mary E. Davis, prin.; enroll., 46; perfect, 17; 87.74%
No. 15. Gulledge—Mary W. Savage, prin.; enroll., 24; perfect, 9; 86.29%
No. 16. Shiloh—W. A. Dickerson, prin.; enrollment, 20; perfect, 8; 85.22%
No. 17. Beulah—Tiny M. Hendricks, prin.; enroll., 23; perfect, 8; 84.07%
No. 18. Chilton Bell—Lillian Price, prin. enrollment, 43; perfect, 4; 82.67%
No. 19. Springhill—Frances Wood, prin. enrollment, 27; perfect, 11; 81.99%
No. 20. Crossroads—Mattie Ford, prin.; enrollment, 16; perfect, 9; 81.25%
No. 21. Pleasant Hill—Lovealla Q. Hall, prin.; enroll., 30; perfect, 6; 64.17%
Average for County—enrolled, 1005; perfect, 438; 89.26%

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Enterprise News

Miss Lucille Taylor, the intermediate grade teacher, was called to Montgomery Monday on account of the serious illness of her brother.

The Junior II Class party at Lucille Griffin's last Friday night was a great success. Games were enjoyed through the evening and afterwards cakes, candies and nuts were served in the dining room. Besides the class members, Miss Nita Campbell, Miss Jewel Vessels and Miss Elizabeth Griffin of Clanton were present.

The girls' goals are up, and the girls are playing every day now.

The boys had a nice game over at Thomas Junior last Friday. The regulars played the first quarter, while the subs completed the game, giving all the boys a chance to play. The final score was 18 to 7 in favor of Enterprise.

Miss Lee Silas will entertain for the Junior I Class at her home Friday night. Only class members are invited.

Our attendance hasn't looked so good this past week. Let's get together and make next week a perfect one.

Good Cotton Seed Saved In Alabama

Auburn, Ala., Feb. 9.—In Alabama a remarkable achievement was attained last year in replacing inferior varieties of cotton with those varieties which make a staple 7-8 of an inch or longer. J. C. Lowery, extension agronomist, has received reports from the county demonstration agents showing that 119,070 bushels of good seed of the 1930 crop were saved at special gin days. These seed will be planted this spring and it is estimated that at least 1,000,000 bushels of seed will be saved next fall for planting in 1932.

The reports received by Mr. Lowery from the county agents show that 84,710 of the 119,070 bushels of seed saved in this way are the D. P. L. variety. Cook 1627 is second with 25,810 bushels and other varieties total 8,550 bushels. Farmers in 18 counties participated in the work.

The varieties of which seed have been saved are those recommended by the Alabama Experiment Station on a basis of experiments conducted at Auburn and in cooperation with farmers throughout the State. These varieties yield well and the length of staple produced by them is 7-8 to 1 inch or more.

Improvement of cotton in this way is a project which has wide appeal. Bankers, business men, teachers of vocational agriculture, farm bureau officials and ginners as well as county agents and farmers are cooperating in promoting it, Mr. Lowery said.

This work, he added, seeks to solve a major problem of Alabama agriculture and the cotton spinning industry by producing cotton that is profitable to the grower and also supplies spinners with what they need and want.

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Editorial in Montgomery Advertiser, Jan. 30, 1931

"The Power Company Gets a Break"

"J. C. Dickerman, engineer-examiner of the Federal Trade Commission, who has been looking into the affairs of the Alabama Power Company, makes a report to the Commission, which has been summarized as follows, according to Russell Kent, The Advertiser's Washington correspondent:

1. The company's steam plants are of high class, strategically located, and protect their immediate areas from serious interruptions of service usually supplied from hydro system.

2. Operations are well organized with efficient staff. Use is made of modern methods for recording and directing operations.

3. Book fixed capital of several of the plants built by the company now show low or moderate unit costs.

4. Average revenues from all sales have ranged between one and 1.21 cents per kilowatt hour sold in the past four years.

5. Rates have been closely supervised by Public Service Commission.

6. Rates set at a moderate initial figure, 5½ cents per kilowatt hour being the top step and falling in domestic schedules to 1½ cents. Power schedules scale down to ½ cent.

7. Ownership of property and direct conduct of operations are limited strictly to Alabama.

8. The company is large and well organized and equipped.

This is doubtless unpleasant information for the people's evangels in journalism and politics in Alabama. But it is not unpleasant to those callous individuals who are merely interested in advancing the industrial welfare of the State, in seeing its key industries conducted along sound and correct lines, and in seeing judicious compliments paid by disinterested non-political critics."

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State Sales Agency For Truck Farmers

Cooperative marketing of perishable truck farm products in carload lots on a state-wide basis will make its initial appearance in Alabama with the opening of the 1931 shipping season, it is announced by the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation, which has provided a central sales agency.

The new service for growers was made possible by the signing of a contract with a nationally-known produce selling agency which has representatives in 200 markets and handled last year more than 43,000 carloads of products, said President Edward O'Neal, of the Farm Bureau.

Mr. O'Neal said the new plan offers an improved outlet for strawberries, Irish potatoes, early sweet potatoes, beans, watermelons, cucumbers, roasting ear corn, radishes, and other perishable products, of which Alabama truckers ship annually from 6,000 to 8,000 carloads. Business will be cleared through the Alabama Farm Bureau Mutual Supply Association, of which A. N. Culver is treasurer.

The larger volume that will be handled on a statewide scale will give the truckers greater bargaining power and enable them to get the highest market price on an f.o.b. shipping point basis, Mr. O'Neal said.

The service is open to county farm bureaus, local shipping associations, and carlot growers and shippers, and contracts will be made between the local organizations and carlot shippers and the state associations, it was announced.

Charles Ashley, 17, of Birmingham, Ala., has the promise of an education because of his honesty in returning a purse which he found in Washington, D. C.

Representative Lloyd of DeKalb County is the only Confederate Veteran in the Legislature.

AUBURN WILL BROADCAST CHILD NUTRITION TALKS

Auburn, Ala., Feb. 11—The second of a series of talks on nutrition designed for children of the second and third grades will be presented by Miss Louise P. Glanton, head of the Auburn school of home economics, as a part of the noon time program Wednesday, Feb. 18, 12:00 to 12:30, over WAPI (1140 kilocycles). Her subject will be "How to Have Plenty of Pep."

A special feature of the week's broadcast, Feb. 16 to 21, is a talk on George Washington given by Mrs. Zebulon Judd of Auburn Thursday afternoon at 5:20 under the auspices of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Program for the week follows:

Monday: Insects and Man, Prof. J. M. Robinson; Review of new book by member of the English Department; Feature for women by member of extension service.

Tuesday: National Narcotic Week. Dr. L. S. Blake: Housekeepers chat by Mrs. Mary Drake Askew; Primer for Town Farmers: Mrs. G. Richard Trott, soprano.

9:45 to 10:15 p.m. Dance music by Auburn Knights (WSFA).

Wednesday: Dick and Dan Around the Dinner Table; How to Have Plenty of Pep, Miss Louise P. Glanton; John W. Brigham, tenor; Earl Hazel, piano.

Thursday: Dairy feature by Ernest and Frank—the Boys with the Dairy Temperament; Housekeeper's chat by Mrs. Askew; Physical Education, Mrs. Harold Hoffsommer; vocal duets by Dr. and Mrs. Harold Hoffsommer.

5:00 to 5.30 p.m.—Auburn Department of Music program directed by John W. Brigham; Talk on George Washington by Mrs. Zebulon Judd, sponsored by Daughters of the American Revolution.

Friday: How the Child Builds His Personality, Miss Lulu Palmer; World Business Summary; Starch by W. T. Schreiber.

Saturday: Analyzing the Farm Business by Farmer Brown and Professor Jones; Housekeeper's chat, Mrs. Askew; With the Alabama Farmers, P. O. Davis; Inspirational message, Rev. William Byrd Lee, Jr.

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Billingsley News

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Mrs. Minnie Donovan Gafford died at her home Friday morning. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. S. Bentley Saturday afternoon, interment in the cemetery here. J. Mell Martin of Clanton was in charge.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carter, Mr and Mrs. J. A. Baugans of Birmingham., Mrs. Janes Donovan of Mt. Creek, Mr. Dennis Donovan of Deatsville, Mrs. W. A. Powell of Verbena, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Donovan of Montgomery, Mrs. C. D. Golson of Prattville, and others attended the funeral of Mrs. Gafford Saturday.

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Mr. G. T. Dickinson returned Sunday from a visit with his sister, Mrs. V. C. McIlvaine, of Sheffield.

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A. G. Thompson of Bessemer was the guest of Mrs. W. A. Gandy Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patrick attended the District Sunday School Convention at Marbury Sunday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Zack Pennington and little son, Pat, of Northport, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Patrick.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gibson and children motored to Montgomery Sunday and visited friends.

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Prof. Ralph Upton and H. A. Askins were in Prattville Saturday on business.

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Mr. Jim Rainwater is critically ill at his home here.

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Mr. Crawford Haigler of Maplesville spent the week end with friends here.

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Miss Essie Hester, County Demonstration Agent, held her regular club meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Irvin Golson. An interesting program was carried out. The subject of the meeting was "Floors." Thirteen members were present.

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Miss Thomasine Hendrics, Supt. of Child Welfare work in Autauga County, was here in the inteerst of the work Tuesday. While here she was the guest of Mrs. J. C. Hughes.

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My Best Girl

BY
KATHLEEN NORRIS

SEVENTH INSTALLMENT

Maggie Johnson, whose father is a letter carrier, is the domestic drudge of the humble home where her mother does little except bemoan the fact that she has "seen better days" and her sister Liz(who works in a beauty shop, lies abed late. Maggie has to get the family breakfast before she starts out to her job in the Five-and-Ten-Cent Stors.

There's a new boy at the Five-and-Ten, Joe Grant. He tells Maggie that he has been assigned to work as her helper in the stock room. He seems rather dumb, but Maggie helps him through his first day at the store and shares her lunch with him in a cubby hole of a place that belongs to a mattress factory next door to the Five-and-Ten.

They are looking over some cheap picture cards. One of them has a motto that strikes Maggie's fancy. "The way to begin the ideal life is to begin." She and Joe talk about that and Joe is surprised that the girl has higher standards than he suspected. When he goes home that night he is thinking about Maggie. And his home is the home of the owner of the Mack Five and Ten-Cent Stores, though Maggie does not suspect that he is the boss' son.

Maggie, at home begins to suspect that her mother's complaints are due to that lady's belief that happiness depends upon material things, while at the store she continues to surprise Joe by her appreciation of the realities of life

Joe knew that Maggie was falling in love with him before Maggie discovered it. But he was a little slow in discovering that he, in turn, was falling in love with Maggie. But he admitted to himself that his admiration for her was growing, and the girls in the store began to notice something different about her.

Maggie's interest in her job stimulates Joe's own. He begins to think perhaps it isn't so bad after all to have to work in the store. And he and Maggie begin to talk about love.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

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She had begun by laughing, boldly. But she had sobered to listen to him, lashes wide, lips slightly parted, little felt hat pushed back to show a film of gold across her earnest forehead. The colour had ebbed from her face, and putting her elbows on the table, she had covered her face with her hands—those small hard, red hands that Joe found so infinitely pathetic.

"Gold help me, it's that way with me now, Joe!" she whispered, not meeting his eyes.

They walked back to the store in absolute silence.

One night in early February, it chanced that at the Merrill table there were dining but three men: George Howard Merrill, president of the entire chain of stores, his trusty right-hand man and general manager, one Frank Flint, and the son of the house, Joseph Grant Mackenzie Merrill.

The last name was included in the party merely because he happened to be in the house, with no dinner engagement and because a wild rain was falling. George Merrill cared no longer whether his son and heir came or went.

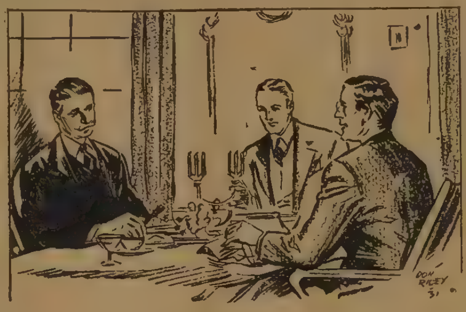
Yet he had blindly idolized his son.

That young Joe had shown a lamentable indifference to society, and had flunked in college, after disposing of a small fortune in various idiotic, if not actually harmful ways, had been a bitter blow to the father's honest, hard-working pride.

Since, however, he was actually living, they had begun, for the first time in his twenty years, to permit him, in their disgust and disappointment, to find his own level.

So that on this particular evening, upon seeing three places set at the family board, his father, scowlingly interrogating the butler, merely shrugged when the answer was that the third place was for Mr. Joseph.

"Oh, he don't matter!" said George Merrill. "We want to talk business. But Mr. Joe's all right. He won't hear a word we say!"



"I wish he would," Frank Flint, a big, rosy, silver-headed man, said politely. "We want that boy in the business, some day."

Mr. Merrill responded simply: "Frank, I don't know what he's doing, or what he wants to do! They're too much for me, nowadays. He's busy about something—it won't last. But while it keeps him out of mischief—or out of jail——"

"I'd be glad enough to have him get interested in the Mack. If he seems to catch on to anything to-night, as we talk, Frank, see if you can draw him out."

"Sorry to be late," said Joe, at this point coming in.

"You're not late," his father assured him ungraciously. Sometimes, in the course of the last few years, his disappointment in this boy had risen almost to actual hatred.

But just of late, ever since, in fact, that terrible scene when his mother had called him a "commoner, without one single gentlemanly instinct in his mind or soul," and when he, his father, had shouted at Joe that he was not better than a pickpocket, there had seemed to be a queer change in the boy.

"Tired, Joe?"

"I beg pardon?"

"Say you look tired, my boy. Research——" said George Merrill, with a wink for his general manager.

"Nope. Yes, I am a little tired. Not much," Joe said unsatisfactorily, falling upon his soup.

Then Joe said mildly, in a pause: "You say that it's the ruined stock that costs in the Mack Stores—not the labor. I've thought of that. It seems to me that every day enough collars and writing paper and candy and toys and socks fall on the floor and are trampled to set up a sperate branch!"

"Where'd you get this, Joe?" asked his father.

"I went into—Number Seven, I think it is," said Joe.

"On Eighth?"

"About there."

"That's Number Seven. Good for you! I hope you got service," said Flint.

"They have a great staff there," said Joe.

"That's a good store. That's a good store," Flint agreed.

"What occurred to me," Joe said leisurely, "was that you—we, I might say—could handle all that small stuff very much better with an automat.

"That's an idea, Joe, but, unfortunately it's not practical," his father said genially, comfortably.

Then his eye and the eye of his general manager met.

"Why isn't it practical, Frank? It works all right on the food—they're opening those damn nickel-in-the-slot places all over town," George Merrill said. "They're practical."

"We-ell——" Frank Flint hesitated.

Joe broke in:

"Take the whole back wall of a store and handle the five- and the ten-cent stuff there. Let 'em drop pennies for their spools and soap and ink and pencils and can openers and hairpins. You could have a girl there to change their money——"

"I'm not at all sure, Joe," said his father explosively. "I'm not at all sure that you haven't given us an idea."

"I could look into that, Mr. Merrill," Flint said. "It might—catch on, Mr. Merrill. It would be an exclusive Mack feature, you know!"

"Frank, the more I think of that, the more I suspect that—there's—something—in—it," George Merrill, drawling his words portentously, said slowly.

"When could you see Burke?"

"See him to-morrow."

"Take that up with him, will you, Frank? Find out who makes that machinery. We might as well look into it, anyway."

Joe wanted to keep that look in his father's eyes, that proud, vindicated look that said: "This boy of mine isn't—such—a—damn'—fool, after all!"

An hour later, he was reading in his room when his father came, rather shyly, rather awkwardly in. The boy had taken the trouble to come upstairs, Joe reflected, gratified.

"Joe, seen that girl who sings that 'Mouse-trap' thing, in the Revue?"

"Yes, sir. Saw it opening night."

"I've got two seats." George Merrill displayed them deprecatingly. "I was going to take Flint," he said.

"I'd like to see that darn show again," Joe said.

Fifteen minutes later, they left the house together. It was the first time Joe Merrill had gone to the theatre with his father since the day of his fourteenth birthday treat.

"I passed along that idea of yours, about having an automat for the notions, to one of the heads," Joe told Maggie. "I took the credit for it, too!" What made me feel rotten was that I didn't say that you had thought of it first."

"Oh, well, we sort of worked it out together, that day we were at the automat," she said, anxious to reassure him.

"Worked it out together nothing! You began it, it was entirely your idea."

"But what's the difference, as long as one of us gets the credit?" she asked innocently.

Joe could only laugh uncomfortably.

When he went downstairs an hour later, he managed his own way through the moving river of the departing employees of the Mack, and found himself beside her.

"Why so fast, Maggie?"

She raised blazing eyes to his.

"How dare you speak to me! You ought to be ashamed to speak to me! I hate you!"

"For heaven's sake, what's the matter?" Joe stammered, aghast.

But she went quickly on, shabby little untidy head held high, and disappeared in the crowd before he could catch her again.

Joe walked briskly toward his car, got into it, and drove toward Goat Hill.

"My gosh, I never saw her like that before! I wonder what the deuce I've done?" he kept saying aloud as he went.

The dinner was at the club tonight; it was for pretty little Katrina Fairchild. Millicent, next to Joe—was beating powder into her father coarse-pored, colorless skin with violent jerks of her elbow.

Everyone in the room was bitterly bored: guests, waiters, musicians. Millicent asked languidly:

"When are we going to announce it, Joe?—Don't interrupt me, Marion," she said to another girl, who leaned across the table for a hysterical confidence. "I'm proposing to Joe Grant."

"It can't be done. I tried it myself, didn't I Joe?" said a third girl, handsome and big.

"I don't seem to remember that, Carol," Joe said, eating. "But some night when I've had too many cocktails one of you girls will get me, and that'll be that."

There were shreiks of laughter, and then the conversation suddenly died, and nobody could think of anything to say.

Conversations were entirely personal, usually first-personal at that.

"My dear, I—well, I—well, if you ask me—I couldn't—I told mother—I she and I—but it isn't as if I—exactly. I couldn't—I simply—if you could have seen me——"

"Marjorie, did you see Mrs. Madison?"

"My dear—wasn't that terrible!"

"Oh, well, my dear, if she would bring that impossible girl——"

"Well, exactly!"

More lip-red, more powder, more cigarettes.

"Of course, Mother felt dreadfully about it."

"Well, but, my dear!"

"Well, exactly—that's what I said to Mother."

"Listen, Maggie, you can't keep this up. Sooner or later you'll have to make it up with me and tell me what the trouble is, so why not now?" Joe pleaded.

She was in the hardware department, and was attempting to straighten up the counter. When she heard Joe's voice, close beside her, she brought her proud little chin up with a jerk, her cheeks crimsoned, and her tone was cutting, if a trifle shaky, as she said:

"You broke my heart. But it doesn't matter. Please get out of my way."

"How in the name of St. Pete, did I break your heart?"

"We'll not—" she was being magnificent—"we'll not discuss it," she said

"We will discuss it," said Joe. "I haven't done anything, and I object to your acting this way!"

"Oh, no—no!" she said, in a low trembling voice shaken with anger. "Oh, no. You didn't take Paulo Younger to lunch, and pay for her lunch, at our place—at our place!—and then walk with her, and stroll around the streets with her, and have all those horrible girls at the lampshades making fun of me, and saying that Paula had gotten you away from me."

"Now, listen, Maggie—that's utterly ridiculous. In the first place, I went in alone—alone—to have my lunch at the Old South Tea Room—but I swear to you I went in there with no more idea that Miss Younger was lunching there than you had! I saw her at an empty table—the place was packed, and, naturally, I sat with her."

"Oh, naturally!" Maggie said, trembling, beside herself.

"Well, would you have me cut the girl?" Joe asked, warming in his turn. "I sat with her, and later I paid the tip, twenty-five cents, and our bill for two sixty-cent lunches. There! If I'd known that you expected me to ask permission——"

"I'll never," she gritted between her teeth, "I'll never speak to you again!"

She had finished her task now, the hardware counter was in order, and went down to the girls' washroom, washed her hands and, after a while, her tear-swollen eyes in cold water and wiped them on the soggy lengths of the exhausted roller towel.

(continued next week)

A big male deer got in front of a Pennsylvanian's car and wrecked it, in spite of the driver's efforts to pass the buck.

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What, if anything, has become of our old friend Feng, who used to do the Christian generaling in China?

Before complaining that other writers steal one's stuff it is just as well to wait until the real author has been forgotten.

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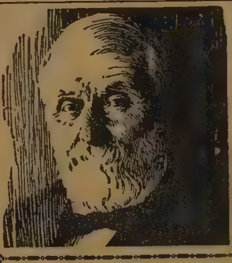

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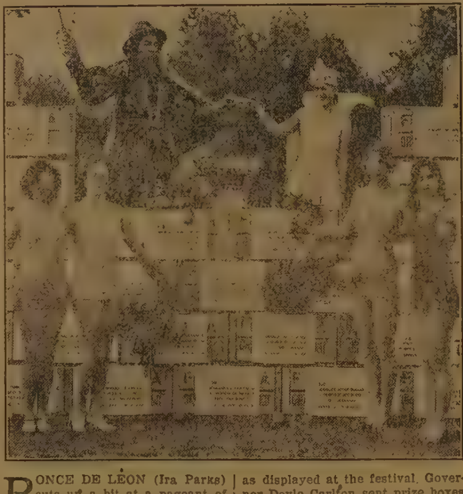

PONCE DE LEON (Ira Parks) cuts up a bit at a pageant of "Health, Beauty and Youth" at tho Florida Orange Festival in Winter Haven (January 27-31). Here we see him clicking glasses with Bertha Knight, of Bartow, the festival queen, in a toast to President Hoover and our Governors. From the cream of Florida's citrus crop as displayed at the festival. Governor Doyle Carlton sent prize boxes of oranges and grapefruit to his fellow Governors and to the President. The bathing beauties, left to right, are: Andra Kingsley, Tampa; Isabel Guthrie ("Miss Kansas"), Topeka; Elaine Reynolds, Baton Rouge, and Winton Whidden, Providence, Rhode Island.

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A new automobile record was made on the Daytona beach a few days ago, when Captain Malcolm Campbell drove his racing car at the unprecedented speed of 246 miles an hour, nearly 15 miles an hour faster than the former world's record held by the late Captain Segrave.

While the ability to travel at this terrific speed is of little practical value in itself, it does serve to illustrate the great advance made by automobile engineers in recent years. This new record of more than four miles a minute is almost within hailing distance of the best airplane speed, which is a little in excess of five miles a minute.

The skill and daring of those who perform these extraordinary feats of speed can not fail to excite admiration, but conservative folks will have little desire to emulate them.

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Beginning on Wednesday, February 11, admission prices will be 10c and 25c for all seats, except on special pictures.

MORE POLITICAL BUNK

Among the many economic fallacies now being advanced by certain groups of politicians, none is more absurd than the idea that government ownership and operation of public utilities would be in the interest of the public. This applies especially to the electric industry, about which there is considerable political agitation just now.

The theory put forward by those of socialistic tendencies is that by government development of water-power sites cheaper electricity would result. The fact is that waterpower is rapidly losing its importance as a source of electric energy, due to the increasing efficiency of steam plants. In 1930 only 32 per cent of the electricity generated in the United States was produced from waterpower.

As an illustration of the improvement in steam generation it may be mentioned that only ten year ago it required an average of 3 pounds of coal to generate a kilowatt hour of electricity, while at present only 1.6 pounds of coal are required.

That the savings effected by the use of modern equipment are reflected in rates charged the public is evidenced by the fact that average rates for household electric service are now 30 per cent below pre-war levels, while other living costs are 60 per cent above those of 1913.

In view of these incontrovertible facts, it is somewhat difficult to understand what all this socialistic shooting is about. The only plausible explanation is that it is just plain political bunk.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of that certain note and mortgage executed on the 28th day of May, 1928, by H. G. Parsons and wife, Kate Parsons, to Bank of Verbena, Verbena, Alabama, said mortgage being recorded in Book 130 of Mortgages at page 284, in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Autauga County, Alabama, and said note and mortgage being due November 1, 1928, and the same now being past due and unpaid; therefore the undersigned mortgagee will proceed to sell the following described real estate as described in said mortgage in front of the Court House door of Autauga County, Alabama, in the Town of Prattville on Monday, 2nd day of March, 1931, between the legal hours of sale at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash; the said property being described as follows:

One half acre of land described as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 20, Township 20, Range 16; thence South 41 degrees and 30 minutes East of South 188 feet to a stake thence East 2 degrees and 30 minutes South of East 223 feet to a stake; being a point of beginning of this lot, thence North 18 degrees East of North 159 feet to a stake, thence West 18 degrees West of South 159 feet to a stake, thence East 18 degrees South of East 138 feet to point of beginning containing one half acre, more or less, lying and being in Southeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter, Section 20, Township 20, Range 16, and being the lot or parcel of land upon which my dwelling house is located, whether correctly described above or not; the above lot or parcel of land situated lying and being in the Town of Marbury, Autauga County, Alabama, also a lot in the Town of Mt. Creek, Alabama, described therein as follows: Commencing at the Northeast corner of the gin lot, thence North 45 degrees 147 feet to the Southwest corner of a lot known as the Effie Dennis lot the beginning point, thence 45 degrees 117 feet to a stob, thence North 60 degrees West 104 feet to a stob, thence South 54 degrees West 93 feet to a stob, thence South 45 degrees East 117 feet to the point of beginning, also one lot described as follows: Commencing at a point on the east side of the L & N R. road three hundred feet North of the center of a stream which runs under said railroad and two hundred and fifty feet east of where the right-of-way ends, which is fifty feet from center of main line of said railroad running south one hundred and fifty-three feet nine inches, thence west ninety-one feet, thence Southeast one hundred seventy-seven feet forming a triangle, lying and being situated in the Southwest Quarter of Section 17, Township 120, Range 16, Chilton County, Alabama.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the amount due on said note and mortgage and the expenses incident to said sale, including a reasonable Attorney's fee.

This 17th day of January, 1931.

BANK OF VERBENA,
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Omar L. Reynolds, Attorney for mortgagee, 1-29-4tcR
1-29-31-3tpd. Verbena, Ala.

Sardis News

Saturday and Sunday were preaching days here at this place, with a good attendance. We are sorry our pastor could not be with us on this appointed time. Rev. J. D. Deason delivered to us two splendid messages. Saturday, subject from Luke 8:1-9. Sunday, subject was from Mark 2:1-12.

The following attended the Liberty Hill singing Sunday afternoon and reported a good singing: Mr. Inza Klinner, Miss Arie Ratliff, Mr. Kent Minor, Miss Clara Headley, Mr. Garland Deason, Mr. T. J. Ratliff, Mr. Charlie Sansom, Miss Annie Klinner and Miss Josie Mae Deason.

Mr. T. J. Ratliff spent last week with his brother, Mr. F. G. Ratliff, of Selma.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kendrick of Pilgrims Rest were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Kendrick Sunday.

Mr. W. M. Headley has been mighty low with pneumonia, but he is improving fast.

Mrs. Zora Headley is still in the hospital, but she is doing nicely. She will undergo an operation in a few days.

Mrs. I. M. Deason spent the day with her daughter, Mrs. Lula Ratliff Sunday.

Miss Alphia Ratliff is spending a few days with her grandmother, Mrs. I. M. Deason, who was taken ill Sunday at her daughter's, and was rushed home. We hope she will be better in a few days.

Mr. Carlos Ratliff and Mr. Ernest Scott went a blue grass hunting Sunday afternoon.

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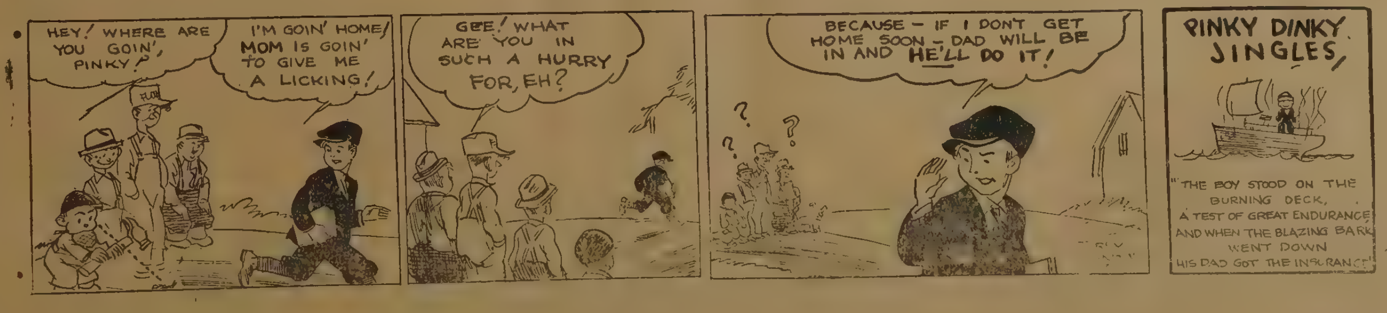
By Terry Gilkison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Circle Number Two Met With Mrs. Martin.

Circle No. 2 met at the home of Mrs. Mell Martin Monday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Royal Service Program, having as a topic, "Measures," led by Mrs. Eubanks, Mrs. Ezell and other members. Members present were Mesdames Ezell, Renfro Mullins, John D. Mullins, Hugh Foshee, Joe Mims, Horace Popwell, Burdette, Curry, Joe Higgins, Mell Martin, Eubanks, Dial.

During open discussion, Mrs. Martin served delicious salad course with hot chocolate. Meet next at home of Mrs. Eubanks.

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Mrs. L. A. Calloway Hostess To Circle Number Six.

Mrs. L. A. Calloway was hostess on last Monday afternoon to Circle Number Six of the Baptist W. M. S. at her home. Mrs. A. C. Smith presided over this meeting, wihch was attended by thirteen members. The next meeting of this circle will be held with Mrs. F. M. Connell.

Mrs. E. W. Danforth Hostess To Circle No. 4.

Circle No. 4 of the Baptist W. M. S. met with Mrs. E. W. Danforth Monday afternoon. The chairman, Mrs. J. T. Rockett, was in charge of the Missionary program. The topic was "The Unfinished Task," and was discussed by Mesdames Mullins, Pipes and Willis.

After the program a social hour was enjoyed, carrying out the Valentine idea. A salad plate was served by the hostess to the following members:

Mesdames G. C. Armstrong, C. B. Cox, E. W. Danforth, Wiley Littlejohn, M. A. Mullins, W. I. Mullins, Lonz Parrish, H. T. Pipes, J. T. Rockett, and Arthur Willis.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howard and daughters, Mabel and Lucille, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Howard and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Hanson, were guests at a spend the day party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson in Thorsby recently.

Mrs. Mollie Roberts Died Last Monday

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As the dawn was beginning to light up the face of nature last Monday morning and the hands of the faithful family clock pointed to the hour of six, the worn and weary spirit of Mrs. Molly A. Roberts winged its flight to that eternal shore. She was the wife of Mr. H. C. Roberts, who departed this life some ten years ago. She was the mother of eight children, five of whom she had followed to the grave and the remaining three were with her when she crosed over the river Monday.

Mrs. C. L. Branch, Mrs. Maude E. Corley, and Mrs. B. F. Roberts, all of Clanton, were the children who were left in sorrow by her departure. She had twenty grandchildren, six of whom, by her special request, were pall bearers at her funeral. They were Messrs. Guy and Norman Roberts, Hugh Branch, and Harry, Ewart and W. B. Corley. She left eighteen great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Roberts spent the major part of her life in Alabama, marrying Mr. Roberts upon his return from that cruel Civil War. She was a Miss Stanfield in girlhood. She was born in 1844 and had just a few days ago passed her 87th birthday.

Dr. Ezell conducted the funeral services in a manner both beautiful and sympathetic. A lovely testament of beautiful flowers were kindly sent in by friends and the sorrowing ones most earnestly extend their thanks for this most thoughtful remembrance in the dark hour of their grief.

The relations all extend to Undertaker Martin their warmest thanks for his efficient service and helpful and sympathetic handling of the burial. She was laid to rest beside her husband in the family burial lot in the Clanton cemetery.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus, Jr., and little daughter, Billie Ruth, of Birmingham spent the week end with Ben's father and mother.

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Non-Jury Term Circuit Court Convenes Feb. 17

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Henry Cox, Permitting cattle to run at large.

Daniel Jackson, A. & B.

Arch Robinson, et al, D. Bond.

Guy Abrams, A. I. O. L.

Allen Lenoir, A. I. O. L.

Willie Mims, V. P. L.

Dick Price, Driving M. V. While Intox.

T. H. Langston, Selling Mortgaged Property.

Earl Pierce, Posting and leaving obscene writing.

Pat Lawley, A. I. O. L.

Veryl Sammons, V. P. L.

Charlie Mims, V. P. L.

Curtis Killingsworth, V. P. L.

Sam Warren, V. P. L.

W. B. Bird, Selling Mortg. Property.

Harry Martin, Posting and leaving obscene writing.

Hattie Roberts, et al, D. Bond.

Odis Jones, et al, D. Bond.

Arnold Littleton, Public Drunkenness.

Arnold Littleton, V. P. L.

Paul Robinson, Petit Larceny.

Ocie Williams, V. P. L.

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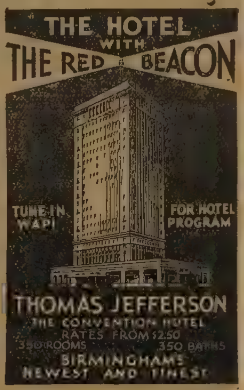

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! HIGH SCHOOL NEWS !

Spring Football Training Begins
By Herman Harris

Now in a few days according to Coach Walker's promise to the boys, spring training for football will start off with a bang. More interest is being manifested about spring training than ever before. There is some splendid material to pick from, and many of the boys say they are coming out for practice.

The basket ball season is nearing the end. We feel the boys have enjoyed a fairly successful season. The tournament is the 20th. It will be held at Tuscaloosa. While in the Druid City Coach Walker and the boys will be the guests of the University of Alabama. Other courtesies will be shown the various visiting tems from over the State while in attendance at the tournament. The only expense to the boys will be to Tuscaloosa and back to Clanton. Mr. Walker's influence for clean athletics is reflected in the playing of every member of his team. He plays to win, but never at the sacrifice of the high principles of manhood and good sportsmanship. The school appreciates the services of such a gentleman.

Mr. Haskew Honors School With Another Visit
By Esther Lee Dennis

Mr. Haskew made our school another visit last Monday morning at the 10:15 assembly period, and gave the student-body a most interesting and inspiring talk. It was about the "Little Things in Life." He showed very plainly how the little things lead to greater things, either for good or bad. He explained how the habit of taking another's pencil, tablet, book, or pen, would probably lead one to take things of even greater value belonging to another and in the end develop in one a most serious and deplorable trait. He urged the students to hold consistently to the things that are honest, upright, and good.

Musical Number At Chapel

The student body last Tuesday morning at the assembly period was delightfully entertained by a violin duet by Miss Annelu Burns, instructor, and Miss Josephine Martin, a member of our faculty. This is the first number from our music department, but the entire school is looking forward to next Tuesday morning when Miss Burns has promised to present the entire music clas in an ensemble number. The work of this department is progressing rapidly and the school feels fortunate indeed to be able to secure the services of this splendid musician.

[illegible] department by Miss Ruth Barlow, one of her most talented pupils who accom[illegible] Tuesday.

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Boy Scout Activities of Clanton

Dan Smith, Troop Reporter

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This is a great week for Boy Scouts and it should be observed with much respect. Why? Because it is the 21st anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America. Boy Scouts all over America are celebrating it with programs, banquets, hikes, etc. On February 8, 1909 the Boy Scout movement in America was starting and now on the streets of towns and in the country you see a boy dressed in khaki suit, a Boy Scout and proud of it.

But I must not write any more about that now. I must tell you about our own local troop and our celebration. To get everything right I will begin with the first Tuesday afternoon about 3:30 o'clock. All the Boy Scouts of this troop with some exceptions met in front of the Baptist church to have our picture made. The reason for taking this picture was to have it put in the Booster Edition of the Chilton County News. The picture was made by Mr. Scott, local photographer. Tuesday night we met at the church to plan a hike for Wednesday, February 11. We planned to leave about 3:30 o'clock and go to the camp on the river and stay until sometime at night. The other part of our program this week is a basket ball game with the Lay Dam troop. As we go to the camp we will stop and play this game at the dam.

Sunday all the Scouts will attend the Baptist church. This will conclude our program for the 21st anniversary week. Troop meeting Friday night, Feb. 13, at 6:30.

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Messrs. Charlie Swanson and Rolf, who have been visiting friends and relatives in Thorsby, have returned to the home in Chicago, Ill.

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The critter that sprouted the first appendix never knew what a legacy he left to the surgical profession.

KNIGHT APPOINTS M'CALL AS ASSISTANT

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Montgomery, Ala., Feb. 11.—Commission as assistant attorney geenral, under appointment by Attorney General Thomas E. Knight, Jr., was issued yesterday by the Secretary of State's office to Charlie C. McCall, former attorney general of Alabama, who is the only member named thus far by Mr. Knight, of his official staff. Attorney General Knight announced some time ago his intention to appoint Mr. McCall to the position in which he is now commissioned.

This appointment is directly affected by the bill recently introduced in the Legislature prohibiting retiring constitutional officers from accepting appointment by their successors. The measure passed the Senate yesterday, without debate, by a vote of 23 to 4.

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E. O. JONES, OF DOTHAN, GETS TAX AGENT POST

E. O. Jones, of Dothan, was appointed by Gov. B. M. Miller Tuesday, district tax agent for the district comprising the counties of Houston, Henry and Dale to succeed W. J. Renfroe, whose services have been terminated effective today, through action of the State Tax Commission.

The Governor also appointed Paul Howard of Cullman, license inspector for the counties of Cullman and Winston, to succeed E. R. Bain, whose services have also been brought to a conclusion, by the Tax Commission, effective today.

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Lady Astor says having a husband is a full time job? And how about being one?

[illegible] shadowed crime commis[illegible] as front page news lately.

New York is threatened with a water [illegible] age of other liquids.

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The Family

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BOOSTER ISSUE WILL BE MAILED ON FEBRUARY 26

Fine Cooperation Found By Those Helping In Compiling Special Edition

The Chilton County News is very much gratified over the progress made publishing the forthcoming special Booster Edition which is to appear and be presented to the public on Thursday morning, February 26th. The News is certainly surprised, but pleased, at the spirit of optimism and feeling of hope that characterizes our people.

In view of the depressed conditions that prevailed over our country, Chilton County has suffered its share of losses and depression, and the News rather expected to find many who who would not respond to the appeals of this newspaper for material for this booster edition. But, the News believes it can truthfully state that at no time during the highest peak of prosperity would the people have cooperated better than they have done in assisting to put this forthcoming great edition of the News over.

If every county and city in the United States was as optimistic and cheerful as our local people, Mr. Gloom would have packed up his grip and left us long ago. From the News' point of view, business is fifty per cent better at this period than had ben hoped for even three months ago. Our community problems are being solved and we are moving onward to greater success.

It is the opinion of the News that it has been fortunate in securing the services of J. H. Bell, and R. C. (Bob) Gore, of the J. H. Bell Advertising Agency of Birmingham and Columbus, to assist in the compiling and publishing of the Chilton County Booster Edition of the News. Their services have been outstanding in this work, and judging from expressions from these two gentlemen, they are pleased with the future prospects of Clanton and Chilton County, pointing out many advantages here, that have possibly been overlooked in the past, although this newspaper has always seen bigger and better things for the county.

Mr. Bell and Mr. Gore have been in Clanton for several weeks, rendering untiring services toward making the special edition of the News a success, and one that will be more than appreciated by the people of this section.

Mr. Gore's work as a special feature writer is very unique, and his various outstanding talents along that line have shown up clearly in this forthcoming edition. During the countless interviews Mr. Gore has experienced in this writing, he has found for himself many friends. In an expression from him, it was learned that he looked upon these connections as real pleasures, commenting on the extreme cordiality of the people of Clanton. Mr. Bell, who was secured to handle the general managing of the booster edition, and to have charge of the designing and photography, and the articles, has more than once stated that he has been impressed with the warm receptions from local business and professional men.

Mr. Bell has had the opportunity to address the local Kiwanis Club, and his talks on advertising and community good will spirit have been thoroughly enjoyed, and it is the opinion of many that the visit of these two gentlemen to Clanton has furthered the good will of this community.

The entire force of the News in every department has been taxed to its limit, and the opinion has been expressed that the cooperation and willingness from each member of the staff has been outstanding in the News plant at all times. The News will devote a special section to those members in the office who have strived and succeeded in making the special Chilton County Booster Edition a success as far as their part of the project was concerned.

Although this special edtion is practically completed, the News finds it necessary to ask for a bit more information from various sources to make this edition next week one of the most attractive and interesting editions ever published in this section of the country.

From time to time in the next two or three days, citizens of the county will probably be called on to assist in the gathering of information to complete the informative value of the special edition. The News wishes at this time to thank those who have already assisted in this work, and will appreciate any further cooperation to place this coming edition at the top.

LANIER MOORE RETURNED FOR VISIT TO HIS FATHER HERE

Glenn W. Moore, proprietor of the Clanton Drug Company, is receiving a visit this week from his son, Lanier Moore, who has recently returned from California.

Lanier found on his return a warm welcome from his friends in Clanton. He had been away for several weeks, with his brother, Hollis Moore.

NEW LAW GOES INTO EFFECT ON STATE ACCTS.

All Accounts Against State Must Be Registered Before March 1, If Outstanding

"The registration of the State debt is being rapidly completed," said S. H. Blan, State Treasurer, when questioned by a representative of this paper.

"The law requiring registration was signed by Governor B. M. Miller on January 30th. The law requires the registration of all outstanding warrants and accounts against the State, which were due and unpaid at that time, January 30th. Thirty days are allowed by law for the registration of these outstanding warrants and accounts against the State. All debts due by the State not registered within the thirty days are barred by law for a period of two years."

Mr. Blan stated that March first will be the last day upon which warrants and accounts may be registered, and that therefore anyone having an unpaid warrant or account should send the same to the State Treasurer for registration. The sooner these are sent in the better, as they are paid in order of registration.

After March first the registered State debt will be totaled and the Governor will then treat with the Legislature as to the best and most economic method of handling the same.

Alabama Ships 8,000 Cars Truck Crops

Each year Alabama farmers and truckers ship between 6,000 and 8,000 cars of truck crops reports F. W. Gist, statistician of the Department of Agriculture who gives figures showing that in 1929, 6,841 carloads were shipped while in 1928 it amounted to 7,465 cars.

Fruits and vegetables shipped in 1929 included 17 cars of apples, 72 cars of string beans, 857 cars cabbage, 1 car canteloupes, 795 cars cucumbers, 485 cars oranges, 81 cars peaches, 152 cars pears, 618 cars sweet potatoes, 1544 cars white potatoes, 38 cars turnips, 1354 cars strawberries, 105 cars mixed vegetables and 722 cars watermelons.

Baldwin is the leading cucumber, sweet and white potato shipping county in the State, while Mobile county leads in shipping cabbage, oranges, pears, and mixed vegetables.

Sumter county leads in string bean shipments, Conecuh in strawberry shipping, and Houston in watermelons and turnip shipments. Monroe county leads in peach shipments while Madison leads in carload apple shipments.

L & N SAYS RAILROAD LAND GRANTS WERE NOT GOV. GIFTS

Attention is called to an advertisement from the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company appearing in this issue of the News, in which they are pointing out that railroad land grants were not gifts from the government and that the government is receiving annually the worth of the land occupied by the railroads. In part the ad reads as follows:

"The June 30, 1930, 132,173,225 acres of land, the great bulk of it lying west of the Mississippi River, had been actually certified to the interested railroads. During the twenty-year period, 1850 to 1870, when most of the grants were made, the average price received by the Government for land sold to others was 94c an acre. In other words the railroads received title to land worth, in the aggregate, $124,242,831; but, in return, the land-grant lines are required, under the law, to handle Government troops, munitions of war, and other Government freight, at rates substantially lower than commercial rates, and United tSates mail at 80 per cent of the standard or authorized rates. Because of these reductions the actual monetary saving to the Government

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E. W. Taylor Buried At Coopers, Ala., Recently

Funeral services for Elbert Willis Taylor were held from the Clayton St. Baptist church in Montgomery Saturday morning at ten o'clock. Death came following an attack of pneumonia. Pall bearers were A. J. Taylor, L. Roy Taylor, N. J. Robinson, John Robinson, A. L. Taylor and C. D. Hughes. The Rev. F. M. Barnes officiated.

The deceased is survived by his widow, one child, four sister, one of whom is Mrs. Arthur Taylor of Clanton. The body was sent through the country to Coopers, Alabama, where burial took place. He is the son of J. R. Taylor, of Coopers.

TWO CLASSES ISABELLA HIGH SCHOOL PAY VISIT TO NEWS

The Chilton County News office and plant received a most pleasant visit from two of the fine classes of the Isabella High School of west of Clanton.

These two classes, the Junior Three Civic Class and the Business Law Class, with Miss Celia Cumbee, instructor, were shown through the entire plant of the News by a member of the staff. Each machine and its workings was explained to the twenty-three pupils, and machines were put into operation for this purpose.

Those included in this visit from the Isabella School were Marvin Durbin, Will L. Martin, Luther Mims, James W. Burnette, Wilbert Conaway, Braxton Lecroy, Lucile Edwards, Edna Durbin, Faye Jones, J. P. Poole, Claudell Ratliff, Nellie Hayes, Elsie Conway, Gertie Mae Owen, Lucile Cobern, Jewel Williams, Bennie Cadle, Woodrow Durbin, Hannon Owen, Clara Mae Calfee, James Vezey, Pierce Griffin, and Clifford Manning.

The News was delighted to have these two classes visit its plant, and extend them a cordial invitation to visit it again.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Horn and son, Leroy, of Birmingham spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence F. Gerald and family.

Miss Lona Thompson is visiting her aunt in Birmingham.

Mrs. C. E. Stapp returned to Clanton Monday after a short visit to her parents in Fernbank, Alabama.

Exchange Barber Shop Has Been Sold

Announcement has been made to the effect that the Exchange Barber Shop of Clanton has been sold to Lester Jones. The sale took place on February 12th, and the purchase was made from George Wyatt and Willie Bean, two well known barbers of Clanton.

Mr. Jones is one of the well known young business men of Clanton and is prominently connected with the Farmers Hardware Company of this place.

There will be no change in the personnely of the barber shop. Willie Bean will act as manager with his assistants as George Wyatt and Walter L. Sanford, all well known barbers. The Exchange Barber Shop has continually grown in popularity in Clanton since its opening several years ago, and under its new ownership it is sure to continue to go forward at a rapid rate.

PLAY TO BE PRESENTED AT THOMAS JUNIOR SCHOOL

"Aaron Slick from Punkin Crick," is coming to Thomas Junior School on Friday, February 27, at 7:30 P. M. It is a three-act comedy. See the widow Berry (Mrs. Pearl Parrish). She wants to sell her farm and move to the city. Mr. Merridew (Melvin Lansford) a city slicker, who meets his match in Sis Riggs, the tomboy (Hercie Ree Jones). The mysterious youth, Clarence Green (Clifton Parrish). Aaron Slick (Argus Pressley) in love with the Widow Berry, get the best of the city slicker. The girl in red (Mrs. Mattie Lou Crew) almost gets the best of Aaron. Gladys Mae Merridew (Mrs. Nora Hand) niece of Mr. Merridew, knows nothing about the country.

A scream from start to finish; also six quartets will entertain betweent acts. Sponsored by Thomas Junior P.-T. A. for benefit of the school. Admission 10c and 20c.

KEYS FOUND

A small buch of keys were brought to the News office this week, with a message that they had been found. Anyone losing these, and can describe them, can secure same at the News office.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ellis, of Mobile (Jewel Armstrong) spent last Sunday in Clanton as guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Armstrong.

News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

On Lincoln's birthday Thursday morning at chapel members of the Junior class had charge under the direction of Mr. Maddox. Oliver Lyon presided. Poems about Lincoln by Edwin Markham were read by Pauline Pool, Mary Ruth Nix, Helen Diefenderfer, Rubye Connatser, Albert Mims, Oliver Lyon, Don Long and Bill Gray.

Friday morning at chapel Miss Fairbank was in charge of the program in which different languages were represented. A few verses from the Old Testament were read by Mr. Butler in Hebrew, the original language in which it was written. Mr. King read some verses from the New Testament in Greek, the originaly language in which that was written. Miss Leech read the Lord's Prayer in Sioux Indian. The Latin classes sang in Latin a round, Duc, duc, remos, duc. Mr. Maddox read a French fable and the Faculty trio, Miss Arthur, Miss McKee and Mr. Maddox, sang in French "Au Claire de lune." Miss Klingelhoefer told a story in German and Karl Ekblad spoke in Swedish about Sweden.

Next Saturday night at 7:30 in the auditorium of Thorsby Institute the Annual Declamatory contest will take place. There will be eight participants, four boys and four girls. The boy who wins will receive a $5 gold piece and the girl who wins a like amount. Everyone is invited. Admission 15c for students and 25c for those not students in the Public School or the Institute.

Mrs. John Harrison Collins is still slowly improving.

Miss Elwin Robinson of Lay Dam spent the week end with Miss Hilma Collins.

Miss Mattie Scott of Birmingham spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody Collins of Lawley spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Collins.

Mrs. Wilbur Marcus spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Aikens Collins.

Mr. Willie Scot of Montgomery spent the week end at home.

Among the books which have been given to the Thorsby Institute Library since the holidays are Cather, "My Antonia," Rice, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," and "Lovey Mary," McCutcheon, "The Inn of the Hawk and Raven," Hutchison, "Happy Warrior," Fitzhugh, "Pee Wee Harris on the Trail," and Staley, "Games, Contests and Relays."

Miss Ruth Gerald of Birmingham spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Meade and Miss Pauline Bean spent Sunday with Mrs. Robert Bean of Collins Chapel.

Miss Addie Surls of Prattville and Miss Louise Gibbons of Deatsville were welcome visitors at the Dining Hall Sunday afternoon. Miss Gibbons is deeply interested in the nurses training course which she is taking in a Montgomery hospital.

Saturday night, February 14, the play "Two Days to Marry," presented by the Eastern Star, was a grand success. Mrs. R. M. Smith who coached the play wishes to thank everyone who helped to furnish articles necessary for the stage and also appreciates the large attendance.

Mr. V. H. Sutlive drove to Birmingham last Friday evening taking James Kincaid with him.

Miss H. C. Jenkins spent the week end with her parents in LaGrange, Ga. Dr. and Mrs. Jenkins drove over for her Friday afternoon and brought her back Monday.

Miss Klingelhoefer attended a conference of the Fellowship of Reconciliation in Birmingham last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Primm of Silura spent the week end with Mrs. M. J. Primm.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Robinson spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Collins.

Miss Naemi Turnquist of Selma spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mr. Manuel Littlefield of Clanton took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. H.

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CAKE SALE AT HILL GROCERY BY W. M. S.

The News has been requested to announce this week that the ladies of the Clanton Baptist W. M. S. will hold one of their fine cake sales again next Saturday at the Hill Grocery Store.

The cakes sold at this special sale for the benefit of the W. M. S., will be all home baked cakes.

O. O. ROPER HAS LARGE LOSS BY FIRE SAT. NIGHT

One Mule Burned to Death In Fire Destroying Large Storage Barn

Clanton suffered another fire loss last Saturday night when the large barn belonging to O. O. Roper, who resides near West End, was completely destroyed.

The barn, which was rather roomy, was located just at the rear of the Roper home. The blaze was discovered about midnight by neighbors, who aroused Mr. and Mrs. Roper, the former turning in the alarm.

Volunteer firemen and the city apparatus were soon on the scene, but very little work could be done by the fire department, due to the fact that the flames had almost enveloped the entire structure, when discovered.

Information stated that a large quantity of corn, hay and other feed stuff, one mule, and some farming implements were destroyed. There was also a cow housed in the building, but Mr. Roper managed to rescue the animal before the flames reached her. As to how the fire originated, no information could be had, as it was stated that the origin was undetermined. It was also stated that no insurance was carried. Mr. Roper is well known over the entire county, and owns considerable farming interests in the county, spending practically his entire time to that line of work.

Dr. Julius Jones Died Thursday Night, 12th

Dr. Julius Jones, age 73 years, died at his home in Rockford last Thursday night, ebruary 12, about two o'clock. His death is said to have been caused by heart failure, of which he was a sufferer for the past several months.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mattie (McDonald) Jones, three sons, Julius, of Birmingham; Sherrill, of Vernon; Walter, of Rockford; and two daughters, Mrs. Marie Ashcraft, of Lakeland, Fla., and Miss Carrie Love Jones, of Rockford.

Funeral services were held at Rockford Baptist Church Saturday at eleven o'clock, conducted by Rev. C. H. Herd, of Georgia, a former Baptist pastor of Rockford. He was buried with Masonic honors, and Service Funeral Home of Alexander City, in charge.

Dr. Jones was a highly respected citizen of this community, having been born and reared in Coosa County, and spent a great portion of his life in Rockford. He was actively engaged in the practice of medicine, until a year or so ago, when he had to retire on account of feeble health.

He was a Baptist, and his life was sincerely devoted to the cause of Christianity. Among his neighbors and friends, he was loved, honored, and respected for the stand which he took on the side of right living and clear morals.

A vast throng of friends and neighbors, and loved ones were present Saturday when his body was laid to rest.

The deceased is the brother of C. Fenn Jones, one of Clanton's prominent citizens, and former hardware and furniture merchant, who survives him.

FRANK ANDERSON OF NEW ORLEANS VISITS MOTHER HERE

Frank Anderson, former Chilton County resident, and now of New Orleans, La., was in Clanton several days last week visiting his mother, Mrs. Kate Anderson.

Mr. Anderson is now a Marine Engineer of outstanding prominence at his post in New Orleans. Too much can not be said as to Mr. Anderson's accomplishments. He is one of Chilton County's boys who have made good in the world, and can be termed a self-made man. His perseverance has been placed out in prominence, and carried him to the dizzy heights of success.

COUNTIES WILL RID SELVES OF SHORT STAPLE

Plan To Provide Large Quantity of Pure Seed for Planting In Next Year

Farmers of Cherokee, Clay, Calhoun, Shelby, Chilton and Elmore counties have definitely joined the movement to free Alabama of short staple cotton.

After a trip to these counties, J. C. Lowery, extension agronomist of Auburn, reports that, in cooperation with county agents and ginners, farmers are planning to hold gin days in the fall of 1931.

Farmers living around certain gins will plant this spring seed of either D. P. L. 4-8 or Cook 1627 varieties, and then next fall on one day only cotton of these varieties will be ginned on the gins of the community.

The aim in each case is to provide a large quantity of pure seed for planting in 1932 at a price which farmers can afford to pay.

Lowery says that nearly half of the Alabama cotton crop is of staple below 7-8 inch in length and that farmers are being penalized from $5 to $10 per bale on this cotton.

Bankers, business men, Farm Bureau leaders, teachers of vocational agriculture, and others are cooperating in the movement to make the better seed available.

It is expected that at least one carload of pure seed will be planted in each county this spring.

—Walter L. Randolph.

FIRST PLACE WINNER IN STATE FINALS GETS $250; SECOND $100

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 17.—Winner of first place in the state finals of the 1931 oratorical contest on the constitution, sponsored in Alabama by The Birmingham News and Age-Herald, will be awarded by these newspapers, a cash prize of $250. Winner of second place will receive a cash prize of $100, and winner of third place will be awarded a gold medal.

Railroad fare and hotel bill of each contestant in state finals at the Bankhead Hotel with the same expense for chaperon, will be paid by The Birmingham News and Age-Herald. The state finals will be held in Birmingham April 24.

Railroad fare and hotel bill of the Alabama champion and chaperon will be paid by The News-Age-Herald in connection with zone finals in Birmingham, May 15. There will be representatives from seven or eight Southern states in this event and the winner will represent the zone in the national finals in Washington, May 23.

Zone Championship

Should the Alabama representative win the zone championship, his railroad fare and hotel expenses in connection with the national finals in Washington, will be paid by The News-Age-Herald.

Each zone representative who competes in the national finals, regardless of who wins the national championship will receive a free trip to Europe. A handsome trophy will be awarded the national champion, as will be the case with the international champion, who will be selected in a contest in Washington October 24.

Eligible schools which have not enrolled in this contest should at once notify The News-Age-Herald contest editor that they will participate. There is only a short time left for enrollment and participating schools need the contest handbook for the proper conduct of the contest, and this can be sent only to entered schools.

Eligble Schools

Every high school; public or private, junior or senior, accredited or unaccredited, in other words, any secondary school in Alabama below college rating, and including high school work in consolidated schools is eligible to participate. In case of an educational institution offering collegiate as well as secondary courses, only those pupils in the grades paralleling the public high schools are eligible. Any bona fide high school pupil less than 19 years of age, Feb. 1, 1931, as outlined in the handbook, is eligible to participate.

Following are the contest dates: School eliminations, on or before Mar. 6 (entry, however, must be made prior to that date), county contests, March 20; congressional district contests, April 10; state finals in Birmingham, April 24; Southern finals, May 15; national finals, in Washington, May 23; international finals, in Washington, Oct. 24.

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LARD SPECIALS
REX or SILVER LEAF PURE HOG LARD
8 lb. pail 90c
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IONA PINK ALASKA
SALMON No. 1 Tall Can 10c

PREMIUM
Soda Crackers 1 lb. Carton 13c

Kerosene Oil, per gal. 15c

COFFEE
Eight O'clock Per lb. 25c
BOKAR Coffee Supreme Per Pound 35c

Bruton's Snuff large size 15c

Prince Albert 2 cans 25c

BREAD
Grandmothers 16 Oz. Loaf 7c
PULLMAN 20 Oz. Loaf 10c
Whole Wheat 18 Oz. Loaf 8c

Potatoes per pound 3c

ONIONS per pound 3c

FLOUR SPECIALS
24-POUND SACKS
Wellbread plain or self rising 65c
IONA plain or self rising 75c
Sunnyfield plain or self rising 90c

THE GREAT ATLANTIC & PACIFIC TEA CO.

G. C. ARMSTRONG, Manager.

Friend: What is your baby going to be when he grows up?

Daddy: A blackmailer, I'm afraid.

Friend: Why, what makes you say that?

Daddy: Well, we have to give him something every little while to keep him quiet.

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Read Our Advertising.

Miss Oldone: I wear a switch in my hair, but then you can't tell it.

Miss Young: I can't? Why, I have told it to lots of men.

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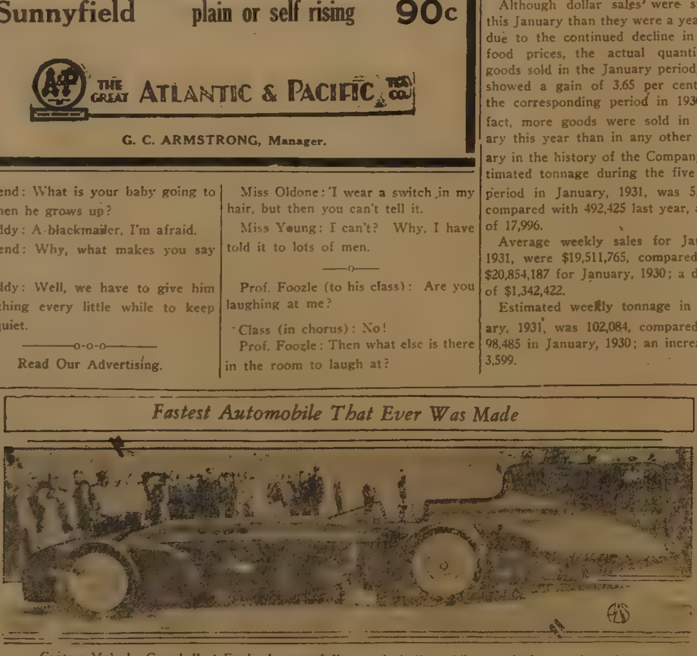
Prof. Foozle (to his class): Are you laughing at me?

Class (in chorus): No!

Prof. Foozle: Then what else is there in the room to laugh at?

Fastest Automobile That Ever Was Made



Captain Malcolm Campbell of England successfully smashed all world's records for speed on the ground in this strange-looking car, which made 245 miles an hour at Daytona Beach, Florida.

Concord-Billingsley

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Bro. Headley filled his regular appointment here last Sunday. He delivered a wonderful message both Sunday morning and Sunday evening.

The Sunday School and Christian Endeavor were very good and were well attended. We had several visitors to come out and be with us. We extend a special welcome to all visitors.

Mr. J. L. Deramus of Burnsville, Ala. spent Friday night with his sister, Mrs. J. P. Williams.

Bro. Headley and Mr. T. L. Williams were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Weldon Sunday.

Miss Virginia Little was the all-day guest of Miss Bessie Williams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams spent Sunday with their son, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams.

Mrs. Fonza Williams and children, Mrs. C. D. Foshee and daughter, Mary Ester and Miss Gladys Culver spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. A. Shaw.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw spent Saturday night with their daughter, Mrs. Victor Cowart.

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Mr. Hudson Williams was the guest of his sister, Mrs. R. A. Hicks, of Billingsley, Saturday night.

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Mr. W. W. Williams visited his daughter, Mrs. C. H. Herod, of Haynes Saturday.

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Bro. Headley, Messrs. W. W., R. P. and T. L. Williams visited Mr. Jim Rainwater of Billingsley, who is very ill and has been for some time, last Sunday afternoon.

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Tamale: What became of Schmidt?

Carne: Why, he went to America and made a name for himself.

Tamale: How?

Carne: He calls himself Smith now.

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Quiggle: I hear your son is taking an extra subject at college this year.

Pscadds: Yes, the doctor said he couldn't stay in college unless he got more sleep.

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Sam: The doctor says he will remove my appendix for $1,200.

Louise: Oh, Sam, I'd much rather have a new auto.

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"Now that we are married, perhaps I might venture to point out a few of your little defects."

"Don't bother, dear. I'm quite aware of them. Those little defects prevented me from getting a much better man than you are."

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Mr. Gabber: What? A little shrimp like you a lion tamer and trainer?

Trainer (midget): My size is the secret of my success. The lions are waiting for me to grow a little bigger.

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A & P STORES MAKE REPORT ON SALES OF RECENT MONTHS

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Sales of The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company for the five weeks ending January 31st were $97,558,824, which compares with $104,270,933 for the same five weeks' period in January, 1930, and is a decrease of $6,712,109, or 6.44 per cent.

Although dollar sales were smaller this January than they were a year ago, due to the continued decline in retail food prices, the actual quantity of goods sold in the January period, 1931, showed a gain of 3.65 per cent over the corresponding period in 1930. In fact, more goods were sold in January this year than in any other January in the history of the Company. Estimated tonnage during the five week period in January, 1931, was 510,421, compared with 492,425 last year, a gain of 17,996.

Average weekly sales for January, 1931, were $19,511,765, compared with $20,854,187 for January, 1930; a decline of $1,342,422.

Estimated weekly tonnage in January, 1931, was 102,084, compared with 98,485 in January, 1930; an increase of 3,599.

The Legislature and Its Grist

By Bob Vail

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By Bob Vail

Pete B. Jarman, Jr., is Alabama's recently inaugurated Secretary of State. He is admirably equipped for rendering notable service in this office. He has started off with a bang! Governor Miller's economy moves having stripped the Secretary of State's office of five out of seven clerks, the work in that office has piled up. Mr. Jarman in an effort to get relief has appealed to the Legislature. The administration forces have opposed his appeals. Some spirited clashes have resulted. The Senate was evenly split on two roll calls on so-called "Jarman" votes—16 to 16. The tie was broken by Lieut.-Gov. Merrill, who voted with the administration forces, thus defeating the sponsors of the Jarman measures. In the House a recent vote on a "Jarman" bill was 60 to 36 in favor of the administration forces. What the end will be no one has predicted. Many feel that the Secretary of State needs more assistance. The feeling is also prevalent that in time the Governor will give him relief. In the meantime the Legislature is considering a bill, which has pased the House, to remove a substantial amount of work of the Secretary of State's office to the State Tax Commission.

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We nominate Hon. Earl McGowin of Butler as the "Champeen of Erudition" in the House. Mr. McGowin, we are informed, is an alumnus of Alabama, Columbia, and a graduate of Oxford College, England. He won in a highly competitive field the coveted Rhodes Scholarship several years ago. Mr. McGowin is perceptably "growing" in the House. He is keenly interested in forestry problems and aviation.

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Senator Harry Walker of Limestone is the only newspaper man in the upper house of the Alabama Legislature. He is also a cotton planter and general farmer and is Chairman of the important Senate Committee on Agriculture. Being a printer, Senator Walker is also interested in a safe plan for having just as much Alabama printing done in Alabama as possible. It is now going out of the state in large quantities.

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"No use monkeying with revenue bills during the short section of the session," says Representative Finis Ewing St. John of Cullman. As Mr. St. John is chairman of the ways and means committee and also vice chairman of the rules committee what he has to say on the subject has weight. He can enforce it by refusing to call a meeting at this stage of the game. His committee will have to prepare a general revenue bill during the second section of the regular session, so he can see no special reason for taking up the time of the house and senate with segments of revenue legislation at this time. The subject of revenue will be considered as a whole with the view of getting the state out of the hole.'

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Senator Timothy Sauls Faulk, of Samson, in Geneva county, would take all of the special school funds, such as those derived from the "nuisance" taxes and such, put them in a lump, then give the elementary schools the first whack at them and if any of these funds were left after that he would prorate them with the higher institutions of learning. It now appears probable that matters relating to appropriations will go over until after the recess, just the same as will the revenue bills. It is one of the functions of the fact-finding committee to find out what money is really needed in the several state departments.

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One of the most popular young members of the House is Representative R. B. Kelly of Talladega. As Capt. Kelly thousands of World War Vets. throughout Alabama will remember him.

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Atticus Mullin's Buck Doe stories in The Advertiser are about the first thing the average legislator looks for in the morning when the solons are in Montgomery. His daily column is highly personal in a good humored way and contains whole undigested grains of Meek wisdom and wit.

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Chairman Charles R. West, of the house committee on education, has kept his committee busy during the off days devoted to such hearings. He hails from New Castle, in Jefferson county, and has devoted much of his life to the cause of public education. Senator G. J. Hubbard, of Troy, at the head of the education committee in the "House of Lords," as the late Lee Long frequently called the senate, has also kept up with the gist that has come to his branch of the legislative mill. The most important part of the legislative work is done by the standing committees and the least important is the oratory, directed at the galleries and reporters.

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Governor B. M. Miller has rigged up a press room for the capitol reporters, which will prove of great convenience to the men covering the legislature for outside newspapers. Governor Kilby installed something of the same kind during his administration. It is observed that Governor Miller is following some of the same paths that made the Kilby regime one of the most progressive in the state's history and is also breaking in new paths of his own at the same time. The appreciation of the active newspaper bunch is a good asset for any governor to acquire and preserve.

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"INSIDE" INFORMATION

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Three-cornered wire sink baskets make good receptacles for dusty and oily cloths in the cleaning closet, as they permit a circulation of air and reduce the danger of fire. They take up very little space in a small closet.

Always iron with the thread of the goods and iron until the garment is dry. Otherwise it will pucker. To remove the shiny gloss on seams, tucks, or hems, moisten a piece of soft cloth in clear water, wring it dry and wipe it quickly over the shiny surface.

Thin, crisp slices of oven-dried toast are delicious with soup. When you have a large part of a loaf of stale bread on hand, trim off the crusts, which can be dried separately for bread crumbs, and, with a sharp knife, cut the loaf into slices as thin as possible. Place in a moderate oven until crisp and delicately browned. If kept in an airtight tin, these pieces will be crisp for several days.

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Sunday School met Sunday morning at ten o'clock, with a good attendance

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Sunday afternoon was singing evening here. We had a good singing.

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Mr. Van Deason of Isabella visited his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff, Sunday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Deason and their two daughters, Mary Frances and Virginia, motored from Birmingham and spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Deason.

Mr. Harrison Tramel of Selma called on Miss May Sansom Sunday afternoon.

The sick ones of this community are improving fast and may their health soon be restored to them is our prayer.

Mrs. Mary Adams of Mississippi spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Williams.

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WOODS FIRES & BOLL WEEVILS

In some sections of the South, farmers are still attempting to get rid of the boll weevil by burning their woods. In combating the boll-weevil it seems to be the united opinion of experts on the subject that fence rows and ditch banks should be burned each year, but in all cases fire should be kept out of the woods. The following statements of opinion and recommendation from Federal and State authorities should be helpful:

Dr. C. L. Marlatt, Chief, Bureau of Entomology, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

"It has come to the attention of the Bureau of Entomology that quite frequently cotton farmers practice fall or winter burning of forest cover for the purpose of destroying boll weevils in hibernation, thereby doing irreparable damage to forest reproduction. The Bureau of Entomology is in full accord with the Forest Service in the view that such practices should be discouraged. Indiscriminate forest burning is not recommended as the loss out-weighs the gain. This is due to the fact that weevils leaving the cotton field to enter hibernation concentrate immediately around the filed and it is only in shelter immediately adjoining cotton fields that the population is heavy enough to warrant any winter cleanup measures. Consequently, we emphasize the burning only of ditch banks, hedge rows and similar situations immediately adjoining the cotton fields and recommend most strongly against the burning over of woodlands."

Dr. R. W. Leiby, State Entomologist, Raleigh, North Carolina.

"I do not consider that the burning over of wooded lands adjacent to old cotton fields has any value in the ultimate amount of injury that may be caused by boll weevil the following season. Injury to the timber crop by fire is in all probability much greater than a possible small benefit by burning up a very few weevils that might die a natural death during the winter anyway. I think Entomologists in general would agree to the above statement."

Dr. Haliard De La Parelle, Former State Entomologist, Atlanta, Ga.

"The practice of buring over forest lands should in my opinion, be discouraged. It is our understanding that this practice is done not only to control the boll weevil but also to aid those men who gather the turpentine, in facilitating their movement through the forest and lessening the danger from the attack of snakes which might be concealed in the grass. As far as the benefit from this burning in killing the boll weevil is concerned, we do not feel that the destruction of young trees is in any measure compensated by the destruction of the boll weevil. While we have not exact investigation data upon the amount of boll weevils hibernating in the forest grasses it is our opinion, and also that of other authorities, that the relative number is very small."

"We are doing all that we can to discourage the burning over of timberland and are glad to cooperate with you in this matter."

Mr. E. C. Westbrook, Cotton and Tobacco Specialist, State College of Agriculture, Athens, Ga.

"At one time a great many farmers believed that by burning the forests in the early spring that they could destroy a great many weevils before they emerged from their winter quarters. Thorough investigation made it absolutely cetrain that only a very small number of boll weevils are killed in this way. The damage to the forest very greatly exceeds any possible benefit that could be derived from burning the forest. Most weevils are too securely embedded in old stumps and dead trees, and in the moss, to be effected by fire."

Dr. George A. Maloney, Field Crop Insect Investigations, Tallulah, La.

"We deprecate very much the practice of some farmers of burning over their woodlands every winter with the idea of destroying bool weevils. The weevil does not pass the winter in large numbers close enough to the ground for the burning to be effective. The damage caused by such fires inflicts greater harm than would be possible by the few weevils which perchance might be destroyed by fire."

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Excerpts From L & N Employes' Magazine

Edward R. Manson, 114 W. 34th St. Covington, Ky., retired to the pension roll of the L & N Railroad after having served the company as fireman and engineer for more than 52 years. Mr. Manson is 68 years old. He began firing on the old Kentucky Central R. R. (which became part of the L & N in 1891) at the age of 15 and was promoted to engineer one month before his 18th birthday. In all his service not a single suspension or other disciplinary action was recorded against his record.

Other veteran employes of the L & N whose retirement is announced in the L & N Employes' Magazine for February, include: George N. Chappell, age 66, agent, Sonora, Ky., for the past 36 years; total service 46 years; Elijah P. Donnell, age 80, baggage agent, Milan, Tenn., 42 years service; Richard T. Sipes, age 52, brakeman on Owensboro Division, living 1103 Central Avenue, Louisville, Ky., 30 years; Evariste Fayard, age 74, painter, Bay St. Louis, Miss., 42 years; Thomas E. Willis, age 71, locomotive engineer, 2002 8th Ave., S., Nashville, Tenn., 50 years; O. T. Grant, age 62, Shepherdville, Ky., section laborer, 20 years; William M. Scott colored, fireman, age 57, 1021 5th Place N., Birmingham, Ala., 34 years; and Bryant Moore, colored, fireman, age 56, 712 9th Ave. N., Birmingham, Ala., 26 years.

At a meeting of the General Assembly of the Louisville & Nashville Veterans' Club at Louisville, Ky., in January, Ben Hund, retired yardmaster, of that city, was elected president of the club which comprises several thousand veteran employes of the L & N Railroad. W. H. Ford, Rocky Hill, Ky.; J. A. Mudd, Louisville; P. P. Doll, Louisville; and Dr. Chas. W. Welch, Louisville, were re-elected senior vice president, secretary, treasurer and chaplain respectively.

The annual convention of the club in 1931 was fixed on June 6 at Nashville. Tenn. An amendment to the by-laws was voted, fixing eligibility for membership in the club at 20 years service instead of 25 as heretofore.

During 1930 crossing accidents on the L & N Railroad were cut in half as compared with the previous year, and casualties resulting therefrom reduced 48.5 per cent. The consolidated record of all railroads in the country showed a decrease of 17 per cent. The prime factor in the L & N's record, according to the February number of the L & N Employes' Magazine, was the change in the grade crossing whistle signal inaugurated in March, 1930, in which the engineer is required to blow two long, one short and a final long signal at each crossing—the last long whistle to end at the crossing.

Three engineers of the Nashville Division of the L & N Railroad, William M. McMurray, Thomas E. Wilils and Thomas Burns, having completed half a century in the service of the road, were recently awarded 50-year diamond service buttons. The emblems were presented at a banquet given in honor of the three veterans in the dining room of the Union Station at Nashville on January 15, attended by 65 officers and fellow employes of the L & N.

Engineer Willis retired on January 1, just after completing 50 years, but Messrs. McMurray and Burns are still in the harness.

Mobile, Ala., is rapidly becoming known as the "City of Azeleas" according to the L & N Employes Magazine for February. It was not until 1929 that Mobile recognized fully the value of her azeleas and began to cultivate them in earnest. An azalea trail was mapped out and blazed with steel markers. By blosom time in 1929 more than 4,000 plants had been added, and since that at least 20,000 more azaleas have been planted along the trail. Each year the Azalea Trail is officially opened for the season, with impressive ceremony, during Mardi Gras festivities.

Liberty Hill News

Eunice, Helma and Myrtle Holly joined our Sunday School Sunday. We were indeed glad to enroll these fine girls.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore of our community announce the birth of a 9 1-2 pound boy, born February 4th.

Mr. Marvin Lowery attended a Valentine party at the home of Miss Edna Durbin Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ward attended the preaching service at the Baptist church in Clanton Sunday.

A very enthusiastic meeting of Circle No. 1 of the W. M. S. was held last Thursday P. M. at Mrs. G. L. Foshee's. Only six members out of the twelve enrolled attended, but all reported a fine time, and a bright future for the W. M. S. of Liberty Hill.

We have several cases of chicken pox, measles and whooping cough in our community.

J. L. and Sybil Littlejohn are in bed with measles.

Willie Jackson has whooping cough.

Mr. Dolpheus Baker's family are recovering from small pox.

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Humorettes

Doctor: Have you been tiring this patient out with a lot of needless conversation?

Nifty Nurse: Oh, no, I've done every bit of the talking myself.

Mr. Asker: How much for travelers insurance from New York to San Francisco?

Ticket Agent: Two dollars by the way of New Orleans, and one hundred and fifty by the way of Chicago.

Yerxa: Beezer claims he cured his cold in 24 hours by some secret scheme of his own. How do you imagine he did it?

Fisheye: I know his secret. He got everybody to tell him how to cure it—and then he did just the opposite.

Nowthen: Onetrack never gives up. He spent ten years looking for a needle in a hay stack, but he finally found it.

Afterall: Yeah, and now he can't thread it!

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Haleyville—King Hardware Co. of Alexander City, purchased stock of hardware of Walker Hardware Co.

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Birmingham—Establishment of new tuberculosis hospital in Jefferson County, to be built and operated by Board of Revenue, being planned by Alabama Tuberculosis Association.

Railroad land-grants were not gifts from the Government. . .

THE OLD RELIABLE
L&N
LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE R.R.

According to an official press release issued by the War Department, the Secretary of War, in a recent address at St. Louis, said:

"Long stretches of the public land domain were freely bestowed upon the railroad companies that built our great railroads."

This statement has since been frequently repeated by others, principally by the proponents of waterways and bus transportation, with the clear implication that the land-grants were outright gifts.

Instead of being "freely bestowed," long ago such railroads as received land-grants—and many did not—compensated the Government for them, and it is still being more than amply rewarded.

To June 30, 1930, 132,173,225 acres of land, the great bulk of it lying west of the Mississippi River, had been actually certified to the interested railroads. During the twenty-year period, 1850 to 1870, when most of the grants were made, the average price received by the Government for land sold to others was 94c an acre. In other words, the railroads received title to land worth, in the aggregate, $124,242,831; but, in return, the land-grant lines are required, under the law, to handle Government troops, munitions of war, and other Government freight, at rates substantially lower than commercial rates, and United States mail at 80% of the standard or authorized rates. Because of these reductions, the actual monetary saving to the Government now averages about $5,000,000 per year. Moreover, other competing railroads that did not receive land-grants were, and are, likewise subjected to these reduced rates, which serves to increase further the Government saving.

The Railroads Must Earn To Spend

It is seen, therefore, that the value of the land is repaid to the Government, at the least, every twenty-five years.

Not only has the Government already been handsomely repaid—more than once—for every acre of land turned over to the land-grant lines, but payment, under the law, will continue indefinitely.

The railroads built this country, and railroad transportation must remain the backbone of industry. Give them a square deal. They are asking for nothing more.

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Activities Over State

The following record of industrial activity lists items showing investment of capital, employment of labor and business activities and opportunities. Information from which the paragraphs are prepared is from local papers, usually of towns mentioned, and may be considered generally correct.

Prichard—City Council let contract to J. B. McCrary & Co. of Atlanta, for paving streets, sidewalks and sewer extensions.

Elrod—Sipsey Valley Lumber Co. of this place will soon resume operations and employ 100 men.

Tuscaloosa—Two-story 10-apartment building costing approximately $28,000 under construction for Mrs. B. F. Propst.

Montgomery — Bids to be opened about March 1st by State Highway Commission on six projects for paving and one grading aggregating $1,500,000 in road work.

Florence—West room in county jail will be painted and renovated.

Tuscaloosa—Foster Clothing Co., Inc. filed articles of incorporation, to increase their capital stock from $4,500 to $12,000.

Birmingham — State of Louisiana placed order for $7,000,000 worth of cement with plants of Birmingham district recently.

Russellville — Rockwood Alabama Stone Co. employed about 200 more men short time ago

Goodwater — Charlie Burton moved his gas and oil business to new location on Main Street.

Tuscaloosa—Pizitz Department Store being remodeled at cost of $8.500.

Montgomery — Alabama's coal production during 1930 will aproximate 14,600,000 tons according to preliminary surveys released by Alabama Mining Institute.

Opelika—D. E. Ponder sold his interest in Rainbow Theatre to Roy Martin.

Montgomery—This State ginned 1,436,610 bales of cotton prior to January 16th.

Goodwater — Improvements made to City Cafe.

Mobile— Work started on $200,000 waterworks extension program.

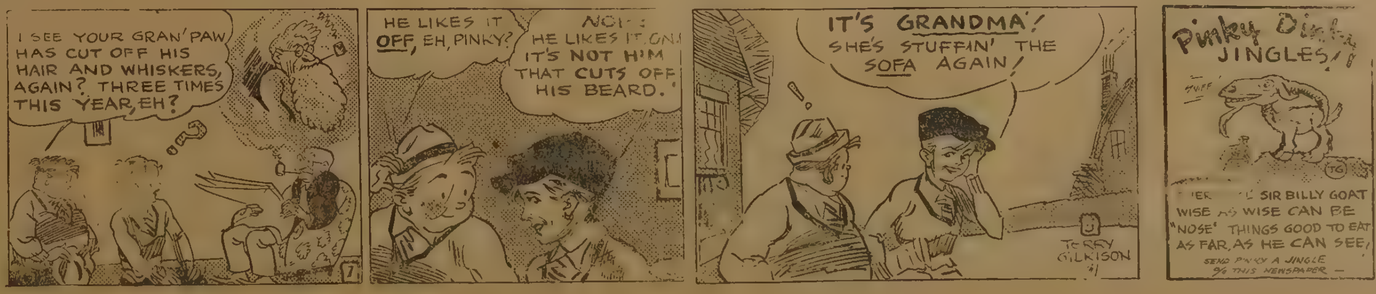
Carbon Hill—Carbon Hill Laundry moved to new location across street from Dr. Geo. Gilder home.

J. B. McCrary Co. received $281,129 contract for paving Mt. Meigs Road from Montgomery city limits at Morningview, to Line Creek, distance of 15.763 miles, and completing paved highway from Montgomery to Tuskegee.

PINKY DINKY

GRANDPA IS STILL USEFUL

By Terry Gilkison


I SEE YOUR GRAN' PAW HAS CUT OFF HIS HAIR AND WHISKERS, AGAIN? THREE TIMES THIS YEAR, EH?
HE LIKES IT OFF, EH, PINKY?
NO! HE LIKES IT ON! IT'S NOT HIM THAT CUTS OFF HIS BEARD.
IT'S GRANDMA! SHE'S STUFFIN' THE SOFA AGAIN!
TERRY GILKISON
Pinky Dinky JINGLES!
SIR BILLY GOAT WISE AS WISE CAN BE "NOSE" THINGS GOOD TO EAT AS FAR AS HE CAN SEE,
SEND PINKY A JINGLE % THIS NEWSPAPER

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No Dole

The effort in Congress to pauperize vast numbers of Americans by voting money from the public funds as a free gift seems to have failed. The time-tried American method of relieving economic distress by private charity is working out. The Red Cross has the drought-relief situation well in hand and the people of the United States have responded in full to its appeal for funds.

Such money as has been appropriated from the public treasury for the relief of the farmers who are compelled to make a fresh start in life because of the drought will be made available to them on terms which will not sacrifice their self-respect nor render them objects of Government charity. There are a few in every community who would rather get something without working for it than to do an honest day's work, and they are usually the ones who are most vociferous in their demands for help. But the time has not yet come when any considerable portion of Americans are ready to confess that they can not support themselves, and are willing to live in idleness at the expense of their fellow-citizens.

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No Ground For Fear

It is useless to deny that the present state of mind of many Americans is fear of what the future may bring.

Fear seems to be prevalent in all public thinking on economics today. People are afraid that things are not going to "come back," that somehow we have lost our stride as a nation and are not going to be able to get going again at the old pace. There is more money now in savings banks than ever before in history. Much of it has been put there in the past year because people were afraid to spend it. Merchant have been afraid to replenish their stocks, for fear prices would go down still farther. Individuals have been afraid that conditions were going to get continually worse.

There is nothing in our history to warrant such fears. The only way to judge the future is by the past. All of our past history reveals a succession of forward steps, never a backward one. The pace has slackened at times, as it has slackened in the past eighteen months, but the movement has always been forward. There is not a single reason for the belief that our economic progress has stopped or that we are going backward. On the contrary, all the signs point in the other direction. There is no ground for fear.

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Farm Relief

There is talk in Congress of an increase of 50 per cent in the tariff on all agricultural products. That would go a long way toward helping the farmers who have something to sell, or who will have something to sell this year. The whole world is in the same state of agricultural overproduction as we are, and everybody is trying to dump surplus grain, cotton, potatoes, fruits, wool, sugar and other agricultural commodities on us.

If we are to have a tariff wall, by all means make one as high for the farmer as for the manufacturer. Industry has had more than its share of protection in the past; it is the farmer's turn now.

Another encouraging sign of better times ahead for the farmer is the agreement which wheat growers in the Texas wheat belt, another group in South Dakota, still another group in the Pacific Northwest, are making themselves, to reduce their wheat acreage by 40 per cent. It is encouraging because it is the first, so far as we can recall, that any considerable body of growers has started intelligent self-help on sound economic principles. The cry of the farmer has been too much that of wanting somebody else to step in and help him. The only people who can give the farmer any permanent help are the farmers themselves. If the educational campaign against overproduction initiated a year and a half ago by the Farm Board results in cutting down agricultural acreage in all of the staple crops, the Board will have justified its existence and its cost if it accomplishes nothing else. And with acreage reduced and a tariff high enough to keep foreign foodstuffs out of the country, the farmer's problems will be solved.

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Editorial Joys and Sorrows

The reading public, which nowadays includes pretty nearly every person above the age of three or four years, is always inquisitive and sometimes very critical regarding the mysterious personages called editors, whose function it is to pick and choose the daily supply of printed material for the insatiable maw of the printing presses.

What qualifications should a good editor have? How should he make his selections? Are present-day editors performing their duties effeciently and effectively? Is the public satisfied with them?

All these questions were brought sharply into the public eye a few days ago in a remarkable radio address by Sumner Blossom, editor of the American Magazine.

"The editor's job," he said, "is comparable to that of a mail carrier. He has to go out and get something and deliver it. When this is done, he has to go out and get something else and deliver that. The minute he stops delivering he has turned from being a good servant to being a poor one. Nothing counts except a continuous and effective performance.

"The search for the fresh, the new and the original is his unending task. Able writers are the scarcest and most valuable things in the world. Competition for ability is so great among editors that no potential source of talent can be overlooked.

"Above all, the editor must remember that the public does not grow old along with him. The individual grows older—but the public, always changing, is always young. And so it is that I suggest to editors and writers that they keep young. Youth is the age of enthusiasm, and enthusiasm is the most useful quality a writer can have.

"No job I know is more difficult than that of editing material for public consumption. Other creative folk can stand face to face with their audiences and catch reactions immediately. But the editor must lay his decisions on paper and send them out into the world, knowing that from then on he is their slave. Fortunately for his peace of mind, people in the main are generous, and for every letter of criticism there is sure to be at least one expressive of appreciation of his efforts."

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The Cost of Bad Roads

A survey by J. L. Tennant of Cornell University shows that the benefits accruing to the farmer from year round, surfaced, secondary roads are almost unlimited.

Mr. Tennant summarizes his findings with the statement that good roads add to the farmer's income by saving time, by reducing expenses, by improving marketing conditions—all resulting in a more profitable type of farming. On the other hand, poor roads often cause the farmer expense in actual cash. It costs him more to have his fuel and supplies delivered, to operate his motor vehicles, to go back and forth to town, to summon medical aid. The Iowa State College estimates that the average cost of operating automobiles on high type roads is 5.44 cents per mile; on medium type roads, 6.43 cents; and on low type roads, 7.50 cents. In other words, it costs the farmer two cents a mile more to ride on a poor road than a good one.

Still another benefit is in land values. Farmers living on dirt roads in New York, according to Mr. Tennant, estimate that their land would increase in value to the extent of $15.58 per acre if adjacent roads were surfaced.

Five or ten or twenty miles back from the splendid main highways that go from city to city, **we cutsomarily find roads essentially the same as in the horse-and-wagon days. This barrier to agricultural progress must be removed if permanent farm prosperity is to be achieved.**

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Every once in a while a newspaper editor finds a sensible subscriber, for example, the one that wrote us last week that the News was better than ever.

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Maybe the reason city dwellers are moving into the rural sections is because they have been reading the big bankers, who declare that there is "plenty of money in the country."

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Italy and France are said to be building up their navies with Great Britain watching the proceedings and ready to increase her own. Under the circumstances, do we need any?

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The approach of spring moves us to remark, as we have remarked for the past eleventy-eleven springs, that it is a good time for Clanton freeholders to beautify their premises.

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The highest compliment that a business man can pay an individual is to sell on credit; if some Clanton merchant has done this with you, why not strain a point and make him a payment on the account? He probably needs it.

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A successful trade-in-Clanton policy requires consistent co-operation on the part of merchants and local buyers. It is impossible to build the markets here unless both buyers and sellers are awake to their civic responsibilities.

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"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

Much to my chagrin, this column for this week is going to be cut somewhat short, and I'll explain just the reason for its brevity.

The editor and the whole crew of the News is just head over heels in work in this booster edition that is coming out next week. I've fooled around down at the News office long enough for them to put me to work so that the edition will be a success, if you pardon my saying so. Tried to check up on some data about that edition next week and tell you about it now, but articles and photographs have been coming in so fast that I've just completely lost track of them all. I will estimate that there will be around a hundred photographs of people in these parts of the county, and judging from what has gone to press it is going to be something.

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I told you something about something locally that might happen and I would throw some light on it for you in a most truthful way, but fortunately, that will not be necessary, because it didn't happen, and I'm glad of it.

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Noticed a reservation for space in the special edition next week for a photograph of the Clanton Fire Department and the truck. Now, folks that is going to be fine for the boys, those fellows who jump up any time of the day or night and answer a call for help, and seldom ask any favors. They are a fine bunch of boys, and their meetings are important every Wednesday night. I found out that they have some very strict rules and regulations that they abide by at all times. Not bad at all, and may they keep the good work going. I'm with you, boys.

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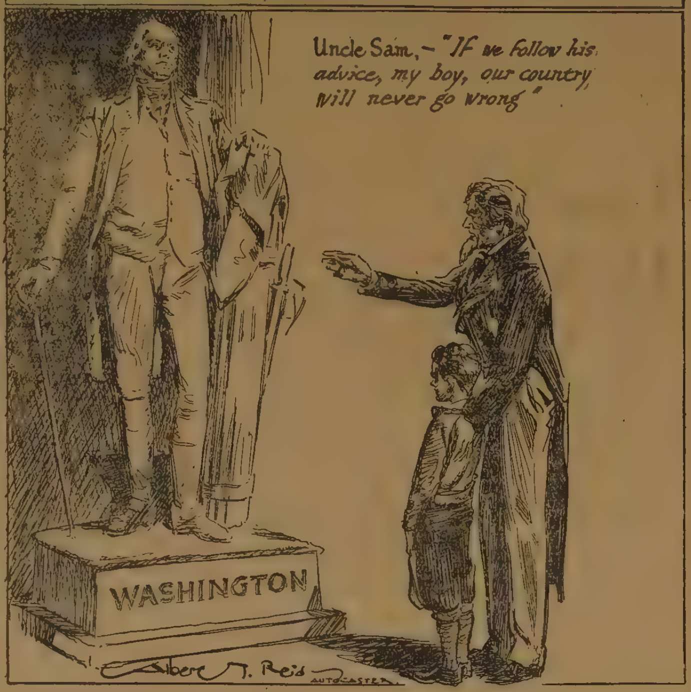
Will have to ask you to stand by for some very prolonged station announcements, now, until next week. Have not been making my rounds as usual this week, and will see you in great style next week.

His Policies Are Still Sound— *By Albert T. Reid*


Uncle Sam,—"If we follow his advice, my boy, our country will never go wrong"
WASHINGTON
Albert T. Reid
AUTOCASTER

Today & Tomorrow

OPERA

Deems Taylor, American composer, has had another opera produced in New York. That doesn't mean much to most people. Grand opera is a form of musical entertainment which appeals to only a comparatively few people, with highly developed musical tastes. One reason is that the theme of grand opera is always tragic. Most of us prefer so-called "light" opera, which is tuneful and amusing.

To be accepted by any of the world's great opera houses, of which there are not more than a dozen, is however, a great triumph for any composer. For only musical compositions which are purely original in every phrase and bar can pass the rigid tests. Few composers of popular music are original. Nearly all of them rework old musical themes, most of them originally composed by the composer of grand opera.

It is said to cost Otto H. Kahn, patron of the Metropolitan Opera in New York a quarter of a million a year to make up the company's losses. When Mr. Kahn passes, unless some new "angel" with a taste for musical and a bottomless purse comes to the front, grand opera in New York will be a thing of the past. It will continue in Europe, where opera is supported by the taxpayers' money.

CHAPLIN

The funny little English Jew who has for years been the world's most popular entertainer has proved once more that, in the hands of really competent artists, pantomine is as effective as words. Charley Chaplin's new picture is a "silent" film, one of the kind that needs no translation to make it intelligible to everybody, whatever language they may speak. Long ago Chaplin began to discard "titles" from his pictures, relying on the action alone to tell the story. And he has a larger following and has made more money than any other figure in the pictures.

There was a time when it seemed as if the movies would make it necessary for actors to learn the art of expressing emotions by action, but the talkies have dispelled that hope. It is so much easier to do it with words, but also so much less effective. It takes a real artist to be a good pantominist, and except for Chaplin and W. C. Field I think of no first-rate pantominist playing either on the stage or in the pictures.

SILVER

Forty years ago the dominant political issue in the United States was whether we should put silver on an equality with gold as the basis of money, by coining silver without restriction at the ratio of sixteen ounces of silver to one ounce of gold. That would have given silver a stable price in the world's markets of $1.25 an ounce, or thereabout, gold being worth about $20 an ounce.

Only once has the price of silver reached the ratio of 16 to 1. That was in 1919-1920, when for two years the price ranged between $1.25 and $1.34 an ounce on the London market. Early in February this year silver was sold in London and New York for 26 1-2 cents an ounce! The principal reason for this is the establishment of the currency of India on a gold basis, in 1926, leaving in the hands of the Indian government some five hundred millions ounces of silver bullion to dispose of, of which only about a fifth has found a market.

There is not enough gold today to meet the world's needs as a basis of money. There was a long period, after the gold discoveries in the Rand and the Klondikes, when there was more gold than was needed. Probably the present situation will revive the movement for bimetallism. But in time we shall measure money values neither by silver nor gold, but by the average supply and demand of commodities and labor.

DEATH

The automobile death toll for 1930 has been compiled, and it is a terrifying record. 32,500 Americans were killed in motor accidents, an average of almost a hundred a day. Nearly a million others were injured, 962,325, to be exact. The total number of automobile accidents reported for the year was 835,250.

These figures mean only one thing—reckless driving. Not fast driving, necessarily, for one may drive reckless at 20 miles an hour. Turning a sharp corner at even that speed is reckless driving. Almost half of the deaths occurred when a car struck a pedestrian. Sometimes it was the pedestrian's fault, of course. A quarter of those killed were crossing streets in the middle of a block. Less than a quarter of the deaths occurred from collision with another car.

The pitiful thing about the figures for 1930 is that the number of children between five and ten who were killed in motor accidents was nearly doubled during the year.

Two things may help this useless slaughter. Every state should require a license after an examination, before anyone is permitted to drive a car. And every person convicted of reckless driving should have his or her license revoked, and in aggravated cases be sent to prison without the option of a fine.

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PHONE 147

Mrs. S. Calloway Hostess To Young Matrons Club.

Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway entertained the Young Matron's sewing club at her home Thursday afternoon. Late in the afternoon a tempting salad course to the following: Mesdames Joe Higgins, Loren Smith, Grady Heflin, M. C. Smith, Horsley White, Irene Rasberry, Horace Jones, Reedie Taylor, Mrs. Refius Franklin and Mrs. Mack Gray of Thorsby.

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Mrs. Frank J. Callen was the guest of Mrs. John DeRamus in Talladega several days last week.

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Mrs. J. Hance Alred of Clanton and Mrs. John Hollis of Mitchell Dam spent last week end with Mrs. Benziger in Atlanta.

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Mr. Curtis Guy of Birmingham was at his home in Mt. Creek, Ala., for the past week end.

Mrs. L. H. Reynolds Hostess To "As You Like It" Club.

Mrs. L. H. Reynolds was hostess to the "As You Like It" Club at her home Thursday afternoon. Sewing was the diversion of the afternoon, after which the hostess served a delicious salad course to the following: Mesdames W. W. Fox, D. C. Alred, L. C. Warr, T. W. Burdette, G. C. Walker, J. B. Atkinson, V. J. Gragg, H. D. Haskew. The club will meet at the home of Mrs. G. C. Walker February 26th.

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A crowd of young people came down Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus. Among them was J. T. Tyus and Miss Charlese Daniel and Mr. J. H. Cook and Miss Ruby Daniel, Mr. Glenn Bolt and Miss Franz Williams. After lunch all made pictures and then returned to Birmingham.

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Mr. Joe Evans is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus, his sister.

Complete line of those wonderful "Golden Peacock" toiletries, just received. Ladies are invited to ask for Marie Davant's Beauty Book at—Moore's, Clanton Drug Co.

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Frank W. Mountz of Carlisle, Pa., shot and killed himself after a 2-hour wrangle with his wife because she trumped a card trick of his while playing at a neighbor's home.

Classified Ads

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FOR SALE

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1930 Model A Ford roadster with rumble seat only used two months: Also Chevrolet Six truck with cab and platform, perfect condition and new rubber. Must sell this month. If interested, address P. O. Box 95, Clanton. 2-19-1tc

HAT LOST

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Anyone knowing who picked up a man's felt hat on the old Thorsby highway, near the northern edge of Clanton about two weeks ago, will please notify the News office, as party losing hat will be glad to learn of its whereabouts.

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STOLEN FROM RESIDENCE

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Winchester Pump Gun, 16 gauge, Model 12, No. 577214; $10.00 Reward for recovery.—J. B. Tiffin, Tiffin-Klinner Furniture Co., Clanton, Ala. 1tc

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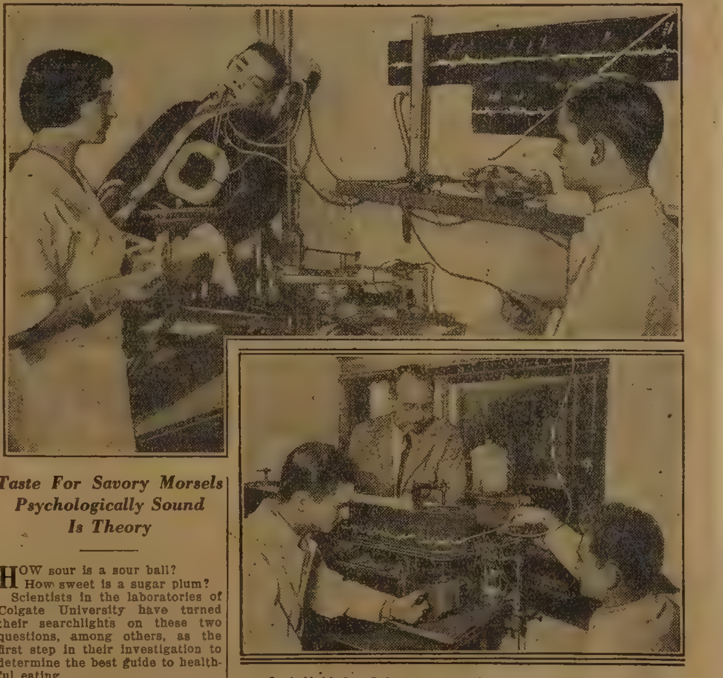
Should We Eat the Foods We Like? Colgate Scientists Probe For Answer



Oreb Hubbel, a Colgate student, is shown above having his "taste reactions" recorded. The tubes are attached to the Kymograph machine (below) which chalks up a "hunger record" and the extent to which a cream puff makes his mouth water. Dr. Laird is shown watching the results.

Taste For Savory Morsels Psychologically Sound Is Theory

HOW sour is a sour ball?
How sweet is a sugar plum?

Scientists in the laboratories of Colgate University have turned their searchlights on these two questions, among others, as the first step in their investigation to determine the best guide to healthful eating.

Working on the theory that foods which please the eye and palate are an aid to digestion, the laboratories, under the direction of Dr. Donald A. Laird, Director of the Department of Psychology, have already begun a check-up, using members of the student body as human guinea pigs.

As a basis for the investigation, Dr. Laird points out that food fads, which have flourished in recent years, have kept thousands of persons from eating foods they really liked and wanted.

"The tendency has been," according to Dr. Laird, "to consider human beings as machines, functioning on proteins, fats, carbohydrates and other chemical elements. Whether human likes and dislikes—the taste of foods rather than their chemical make-up—are not the best general guides to healthful eating, is one of the questions which we hope to answer through research."

"Sweetness, for instance," Dr. Laird continues, "is an almost universally liked flavor. Past research in our laboratories has shown that sweet foods are one of the best sources of quick energy. The research which lies before us may further prove the sound basis for a liking for sweets, by showing that sweetness is an excellent guide to the foods we need for general good health."

A unique scale, known as a "taste thermometer" has been constructed in the laboratory as one of the devices called into play to measure the degree to which the taste of foods affects the mood of the eater and the process of digestion. Through this instrument it is possible to set a standard for the intensity of taste of all sweet, sour, salt and bitter foods, and to answer the question as to just how sweet, sour, salt or bitter various foods in these groups are.

Other instruments carefully record the contractions of the stomach, showing how that important part of the body reacts to types of foods. From these records, Dr. Laird hopes to show the importance of a psychologically sound diet, emphasizing the need for consideration of taste, odor and appearance along with the chemical make-up of foods served on the family table.

Collins Chapel News

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Last Friday afternoon Collins Chapel Junior High School department motored, to Union Grove to have a spelling match. There were twenty-two on each side. Collins Chapel was victorious. The last one standing up on the Union Grove side was Clarence Gilmore. He was turned down on the word, "Cleveland." There were three standing up on Collins Chapel's side. They were Ruth Collins, Ruby Willis and Pleasant Wright.

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There was a basket ball game between the small boys. The scores were in favor of Union Grove. We would have had a more interesting game if it had not been raining.

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They are planning on returning the spelling match and the basket ball game February 27. Everyone is invited.

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The attendance last week was not so good, but it is better this week, due to the fact that those who were sick last week are well and in school this week.

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RED CROSS FUND REACHES $7,887,476

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Washington, D. C., Feb. 13.—Contributions to the ten million dollar drought relief fund totalled to date, $7,887,476, the Red Cross announced today.

Chapters which have reached their quotas are as follows: Charlestown, New Hampshire, Loudon County, Virginia, Roane County, Tennessee and Middletown, New York. The Chapter at Van Cortlandt, New York, with a quota of $2,000, has raised $5,100.

The Red Cross has bought 322,000 assortments of garden seeds, with an average of eighteen packets in each assortment, for distribution in fifteen of the drought affected states. Some of these seeds are already being planted in southern states. The seeds, estimated to supply a quarter acre garden plot, will go to Texas, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Kentucky, Tennessee, Indiana, Maryland, North Carolina, Ohio, Virginia, West Virginia, Georgia and Alabama.

In the assortments are the following: beans, beets, cabbage, carrots, corn, lettuce, kale, mustard, squash, tomatoes and turnips.

The sacrifice being made by the more than ten thousand men and women volunteers in Red Cross relief, who are carrying on this humanitarian task in twenty states, is illustrated in an account received here today of the work of H. B. Keith, 70-year-old farmer, who is an investigator for the Breathitt County Chapter, in the mountain districts of Kentucky.

"Mr. Keith, who lives at Spring Fork Creek, arose at 2 o'clock yesterday morning and rode horse back 26 miles over mountain trails to meet a Red Cross field representative from Washington," the report stated. "He placed the list of families, whom he had found to be in need in his community before the committee. His judgment on every case had more horse sense than any of us had ever seen in this work. After a three hour meeting he started out on the twenty-six mile return trip to let his families out there know that the Red Cross was going to continue to look after them.

"I call that good Red Cross volunteer spirit," the report concluded.

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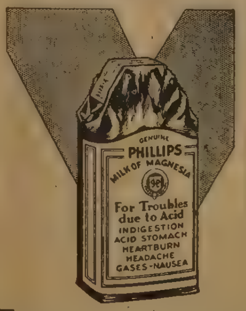

ACID STOMACH

EXCESS acid is the common cause of indigestion. It results in pain and sourness about two hours after eating. The quick corrective is an alkali which will neutralize acid. The best corrective is Phillips Milk of Magnesia. It has remained standard with physicians in the 50 years since its invention.

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Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School Lesson for February 22
JESUS BEARS GOOD TIDINGS
Luke 8:1-15
Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

Once more read the entire chapter to observe the context and get the related teachings. Now is the time when Jesus is in popular favor and crowds throng about Him as he comes into any community. At that time it is said there were over 200 cities and villages in Galilee and the population numbered two or three millions. The codition is decidedly different today, though the number will be largely increased soon if the Hebrews continue to return and reestablish themselves in their Promised Land.

At times the Twelve went with Jesus and on other occasions, they, and even the Seventy, were sent forth in independent itineraries. The plan from the coming of Jesus has been to send out individuals as personal messengers of the Gospel. Note that certain women are named. A group of women is mentioned which seems to have been a Committee on Ways and Means as they helped provide the cost involved as Jesus and His workers went about. Even the simplest ways of living costs something daily and these women made it possible for the men to render their extensive services.

Many parables are given at this time which tell about the Kingdom of Heaven that Jesus came to establish. A definition that is still good calls a parable a heavenly story with an earthly meaning. The Master Teacher took many of His illustrations from things in everyday life. This time He calls attention to the seed that is scattered by the farmer. It is the same kind of seed that falls on the four kinds of soil. The application indicates our reception of that always good seed, which is the Word of God.

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There is an old saying among farmers that the cheapest time to cultivate a crop is before it is planted.—*Arkansas Experiment Station.*

The good farmer is always a good credit risk.

The best scientific minds failed to foresee the progress which has been made in agricultural research.—*U. S. Dept. of Agriculture.*

We find farmers on our poorest soils planning their crops without considering the matter of feeding the plants. These men arrange for the largest crop their resources will permit, and then get whatever fertilizer they can—often very little or none at all. This results in an immense acreage of non-fertilized, non-profitable crop, increasing the total and reducing price without adding to profit.—*A. and M. College, Mississippi.*

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LEE FARMERS HAVE AN ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Opelika, Ala.,—An agricultural advisory committee of which C. H. Bedingfield, county agent, is chairman, is now serving Lee County farmers. The county board of revenue, the county board of education, the county farm bureau, each bank, and each luncheon club of the county has a representative of this committee.

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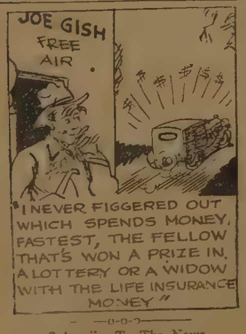
The jail in Brookfield, Mo., which has not had a prisoner in the last six months, is now filled with unemployed men who are given free meals by the town's generous women.


JOE GISH
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"I NEVER FIGGERED OUT WHICH SPENDS MONEY FASTEST, THE FELLOW THAT'S WON A PRIZE IN A LOTTERY OR A WIDOW WITH THE LIFE INSURANCE MONEY"

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MAIN STREET Looks at BROADWAY

Calm As The Night Life—

Green grass will be growing on Broadway if the threat of the police department to toll the 1 a.m. curfew on all night clubs goes into effect.

That is the woeful prediction of the proprietors, who say that night life, flickering feebly enough as it is, will be completely extinguished. They say it will banish every night club from the street they made famous.

The threatened early closing is the result of the recent shooting in one of the clubs. Police believe that it was a flare-up of a gang feud, and hope to break up sinister trysts of members of the underworld by prohibiting operation in the wee, sma' hours.

Up In The Air—

The great concentration of activity in New York is graphically brought out when one compares this city with others. In Detroit, for example, factories cover acres and acres of ground.

Here they are built one on top of the other. Rent for ground floor space being prohibitively high, it is a common thing to see a factory employing hundreds of men operating on the 30th floor of a towering skyscraper. Whatever their salaries may be, employees cannot complain that they are not high up in the world.

Ups And Downs—

The latest design to save building space is the perfection of a type of dual elevator with two cars operating in the same shaft.

The upper car of the two is the express car. It starts from street level and runs without stops to the 11th floor serving all floors from that point to the top. It is automatically restricted from running downward while the lower car is running upward.

As soon as the express car is out of the way, the lower, or local car, which has been waiting at the basement level, rises to the street level and serves the 10 lower floors.

The operation of both cars is so timed that both reach their upper limits about the same time. The only great open spaces left on this crowded island are skyward, and already we have to double up to reach those. Yes, things are looking up, all right.

Wild West—

Eight real cowboys, two-fisted, hard-riding guys from the West, are appearing in a newly opened play.

The producers wanted them realistic, to they turned down professional actors and engaged these men who a short time ago appeared in a rodeo here. The cowboys were all set to head for the West, but the show offer was so lucrative that they decided to stay. Only they're afraid that the folks back home will hear about it.

One of them has traveled from Texas to Oklahoma in an oxcart. He has also ridden in an airplane. He still prefers the oxcart. Another can throw six head of cattle in 62 seconds and is an expert at "breaking" wild horses.

He says that New York is tougher than any wild horse.

Pleasure Palace—

S. L. Rothafel, "Roxy," who planned and built the Roxy theatre, described as the largest theatre since Rome fell, is retiring to take charge of a great amusement center to be known as "Rockefeller City." The millions of that family will play an important part in the financing of the project.

The amusement center will include the broadcasting stations of a large radio concern with offices in a 60-story skyscraper which will dominate the whole development. Laboratories and one of the theatres will be built with the idea of experimenting in television.

Although entirely unsolicited, we make the suggestion that the name be changed to "Roxyfeller City."

Rejected? Oh, well.

You Won't Be Missed—

There are a great many people in New York, and a great many of them die. But few leave this mortal sphere as "unmissed" as a retired assistant foreman of a municipally-owned company. So quiet was his passing that the city apparently failed to note it for seven years.

They've been sending him pension money regularly. The strange circumstance was revealed by a judge.

The city hopes to recover about half the money.

Fair And Warmer—

Various reasons have been given as to why New York no longer has its good, healthy snowstorms. One author, in a book about the city, claims that its many skyscrapers and feverish magistrates give off so much heat that a decent snowstorm, descending with the best of intentions, is melted as soon as it gets above the city, and arrives as rain.

Reunion—

A resourceful reporter with a bagful of gumdrops restored order in Harlem court when three dogs, all relatives, met for the first time in several months and proclaimed a family reunion in such volume that it sounded like a dog pound.

When they had sunk their canine teeth in the gumdrops they ceased their barking version of "The Gang's All Here."

The occasion was the decision of ownership of one of the dogs. His brothers were brought in to prove his pedigree. That's when the joyful greetings began.

W. E. K.

Isabella High School News

The "Utopian" literary society held its first regular meeting Thursday, Feb. 12. The officers of the society are as follows: President, Marvin Durbin; Vice President, Mary Clay Turner; Secretary, Elizabeth Mims; Treasurer, Dorothy Manning; Reporter, (not elected); Critic, Mr. Griffin; Program Committee, Miss Cumbee, Delos Culp and Lorene Lecroy. The society colors are Green and Pink with the pink rose as a flower. After business was attended to the following program was given:

Song: No. 10.

Devotional: by Braxton Lecroy.

Reading of minutes, by Secretary.

Early Life of Lincoln, by S. L. Broadhead.

Jokes, by Glynder Oden.

Washington as a Public Man, by R. C. Veazy.

Dialogue: "Washington Comes Back" by J. P. Poole and O. T. Scott.

Piano Solo: by Sarah Griffin.

Riddles: by Ruth Roebuck.

History of Valentine: by Pauline Durbin.

Song: No. 35.

Report of Critic.

Adjournment.

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FARM INVENTORY VALUABLE

An annual inventory of the farm is seen by Prof. B. F. Alvord, of the department of agricultural economics of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, as "one of the most valuable tasks a farmer can perform." It enables the farmer to know of his activities during the year, and it also gives him valuable information to be used in a business way, he said. Such an inventory should be made at the beginning of the year when farmers ordinarily have plenty of time for work of this kind.

"Such an inventory," he continued, "is just a classified list of the farm property with the estimated value of it. If taken every year it shows from one year to the next how much the farmer's net worth has increased or decreased.

"A farmer may feel that he has done well because he has money at the end of the year and he may feel that he has done poorly because he is short on money at the end of the year. A carefully taken inventory may show that he sold products during one year that were produced in another year. In this way the more successful year may have been the year in which money was scarce.

"An inventory statement showing the assets and liabilities is appreciated by bankers. A banker is in a better position to lend money if the inventory shows the farm has, for example, $200 worth of hogs nearly ready for sale, $200 worth of chickens that will be laying soon; $400 worth of cattle that are producing cream for sale; and $200 worth of cotton seed; and that the farm is worth $6,000 above any mortgages, than if he merely knows that the farm and livestock are worth $7,000. The inventory statement tends to show not only that the farmer can repay the loan, but it helps show when he can repay it."

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Joseph Riger "fished" $10 out of the poor fund box in a Chicago church by using an umbrella rib wrapped in adhesive tape.

RUPTURE

E. J. MEINHARDI, of Chicago
Expert on the Meinhardi Rupture Shield, is coming here again. He will personally be at the Jefferson Davis Hotel, Montgomery, Ala., on Thursday only, February 26th, from 10:00 A. M. to 4:00 P. M.

SPECIAL NOTICE—All customers that he has fitted here during the last ten years are invited to call for inspection. All others are invited to call and investigate. There is no charge for demonstration. Come in and talk with these former customers regarding their experience with this Appliance. This visit is for men only.

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Please note the above dates and office hours carefully, as he will not visit any other city in this section at this time. (This visit is for white people only.) — E. J. Meinhardi, Home Office, 1551 N. Crawford Ave., Chicago. 2-19-1tpd.

Vermont News

The P.-T. A. met at this place last Wednesday night, February 11, 1931, with a large crowd and an interesting program was given as follows:

The Life of Lincoln, by nine boys.

Our Pattern, by Herman Sansof.

Edison, the Wise, by Henry Neil Klinner.

Lincoln, by John Robert Klinner.

Followed by an interesting debate: Resolved, that men and women should be held to the same moral standard. The opponents of the affirmative side were Misses Welnor Davis, Arie Ratliff, Clara Headley, Annie Ratliff.

The opponents of the negative side were Mr. Green Thomas, Mr. Carlos Ratliff, Mr. Charlie Sansom, Mr. Parnell Ratliff. The affirmative side won with good cheers.

Sardine sandwiches were served as refreshments, which was enjoyed by all.

The P.-T. A. will meet once a month on Wednesday afternoon, and once on Wednesday night, on the regular meeting weeks, after the second and fourth Sunday.

Our School is doing splendid work this year.

We invite everybody who will, to come and be with us in our P.-T. A.

A MEMBER.

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Shiloh Briefs

The singing society met Sunday afternoon and an enjoyable afternoon was reported by everyone. Everyone is urged to attend, the time being every third Sunday p.m. Visitors are invited.

The matrimonial fever seems to still be raging in this community. Mr. William Watts and Miss Louise Weldon were happily married Saturday. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Malcolm Lockhart. The couple will make their home with the groom's father. We wish them a long, prosperous and happy married life.

The wood carving at Mr. C. L. Pierce's was enjoyed by everybody. A large pile of wood was sawed.

Miss Jewel Pierce and Mr. Harrison Watts were the guests of Miss Verlon Mullins Sunday afternoon. A number of photographs were made of the guests and hostess. A very enjoyable time was reported by both.

Members of Shiloh community who attended the party given at the home of Mr. Gaines Silas Friday evening reported an enjoyable time.

Mr. Lincoln Vines spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. Jessie Watts of this place.

Miss "Tar Baby" Collins of New Cedron spent the week end with Miss Ida Lou Hicks.

Misses Odes and Lelia Dobbs spent Sunday in the home of Mr. E. G. Mullins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomer Ray spent Sunday with his parents here.

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Because Harry and Sam Kabadoff of Milford, Conn., were careless enough to leave a slip of paper bearing their address at the scene of the crime, police were able to arrest them immediately for the theft of 45 chickens.

Bilious, Dizzy, Drowsy Feeling

"WHEN I was a child, if I did not feel well, or if I had a cold, my mother gave me Black-Draught," says Mrs. Orpha Hill, of Wofford, Ky. "When I was married, it became a family medicine in my own home, as it was in my mother's.

"I take it for headache and especially for constipation. When I get bilious, my skin gets yellow and I have a very bad taste in my mouth, and a drowsy feeling all during the day. My eyes burn and I get dizzy, or my head is 'swimming.' When I take Black-Draught, it seems to drive the impurities out of my system and I feel fine. I am seldom without this reliable remedy."

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Kudzu Is Good Hay And Grazing Crop

Kudzu for hay, for grazing, and for soil improvement is being recommended by the experiment station of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn. The recommendation is based upon the fact that kudzu is more promising than any other perennial plant being grown in Alabama for hay and grazing. It withstands drouths exceptionally well.

To acquaint farmers with facts about kudzu the experiment station has published a new bulletin on it. The authors are R. Y. Bailey, assistant agronomist, and E. L. Mayton, assistant in agronomy. It contains a vast amount of general information about kudzu and also specific facts about research studies with it to date.

During a 6-year experiment at Auburn kudzu produced an average yield of more than two tons of hay per acre without fertilizer, Mr. Bailey and Mr. Mayton report. When used to enrich soil a crop of kudzu plowed under in 1919 increased the average yield of two crops of sorghum hay by 2,536 pounds per acre; 4 crops of corn by 19.3 bushels per acre; and 7 crops of oats by 7.9 bushels per acre.

The flavor of kudzu hay is relished by livestock. The nutritive value of it is high. It is relished as a grazing crop.

To get started with this crop Mr. Bailey and Mr. Mayton advise farmers to buy enough crowns to make a small planting from which crowns can be obtained for planting larger areas. This method requires more time but very little money is involved.

Contrary to a general opinion, they say that kudzu is not a pest. It may be eradicated by heavy grazing followed by plowing. At Auburn no trouble was encountered in preventing its spread to adjacent land over a period of 25 years.

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Mrs. C. H. Nesbitt of Detroit filed suit for divorce charging her husband with cruelty because he made her walk home from automobile rides.

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CORN PRICES HIGHER DURING THE PAST WEEK

Jobbers paying prices on shelled corn and friers advanced during the past week while hay prices were a little lower, reports the Department of Agriculture.

Jack York of the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce reported the following prices delivered Birmingham at end of week:

Colored fryers 31 to 35 cents per lb., leghorn fryers, 30 to 33, large hens 15 to 16, small hens 13 to 14, roosters, 7 to 9, turkeys 23 to 30, butter fat 22. No. 1 white eggs 14 to 17 per dozen, No. 2 white shelled corn 84 1-2, sacked 86 1-2, No. 2 Yellow corn shelled 83 1-2, sacked, 85 1-2, ear corn 20, timothy hay no. 1 25 1-2, Johnson hay no. 1, 20, Johnson hay No. 2, 18, soy bean, No. 1, 26, cowpea hay No. 1, 26, sweet potatoes $2.

At Montgomery they were quoted: colored fryers 27 to 30 cents, leghorn fryers 25 cents, large hens 15 to 17, small hens 12 1-2 to 15, roosters, 8 to 10, turkeys 20 to 25, butter fat 24, eggs, fresh, 15 to 18 per dozen.

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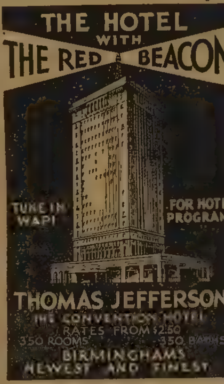

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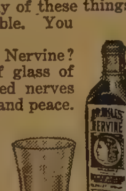

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A good business man will not buy a farm or any property without first looking it over to see what it is worth.

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Before investing in land in any way have an abstract made and be safe.

M. D. Foshee Clanton, Ala.

My Best Girl

BY

KATHLEEN NORRIS

EIGHTH INSTALLMENT

Maggie Johnson, whose father is a letter carrier, her mother a lazy woman who has "seen better days," and her sister a bootlegger's swwetheart who works in a beauty parlor, is stock girl in the "Mack" stores, the Five-and-Ten of San Francisco. A boy whom she knows only as "Joe Grant," but who is really Joseph Grant MacKenzie Merrill, son of the owner of the "Mack" is learning the business by starting at the bottom. He doesn't like the job until he meets Maggie. And neither of them realizes that they are falling in love with each other, at first. Joe is impressed, however, by Maggie's intelligence and goodheartedness, and gives her advice on the subject nearest her heart, how to live the ideal life. She makes a suggestion for a better way of selling certain lines. He tells his father, as if it were his own idea, greatly pleasing the old man. He finds that the girls he used to know don't interest him as much as Maggie does, and when Maggie discloses her love in a burst of jealousy, he realizes that he loves her, too.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

Her face burned, her hands were icy, her confused mind was only a blur, and her heart one heavy, unendurable ache.

It had been pretty bold of her to question him, to rebuke him about Paula Younger. After all, it was Joe's affair.

Her thoughts burned, stung, writhed together. The one unbearable thought was that the half-past five o'clock whistle would sound, and Murphy begin to close the big jointed iron grills against the world, and that she would have to go home—what else could she do?—heartbroken and alone, and bear the week end with Joe "mad" at her.

He had already been elevated to the offices, which were placed in a position of some dignity and seclusion, on a mezzanine deck at the far rear of the store.

Sometimes, when a customer brought in a defective article, Maggie had to guide her upstairs to the window marked "Complaints," and once or twice other errands had taken her to the offices. But she had no excuse today.

She turned the knob of the glass door rather timidly, and saw Joe standing at the window in the back of the room with Simmonds, a buyer, both intent upon the inspection of some sort of material.

"What is it?" Simmonds asked sharply.

"Excuse me," Maggie faltered, "but is Miss Pope up here?"

Simmonds came toward her. And Joe—as she saw with a sinking heart—casually turned away and began to study a bloated, bursting book of "swatches."

"Was Miss Pope up here?" Simmonds asked.

"Miss Pope," Joe said, in a quiet voice, "is downstairs in the music department."

Maggie's face was very red, she looked only at the older man.

"I didn't see her there," she said thickly.

And somehow she got herself out of the glass door again, and somehow flew down the stairs, and was feverishly busy instantly with a large cardboard box of lockets and chains, in the jewellery department.

And all the while her heart pounded as if it would hammer her to pieces, and her shamed thoughts almost suffocated her.

"He knew I went up there to talk to him—what'll he think I am! He didn't want to speak to me at all—and I bluffed that Miss Pope was up there—he seen right through me! He saw right through me. Oh, I wish I was dead! I can't have him thinking like that about me! I wish I was dead. What'll I do? I can't ever look him in the face again."

She was standing at an angle of the jewellery counter that was placed in a sort of niche between columns.

Suddenly she knew that a tall, lean man was lounging on the counter beside her, his shoulder almost touching her own.

"Still mad it me?" It was Joe's voice.

"Joe——" Her voice wouldn't come.

"Joe, don't be mean to me," she said in a low tone, holding her words steady, not raising her eyes.

"Was I mean to you, Maggie?"

"Of course—of course you're not, Joe! It's just that I'm—I'm an idiot! It's none of my business who you lunch with—and I'm sorry I—blew up."

"It is your business, if you care, Maggie," he said, nicely, kindly, even a little gruffly.

"But I am going not to care."

Joe experienced a queer little twinge of pain. She looked so small, so weary, so exquisitely pretty in this soft light, and she was such a loving little thing!

"I'm glad we're friends again," she said awkwardly.

"Yes, I am too."

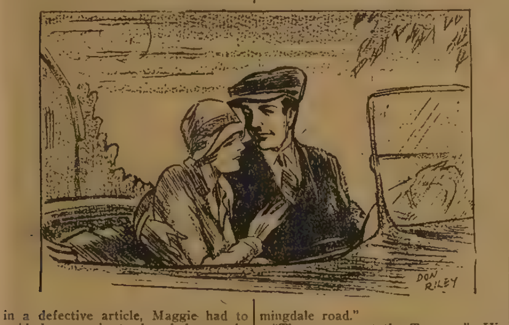
"I couldn't of stood it," she confessed.

The other employees of the Mack were streaming through the side door when Maggie came flying up from the locker room. Joe was lingering at the top of the stairs.

"I thought I'd walk with you to the corner."

"Oh, that's grand! Which way do you go, Joe?"

"Down past the city—out on the Elmingdale road."



"Then you want the Ten car." His arm was under her elbow, and she gave him once more the delicious sensation of nearness, confidence, and sweet smallness and youth.

He had never seen her so deliciously pretty, so small and loving and enchanting. She could hardly keep her little feet on the ground. Tired? Depressed? Hungry? Not when Joe Grant tall and lean and protective and most appreciative, was beside her, was guiding her along the lighted street.

Her walk was a combination of jump, bounce, and dance step. Joe had to laugh sympathetically at the laughing face, the eager eyes that demanded his sympathy.

"This is my corner, Joe."

His steps had been quite automatically turned toward that particular quiet block where he had parked his roadster. They were close to the handsome, low-slung car now.

"Here's some feller left his roadster here," Joe said.

"You'd wonder he'd have any business in this neighborhood," the girl innocently commented.

"How far away do you live, Maggie?"

"Oh, not so far. Pop and I walk it every morning. 'Bout—I think it's thirteen blocks.

Joe had palmed his key.

"Want me to run you home in this car?"

"I get so sick of my automobile, it's a treat to me to walk!" Maggie assured him. She was horrified when he slipped into the machine, and challenged her cheerfully.

"Joe Grant, get out of that car! Do you want to be sent to jail?"

"Oh, come on, get in, Maggie—don't be so scary."

"But, Joe, isn't it locked?"

"Nope. Key right here! Get in, Maggie, and—listen! I'll bring it back to the other end of the block and let him hunt for it awhile, to teach him a lesson about forgetting to lock it!"

"Joe, you could be sent to jail for that!"

"Oh, come on—it won't take five minutes!"

In the end, she yielded.

"Maggie, how'd you like to own a car like this, and have a big, fluffy white fur coat, and be riding along here this way—down to Elmingdale, or the Westbeach Arms, or one of those fashionable places?"

"Joe, b'leeve me, I've seen girls do both ways, and there's nothing in letting fellers buy you coats and take you out riding. You don't mind being poor, do you, Joe?" she asked anxiously.

"Don't you?"

"I? Why, but what else would I be?" she demanded blankly.

"Don't you ever think of yourself as rich, with beautiful clothes, and a maid, and a big, comfortable room?" He glanced sideways.

"I think of myself as straight," she said briefly.

"Anyway, we're pretty near living the ideel life now, and my father says that all day long he thinks about—our house, and how nice and shady and quiet the kitchen is, and all the new dish towels——"

"We're getting out of debt, and even Liz said it was some comfort to come home to our house now—and she s-s-said—Liz said that s-s-she——"

"Maggie! For heaven's sake! What are you crying about?"

"Be-because—because they said I did it, Joe! Even Ma said that I made them all comfortable—and happier—and it—it makes me cry to have them love me so!"

He abruptly ran the car into the curb, and stopped it there, and put his arms about her, and tipped up her face.

"Now, look here, stop it. Stop this bawling right away, or you'll have me crying, too."

His big arm held her tightly, jammed against him, and her bewildered ecstatic, tear-stained little rosy face was close to his own.

"J-J-Joe Grant!" she said breathlessly.

"Maggie Johnson! You've known this was coming, haven't you?"

"J-Joe Grant!"

"Surprised?"

"No—but—but — I guess — maybe I thought——"

"Go on. Don't stop. Maybe you thought what?"

"I thought you were kinder—kidding me along."

It was at this juncture that for a terrible moment Joe Grant disappeared from his own consciousness for a few seconds, and the Joseph Merrill who was a truant from college, who belonged to the same world at this smart roadster, took his place.

To play a part was all very well insomuch as it concerned only himself. But here was this bewildering little madcap armful of passionately earnest femininity in his arms, her tear-soaked lashes almost touching his cheek, her whole being only too obviously ready to yield itself to his guardianship forever.

How on earth was he going to get out of this with Maggie Johnson?

When he spoke, his tone and manner had subtly altered.

"Why shouldn't I kid you along?" he said. "You're too much of a kid. yourself to get mixed up in love affairs!"

She drew herself up, fumbled in her bag for a handkerchief, wiped her eyes quite openly, and said, in a composed, cold voice:

"You must drive me home, Joe. My father and mother will be wild if I'm late."

"Maggie—listen. Don't take that tone! You know how much I like you—I've got to stop this, I've got to stop this, I'm a fool if I don't stop this," he added, in his heart. "Why, you're not eighteen—you're a little girl!"

"I'm eighteen tomorrow, and I'm not a little girl at all," she said, with swift dignity.

"Eighteen! Wh— what would your father think if you married at eighteen, Joe protested. "Damn it—and damn me for a fool!" he ejaculated. "Now I've said it! This is the first time that word has come into our conversations, and I'm the one that introduced it."

Maggie cleared her throat.

"I've had a great deal of responsibility in my life, and there's nothing so developing to the character as responsibility" she began. "Since I was ten years old, I've been tryin' to earn a little and spend a little less, to bear wrongs patiently. Pop says he's always been anxious to live the ide-al life, too but he never thought it could be done on a postman's salary."

"Listen, Maggie. Listen, darling—"

"Since Christmas," she went on, "it's been you, Joe. Everything I done—everything I've done," she corrected it, "has been done because I was thinkin' of you."

He caught her small agitated hands and held them tightly.

"Maggie, just be quiet, dear. There's no need for you to get so excited and upset. Listen, dear. I like you immensely. I think you have more character than any girl I ever knew. I wouldn't give up your friendship for anything in the world. But you're only a little girl, Maggie you're going to have a dozen beaus before you pick out the man you want to marry." He winced interiorly. "I hope our friendship—"

"I know, Joe. I know. That's you. That's your side of it. But I was talking about me."

She caught at his lapel with a small bare hand, and raised her beautiful wistful, childish eyes.

He laughed suddenly, boyishly.

"Ah, Maggie! You little idiot!"

And this kiss was a different kiss. The little figure rested against his breast, the little hand was crushed against his heart, and the fragrant soul of her seemed to be drawn through her fresh, half-opened lips.

Then they talked, Maggie's hand locked in his, her head resting luxuriously against his shoulder.

"I'm getting thirt-five a week Mary Margaret. And I'm not going to have my wife work!"

"Oh, Joe—I'll die—to hear you say 'my wife!' "

"That's about one forty a month."

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New Cedron News

We are very glad to know that Howard Penton is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. DeVaughn spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Lula Jones and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Jones.

Miss Pauline Collins spent Tuesday night of last week with Rena and Ressie DeVaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. DeVaughn spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Cox spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Baker.

Rena and Ressie DeVaughn spent the day Sunday with Ruby and Pauline Collins.

Miss Ollean Terrell spent Thursday night with Rena and Ressie DeVaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Baker spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Cox.

Miss Willodean Collins spent the week end with Miss Ida Lou Hicks of Shiloh.

The music entertainment that was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. DeVaughn in honor and as a celebration of their 25th wedding anniversary last Thursday night, was a success and was enjoyed by everyone present, and also the entertainment at Miss Ollean Terrell's Saturday night was greatly enjoyed.

The singing that was held at new Cedron Sunday was good altho the crowd was small.

Remember next Sunday is preaching day. Everyone invited.

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The Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

Rev. D. W. Haskew will deliver a special lecture before the Men's Bible class next Sunday morning, and the men of the City are urged to attend. Sunday school meets at 9:45 A. M. For four Sundays now our attendance record has not dropped below one hundred.

We are making next Sunday a day of special effort, and the services at 11 A. M. and at 7 P. M. will be of high water mark. You can not afford to miss them.

It is worthy of mention that a company of our finest young men composed the choir last Sunday night. We rejoice to see the loyalty of our young people.

Get up Sunday morning in time to give God a square deal. We are due Him more loyalty than we are due our business. Do the right thing by going to church.

Notice is given by Rev. D. W. Haskew, pastor of the Clanton Methodist church, that he will begin a revival meeting at his church the latter part of March, and that the meeting will continue through Easter Sunday. Dr. N. B. McLeod, presiding elder of the Selma district, will be present to assist in the meeting and will do the most of the preaching. Dr. McLeod is one of the outstanding preachers of Southern Methodism, and his coming to Clanton means a great uplift for our people. He has visited Clanton only one time this year, and those who heard his scholarly discourse were more than pleased, and they will be glad to know that he is coming back for a week of revival work. The people of Clanton are urged to reserve the week before Easter to attend the revival meeting at the Methodist church.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court In Equity No. 900.
Melna Dekle, Complainant, vs. George Leo Dekle, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Melna Dekle that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said George Leo Dekle to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 21st day of March, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 13th day of February, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
Register.

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W. L. PARRISH
D. V. M.
CLANTON, ALA.
PHONE 4100

Enterprise News

Owing to the bad weather last Friday the game was called off. They have no game scheduled for this coming Friday.

Miss Lucille Taylor resumed her duties Monday after being away last week because of the illness and death of her brother.

Mrs. Carl Boockholdt attended the funeral of little Eloise Holley at Mt Pisgah church Tuesday morning.

Miss Lula Courtney of Clanton spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Courtney

Mr. Morris Silas and family spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Silas.

Misses Gatie and Adelle Rav and Ida Belle Dobbs are absent from school due to the death of their grandfather, Mr. Holley Ray, of Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Martin and son Austin, spent the week end with their son and brother, Mr. Roy Martin, of Montgomery.

Mrs. C. H. Williams of Montgomery was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Traywick, the past week.

Don't forget the fiddlers convention Friday nigh ttateh cRMt now is the Friday night at the school house. We are expecting a record crowd and everybody is preparing for a big time—so get your best girl and be here at 7:30 o'clock sharp. Admission 15c and 25c.

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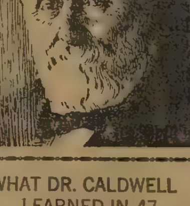

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VETERANS TO BANQUET

Rainbow Division Members To Observe Anniversary of Hostilities

Alabama Rainbow Division veterans will observe the thirteenth anniversary of the entrance of their division into the trenches in France Feb. 22 with a banquet at Montgomery. Maj. Joseph M. Dickerson, of Julian Strassburger Chapter, Montgomery, is sending out notices of the event.

The banquet and program will be at 9 p.m. Committees are at work on the entertainment and an excellent program is promised. The affair will be stag.

L & N Says Railroad Grants Are Not Gifts

(Continued From Front Page)

now averages about $5,000,000 per year. Moreover, other competing railroads that did not receive land-grants were, and are likewise subjected to these reduced rates, which serves to increase further the Government saving.

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ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

In the matter of the estate of Clyde Henley, Deceased.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Ala., in Equity.

In the matter of the petition for a final settlement of the administration of Mattie Henley, administratrix of said estate.

To Whom It May Concern, Take Notice:

You are hereby notified that the Register of said Court will execute a decree of reference in the above cause rendered on the 16 day of February, 1931, at his office in Clanton, Alabama, on the 11th day of March, 1931, at which time and place you can appear if you think proper.

Witness my hand, this the 18th day of February, 1931.

W. D. SI[illegible]ENER,

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Boy Scout Activities of Clanton

Dan Smith, Troop Reporter

In my report last week I told you that our troop would go on a hike on Wednesday, February 11, but it was planned for Friday, instead of Wednesday, and after all we didn't get to go because it rained. Friday night, Feb. 13, we had a troop meeting. We also found that Friday, 13th, was unlucky. A Ford coupe, 1931 model, belonging to Grady and Morgan Reynolds was stolen from in front of the church. After the excitement was over sandwiches were served and much to our sorrow we had no drinks because they were in the car. Bad luck I call it. After eating the sandwiches, games were played between the two patrols, each patrol winning a game. The first game was the familiar Crane and Crow, which the Kangaroo patrol won. The Scoutmaster played on their side, because it would be uneven if he didn't. We had agreed that the losing patrol would have to run through the gauntlet. After each member of the Wolf Patrol, the losing patrol, had gone through the gauntlet, we played, "Capture the Flag." In playing this game the lights are cut off and this makes it an exciting game. The Wolf patrol won this, and Hal Broadhead, one of its members, was the star player, because he got the Kangaroo's flag. As soon as each member of the Kangaroo patrol had run through the gauntlet we were dsmissed by repeating the Scout oath.

Alabama's Rat Tax Is $3,000,000 A Year

Under the direction of W. A. Ruffin, extension entomologist of Auburn, and Roy Moore, special representative in rodent control work for the U. S. Department of Agriculture, systematic work is being done toward the eradication of rats and other rodents in Alabama. This is being done because rats are destroying annually three million dollars worth of property in Alabama, Mr. Ruffin and Mr. Moore said.

Systematic poisoning campaigns accompanied by the cleaning up of premises for immediate relief and the gradual rat-proofing of farms and cities for permanent riddance of rats is the program outlined. Towns and communities are putting on rat poisoning campaigns this winter to protect feed and food. Powdered red squill is the poison used. It is effective and practically harmless to all other animals. The campaigns are inexpensive, as the cost is only about $25 to $35 per thousand population, or about 10 cents for each house treated. The cost for farms averages 50 cents.

Already several Alabama towns have conducted such campaigns with highly satisfactory results. A farmer can eradicate rats from his premises and effect a big saving. However, rats will come in from other farms and replace those that he destroys. Consequently it is better for the farmers of an entire community to eradicate at the same time.

As a guide to farmers in rat control work the U. S. Department of Agriculture has published a bulletin, available to those requesting it.

Lowest Price Tennis Shoes in Clanton at Sample Shoe Store.

Oats For Feed Are Advised By Auburn

Every Alabama farmer who wishes to make a good crop of feed at a low cost and have it ready late in the spring can do so by planting oats immediately. Such is recommended by the county agents and also by the experiment station and the extension service of the Alabam Polytechnic Institute at Auburn.

Varieties recommended by the experiment station for spring planting are red rustproof, Fulghum, and Burt. Seeds should be planted at the rate of two bushels per acre, J. C. Lowery, extension agronomist, said.

They should be fertilized with 100 to 200 pounds per acre of either nitrate of soda or nitrate of lime applied as a top dressing when the oats have started growing and the danger of severe freezing has passed.

Lowery pointed out that Alabama farmers have been producing only 40 per cent of the oats and corn needed in the state, and only about 30 per cent of the hay needed. Consequently there is need for a larger acreage of oats under normal conditions and especially under exceptional conditions such as at present when the feed shortage is greater than usual and the supply of money and credit for buying is very limited. Oats are an excellent feed for poultry and other animals as well as horses and mules.

This recommendation by the county agents, and from Auburn, is made despite the fact that oats planted in the fall on the experiment station at Auburn have yielded twice as much as oats planted in the spring.

Read Our Advertising.

PROGRAM OF SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION — DISTRICT NO. 3

Following is the program of the Sunday School Association, District No. 3, to be held at Mineral Springs Baptist church next Sunday afternoon, February 22, beginning at two o'clock P. M.

2:00 P. M. Devotional, R. S. Chandler.

2:10 Reports.

2:20 The Sunday School Superintendent, His Qualifications, Duties and Responsibilities, Dr. S. J. Ezell.

2:40 The Sunday School Teacher, Her Duties and Responsibilities, Rev. Z. Y. Appleton,

3:00 The Standard of Excellence, and How It Works, W. J. Billingsley.

3:15 The Value of Trained Workers, and How to Get Them, Prof. Quinn.

3:30 General Discussion.

3:40 Announcements and adjourn.

All churches north of Clanton are urged to send representatives. Especially are the pastors, superintendents, and all Sunday school workers, urged to attend.

H. A. HARIS, President.

OTIS L. DAVIS OF ATTALLA DIED FEBRUARY THE 10TH

The many friends of Otis Davis will be grieved to learn of his death which occurred on Tuesday morning February 10th, in Attalla. He became ill last June and every possible means was used to restore him to his health, but God in His wisdom knew best and called him away to rest beyond the sufferings and sorrows of this life. Although his death was expected it came as a great shock to his loved ones and many friends in the loss of a fine young life. He was an employee of the Gulf State Steel Co., having been in the Foundry Department there for several years.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock at the family residence in Attalla. Rev. P. B. Baldridge of 12th St. Baptist Church of Gadsden and Rev. W. H. Wheeler, pastor of the First Baptist church of Attalla conducted the services. Pall bearers were members of the Foundry Department of the plant in which he worked.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis, three brothers, Oswald, Quinton and Julius Davis, of Attalla; six aunts, Mrs. J. A. and A. D. Maddox of Clanton, Mrs. C. E. Wade, and Miss Zilphia Davis of Birmingham, Mrs. Ed Barber of Gadsden, Mrs. J. B. Farrington, Oneonta; five uncles, A. D. and D. Davis of Birmingham, Joe and A. G. Davis of Shelby, H. W. Cooley of Clanton.

Billingsley News

Wiring of the residences and places of business is nearing completing for the coming of the Alabama Power Co. lights.

Rev. S. A. Bentley, Messrs. Jim Bentley and G. T. Dickinson attended the Pastors and Laymans Conference at Clanton Saturday.

Henry Milton Apperson, who has been in Jackson, Ala., some time, is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Apperson.

Mrs. T. L. Patrick is visiting her sons, W. C. and Charles Patrick, with their families in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon McGraw of Isabella were the guests of Mrs. J. N. Carter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Golson spent Saturday in Montgomery shopping.

Mrs. E. B. Mills happened to the misfortune of falling through her store porch floor Friday. She was painfully injured, though no bones were broken. She is confined to her bed.

Mrs. Z. Keith of Fairfax is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Upton.

Miss Louise Conner spent the week end with her parents in Selma.

C. A. Marlar made a business trip to Montgomery Thursday.

Prof. and Mrs. Ralph Upton announce the birth of their son, Sunday, February 15th. They have given him the name, Ralph Emory.

Rev. S. A. Bentley preached two helpful sermons Sunday, using as his subject for the morning service, "Why I Go To Church," and at night, "A Closed Door and a Waiting Saviour." Good congregations were present.

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Downs were called to Montgomery Sunday by the illness of his brother, Dr. J. A. Downs.

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NEWS FROM THORSBY

(continued from front page)

Mr. Ted Hayes of Birmingham was in Thorsby Saturday night.

Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Butler were certainly missed at Sunday School Sunday. We sincerely hope they will be with us next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Pate left Saturday to visit Mrs. Pate's parents in Brewton.

The sewing circle met Monday with Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald.

Dr. and Mrs. Lesley and daughter, Elizabeth, visited the Connatsers Sunday.

Miss Alta Eeach, Junior Endeavor leader, entertained her endeavorers at a Valentine party riday afternoon. Games were enjoyed. Heart cookies, sandwiches, and cocoa were served.

Rev. W. P. Lowery filled his appointment at Bethsalem Sunday and Sunday night. Successful services were reported.

There will be the regular church services at the Baptist Church next Sunday and Sunday night.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Jones spent Wednesday in Montgomery.

Mrs. Julius Smith spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Perry Gore, of Collins Chapel, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray, Mr. Relius Franklin, Peggy Mims and Florence Robinson spent Sunday in Prattville.

Mr. E. R. Piper spent Sunday night in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Collins spent Sunday night with Mrs. Collins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Gore, of Collins Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Scott, son Willie, and daughter, Mattie, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin.

Mr. Aikens Collins was in Clanton Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Childress and sons and Mr. Charlie Childress spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. David Childress.

Mrs. Ben Franklin visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Raybon Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. W. Robinson spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Collins.

Miss Helen Diefenderfer of Clanton spent the week end with Miss Ella Howard.

Mr. Oscar Campbell of Warrior spent the week end with Miss Era Robinson.

Mr. Clyde Gore of Collins Chapel is spending several days with his sister, Mrs. Julius Smith.

Mr. Bob Martin and Erchel spent Monday at Lay Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Foss and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Raegan spent Tuesday in Birmingham.

Mrs. S. C. Norton spent Tuesday and Tuesday night in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Billingsley and daughter, Jane, and two of her friends, Verlon Goodgame and Myradine Martin, motored to Mitchell Dam Sunday afternoon.

Miss Pauline Bean, bride-elect, was honor guest Wednesday afternoon when Misses Era and Dessie Robinson, and Edna Childress complimented her at a shower. Music was rendered by Mrs Carl Chambers, a poem was read by Mr. Carl Chambers. A poetry contest was held. Refreshments were served to about fifteen guests. Valentine decorations were carried out. Little Helen Louise Meade, dresed as a Valentine, presented the gifts to Miss Bean, who was seated in front of a Valentine background.

Mrs. Mack Gray entertained a group of friends at Rook Saturday evening at her home. Flowers of the early spring, daffodils and jonquils were used throughout the house. Following a series of Rook games pear salad, sandwiches and tea were served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pate, Mr. and Mrs. John Childress, Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Davenport, Mr. Henry Robinson and Miss Dorothy Vaughn Franklin. Mrs. Lee Pate won high score for the ladies and Mr. Sidney Davenport for the men.

A Surprise Bridge Party and handkerchief shower was given for Mrs. Grover Bice and Mrs. Mack Gray on Monday afternoon, February 15. Those preesnt were Mesdames Spurgeon Callawoy, Jack Sims, Lee Pate, Relious Franklin, Grover Bice, S. C. Wood, Mack Gray, and Miss Agnes Leary. Mrs. Jack Sims won high score prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Aikens Collins and Miss Hilma Collins attended the singing at Collins Chapel Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Lewis Hester of Birmingham spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Collins.

Mr. Julius Smith is in Roanoke this week on business.

Rev. A. Z. Appleton of Collins Chapel visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Collins Sunday afternoon.

Miss Era Robinson spent several days of last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Robinson of Lay Dam.

After spending 29 days locked in a trunk, a pet cat belonging to Dorothy Manning of Birmingham, Ala., has ended its long fast and is catching up on its meals.

Hungry men who take advantage of the Memphis firemen's free meal given in connection with a night's lodging are forced to wash their hair, neck and head.

Crisps Famous Dog Medicines are on sale at Moore's, Clanton Drug Co. Yes, they are guaranteed to cure or money refunded.

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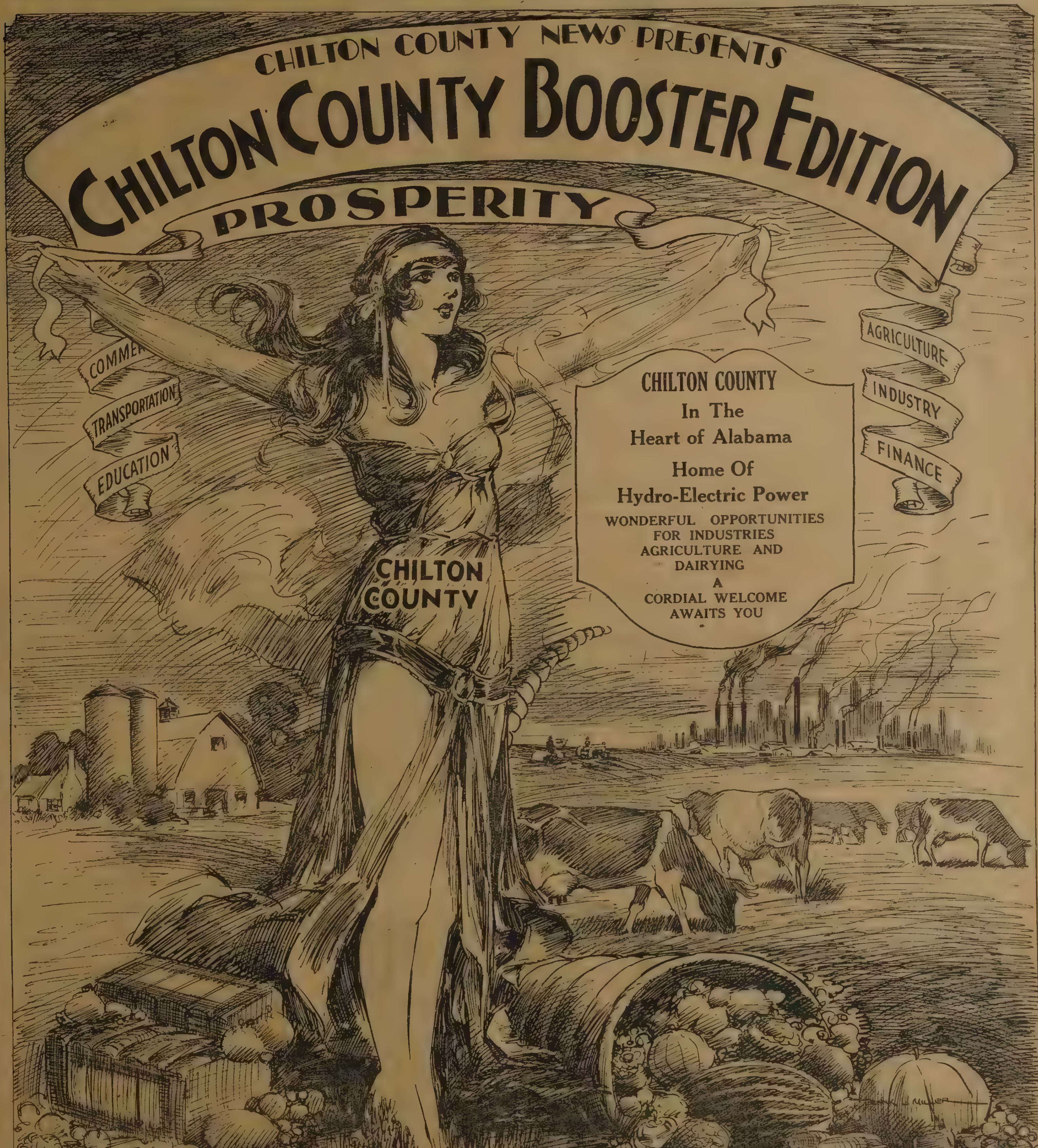
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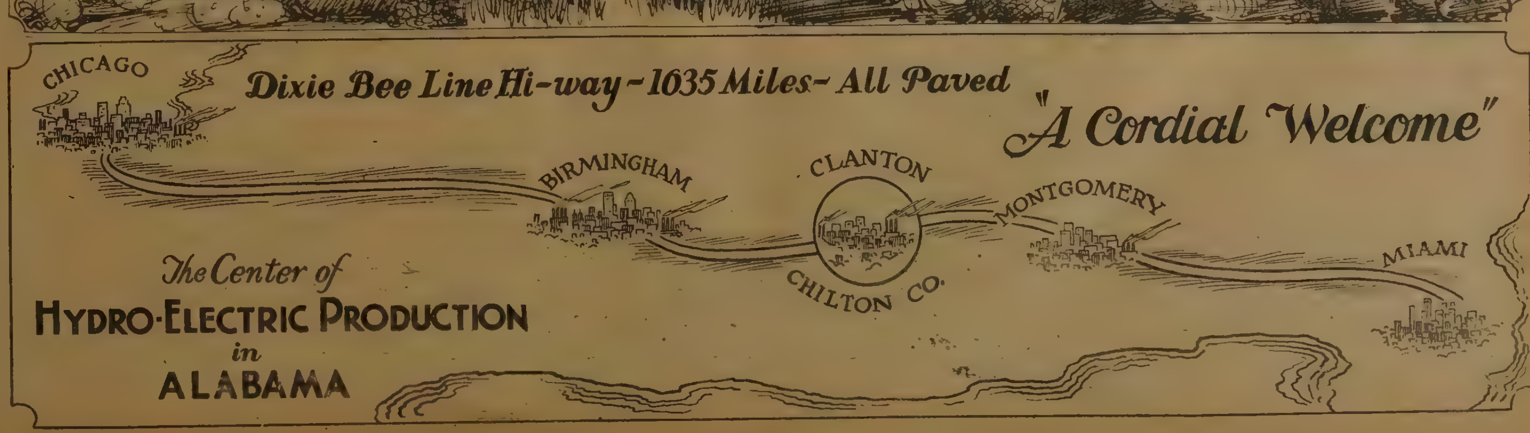
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Chilton County's Educational System Ranks High In Alabama

GREAT IMPROVEMENT SHOWN IN SCHOOLS OF CHILTON COUNTY

County Ranks High In Quality of Teachers; Have Four Accredited High Schools; Enrollment of 6,177 With Splendid Equipment

The educational system of Chilton County has undergone many changes during recent years. Not many years ago it was almost an insult to any community to speak of consolidation to them, but at the present time the County Board is holding in check some efforts at consolidation because of a lack of adequate buildings. These buildings are being rapidly erected and equipped and no doubt the time is near when we will have very few, if any, one and two-teacher schools. A very strong demand is being made by the citizenship of the county for a consolidated school system because they have begun to realize its value.

One can realize the growth and interest of the training of children by a comparison of enrollment and attendance. In 1924-1925 we had enrolled in the white schools of the county 4,893 as against the enrollment of 1929-1930 of 6,177. There was an average daily attendance in 1929-30 of 4,13[illegible]. The present year shows evidence of going beyond any record previously established in the matter of enrollment and attendance.

In 1921 there was but one accreditted high school in the county. At the present we have four which are the County High School, located at Clanton, the Jemison High School, located at Jemison, Verbena High School, located at Verbena, and the Isabella High School, about seven miles east of Maplesville.

The Jemison High School and Isabella High School have vocational departments of the Smith-Hughes type. In these schools both vocational home economics and vocational agriculture are taught.

The County High School has more than doubled in enrollment for the past few years. This school is accredited in the Southern Association of High Schools.

The Verbena High School is housed in the most splendid building of the county. It is built of native gray stone quarried near Verbena.

In 1924-25 we had 66 schools in the county. At the present we have 59. Five schools have been consolidated within the past two years.

The county has the distinction of having one of the best County Training schools in the state with a principal rated as one of the best, and according to authorities who are acquainted with the County Training schools of the state, in all probability the best. This Training School is also a vocational school offering courses in both home economics and vocational agriculture.

A complete educational survey has been made of the county by experts in this field. This survey shows the location of all elementary, junior and senior high school children with recommendations as to the future building program and proper routing of trucks to the various consolidated schools.

The Chilton County Board of Education is composed of some of the best men in the county. They do not only have the interest of the schools at heart, but they are men of business ability. The Board is composed of the following men: Mr. C. C. Conway of Jemison is chairman of the Board. He is a business man who has succeeded in life for himself. He is a hardware dealer at Jemison. Mr. S. J. M. Webb is Vice Chairman of the Board. He is a farmer living in the Isabella community and we know that one could hardly live there without catching a progressive spirit. He is capable and interested in the welfare of the children of the county. Mr. J. N. Dennis is known to almost every citizen of the county. At one time he served the county as Tax Assessor. Since that time he has in one way or another been connected with the progressive element of the county and led in all of the progressive farm movements. He sells fertilizer to the farmers and gins their cotton. He is a large land owner. Mr. S. M. Yates is a farmer living at Cooper. No one who knows him would ever question his ability and interest in his work and the schools of the county. He is a man who has taken a leading part in his community life. Mr. W. I. Sanders is the youngest member of the Board having served only a few months but having had several years of experience as a trustee of his school and having already shown his interest in the children of the county as well as those of his own immediate community.

Mrs. Jewel Smith of Thorsby is Office Assistant having served in this capacity for the past few years. Miss Madge Scarborough of Blue Springs is Elementary Supervisor. Mrs. C. E. Stapp is Child Welfare Superintendent. No Superintendent can boast of a more efficient and loyal group of workers than the Superintendent of Chilton County. This corps of workers are deeply interested in giving to the county the best service possible, always showing a professional attitude in their work.

Miss Cora Belle Maddox is president of the County P.-T. A. She is vocational home economics teacher in the Isabella school. She is fortunate in that the president of the District P. T. A. is a resident of this county. The District president is Mrs. L. C. Warr who was formerly critic teacher in the State Teachers College at Troy.

The Chilton County Board of Education has the advantage of a number of other counties in their future program. The Board is practically out of debt. When this year has closed the Board wil owe about $4,000, but at the present they do not owe anything.

A study of the records of those who teach in the schools of the county show that the county ranks high in the quality of their teachers. Only three have had no professional training. It is hoped that next year all will have had such training. Ten have had less than one year of professional training and 51 have had one year of professional training; 34 have had two years of Normal school training, while 6 are college graduates; 7 of these teachers are teaching for the first year; 40 teachers attended summer school last summer.

The High School group of teachers include Junior and Senior high schools. Eleven of these are under-graduates, 16 are graduates of colleges, 11 are more than college graduates and 21 attended summer school last summer. Three hold Masters' degrees. One of these holds a Masters' degree from the University of Alabama, a second one from Peabody and a third one from Columbia University.

The County has in Mr. B. Lawrence, County Superintendent of Schools, a man thoroughly qualified for this office. Mr Lawrence has worked for the advancement of school work in Chilton County as few realize. Under his supervision the County School system has shown a steady improvement

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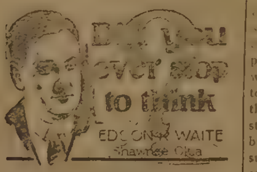

J. A. Livingston, Publisher of The Russellville (Ark.) Courier-Democrat, says:

"All manner of business these days is conducted largely upon confidence. Confidence is the basis of credit, and few businesses are operated on a strictly cash basis both in the purchase and the sales ends. When confidence is shaken, credit tightens up, and business of all kinds and individuals in all walks suffer.

"No bank, perhaps, no matter if absolutely solvent by the strictest application of regulations and methods e[illegible] capital, would be able to pay off in a single day all its depositors. Banks could not make money if operated on a plan that would make this possible. It would require cash on hand equal to its total deposits at all times, and none of the deposits could be invested in bonds, stocks, real estate or other securities, but would have to be kept as a cash surplus. It could not make loans greater than its capital stock, no matter how gilt-edge the security, and its interest rates would of necessity be so high that none would borrow.

"The average well-managed, thoroughly sound and solvent bank is about like an individual with a steady, dependable income from wages or otherwise. Perhaps he owns his home, built in a building and loan association and on which only a few more payments are due, and an automobile or furniture or radio bought on the installment plan, on which he is meeting the payments regularly. He is absolutely solvent and under any ordinary circumstances would meet his every obligation. But suppose all his creditors should without warning suddenly demand immediate settlement in full. He could not meet the demand, of course, and would go 'broke.' No matter if his property and other assets were worth five thousand dollars and he owed less than five hundred, he could not settle because of the unexpected and unusual demand. And such a man would be in just the position of a bank that is called upon to withstand a 'run' by depositors.

"If you are a loyal citizen of the community and your money is in the bank, leave it there; if it is not, put it there. If you hoard it at home, you merely aggravate and help to bring about the very situation that has caused your fear."

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Burning New Ground May Damage The Soil

Fire drives nitrogen out of the soil, says Colonel Page S. B[illegible], [illegible] Forester. This chemical element [illegible] that plant life can not possibly [illegible] without, and it happens to be the only one of the principal [illegible] required by plants that fire completely destroys. Most of the others are found in the ashes of the burned vegetable material, but the nitrogen leaves with the smoke.

Thousands of farmers will be preparing new ground for cultivation during February and March. Burning is a convenient way to get rid of down timber, stumps and woo debris. However, it is much better to pile this material compactly before burning than to set fire to the entire tract. In the former way most of the ground can be spared from the heat of the fire and the nitrogen will thus remain in the soil.

Naturally, fires used in clearing new ground should not be allowed to spread to other areas, especially the higher ground about the fields. Nitrogen and other elements of fertility do not remain entirely where they first become a part of the soil. The subsurface water drainage dissolves much of these materials and carries them to the lower ground where they add to the richness of the cultivated areas. If the uplands are burned off the lowlands lose a great deal of the fertility which they otherwise would acquire in this manner.

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3. Our greatest trouble arises from the tendency of the human mind to dwell upon Failure rather than Success. Think Success only.

Farm Electric Service Having Major Effect On Agriculture Power Co. Engineers Say

Electricity Increasing Alabama Farm Income And More Than Paying Its Own Way, Agricultural Engineers Show In Survey

WITH ELECTRIC service from the rural power lines of Alabama Power Company immediately available to over 30,000 farms, or more than one-tenth of the farms in Alabama, the use of electricity on farms is now beginning to have a major effect upon Alabama agriculture, a recent survey of the Power Company's Rural Division reveals.

In Chilton County, the Company is operating 63 miles of rural lines serving 270 rural customers. Along the Montgomery Highway, the Company's lines extend from Clanton to Jemison, and from Clanton across the Autauga County line to Marbury. A line extends along the highway from Clanton to Maplesville, with a branch line to Isabella, and from Maplesville across the Dallas County line to Plantersville. In addition to these longer lines serving customers along the highways, there are several shorter ones extending from the towns of the county and from the Company's dams on the Coosa River.

Started in 1924 as an experiment in cooperation with the Alabama Experiment Station and Alabama Polytechnic Institute, the extension of electric service to rural communities has been continued as a part of Alabama Power Company's development program and is now one of its major activities.

GROWTH IS RAPID

The growth of rural electrification in Alabama has been little short of phenomenal, but its growth and present major effect upon agriculture in Alabama would not have been possible without the cooperation with the Power Company of farmers, agricultural workers and equipment dealers throughout the State.

On January 1st, 1924, the Power Company had in operation 14 rural lines serving 240 rural customers; and on January 1, 1931, the status of rural electric development was as follows:

	No. Lines	Miles of Lines	No. of Customers
Rural Lines in Operation Jan. 1, 1931	501	1,702	6,565
Rural Lines Auth. & Under Const. Jan. 1, 1931	6	21	71
Rural Lines Trans. To Urban Classification	50	213	3,353
Total	557	1,936	9,989

Rural customers have been added during the seven year period at the average rate of 1,427 per year, or 119 per month, and rural lines were built at the average rate of 276 miles per year, or 24 miles per month.

100,000 PEOPLE SERVED

In addition to the 9,900 rural and farm customers served from the 1,900 miles of electric lines built along highways and roads of the State, the Power Company is serving approximately 13,500 customers in 143 small towns of less than 1,000 population each. These towns are farming community centers, and the citizens are either farmers or supply merchants for the neighboring farms. Service to most of these towns has been provided in connection with the Company's rural electrification program, and are sources of power for future expansion of electric service to rural customers.

The Power Company is therefore serving approximately 23,000 customers from rural lines and in small towns, which means the convenience of electric service for approximately 100,000 people as a result of the rural electric development. In addition, the Company's transmission and distribution system is so developed that practically every farm is within reach of electric service from a physical standpoint of providing service from existing distribution lines.

KEROSENE LAMPS REPLACED

Prior to the extension of the Company's lines, these people were using kerosene lamps for lighting (except the few that had individual lighting plants), practically none of them had the convenience of running water in their homes, and only a few that purchased ice had any form of refrigeration to preserve the milk, butter, and other perishable products.

On January 1, 1931, 10,354 farms were served, each farm meter being designated by the Company as a customer. According to a survey made by the Company, there is an average of two tenants or share croppers per farm customer that are counted as separate farms by the Census Bureau. Many of the houses occupied by the tenants are being served through the farm meter and in practically every instance the barns used by the entire farm are lighted. On this basis electric service is available to about 30,000 farms in the territory served by the Company.

Of its 9,900 customers along highways, all of whom are using electric lights, about 1,000 are using electric ranges, 1,400 electric water pumps, 300 electric churns, and 200 electric washing machines.

BIG SAVINGS IN TIME

The 1,000 users are enabled to reduce the time required to do the cooking and care of the kitchen by about 250 hours per range, or a total reduction of about 250,000 hours of drudgery per year in the 1,000 rural homes.

Those using electricity to supply running water to the home automatically, are making the home much more comfortable, and eliminating about 45 minutes of work per day formerly required to draw a limited amount of water and carry it into the home for drinking, cooking and washing purposes. The 1,400 electric pumps result in a reduction of labor amounting to a total of about 382,000 hours per year.

The 300 electric churns result in a reduction of drudgery amounting to a total of about 54,000 hours per year, or an average of about 30 minutes per day.

The 200 washing machines eliminate about 10,000 hours of back-breaking work, or an average of one hour each per week.

WOMEN ARE BENEFITED

The elimination of washing lamp chimneys, filling lamps, and trimming wicks results in a reduction of labor in the homes of about 600,000 hours per year.

In addition to these applications of electricity that are saving the women in these homes approximately one and one-quarter million hours of drudgery per year, there are many other labor-saving appliances, as irons, fans, percolators, sewing machines, and others that are being used to increase the conveniences and comforts of the rural home.

Of these 9,900 customers, about 1,300 have radios, which add greatly to the pleasures of the family and serve a valuable purpose in bringing the farm people in close contact with the other industries of the country and world.

Approximately 1,000 of these rural customers are using automatic [illegible] add to the convenience of the home; result in better preserved food products for the family table; reduce the cost of living by making possible a greater consumption of home grown products, as milk, butter, fruits and vegetables; and in many instances increasing the farm income, by making more practical the preservation and sale of perishable products that ordinarily go to waste on the farm.

FARM PLACE TO LIVE

Electric service is thus bringing the comforts and conveniences of city life to the farm and making it the best place in the world to live. And even more significant, as a source of light, heat, and power, it is also being used on the farm and by the rural dweller in many different ways to increase the farm income by an amount more than sufficient to **pay its own way.**

In 64 of the 67 counties of the state, the Power Company is serving all different sized farms, from the rural home with a few chickens, a garden, and cow, to the larger plantation. Too, all the different types of farms are being served, including the general farm, the dairyman, poultry man, truck grower, nurseryman, etc. The experiences of the farmers of the state with the uses of electricity are that, regardless of the size or the type of the farm, electricity can and is being used in such ways that the farmer and his family are enjoying the comforts and conveniences, and are increasing the net income more than the cost of the service. In other words, electricity has demonstrated that it can more than "pay its own way" on the farm.

The dairy farm is in position to realize the greatest profit from the use of electric service, due to the fact that milking, washing the utensils, and cooling the milk are done twice each day throughout the year. Electricity is well adapted to these operations, in addition to lighting, pumping water, and grinding feed.

The poultry farm uses electricity for incubation, brooding, feed-grinding, pumping water, lights for increased production of eggs, and refrigeration. The truck farm is profitably using electric power for irrigation, electric heat for hotbeds, and electric lights for controlling insect damage.

CAN INCREASE NET INCOME

However, the majority of farms in Alabama are general farms producing cotton as the major money crop, with other products in varying quantities. In view of this fact, we are discussing primarily ways that general farms of the state are using electricity to increase their net incomes.

On the majority of the general farms there are some chickens, usually as many as 50 hens and often more. We have observed and farmers of the state are continuously experiencing that electric lights to lengthen the short days of winter very materially increase the production of eggs at the time that eggs are scarce and the price is highest. One of the meetings we are conducting was held at a poultry farm in Mobile County. At this farm there were two poultry houses of hens of the same age and breed, one was lighted and the other was not. The lights were turned on at the lighted house each morning for about two hours before daylight, and a grain ration was fed to the chickens. From the lighted house there was being obtained five dozen more eggs per day than from the unlighted house. The eggs were being sold at forty cents per dozen. The additional feed cost for the hens in the lighted house was about fifty cents per day and the electricity used amounted to about $1.45 per day, or $43.50 per month.

MORE LIGHT, MORE EGGS

Electric lights should not be expected to increase the egg production unless additional feed is provided and [illegible] lights should not be used on breeding flocks unl[illegible] a rest period.

Regardless of the number of chickens at the farm with 75 hens electric lights and additional feed du[illegible] electric lights can be [illegible] months from October until April will more than pay the average rural customers' annual electric bill.

A number of farm women being served by the Company have installed small electric brooders and buy about 100 chicks early in the year—usually in January or February—and get these chicks to the market as broilers or fryers at the most favorable prices.

Some farms are using refrigeration in marketing dressed chickens to the curb markets, thereby getting an increased price for the chickens.

On most farms there is, at least at some times of the year, a surplus of milk and butter, which goes to waste. A number of farm women with electric service are using household refrigerators for their own food products, and in addition are storing the surplus butter for the market. One pound of butter per day at thirty cents per pound amounts to $9.00 per month, or more than $100.00 per year; a sufficient amount to pay the average rural customer's bill for lighting, water pumping, and refrigeration, and leave about $35.00.

FRESH MEAT YEAR 'ROUND

Other farmers are using refrigerators at their farms for the storage of meats, for their own tables and for tenants on the farm, and in some instances for the market—thereby reducing the living costs and increasing the farm income.

It has been definitely learned that electric light hung over a pan of water and oil will catch the moth that produces the tomato fruit worm, which usually takes about 35% of the tomatoes produced. Some truck growers of the state are realizing great values from this application of electricity. And even if the farmer has only a row of tomatoes in his garden, he can use a light each night during the growing season and increase the value of his electric service without practically any increase in the cost of electricity.

We are attempting to call to the farmers' attention the simple and not expensive uses of electric service that other farmers of the state are using to enable them to enjoy the conveniences of electric lights and other household equipment, and at the same time make the electricity more than pay its own way.

USES ARE INCREASING

The increased uses of electricity are well illustrated in the fact that in 1924 the rural customers on the Company's system used an average of 383 kilowatt-hours per year and at the end of 1929 rural customers were using an average of 840 kilowatt-hours per year. This increase was obtained even with the addition of an average of 126 new customers per month. At the end of 1929 rural customers that had been using electricity five years or more were using electricity at the rate of 993 kilowatt-hours per year.

In addition to the uses of electricity by farm and residential customers on rural lines during the 1930 ginning season, there were 70 gins on the Company's rural lines operated with electric power. The operation of these gins, as well as grist mills, small ice plants and other rural community enterprises, were a great convenience to the people and a source of revenue to the communities.

As the Company's rural lines are expanded, the number of customers per mile of line is decreasing. However, [illegible] number of practical and satisfac- [illegible] 1, 1930 to a yearly consumption of 5,775 kilowatt-hours per mile.

RURAL MEETINGS HELD

In an effort to call to the people's attention some of the ways that farmers throughout Alabama are using electricity to make it pay its own way, the Company has conducted a series of meetings in rural communities throughout the State to which electric service has been extended. It has not been the purpose of these meetings to attempt to sell electrical equipment, but it is entirely an effort to assist the existing customers in obtaining increased value from their electric service.

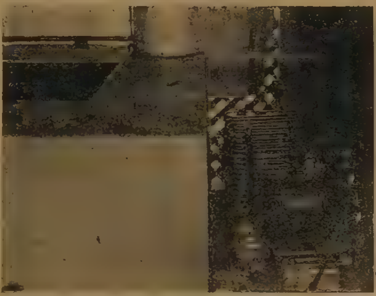
Fifty-five of these meetings have been held in different communities, with a total attendance of about 6,100 people. The meetings have consisted of a brief discussion by employees of the Company as to how farmers of the State are profitably using electric service, followed by a three-reel moving picture that illustrates some of the uses of electricity on the farm.

CHILTON HEARS MESSAGE

Five of these meetings were held in Chilton County, at Jemison, Thorsby, Verbena, Isabella and Maplesville, with an attendance of about 660 people.

The Company employs Agricultural Engineers who have had experience at farming and training in agriculture followed by several years' experience and studies of the uses of electricity on the farms of Alabama. These men devote their entire efforts to assisting rural customers with their problems pertaining to the uses of electric service, and in assisting other farms in their effort to get electric service. Their services are available to farm users of electricity at all times, without any obligation of the farmers to the Company. All that is necessary to have one of these men come to your home and make a study of your problems, with reference to making electric service more valuable to you, is to advise the Company's office nearest to you.

LET US HELP YOU MAKE YOUR ELECTRIC SERVICE "PAY ITS OWN WAY" ON YOUR FARM.



Wherever available, dairies use electricity for milking, water pumping, cooling, etc.

One of many completely electrified Alabama rural homes.

Electricity is becoming increasingly popular with poultrymen.

Typical rural power substation.

The electric range is the farm wife's most treasured possession.

The electric water pump is power's biggest contribution to the farm.

The portable all-purpose electric motor can perform many tasks.

Electric insect control and irrigation as used by truck growers.

CHILTON — CLANT

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Located In The Finest Agricultural, Fruit and Dairying Section of South

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FARMERS HARDWARE COMPANY

CLANTON, ALABAMA

SAMPLE SHOE STORE OF CLANTON ONE OF MOST ENTERPRISING FIRMS

Headed By Ben Margolis Firm Serves Large Clientiele; Only Highest Grade Shoes And Lowest Possible Prices Are Carried In Large Stock

One of the youngest firms in Clanton, and yet one which has already made a splendid reputation for quality merchandise and splendid service, and which is showing a pleasing growth, is the Sample Shoe Store of this city. This firm was organized and begun business at their present location on 7th Street, April, 1930. Ben Margolis is owner of the business and is a shoe man of years of experience.

The store throughout has an inviting and bright atmosphere with courtesy augmenting the pleasure of buying. The splendid array of shoes for the entire family is carried in more than 100 styles. Such makes of shoes as Central, Hamilton-Brown, and Endicott Johnson are carried. These shoes have been priced to meet the purse of everyone. Only the latest and snappiest styles in footwear are carried and Mr Margolis is constantly on the alert for any changes in styles that are made. In addition, Mr. Margolis carries a complete line of mens' and womens' house slippers, Ritz hosiery and a line of mens' wear.

The show or display windows of the store are the handiwork of men who must have received their ideas through years of experience. It is not exaggerating to say that the display windows of the Sample Shoe Store are the most original of any in the country, and the general appearance of the bright display of its vast assortment of shoes, hosiery and mens' wear is accentuated throughout.

"No Sale Is Complete Until Our Customer Is Satisfied," is the slogan of this firm.

BEN MARGOLIS

Mr. Ben Margolis was born in Cincinnati, Ohio, in 1898, and is the son of J. B. Margolis of Wetumpka, Alabama. He received his education in the schools of Cincinnati, and upon finishing entered the shoe business. His years of experience in this line have taught him the value of properly fitted shoes to the welfare of ones' health.

In April, 1930, Mr. Margolis removed to Clanton and the people of this section are very fortunate in having a shoe store of this character in their midst. Mr. Margolis believes in Clanton and Chilton County and is a real Booster.

. B. A KINSON
Attorney-at-Law
[illegible] Over Robinson Department
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Clanton, Alabama

Read Our Advertising.

India holds many secrets which might be valuable to the Western world. A good many women of the [illegible] how Gand- [illegible] in keeping with [illegible]

J. P. BEAN AND T. A. MADDOX ARE HIGHLY COMMENDED FOR VALUABLE WORK AS COMMISSIONERS FOR COUNTY IN THE PAST FOUR YEARS

During the administration beginning in 1927 and ending in 1931, these gentlemen deserve prominent mention in this Booster edition. They were associated with their co-workers, Judge Reynolds and Mr. Vinson and Mr. Burnett. Mr. Bean and Mr. Maddox were active and voted for every relief measure proposed for the county, such as relieving all road subjects of road duty for 1931. Neither of these gentlemen in their official capacity ever voted against a measure that was proposed for the welfare of the county.

Both of these gentlemen are progressive farmers and stand for the best of everything in their community.

SCOUT EXECUTIVE

JOHN J. SIGWALD

The Scout Executive of the Central Alabama Area Council, of which Clanton District is a real part, is John J. Sigwald. Mr. Sigwald has his headquarters at Opelika, Alabama, and visits Clanton several times each month.

Through the efforts of Mr. Sigwald Scouting has been developed in Clanton District. Today troops 47 of Clanton and 51 of Lock 12 under Scoutmaster John Mullins and Sam Powers respectively are meeting weekly. In addition a Cub Pack at Mitchell Dam with boys 9, 10 and 11 years of age is organized under direction of Mr. John Hollis. The rural [illegible] in Chilton County now has an opportunity to be a Boy Scout since [illegible] of Lone Scouts in this District.

Mr. Sigwald has been in Scouting since the age of 12 and six years ago took Scouting, then his hobby, as his vocation. He counts many leaders of this community and county among his friends.

The Scout Executive works with the adult leadership of the District and hepls them to carry the Scouting program to the boy.

Last week on Mr. Sigwald's visit to the office of the Chilton County News he thanked the paper for their splendid cooperation in publicity especially during the recent Anniversary Week and in this 'Booster Edition.'

Although it was her first jump, Alyce Rahman of San Francisco, stepped out of a plane 4,000 feet in the air, pulled her parachute cord, and floated down to a perfect landing.

Miss Vivian I. Milner, city manager of Kinsley, Kans,, is said to be the only woman holding such a position in the United States.

Mrs. Anna Tillinghast, the first woman appointed to the office of commissioner of immigration for the port of Boston, recently received reappointment for four more years by President Hoover.

Miss Reenee Ordee of New York is touring the world by motorcycle as far as possible. She has chugged across the U. S. A. and has taken a liner for England.

Mme. Schumann-Heink is one of the world's greatest and most beloved singers, and has sung for benefits in almost every city in the world.

Judge Theresa Meikle is San Francisco's first woman judge in charge of the women's department of the municipal court.

Mrs. Jos[illegible]ine Syrina Samantha Eliz[illegible] [illegible] tini Ida Iesc.e Car- [illegible] of Ori[illegible] believed to have the longest name of any woman in the United States.

FARMERS HARDWARE CO. ONE OF MOST PROGRESSIVE FIRMS IN ALA.

Clanton Concern One Of The Best In Section Since Organization In 1923

Traveling step by step with Clanton and Chilton County's procession along a course that has led this city and county to their present high stage of business and industrial development, and still going hand in hand with Clanton and Chilton County, on the climb to a future of even greater renown and success is the Farmers' Hardware Co. of Clanton.

This concern is today one of the oldest and largest concerns of its kind in Clanton and carries a stock of goods which compares favorably with that of hardware stores in much larger cities. Not only does the store carry everything that could be desired and that is usually found in a hardware store, but it also carries a line of staple furniture, radios, rugs, floor coverings, building material, farm implements, plumbing and pipe fitting, fencing and electrical supplies.

The firm serves as local dealer for Majestic radios, Simmons beds and mattresses and springs, Washington stoves and ranges, and Winchester guns, ammunition and tools. Occupying a two-story building on the corner of 2nd Avenue and 7th Street, this firm has 8090 square feet of floor space, where the goods are displayed. The first floor is devoted to shelf hardware and supplies, while the second floor is used to display furniture. A warehouse 50 x 80 feet is maintained where farm implements, and other surplus stocks are carried.

In March, 1923, E. M. Jones, who is senior partner, J. R. Jones and Lester Jones, purchased the stock of Downs Hardware Co. E. M. Jones was born in Coosa County, Alabama, July 1, 1881. He was reared on the farm and received [illegible] education in the schools of that county. Mr. Jones is not actively engaged in the Farmers Hardware Co., devoting most of his time to his lumber business, which he has conducted for several years.

J. R. Jon[illegible] is manager and [illegible] for the Farmers Hardware Co. He was born, [illegible] and received his education in the schools of the county. He moved to Clanton and entered the employ of the Downs Hardware Company, until 1923. He is a member of the Masonic Lodge and of the Baptist church.

Lester Jones is Junior member of the firm. He was born in Chilton County and graduated from Chilton County High School in 1923. He entered the business soon after finishing school, which was first year of this business. He is a member of the Woodmen of the World and of the Baptist Church.

This firm is a believer in Clanton and Chilton County and individually and collectively are Boosters.

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Cretors Famous
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Clanton, Ala.

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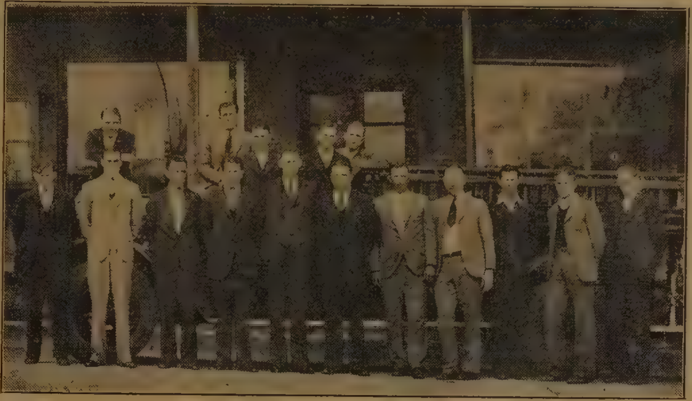
CLANTON'S VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPT.



FIRE FIGHTERS OF CLANTON HAD RATHER BATTLE FLAME THAN EAT

First Fire Fighting Force Organized In 1929 With M. F. Jones Chief; Thoroughly Equipped with Modern Machinery

On November 5th, 1929, the first fire department of Clanton was organized by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen. Macey F. Jones was chosen as Captain and the department contained the following members: Milton Smith, Earl Gore, Elwin (Doodle) Gore, Albert Davis, Ress Driver, Eddie Wyatt, Webb Parrish, W. H. L. Smith, Calvin Lenoir, Norman Roberts, Marcus Polk, Wagoner and Durwood Teel. Prior to the organization of this department, the property of Clanton was protected only by means of an unorganized body of men. The solons of the city realized the value of an organization that the property of its citizenry should have better protection.

The Fire Department has been provided with modern fire fighting apparatus and equipment, an American La France fire truck with a 500 gallon a minute pump, 1250 feet of fire hose, 3 ladders and 45 gallons of chemicals.

Several large fires have been among the number of fires handled since the organization of the department, and in every case the firemen did everything within their power to protect the interests of the property owners.

Late in 1930 Mr. Jones resigned as Chief and was replaced by W. H. L. Smith, who has also proven to be a very capable leader. The present members of the department consists of: Milton Smith, Earl Gore, Elwin (Doodle) Gore, Albert Davis, Ress Driver, Eddie Wyatt, Webb Parrish, Norman Roberts, Wagoner, Sleepy Miller, Hardy Jones, Arthur Broadhead, Geo. Johnson, Jack McMurray and Rufus Brown.

CITY OFFICER

C. A. (RED) SHERROD

Mr. Sherrod, who has charge of the night patrol of the City of Clanton, was born in Birmingham, Ala., November 4, 1895. He attended the Lakeview and Paul Hane schools of that city.

He served on the police force of Birmingham for approximately 14 months. He was also connected with the Edwards Motor Company, of the Magic City as an automobile salesman for sometime. Officer Sherrod came to Clanton in 1928 as an automobile salesman for a local dealer, and was awarded membership in the "72 Car Club" two consecutive times, showing his outstanding record as a salesman.

It was in November, 1930, that Officer Sherrod accepted his present place as policeman in Clanton. He was married to Mrs. Rita Ethel Critchfield, of Evansville, Indiana on December 20, 1928, and Mr. and Mrs. Sherrod make their home in Clanton.

Officer Sherrod is very energetic in taking care of his duties as night policeman and the people of Clanton have a sure feeling of safety with him on duty.

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Dean Inge says that the only way to be really orthodox is not to think at all. Many find little difficulty in being orthodox.

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We read that an opera singer threatened with flu recently sang her role "encased in mustard plasters." It is hoped that both performance and plasters drew well.

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We can't help envying the fellow who is morally and financially independent enough to keep away from people and places that bore him stiff.

COMMISSIONER

J. L. BURNETT

J. L. Burnett, member of the Commissioners Court of Chilton County, was born in this county near Thorsby, December 10, 1877. Son of Lewis Oliver and Melinda Jane Burnett, pioneer residents of the county.

Mr. Burnett received his education in the schools of this county, and has been engaged in farming since boyhood, and is considered one of the most progressive farmers of the county. He is an active member in the Missionary Baptist Church at Stanton, being one of the deacons of that church.

Mr. Burnett has served faithfully as a member of the Commissioners Court of this county for six year, during which time he has shown clearly as a most progressive citizen of the county. He advocated the elimination of county road tax in the county during recent months.

During the administration of Mr. Burnett as a Commissioner, he has also advocated better bridges in the county and has realized his vision in transferring the county bridges from plain, small wooden structures, to modern steel or creosote structures. In Mr. Burnett's district, he has built more than 250 miles of good roads, made from small, narrow country roads.

Along with the other progressive commissioners of the county, he has purchased modern road machinery, and has seen the road building industry in this county revolutionized. Mr. Burnett has assited in managing the county's affairs as if it was a part of his own business, and with his cooperating with other members of the board and the management of its affairs, it ranks first in its financial stability.

On January 1, 1901 Mr. Burnett was united in marriage to Miss Lizzie E. Lawrence of this county. Mr. and Mrs Burnett have been blessed with eleven children, and now reside in the western part of Chilton County, where they have made their home a happy one for five years or more. Their home life has been ideal and it is from homes of this type that our future citizens will come to rule the destinies of our great nation.

The Chilton County News appreciates Mr. Burnett because of his stability and personal reliability.

Clanton Shoe Shop Is One Of The Cities Most Progressive Firms

Modern Machinery And Skilled Shoemakers Repair Any Type Shoe

I. D. ARMSTRONG

Seven or eight years ago the people of Clanton and Chilton County were [illegible] a disadvantage from the standpoint of shoe repairs. The old type cobbler being unable to repair shoes in most cases to please the trade. Too many styles in footwear have made it necessary that modern machinery be installed and experienced shoe makers as operators.

In the Clanton Shoe Shop, which is owned and operated by I.D. Armstrong the people of Clanton and surrounding territory have a modern shoe hospital. Here you will find Champion Shoe machines to do anything that can be done to a shoe. Resoling, half soling, reheeling, the repairing of uppers and all other kinds of repairs can be had at the lowest possible prices. Mr. Armstrong has a special machine for the repairing of shoe uppers. He is a shoe maker of years of experience and specializes on ladies shoes. The same class work is done on lower price jobs as is done on higher priced ones, the only difference being in the cost of material.

I. D. Armstrong was born in Andalusia, Covington County, Alabama, December 26, 1899. He received his education in the schools of Andalusia and entered the shoe repair business upon leaving school. He was engaged in this business in Andalusia, Opp, Dothan, Hartford, and Prattville, before removing to Clanton. He spent three years with J. E. Teel in Clanton and opened his business on 2nd Avenue four years ago.

Mr. Armstrong is a member of the Woodmen of the World and the Missionary Baptist church. He believes in Clanton and Chilton County and is a big Booster.

Mr. Armstrong was married to Miss Edna J Glenn of Prattville on June 8, 1924. Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong have one son, Benford.

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Einstein has a brand new theory of the universe, said to be only a trifle more difficult to understand than the Wickersham report.

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From the news pictures we observe that people who have become prominent had the foresight to have photographs taken [illegible]ly in life.

A BOOSTER SALE of Good USED CARS

Help BOOST BUSINESS by buying your good used cars now from your HOME OWNED AND HOME OPERATED DEALER.

The automobile business is the backbone of American industry, using more of our raw materials than any other business, and you can be a great aid in BOOSTING BUSINESS back to normalcy by buying that used car now.

And don't forget that we are home owned and home operated, therefore, you can buy from us in confidence, because we are vitally interested in your welfare.

CHEVROLET COUPE: Late car with low mileage. Looks and runs like new. We can make you good terms as we are particularly anxious to get quick movement on it. A bargain at —— **$400**

CHEVROLET CABRIOLET: 1929 Model. Bring in your old car and trade it in on this modern 6-cylinder Chevrolet. You will be surprised to see such a high grade value that we offer in this at **$375**

CHEVROLET SIX TRUCK WITH CAB: Very late model and in good condition. Owner had a very good reason for trading this truck to us. Our mechanic has gone over it thoroughly. Here is a value that will surprise you —— **$300**

CHEVROLET COACH 1928 MODEL: This one just came in a few days ago. The best 4-cylinder car ever built. If you are interested in a late model, come in and see this at —— **$200**

CHEVROLET COACH: Here's a low priced car that has some real transportation left in it and which can be bought at a bargain price. Better come in at once for this at —— **$125**

CHEVROLET TOURING 1928 MODEL: We have cut the price $35.00 to move it quick. It has been thoroughly checked and is in good running condition. A real bargain at —— **$185**

CHEVROLET SIX TRUCK WITH CAB: Here's a truck that is good as new. Has been thoroughly recondition and new rubber, and it won't be with us long at this price. The price is **$400**

CHEVROLET TRUCK, LATE MODEL: Owner had a very good reason for trading this truck to us. our mechanic has gone over it thoroughly. Here is a value that will surprise you —— **$175**

CHEVROLET TRUCK With CAB and BODY: Just the truck for you. It has a lot of good transportation left in it, and can be had for a low price See this truck today **$125**

CHEVROLET COUPE 1928 MODEL: Just traded for this one and it's one of our best buys. Looks and runs like new. Just another case of the owner getting enthusiastic over the new Chevrolet 6 **$200**

MODEL A FORD COUPE: Here's one of our best buys. The owner of this one got enthusiastic about the new Chevrolet 6 and made us a proposition that will enable us to offer you that at **$300**

MODEL T FORD ROADSTER: A nice neat looking job, in good condition. Just the car for you to "Knock-About" in and only —— **$65**

DODGE SEDAN 1928 MODEL: Here's a bigger car at a small cost. If you have use for this type of car you'll buy it just as soon as you look it over at only —— **$175**

CAN YOU USE A MODEL T FORD? We have quite a few we will sell at give away price. Motors and rubbers are in good shape. Come in and pick out one We're going to move them right now regardless of price

Polk Brothers Motor Company, Inc.

Chevrolet Cars and Trucks., Clanton, Ala.

MERCHANT

J. B. TIFFIN

The advancement and prosperity of a town or county is measured only by the type of citizenship within its boundaries. If this may be taken as a criterion, Clanton and Chilton County will unquestionably exceed all expectations. The type of citizenship referred to above is exemplified in J. B. Tiffin, manager and secretary and treasurer of the Tiffin-Klinner Furniture Company of Clanton.

Mr. Tiffin was born in Red Bay, Ala. December 24, 1882, the son of E. Edward and Loutishia Tiffin. Mr. Tiffin was reared on the farm and received his education in the schools of Franklin County, remaining there until 21 years of age.

In 1906 Mr. Tiffin and his brother, Robert Tiffin, entered the hardware and furniture business in Red Bay, Alabama, and built up a wonderful business in that city. In 1919 Mr. Tiffin sold his interests in this firm to his brother and removed to Birmingham where he entered the furniture business, which he conducted for about four years. In 1925 he became a member of Broadhead Klinner Furniture Co. of Birmingham. In July, 1929, Mr. Tiffin removed to Clanton and established the Tiffin-Klinner Furniture Co. of Clanton. Under his management this firm has grown in a little over one year, until today it is one of the leading firms in Clanton and Chilton County.

Mr. Tiffin is a public spirited man from every angle. He is interested in Clanton and Chilton County. He believes in its possibilities and its people. He is active in all the phases of social, civic, religious and business life. He is a member of the Methodist Church of Clanton.

On May 1st, 1909, Mr. Tiffin was united in marriage to Miss Nola Walton and to this union have been born three fine children, Thomas, who is connected with the Tiffin-Klinner Co., James, and Mary Lou, who is a student at Alabama College, Montevallo Ala.

L & N AGENT

JOSEPH ALLEN HESTER

Joseph Allen Hester is the popular agent for the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company of Clanton. He is the son of William T. and Julia Hester, and was born in Chilton County in 1865. He was reared on the farm and received his education in the schools of Chilton County.

In 1890 Mr. Hester entered upon his business career as telegraph operator [illegible] in which position he was [illegible] actively [illegible]

He is one of Clanton's leading business men and is held high in the esteem of the L & N Railroad. He is a believer in and a Booster for Clanton and Chilton County, and is active in the many phases of community interests.

Mr. Hester was married to Miss Beverly Mae Herring of Birmingham, Ala. in 1899. Mr. and Mrs. Hester have two fine sons and two lovely daughters. Joseph is a young business man of Atlanta, Ga. William is a student in Howard College, Birmingham, Ala. Margaret is a student at the University of New York and is a prominent young business woman, and Beverly is teacher of pipe organ and piano at Judson College, Marion, Alabama.

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The phrase about "government of the people, by the people, for the people," was probably only another of Lincoln's little jokes.

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CLANTON BOASTS OF ONE OF MOST ACTIVE KIWANIS CLUBS IN STATE

Organization Shows Splendid Record Of Work And Accomplishments During Its Three Years Of Existence Here

"We Build," a slogan that is the background of Kiwanis Clubs over the entire world, stands out boldly with solid evidence as the slogan that is lived by the members of the Clanton Kiwanis Club.

The Kiwanis Club of Clanton was organized in January, 1928, with a membership of several of the prominent business and professional men of the town as charter members, who realized the need and value of such an organization for their growing little city.

Since its organization three years ago, the Clanton Kiwanis Club has studied the needs of the town and county, mapping out several worthwhile and commendable programs and objectives for each year. Each of the past three years has carried a record of merit of the work done by this fine organization of Clanton.

C. E. Stapp, who is County Agent of Chilton County, was elected as the president of the club at its birth, with Dr V. J. Gragg as vice-president and W. M. Wyatt secretary. These three outstanding men of Clanton served that first year and their untiring efforts toward building the organization, and at the same time carrying out a program of work that was beneficial to their community, bearing to its fullest extent the motto, "We Build." They had come most commendable cooperation from all their members in this work

At the election of officers for th second year of the club, C. E. Stapp succeeded himself as president, as did Dr. Gragg and W. M. Wyatt These men again left behind them another year of fruitful service.

Dr. Gragg became president of the Kiwanis Club at the third year, with J. Mell Martin as vice-president and Ernest A. Childs as Secretary. With these men at the head of the club, and the various committees in the club, another year of marked progress was left behind and larger preparations were made for the coming year.

January 1, 1931, found the Clanton Kiwanis Club one of the most active in the state. J. Mell Martin was elected as president, with W. M. Wyatt, vice-president and Billy Smith, Secretary.

Throughout the life of the Kiwanis Club of Clanton every objective outlined by the club was realized and their work has received recognition from outstanding sources over the state. One of the most commendable steps made by the club was the making of an opportunity for crippled children to receive free examinations from well known specialists on such work at no cost, and in many cases treatment was made and those treatments successful.

Much credit is due to Dr. Gragg, J Mell Martin, C. E. Stapp and W. M. Wyatt for the growth of the club. These men were backed by the business men of the town with the interest of their town and country at heart, and now while the club is at a height, the various committees are striving for bigger and better things at al times.

The club meets each Thursday at which time interesting and instructive programs are given.

At this time the Clanton Kiwanis Club boasts of twenty-three members, all active in their respective efforts toward making their club an outstanding service to its constituents at all times Those comprising the membership of this organization are:

J. Hance Alred, druggist; Frank J. Callen, banker; John Hollis, supt. of power plant; Frank James, publicity; J. Mell Martin, funeral director; Renfroe Mullins, merchant; John C. Page, banker; Percy Pitts, attorney; Marcus Polk, automobile dealer; Sam Powers, supt. of power plant; Lee Smith, mayor; Raymond C. Smith, attorney; Billy Smith, newspaper; Cohen Stapp, county agent; Reedie Taylor, merchant; Erle Thomas, vocational teacher; Lloyd Warr, principal high school; Leonard Williams, power company; W. Mack Wyatt, newspaper; V. J. Elmore, merchant; E. E. Upchurch, druggist; Sam J. Ezell, minister, and M. Lande, merchant.

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In proportion to population, more patents are issued to Swiss inventors throughout the world than to residents of any other nation.

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America is said to absorb 85 percent of the diamond output of the world, the largest and finest gems going to the United States.

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Of Kans' 105 counties, 49 are named for men who saw service in United States military forces.

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Japan and Germany are the only countries competing successfully with American moving picture films in their domestic market.

BAPTIST PASTOR

S. J. EZELL, Th. D.

Dr S. J. Ezell, pastor of the Clanton Baptist Church, was born at Chesnee, Spartanburg County, S. C. He was educated in the county schools, and when 18 years of age entered Clemson College, taking his degree with honors. In 1909 he taught in Parker-Brewton Junior College in Georgia. In October, 1909, he entered the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, where he completed the Th. M. degree, May 1913. He served the First Baptist church, Marianna, Ark., after his graduation until September, 1915, when he resigned and re-entered the Seminary to take his doctor's degree in Theology. The degree was awarded in May, 1917, with the predicate summa cum laude. Upon his graduation, he entered the army as Religious Work Director for the Y. M. C. A. and was stationed as preacher for two years at Camp Oglethorpe, Chattanooga, Tenn. At the close of the war, he was called to the pastorate of the Eatonton Baptist church, Eatonton, Ga., and served in this pastorate until he was called to the Clanton Baptist church in 1922. Dr. Ezell has not only done a remarkable work with his church, but also for his town and county in relief and educational lines.

Dr. Ezell is a member of the Masonic lodge and Kiwanis Club of Clanton.

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PRINCIPAL V. H. S.

W. E. G. SUTTON

Professor W. E. G. Sutton, principal of Verbena High School, was born at Pascagoula, Mississippi, on September 5, 1892. His father was a school teacher, and it was from him that he obtained the foundation of his education, in the elementary schools of Louisiana and Alabama. He attended the First District Agricultural School at Jackson, Alabama, graduating there in June, 1908. For three years he worked in country newspaper offices, and then entered the teaching profession in Escambia County. In 1918 Professor Sutton enlisted as a private in Company G, 322 Infantry, and with it saw service in France. He was commissioned second lieutenant of infantry in April, 1919. From 1921-1925 he served as principal of Verbena Schools, organizing and accrediting the high school there in 1923. Professor Sutton received his B. S. degree from the University of Alabama and his M. A. degree from Vanderbilt University, from which latter school in 1928 he returned again to Verbena, where he has since been principal of the high school. He is a Methodist, Mason and a member of the Phi Beta Kappa and Kappa Delta Pi fraternities.

Prof. Sutton in July, 1928, was married to Miss Evelyn Beck, of Glenwood.

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Isabella Community One Of Most Progressive In County

Homes And Farms of Community Speak Well of Progressive Spirit of Citizens Composing The Community

The past few years have marked much improvement in Isabella community and those surrounding communities touched by the vocational influence.

Within the last four years six evening schools have been taught in four different communities by the agricultural teacher. Three have been taught by the home economics teacher. The agricultural subjects were soil biulding, poultry, dairying, pastures, cotton, corn, home beautification, etc. The home economics subjects were foods, clothing convenient and efficient homes, and child care. During these evening classes the people had some of the best informed men of the state to lecture to them and answer any question or problem they were having with their chickens, home beautification, etc.

You will find eleven newly painted homes within a mile radius of the school building. Many others have done some remodelling, inside improvement, and planted a lawn or put out shrubbery. Fifteen of these houses have electric lights. The lights aren't the only convenience and luxury you find. Radios, irons, stoves and churns. Three homes have running water.

Almost every home has a nice little orchard and it well pruned and cared for. The poultry is much increased and improved by culling.

Pure breeding, better housing, disinfecting, and balanced feding; better pastures for both cows and hogs have been made. Several head from some of the best Southern herds are in our community and every family is improving his own from these.

Every farmer uses good methods in the selection of his seed every year and sprays and poisons for the enemies. When the vocational department was established so many of the farmers had almbost abandoned the idea of growing cotton due to the wilt and boll weevil. Now many are making near a bale per acre. Of course, they use the Auburn method of fertilizing.

Six years ago there was one riding cultivator in the community. Now there are above fifty under the vocational supervision. There was also barely enough vocational boys to maintain the department and this year the enrollment is thirty-eight. These boys have planted shrubbery around the agricultural and main buildings, put a concrete floor in iron shop, painted wood shop, built a Farm Bureau store room.

Four exhibits have been put on at Selma, Birmingham and Montgomery. $400 have been obtained from them, which was used to improve the school.

Marked improvement is noted in all the school girls' clothes. The color selection and lines are more becoming. Also their mother's ideas have changed. The remodeling of furniture, painting, and papering of rooms, selection and hanging of pictures and drapery, show considerable attractiveness. More palatable and nutritious scvhool lunches are noticed.

The greatest fact we wish to boast of is that no one from our community is needing welfare aid.

Dentist Of Maplesville, Ala.

DR. HARVEY M. NIX

Dr. Harvey M. Nix, popular dentist of Maplesville, was born in Maplesville on September 21, 1887, and is the son of the late J. P. Nix.

Dr. Nix was reared on a farm and received his elementary education in the schools of the county. Upon his graduation from high school he was employed in the general mercantile business in Randolph, Alabama, where he remained for some time. He chose as his profession the practice of dentistry, realizing the importance of well kept teeth as a safe guard to health, and entered Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tennessee to pursue this course. In 1909 he graduated from Vanderbilt and immediately began his practice in Maplesvile.

Dr. Nix is unquestionably one of the outstanding men of Maplesville and Chilton County. He is one of the most public spirited men of the county and is always ready to put forth every effort possible to promote the welfare of his town and county. He is a very active man in all the social, civic, religious and political activities of the county. His pleasing personality has made for him a host of friends the number of which can be numbered only by his acquaintances. His dental practice in Maplesville verifies the above statement, as he has built up a wonderful practice.

Dr. Nix is a Vice-President of the Bank of Maplesville, a member of the Alabama Dental Association, member of the Masonic Lodge, and of the Baptist church.

On July 6, 1911, Dr. Nix was united in marriage to Miss Mae Potts of Maplesville.

THE NATIONAL COMEDY

An interesting and almost comic situation in Congress is commented on by Wm. L. Daley, Washington representative of the National Editorial Association, in a recent news letter. It concerns control of the new Congress elected last Fall which seems within reach of either of the two parties that wants it.

Strangely enough, according to Mr. Daley, neither party appears to want control and its accompanying responsibilities. If the Republicans organize the new Senate and House, a coalition of Democrats and Insurgent Republicans can thwart their legislative plans, as has been demonstrated in certain recent instances. If the Democrats gain control, a Republican President could easily defeat any legislation not to his liking through the veto power.

So, whatever happens, it is very likely that the next Congress will be a rather futile body, incapable of any accomplishments upon which to appeal to the country in the elections of 1932. And neither party seems desirous of taking the responsibility of leadership when prospects of making political capital seem so remote.

Although the Republican radicals have made a lot of noise during the present session, they have not gotten very far with their socialistic program. In fact, it is quite evident that the country at large is getting out of patience with their visionary schemes and the obstructive tactics they have adopted in an effort to put them through.

Seldom, if ever, in the history of the country have national politics been in a more chaotic condition, and the leaders of the various groups are all at sea with respect to the outcome. Therefore, we may see unusual and even frantic efforts at buck-passing at Washington during the next few months. And buck-passing is an indoor sport at which politicians are past masters.

Their antics in this line between now and the next presidential election will assume the aspect of a national comedy.

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Mrs. C. E. Stapp Is Superintendent Of This Work; "Help Them Help Themselves" Is The Slogan Of This Department

WELFARE SUPT.

MRS. C. E. STAPP

Mrs. C. E. Stapp, Chilton County Child Welfare Superintendent, began child welfare work in Chilton County January 1st, 1929, and a year before this time served as school attendance officer for Chilton County. She is a graduate of Franklin Academy (High School) Columbus, Miss., graduate of Montevallo, 1919, and has later attended 12 weeks summer course at Montevallo and 12 weeks the University of Alabama. During the war she won a cross from the American Red Cross for her hours of work in teaching the making of surgical supplies and immediately after the war went into County Red Cross work in Lamar County, where she worked for a year or more. She taught school five years before coming to Chilton County.

Mrs. Stapp, before her marriage to Mr. C. E. Stapp on April 11, 1920, was Miss Lillie Seay, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. M. R. Seay, of Fernbank, Ala., Lamar County, she being the youngest of a family of eight children.

JUDGE SMOOT HAS SPLENDID PAST RECORD

Covers Circuit Composed Of The Counties of Chilton, Elmore, Autauga

It is indeed a pleasure for the News to devote a space to mention one of the most prominent men in law affairs in this section of the country, namely, Judge George F. Smoot, of Wetumpka, Ala., who is Judge of the Nineteenth Judicial Circuit which is composed of the counties of Chilton, Elmore and Autauga.

Judge Smoot was born in Wetumpka, April 28, 1884, the son of R. E. and Cora Smoot. He received his education in the Agricultural School at Wetumpka, and studied at the University of Alabama.

He practiced law in the Elmore county district beginning in 1910, until 1922 when he became a Circuit Judge, which honored place he now holds. Judge Smoot spends some time in Chilton County and his friends here are countless, the same term can also be applied wherever he is known. His fairness in dealing out justice stands out, and at the same time he upholds the laws of his country in a most honorable manner.

Judge Smoot is due a large amount of credit for his efforts in his early life to educate himself, and realize his ambitions which, judging from present positions and past positions held by him, were among the highest of ideals.

Mrs. Smoot is one of those charming ladies of Wetumpka and Elmore County, who make friends at every angle. Judge and Mrs. Smoot have been blessed with three children, and their family life is among the happiest.

One of the outstanding phases of work being done in Chilton County is the work of the County Child Welfare Board. Children of this county are today being given the best of opportunity through this social service work. In general the child of today and tomorrow is to have more opportunities than the child of yesterday, because individuals as progressive members of society, of the present, are working and planning to give all children, whether dependent, neglected, delinquent, normal or abnormal, the opportunities that will meet their needs. Welfare workers are striving to adjust needy children physically, mentally and socially. In so doing better citizens ar being developed for the county, stat and nation.

There is one outstanding day in th lives of many children in Alabama an many yet unborn. That was September 25, 1919, the day the State Legislature approved an act providing fo the establishment of a child welfare department for children under 16 year of age. It was established in order tha the State itself might more effectivel reach these children in need of car and protection. Alabama has accepte the doctrine of prevention, realizin that the seeds of adult illiteracy, poverty and crime are sown in childhood It is cheaper in dollars and cents and far cheaper in human misery and tear to save the child than to electrocut the man after a career of crime; to educate the child than to provide alm houses to care for the pauper; to cur a child's physical defects than to buil hospitals for the incurables. So whe parents have failed to perform the duty to their children and dropped ou or wilfully neglected and mistreate them the final responsibility of thes children rests with the State.

The first Child Welfare Board Chilton Co. was organized and the wor efficiently launched on January 1, 192 Mrs. C. E. Stapp was elected Superintendent of Child Welfare. The cou ty Child Welfare Board is composed Probate Judge L. H. Reynolds, ch'm B. Lawrence, Clanton; Earl Parrisl Treasurer, Clanton; C. C. Conwa Jemison; A. P. Vinson, Clanton; M C.N. Parnell, Maplesville; Mrs. Irby D Ramus, Verbena, and Miss Ruth Jon Clanton.

The aim, value and advantage of t work had to be put before the publ Children and parents had to be show the value and necessity of an educat and encouraged to back their schoo The purpose of the work had to be terpreted to the community, the nee and the unadjusted. Community spi in these matters had to be create This work grew to such an extent tha it was necessary to have an assista or connecting link between the Sup intendent and County Welfare Board and the schools. In each school co munity, of which there are 55 in Chilt County, there is what is known as a "Key Person," who acts as this c necting link.

In this Child Welfare work M Stapp, as Superintendent, serves un the Chilton Co. Child Welfare Board, the Chilton County Board of Edu tion and the Commissioners Court.

It is her duty to act as atten ance officer, to assist the teachers in enforcing the compulsory attendance law; to cooperate with the State Child Labor Inspector in the enforcement of all laws relating to the employment of children. She serves as County Probation officer when appointed by the Judge of Probate Court; to cooperate with the State Child Welfare department and all other agencies, public or private, having the care of or giving relief to children, and to make such vestigations of any child in the cou as the State Child Welfare Dep ment or County Child Welfare B may direct. Mrs. Stapp acts as pa officer under the direction of Sup tendents of State institutions for child paroled from such institution living in Chilton County. She k records of all cases handled and b ness transacted in such manner form as may be presented by the S Child Welfare Department.

The physicians of the county are lending every means possible to assist in every way possible, and are rendering medical service in many cases free of charge.

Through the work of Mrs. Stapp and the County Welfare Board many children have been made happy and many families have been made to realize t place in the community and to accept their responsibilities.

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With its record of only 11 sunless days during the last 19 years, Gunnison Colo., claims the title of the "Suns City of the World."

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GIRL SCOUTS REAL BOOSTERS FOR CHILTON

Clanton Troop Organized In November, 1930, Sponsored By Kiwanis Club

The Clanton troop of Girl Scouts sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Clanton was organized last November with Miss Zora Guy as captain. This troop, known as Troop No. 1, has sixteen girls registered with National Headquarters as tenderfoot scouts and who are now preparing Second Class requirements. Other members of the troop are preparing the Tenderfoot test.

The following is the present membership:

Grace Plyler, Elizabeth Harris, Helen Roberts, Elizabeth Gragg, Mary Frances Rasberry, Mary Charles Cox, Nell Neighbors, Dixie Johnson, Mary Edith Jones, Mary Nell Jones, Mary Belle Bean, Margaret Jones, Pauline Plyler, Dollie Belle Harris, Hilda Hart, Helen Moore, Elizabeth McSwain, Lucille Scroggins, Frances Davis, Celia Gerald, Mary Courtney Jones, Kate Fallin, Alice Petty, Elizabeth Lawrence, Ruth Gowan, Eloise Rasberry, Evelyn Maddox, Thelma White, Elizabeth Williams, Louise Marcus, Viola Mae Carroll, Evelyn Poe and Peggy Page.

The above thirty-three girls are divided into three patrols as follows:

The Peewit Patrol with Nell Neighbors as leader and Frances Rasberry, assistant leader, has the following members: Mary Charles Cox, Frances Rasberry, Grace Plyler, Mary Edith Jones, Mary Courtney Jones, Alice Petty, Ruth Gowan, Elizabeth Williams, Evelyn Poe, Nell Neighbors and Peggy Page.

The Tiger Patrol with Pauline Plyler as leader and Elizabeth McSwain, assistant leader, has the following members: Elizabeth McSwain, Helen Moore, Hilda Hart, Elizabeth Lawrence, Celia Gerald, Dollie Belle Harris, Elizabeth Gragg, Evelyn Maddox, Louise Marcus and Elizabeth Harris.

The Pine Tree Patrol with Margaret Jones as leader and Dixie Johnson, assistant, has the following members: Dixie Johnson, Mary Nell Jones, Helen Roberts, Frances Davis, Lucille Scroggins, Kate Fallin, Mary Belle Bean, Eloise Rasberry, Thelma White and Viola Mae Carroll.

This group of girls in an effort to prove that they are Real Scouts, sold Christmas decorations last Christmas to raise money to give fruit to some of the needy families of Clanton. This was done in co-operation with the welfare department.

"Being a girl Scout is a wonderful opportunity for Clanton's girls," says Miss Guy. "Girl Scouts find fun in hiking into the woods. They become able to tell north from south by the moss on the trees, or east from west by the shadows. They learn to talk to sister scouts across a river by signaling. They learn to know the principal trees and birds and animals that they meet; and know which are poisonous weeds or reptiles; can find they way by the stars as did the Indians and pioneers before them."

The Scout "Good Turns" to someone each day make them many friends—for the way to have friends is first Be One. The motto is "Be Prepared," and girl Scouts think through in advance what they would do in case of fire or storm.

Girl Scouts always try to be useful citizens. They help their community through service. Clanto Girl Scouts will "serve" their community March 13th, when they will aid in keeping order at the County Field Day program.

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War Veterans Urged To Act On Rights

Disabled World War veterans who have not been able to "follow continuously any substantial gainful occupation" since discharge, are facing a loss of a part of their insurance rights, American Legion officials warned recently.

Unless these veterans act to obtain their rights before July 3, monthly payments from their insurance will be lost to them, it was stated Thursday.

The last compensation law entitles veterans to additional compensation rights. All who find themselves incapacitated should become informed of their rights, the information stated.

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A recent survey discloses that 125 languages are used in Europe.

Extra Copies Of This Issue For Sale

Those who wish extra copies of this edition of the News may obtain them by calling at the News office. There has been reserved a very limited number of these copies which will be sold at ten cents per copy, to those who wish to send one to some friend out of town.

This number is very limited and it would be advisable to get your copy early, before the supply is exhausted.

TIFFIN - KLINNER FURNITURE CO. TO MOVE SOON

Moving Into Large Fox Bldg. Where Larger Quarters Are To Be Had

The announcement was made this week that the Tiffin-Klinner Furniture Company of Clanton will move into larger quarters. This information was given out by J. B. Tiffin, manager of this furniture concern.

The Fox Building, located on Sixth Street, just south of the courthouse, will in the future house the Tiffin-Klinner Furniture Company. This new home will give the company considerable more floor space on which to display their large line of furniture. Mr. Tiffin also stated that they are to begin receiving more goods right away and their stock in their new home will be much larger and more complete than before.

It was stated that they expect to be open for business in their new home next Saturday and invite the public there.

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Claude Conway of the Jacksonville School was home for the past week end visiting his parents in the Isabella community. He had as his guest Bernard West, also a student at the Jacksonville School.

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Victim Of Negro Attacker Dies

John Clark, 28, of 312 Winona Avenue, Capitol Heights, Montgomery, died Thursday night at a local hospital of bullet wounds received Tuesday, February 17, when attacked by three negroes on a Louisville & Nashivlle freight train, two miles north of Letohatchie. He was shot three times in the chest and shoulder. Another bullet grazed the head.

Clark, a former fireman of Montgomery, left that city Tuesday night about seven o'clock with two boy friends, stating that they were going on a passenger train to Mobile to look for employment, but later Clark was attacked by three negroes on a freight train. He was first asked to throw up his hands, which he did and finding no money they demanded his overcoat, which he gave them. They walked back a few steps and juggled and then returned to him and demanded his shoes and socks. He hesitated to take them off telling them he had no money in them. They shot four times then threw him off the train. Clark was picked up later and carried to a Montgomery hospital, where his people were notified.

Shelby Weaver, another victim of the negroes, is reported improving at McKenzie, where he was carried after being shot, the same night Clark was mortally wounded. One of the negroes was shot by Police Chief Murphy, of Greenville, while trying to steal a truck in that city.

Clark was an ex-service man of the World War. He had lived in Montgomery for some time. Surviving are his widow, parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Clark of Mountain Creek; three brothers, Mason and Earnest Clark, of Montgomery, and Clyde Clark of Mt. Creek and one sister, Mrs. Flora Boone of Montgomery.

Funeral services were held at the home at ten o'clock Saturday morning in Montgomery. The body was carried to Liberty Church on the Birmingham highway for burial. The Leak Company was in charge.

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French manufacturers are mounting watches on cigaret lighters, key rings and various other articles of utility or ornament.

SPECIAL EDITION OF THE NEWS

Quite a number of the people of Chilton County have not had the pleasure of reading a copy of the Chilton County News, so we are taking it upon ourselves to send a sample copy to every box holder in the county, both post office and rural routes and hope that those who do not take the News will read it and study it from every angle.

This special CHILTON COUNTY BOOSTER EDITION of the Chilton County News, was published at a great expense, and is one of the largest and most attractive editions ever published in the county, carrying the largest collection of photographs ever published in one single edition in the county.

Our aim and intention is to publish a clean, newsy weekly newspaper, and though now the News has a circulation far above the average, we still wish to increase our number of subscribers.

In this issue of the News will be found many articles of valuable information, along with numerous photographs, that will be looked back to within a few years with no small degree of delight, so we would suggest that you preserve this issue for future reference and to look back on for proof of progress as the years roll by. We were anxious to secure a photograph of every school and church in the county and as many individuals as possible, but circumstances prevented us getting many of them.

The merchants, business and professional men and the citizens in general have aided us in no small way in compiling and publishing of this BOOSTER EDITION. Some aided in a financial way, while others assisted by giving information and cooperation, and we wish to extend our sincerest thanks and appreciation for each favor shown our staff.

We can truthfully say that we have been more than pleased with the splendid response and cooperation in this undertaking to boost, build and advertise our county to the outside world, and we believe that this step will not be regretted in the least by those taking part in it.

Respectfully,

BILLY SMITH, Editor.

CHILTON PLAY DAY IS SET FOR MARCH 13TH

Varied And Entertaining Program Scheduled for Red-Letter Day In County

Teachers, patrons and Chilton county folks are looking forward with pleasure to Friday, March 13, as their day of gala festivities. Public speakers, general good will ambassadors are scheduled to meet at the Chilton County High School at Clanton in the interest of school children of Chilton County. Every child's heart swells with pride when approached with the subject of Field Day and the possibility of entering the three-legged race, relays and best of all seeing his or her exhibit along with the other schools of the county.

Supt. Lawrence and the high school principals are cooperating one hundred per cent in making this the Red-Letter day in school assembling. Each child of school age is urged to participate in the organized play activities. Among these activtities are:

1. Organized Parade.
2. Spelling Bee.
3. Special Stunt from each school.
4. The Hoop Race.
5. Sack Race and many other equally as entertaining.

The Parade will start at Chilton County High School at 9:00 o'clock. The Spelling Bee will be conducted during the morning session. Each school in the county will send its ONE best speller to take part.

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UNCLE SAM SAYS—

The new Hiawatha National Forest in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan is the 150th in the national forest system.

Black locust develops rapidly in early years, an important factor in growing it for fence post timber.

Guinea fowl meat is increasing in popularity as a substitute for game birds such as grouse, partridge, quail and pheasant.

On the average, cows in Denmark give more than 40 per cent more milk than cows in the United States.

Iowa produces more pop corn than any other State.

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Misses Celia and Betty Baldwin spent the past week end at their attractive home Edelweiss, in Mountain Creek, Ala.

DEMOCRATS ARE CALLED TO MEET HERE SATURDAY

Co. Executive Committee Has Called Meeting For Ten O'Clock A. M.

A call has been sent out this week stating that the Chilton County Democratic Executive Committee will meet on next Saturday, February 28th, according to P. D. Wilson, Secretary of the Executive Committee.

The meeting is scheduled to be held at the New Wilson Hotel, at ten o'clock Saturday morning. All Democrats are invited to come and sit in at this meeting. Several important matters will be brought up and discussed, it was stated.

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CONCORD JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

The following is a list of boys and girls who were neither absent nor tardy during the month of February:

Junior III—Virgil Robinson, Lucille Johnson.

Junior II—Robert Lynch, Mary Lucy Parrish, Delene Robinson.

Junior I—James Brown, Frank Calloway, Effie Easterling, Flora Mae Mims, Willie Mae Moore.

Sixth Grade — William Easterling, Dalton Mims, Tasker Powell, Joe Cox, Vonnie Blalock, Louise Johnson, Rachel Lynch, Dorothy Mae Mims, Etta Gentry.

Fifth Grade—Marie Robinson, Morris Mims.

Fourth Grade—Dewey Minor, Addis Wyatt, Vanny Guy, Mabelle Johnson, Myrtice Mims, Marzelle McDowell, Imogene Mims, Effie Mae Easterling.

Third Grade—Jaunita Mims, Gertie Mae Miner, Lorene Mims, Mary Ethel Easterling, L. E. Guy.

Second Grade— Leonard Bice, Lamar Blalock, Kathleen Mims, Verna Mims, Lois Mims, Annie Pearl Devaughn, Roy Mims, Jim Moore, Newton Gentry.

First Grade — Ethel Mae Miner, Chrystal Kennedy, Mildred Johpson, Lorene Johnson, Willie Cox, Willodean Blalock, J. C. Collins, Winston Ingram, Annie Belle Bice, Pluma Brown, Acie Mims, James Payton, Milton Taylor, Ross Tippett, Herman Blalock.

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Try vanilla ice cream with hot baked Indian pudding.

Some Facts About This Issue

It is estimated that over 50,000 people will read this issue. Over 1½ tons of paper, and fifty pounds of ink were used. Said to be the largest issue ever published in this county. The press used, made over 50,000 revolutions while printing thes edition.

The front page cover was specially designed. There are over 125 photographs included. A corps of seven workers were kept busy compiling and printing for several weeks. It is believed copies will go into every state in the union.

CHILTON WILL BE INCLUDED IN 6TH DISTRICT

Congressman Wires Welcome To County Into Sixth Congressional District

Chilton County will become one of the counties composing the Sixth Congressional District of this State, when this new ruling goes into effect on March, 1933.

The Sixth Congressional District will then be composed of the counties of Bibb, Greene, Hale, Perry, Sumter, Tuscaloosa, Shelby and Chilton.

The Congressman to represent the Sixth Congressional District when it goes into effect in 1933, will be elected in 1932.

A wire to the News received Monday from Congressman W. B. Oliver, in which he extendet a cordial welcome to the people of Shelby and Chilton Counties into this new district reads as follows:

"On behalf of the people of Bibb, Green, Hale, Perry, Sumter and Tuscaloosa Counties I extend to the people of Shelby and Chilton a very cordial welcome into the family group which we affectionately call the Sixth Congressional District."

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Legionnaires Are To Meet Here Monday

The regular monthly meeting of the Chilton County Post of the American Legion is scheduled to be held on next Monday night.

The meeting will open at 7 o'clock, and will be held at the courthouse, the regular meeting place. All Legionnaires are urged to be present, and an invitation is extended to all ex-service men to attend this meeting also.

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JEMISON F. F. A. HAS AN INTERESTING PROGRAM OF WORK

The Jemison Future Farmers have constructed two flue-heated hotbeds to be used to grow potato slips from Big Stem Jersey sweet potatoes. These beds are located on the laboratory area and may serve as a pattern for the farmers in this section and also will be used this season by the members and farmers. The Big Stem Jersey sweet potatoes will be shipped while green in carload lots to northern markets. This is a new enterprise for this section.

Another part of this year's program of work is to run a variety test on strawberries, using the new variety Blakemore in comparison with the Klondike being grown in this section. The U. S. Department of Agriculture in their rather recent circular No. 93 advises that the Blakemore should have a thorough test wherever the Klondike is grown. The laboratory area is being used for this test. The year's program also calls for the introduction of the Young variety of dewberry, recommended to us by the L & N Railroad Agricultural Agents, to replace the Lucretia variety now used in this section. A variety test is now being conducted in the laboratory area. One cultural test will be conducted by the Future Farmers. Strawberries will again be used comparing the hedge system with the matted row system.

The F. F. A. boys are continuing with their last years program: the beautification and sanitation of the school grounds. Last year the grounds were sodded and additional shrubs were planted. The F. F. A. members take pride in the fact that their school led the way for school ground beautification in Chilton County and appreciates the many compliments that the people over the county have given the school for its landscape work.

—Ensley Atkinson, Reporter.

CASES DISPOSED OF IN CIRCUIT COURT HERE 17

Many Cases Are Continued To Later Sessions; Fines Imposed

Following are cases on the docket of the non-jury term of Circuit Court that convened here February 17th. and the action taken:

Fondie Young, et all, D. Bond, disc.

Napoleon Ray, V. P. L., nol prossed.

C. C. Simmons, petit larceny, con'td.

Walter Kelley, A. with a weapon, con'td.

Joe Bike, V. P. L., cont'd.

Joe Farmer, D. M. V. while Intox., cont'd.

prossed.

Pearlie Ware and Henry Sawyer, adultery, cont'd.

Tom Davis, V. P. L., cont'd.

Leslie Davis, D. M. V. while Iintox., nol prossed.

Jim Gennings alias James Janings, V. P. L., cont'd.

George Huett, V. P. L., cont'd.

Joe Tom Middlebrooks, V.P.L. contd

Charlie Roper, V. P. L., nol prossed.

Hayes Varner, et al., D. Bond, disc.

Odis Jones, Public drunkenness, fined $50.

Lafayette Watts, assault and battery, nol prossed

Dan Jackson, V. P. L., cont'd.

Willie Pilgreen, Fraudulent check, withdrawn.

O. A. Price, D. M. V. while Intox., cont'd.

Will Henry, Reckless Driving, cont'd.

Hattie Robert, V. P. L., cont'd.

Renza Mims, V. P. L., cont'd.

John Kelley, V. P. L., cont'd.

C. E. Dessenger, Reckless driving, nol prossed.

C. E. Dessenger, absconding after an accident, nol prossed.

Arch Robinson, fraudulent check, cont'd.

Gene Stockdale, V. P. L., fined $50.

Loyd Caton, V. P. L., fined $50 and costs.

Angolas Ratliff, A. & B., cont'd.

Homer Ratliff, Dist. Public Assembly, cont'd.

Leslie Davis, reckless driving, nol

Elijah Thomas, V. P. L., cont'd.

Claud Hunt, V. P. L., fined $50 and costs.

Marion Chandler, A. I. O. L., cont'd.

E. E. Middleton, reckless driving, nol prossed.

Terse Killingsworth, A. I. O. L., cont'd.

Harry Weissbuck, reckless driving, cont'd.

Richard Palmer, reckless driving, cont'd.

Ervin Wilson, V. P. L., cont'd.

Namon Oden, V. P. L., cont'd.

Jent Oden, Petit larceny, nol prossed.

Albert Townsend, receiving stolen property, nol prossed.

Willie Jones, C. C. Pistol, fined $50.

Merle Deats, A. I. O. L., cont'd.

T. D. Alias Tip Roper, V. P. L., continued.

John McHeard, presenting fire arms, nol prossed.

Ed Adams, presenting fire arms, nol prossed.

Henry Underwood, petit larceny, not guilty.

J. C. Goodson, petit larceny, sent. to hard labor.

Coy Ray, public drunkenness, fined $50 and costs.

Coy Ray, malicious injury to property, nol prossed.

William Allen Mickey, A. & B., nol prossed.

G. W. Coburn, maintaining an insan-

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Play To Be Given At Thomas Junior School

"Aaron Slick from Punkin Crick," is coming to Thomas Junior School on Friday, February 27, at 7:30 P. M. It is a three-act comedy. See the widow Berry (Mrs. Pearl Parrish). She wants to sell her farm and move to the city. Mr. Merridew (Melvin Lansford) a city slicker, who meets his match in Sis Riggs, the tomboy. (Hercie [illegible] Jones). The mysterious youth, Clarence Green (Clifton Parrish). Aaron Slick (Argus Pressley), in love with the Widow Berry, get the best of the city slicker. The girl in red (Mrs. [illegible] Lou Crew) almost gets the best of Aaron. Gladys Mae Mer[illegible] ([illegible] Nora Hand) niece of Mr. Me[illegible] knows nothing about the country.

A scream from start to finish [illegible] six quartets will entertain between acts. Sponsored by Thomas P.-T. A. for benefit of the school. Admission 10c and 20c.

Jemison High School Shows Progressive Spirit Prevails

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In 1922, the Board of Education and citizens of Jemison saw the need of a larger and better school building to accommodate the children in the northern section of Chilton County.

Five acres of ground were deeded to the State by Mr. N. Langston to locate the new building. The first unit of this building carried seven classrooms, an office, library, and an open corridor; the second unit was constructed in 1924 which added an auditorium and two basement rooms; the third unit was a vocational building with two large rooms and a shop; the fourth unit was a home economics department with three rooms and a science laboratory; lastly, the corridor was encolsed. The building is well planned and substantially constructed It was completed at a cost of approximately $38,000, and is a pride of the town and the county school officials The building is used to accommodate both elementary and high school pupils in the northern part of the county

Library

One of the marked advances in the Jemison High School within recent years has been in the facilties and management of the library. It meets the State's requirements in the way of reference books, current periodicals, unabridged dictionaries, books in the fields of social science, natural science, agriculture, home-making, health, recreation, manual arts, and vocational guidance.

The library books are classified and arranged according to the standard system known as the Dewey decimal classification. Shelf lists are made and a standard loan system, including the card record system, is in use.

By a plan of teacher-pupil cooperation the school offers an all-day library service. Under the direction and responsibility of a teacher plans are made by which either teachers or trained pupils are in charge throughout the day

Many Successful Alumni

In the office of the principal there are the names of more than seventy-five graduates who are today holding responsible positions, and are succeeding in the practice of their profession. The positions of these graduates vary greatly, including: farmers, nurses, teachers, aviators, preachers, and merchants.

The school is steadily growing and has developed into one of, if not, the largest school in the county. Seven years ago there were only three small buses bringing children to this school. Today, there are ten large ones. The school has an enrollment of 554 students. These students are under the guidance of fourteen well trained teachers.

The High School teachers are: J. A. Peterson, principal; J. P. Montgomery, vocational agriculture; Miss L. Newell, home economics; Mrs. Seymour Reynolds, Miss Bessie Jessie, Mr. Zane Turner; Mr. Vaughn, Miss Holliday, music teacher.

Grammar School Teachers: Mrs. Littlejohn, Miss McMae McNeill, Miss Jessie Mims, Miss Marjorie Murphy, Mrs. J. P. Montgomery, Miss Mary Clements.

The department of vocational agriculture was added to the curriculum of the Jemison High School in 1927. There is now an increase of thirty per cent in the enrollment of all-day students in vocational agriculture. Including this year's program there has been a total of nine evening schools taught to adult farmers. They consist of the following unit courses. five in crops and fertilizers, two in dairying, one on poultry, and one in horticulture. Two of these evening schools recently won jointly the state prize offered to farmers in organized instruction for the economical production of cotton.

Among the agricultural changes in this section during the past few years has been the planting of Austrian peas and vetch for green manure crops, the Auburn method of fertilizing cotton and corn, an increase in the planting of hay crops, the planting of pastures which brought a growth of the 5 cow dairy industry, the development of poultry flocks and the growth of orchard and truck crops

Jemison is located nearly half-way between Birmingham and Montgomery and with a paved highway the farmers here are taking advantage of their possibilities in truck farming. As a result of truck farming they were in better financial condition than most farmers elsewheer when this past autumn brought a drop in the price of cotton to ten cents. In addition to having enviable local markets, strawberries are shipped thru their local cooperative association in carloads into markets of the north.

This section is unusually fortunate in that its farms are generally tilled by white farmers who own and live on them. The main line of the L & N Railroad centers this county, making it possible to get a fast freight or express upon very short notice. All these factors are leading toward an increase in truck crops in this section. This season marks the introduction of the Young variety of dewberries into the county by farmers in the Jemison territory to be grown and gradually built to carload shipments. The Lucreta variety has already proven a local success here, but will not be continued until the Young is first worked with. The Jemison, Thorsby and Clanton strawberry associations are importing for the first time the Big Stem Jersey sweet potato. This potato will be shipped in carload lots.

With the "Live at Home Program" as a basis a surplus of it all to sell, by taking full advantage of its opportunities this section may now be facing a brighter day than it has ever known.

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WALTER B. HUBBARD DIED AT HIS HOME HERE LAST SUNDAY

Walter B. Hubbard, age 55, died at his home near the mill village here last Sunday afternoon at four o'clock.

Funeral services were htld on the following Monday at Liberty Hill, with Dr. S. J. Ezell, officiating, and Martin in charge.

The deceased is survived by his widow and one son, Alfus, and several other relatives.

VOC. INSTRUCTOR JEMISON H. S.

J. P. MONTGOMERY

J. P. Montgomery is the popular vocational instructor at the Jemison High School of Jemison, Alabama. He hails from the State of Mississippi, where his family have played a most important part in the growth, advancement and progress of that State. His grandfather, Colonel W. B. Montgomery, a graduate of Princeton University, imported the first Jersey cattle into his section and introduced the growing of [illegible] into his section. He was very instrumental in the establishing of the Mississippi A. & M. College at Starkville Miss., recognized today as one of the finest A. & M. Schools in the United States, and served as a member of the Board of Trustees of this institution for a number of years.

Mr Montgomery is conducting an evening school for adult farmers, besides teaching agricultural work in his department at the Jemison High School. His evening school farmers have won state prizes for producing cotton grown by use of Chilean Nitrate of Soda. His chief object is to develop truck crops in the county that may be shipped in carload lots into the Northern markets.

Besides being a man of highest merits as a teacher Mr. Mntgomery is one of Chilton County's most progressive citizens. His untiring efforts and pleasing personality have made for him a host of friends. He is vitally interested in the growth, prosperity and advancement of the community and county, and takes a very active part in all social, civic, and religious activities.

Mr. Montgomery was born in Starkville, Miss., and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Montgomery. He received in the schools of Starkville his early education, graduating from the high school there and also the Missisippi A. & M. College of that city, receiving the B. S. degree. He has almost completed his work at Auburn which will confer upon him the M. S. degree. He first taught school at the Oktibbeha County High School and Povola County High School in Mississippi. Mr. Montgomery removed to Jemison in 1927 from Shelby County, where he was connected with the schools of that county.

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The Central Alabama Hospital, headed by Dr. V. J. Gragg, has proven of indispensable worth to Clanton and to Chilton County. Here one is assured of every modern medical and surgical accessory and adequate hygienic conditions. The Central Alabama Hospital has become more than a hospital—it is an institution. For under Dr. Gragg's supervision it has become celebrated for the number of medical and surgical cases that have been successfully handled under the trained eye of a physician who has had years of experience in the medical and surgical field.

In 1921 Dr. Gragg effected the organization that in the following year completed the Central Alabama Hospital. This hospital is unquestionably one of the best in the state in the matter of modern equipment and service, with model operating room, with X-Ray facilities of the most approved type and with bed accommodations for thirty patients. Dr. Gragg holds clinics at his hospital, which in the ethics of his profession, may be considered an open hospital, its service being of inestimable value in Chilton County and its advantages being utilized by patrons from many other counties.

In connection with this metropolitan little hospital is maintained a well ordered training school for nurses. The records reveal the fact that all nurses who have graduated at this institution have passed the State board with high averages.

More than $3,000 has been spent in charity work in board and nurses' services, not to mention the charity medical and surgical work done by the various doctors who do work at the hospital.

Miss Grace Robinson is superintendent of the Central Alabama Hospital and is a graduate nurse of wide reputation. Much of the success of this hospital is due to the untiring efforts of Miss Robinson.

Dr. Vincent J. Gragg was born in Chilton County October 3, 1876 and is a son of the late Vincent J. and Emily (Baker) Gragg. He received his elementary education in the schools of this county and later taught in the rural schools for a period of seven years.

In consonance with his ambition he finally began the study of medicine at Louisville, Ky. He later attended Tulane University and was graduated as a member of the class of 1908, with the degree Doctor of Medicine. In his alma mater he has since taken post graduate work in the surgical department of his profession.

Dr. Gragg is one of the most liberal and progressive citizens of Clanton. He has been indefatigable in his efforts to advance the civic and material progress and prosperity of his home city and county, and has given prolonged service as county health officer. He was a member of the City Council for several years as well as Mayor of Clanton for several terms. He is a member of Chilton County Medical Society and Alabama State Medical Association, and has membership in the Southern Medical Association and American Medical Association. Dr. Gragg is a member of the Kiwanis Club having served as its second president, a Mason and a Noble of the Mystic Shrine, and is affiliated also with the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

DR. V. J. GRAGG
President Central Alabama Hospital

J. A. PETERSON

Julius Albert Peterson was born in Goodwater, Alabama, in 1896. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Peterson. His father was a prominent physician of Coosa County, Alabama, practicing medicine there for 31 years.

Mr. Peterson was reared on the farm and besides acquiring his elementary education in the schools of Coosa County, he graduated from Hanover High School. He attended the Alabama Polytechnic Institute at Auburn, Ala., and was graduated from that institution in 1918, receiving the degree B. S. Later he attended the George Peabody College of Nashville, Tenn., and Columbia University in New York. He received his M. A. from the University of Alabama in 1928.

Mr. Peterson's first experience as a teacher was obtained at the Coosa County High School where he served three years as assistant principal. He was assistant principal of Chilton County High School for one year. He came to Jemison in 1924 and has served seven years as principal of the Jemison High School.

Mr. Peterson is a World War veteran and served his country throughout the war as a member of the 30th Division. This division it will be recalled, aided in breaking the Hindenburg line. He saw nine months of active service overseas and was in many of the major battles. He was in the Argonne Forest where he participated in two battles, one while on the offensive and one while on the defensive. He fought in two battles at St. Mihiel, one on offense and one on defense. He was engaged in the battle of Woevre.

While in Europe Mr. Peterson visited in England, France, Belgium, Luxemburg and Germany. He is a member of the Masonic Lodge and Methodist church. He is also a member of the Kappa Delta Pi, honorary educational fraternity. He is a Booster for Chilton County and is active in all the phases of community spiri

In 1924 Mr. Peterson was united in marriage to Miss Etta Fulmer of Goodwater, Alabama. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson have one fine son, Julius Albert, Jr.

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Some Facts About Chilton County

Baker County was organized about 1870, since the name has been changed to Chilton County. Chilton County is the geographical center of the State and the center of population of the State, is in Chilton County. Population in 1930 was 24,579, has three main lines of railroads running through the County. It has a U. S. paved highway running north and south and a first class State gravel road running east and west. The County is principally agricultural, all kinds of truck can be grown in this county. Many carloads of strawberries, watermelons, and peaches are shipped out of this County each year. Some of the largest peaches ever grown in the South were grown in Chilton County. It has plenty of power for all kinds of industry. Alabama Power Company has two large electric plants in this county. Clanton is the largest town in the county, over 2000 population with a small corporation, over 2500 people live in less than a mile of the Court House. Clanton is situated on the B line cement highway running north and south and L & N railroad, forty miles from Montgomery and sixty miles from Birmingham and the State gravel road running east and west passes through Clanton. Farmers can get into Birmingham, Selma, Montgomery or Anniston with a truck load of any kind of farm produce they raise in a little over one hour.

The County is bounded on the east by Coosa River where the water has been backed up by the dams of the Alabama Power Company, making a pond forty miles long, from a mile to three miles wide some places as deep as one hundred feet and the hills along the bank makes fine location for summer resorts. Over fifty new bungalows and camp houses has been built along its banks in the last few years. No trouble to catch all the fish out of the river anyone wants during the spring and summer months. Many have been caught out of this pond that weigh as much as seventy-five pounds. It is a fine place for boating, hundreds already have boats in this pond. The high hills cool springs, and bathing advantages makes the banks of this river in Chilton County one of the most attractive resorts in the South. This county has built good roads to all the main points along the river and will be glad to furnish new roads where people buy property and build houses as it is the intention of the County commissioners to make the river banks in Chilton one of the most attractive resorts in the south.

This county has twenty-four mail routes and several others coming into this county from other counties. Some fifty school bus routes which traverse about twelve hundred miles practically every day and besides this twelve hundred miles the county has seevral hundred more miles of public road that automobiles can travel any day in the year without putting on chains.

This County has six banks doing a good business. One at Jemison, Thorsby, Maplesville, Verbena, and two at Clanton, making six in all. This County is one of the healthiest counties in the State and is one among the counties having the lowest death rate in the State. Taking this county as a whole, it is one of the most prosperous agricultural counties in Alabama. The farmers are said to be in better condition in this County than any other County in the State. Road Officials say that Chilton County has the best country road system of any county in the State.

No finer citizenship can be found in any place than is found in Chilton County. Strangers are always welcome into our midst.

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MRS. VICTORIA ROBERTS DIED LAST THURSDAY AT HOME

Mrs. Victoria Hubbard Roberts, age 44 years, wife of Bennie Roberts, died at the family home on Lay Dam Road, near Clanton, last Thursday afternoon. She had been sick for seevral days with pneumonia.

Burial was at Liberty Hill cemetery Friday. The funeral was conducted by Rev. S. J. Ezell.

Mrs. Roberts is survived by her husband and four little children: Mary Frank, Donald Hubbard, Janice, and Benjamin Douglas. The last named is a boy only five months old.

There are two sisters of the deceased. They are Miss Jennie Hubbard, of Thorsby, Route 1, and Mrs. Annie Jernigan, of Eufaula; two brothers, Jake Hubbard, of Thorsby, Route 1, and Thurman Hubbard, who lives at the McKee place near the Mahan old mill on Yellow Leaf.

The friends of the family very deeply sympathize with Mr. Roberts and his little children in the great loss that has come to them.

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For the last six years George A. McCain, dealer in live stock, has played an important part in supplying locomotion for farming and industry in this section of Alabama.

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This company occupies a large feed and sales stable on 7th St., and here is kept at all time a number of the finest mules, horses and live stock to be found. Mr. McCain's slogan is "Everything Sold Under a Strict Money Back Guarantee." This has been his policy since entering this business and you will find Mr. McCain to be a man of his word. He has associated with him in the business Mr. J. L. Penton, a man who knows the mule and live stock business from every angle.

Sells Best Stock

The George A. McCain Company sells the finest stock of mules which hail from the National Stock Yards of Missouri and Tennessee. According to Mr. McCain, who handles most of the buying and selling, the company operates over a radius of 60 miles from Clanton. Mules and other live stock are sold in Chilton, Coosa, Bibb, Elmore, Autauga and Shelby Counties.

During the season from September to April Mr. McCain keeps several carloads of mules on hand so as to expedite shipments during the rush period. A carload of the finest mules will be received this week.

Veterans in the mule business, Mr. McCain has a wide knowledge of what the company's clientiele needs, and his business is said to have been attained through knowing and supplying the farmer with what he needs.

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The development of Ferrac reads more like a story from Arabian Nights than a modern business achievement, fascinating in its full detail that cannot be given in its entirety here. It comes from a deposit near Greenville, Ala., that is unique. From this deposit kept securely locked by Mother Nature between the eternal hills for hundreds of thousands of years come the mineral contents of this remarkable compound. Among the constituents are two in combination that make a chemical marvel. The greatest laboratories with the brightest minds in chemistry cannot combine them, yet Mother Nature placed them in the Greenville deposit in perfect combination. Hundreds of people from the United States and Canada have visited Greenville to be treated by this remarkable product and have gone away as living advertisements of its efficacy. Requests for the product have come literally from prince and pauper, and it has been sold in practically every section of the United States and foreign countries through the sheer power of merit alone, and with the expenditure of practically no money for advertising or other promotion up to the present time. Modern business has learned nature's secret and has taken it from twenty feet beneath the surface of the earth and put it into a modern package to aid in its perfect functioning the most wonderful machine in the world, the human body.

Ferrac is a marvelous combination of a large number of mineral salts of which magnesium, calcium and the sulphates of iron are an important part. Without alcohol, opiates, roots, herbs, or drugs of any kind, as harmless as the driven snow, but seemingly with almost no limit to its powers, it is daily overcoming ailments that have completely baffled all man-made medicines and treatments tried. For constipation, stomach troubles, gastritis, kidney disorders, anemia, high blood pressure, gall bladder ailments, and kindred troubles, no matter how complicated or of how long standing, count no case hopeless until you have first tried nature's own prescription to which man has added nothing and taken nothing from.

Ferrac is on sale at All Drug Store, or if your druggist cannot supply you from the Greenville Products Co., Greenville, Ala., upon receipt of price, $1.00 per bottle.—Adv.

METHODIST PASTOR

DR. D. W. HASKEW

Dr. D. W. Haskew, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Clanton. He was appointed to the Clanton charge at the last conference held at Mobile and immediately entered into his work here. In the few months that Dr. Haskew has been pastor of this church he has won the hearts, not only of the members of his congregation, but of the citizenship at large. The outlook at present is favorable to a most successful year. Dr. Haskew was born and reared in Clark County, near Grove Hill, Alabama. His early life was spent on the farm, where he received his early training, primary and high school education. Completing his preliminary school work he entered college at Southern University, Greensboro, Ala. where he received his college training. Dr. Haskew felt a conscious impression in early life that he was called to be a minister of the Gospel. During this transition from childhood to manhood there was never a time when he did not feel that this was to be his life's work. He therefore at 16 years of age, made application for license to preach in the Methodist church. From that time until today he has never wavered in his desire or determination to give God and humanity the best service he could render in helping to build up the church and God's Kingdom. After having finished his college course from the Bob Jones College, Panama, Fla., he was admitted on trial into the Alabama Conference at the age of 23 and immediately began his work at Freeport, Fla. Without any intermission, Dr. Haskew has served his church, filling many of the important charges in the Alabama Conference. He is now serving on several very important committees, which suggests and directs the endeavors of the work of the conference. In June, 1930, Dr. Haskew received the degree, D. D.

Dr. Haskew is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Haskew of Whatley, Ala. Mr. Haskew was a large landholder and progressive planter. However, be it said that the chief objective of his life was not the accumulation of property or worldly goods, but the desire of both mother and father was to give their children the best, both in environment and education. There are nine children who have reason to be proud of the achievements of their father and mother.

In 1903 Dr. Haskew married Miss Leila Gavin of Ponce de Leon, Fla. Dr. and Mrs. Haskew have one son, Lawrence D., who is now principal of the Greensboro High School. Lawrence D. graduated from Emory University, Atlanta, Ga., as one of the youngest students to graduate from that institution, finishing at the age of 18.

FOR SALE

We have the following equipment which was used at our Jemison branch and which we do not need as that branch has been closed.

Victor iron safe, used 2 years	$50.00
Steel Filing cabinet, 2 drawers	$10.00
Remington Typewriter	$20.00
McCasky Adding Machine, used 8 months	$35.00
National Cash Register, Cost $450.00 and good as new	$150.00
VanDorn 5-8 Electric drill, used 7 months	$50.00
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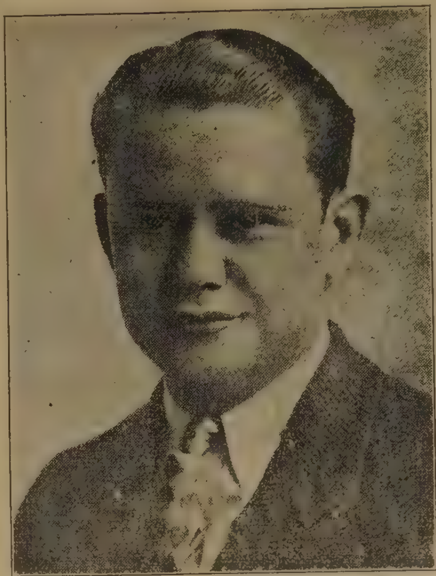

GEORGE A. McCAIN

MRS. GEO. A. McCAIN

Mr. George A. McCain, prominent live stock dealer, who is a resident of Clanton and is a busy man preparing the farmers for their spring work. His business of great importance for he is furnishing the motive power, in the form of fine mules to produce the commodities which make Chilton County rich in resources. Mr. McCain is a young man of sterling character who is making for himself a name for honesty and fair dealings with all whom he does business. While he has only been a resident of Clanton and Chilton County for six years yet he has won for himself a place in the hearts of the people and is classed among our best young business men. Mr. McCain was reared in Coosa County and is the son of Mr. W. B. McCain at Rockford. He received his education in the city schools of Rockford, Ala., having finished high school in 1921. He spent three years in college work at the University of Alabama. He therefore can be classed as one of our cultured young men of whom we are glad to speak of as being well prepared to meet the responsibilities of life.

Mr. McCain, in April of 1928, was married to Miss Mae Prater of Rockford. Mrs. McCain also was educated at Rockford and finished her education at the State College at Montevallo. Mrs. McCain is accomplished in music, and her charm and ability is a great asset to the social and church life of Clanton.

Mrs. Huddleston Hostess To Music Appreciation Club.

The Music Appreciation Club met at the home of Mrs. W. E. Huddleston February 17, with Mrs. T. H. Neighbors and Miss Madelyn Orr joint hostesses. The home was artistically decorated with vari-colored spring flowers. After a brief business meeting an interesting program on "Russia" was rendered, as follows:

Current Events, Miss Mary Louise Pack.

Orchestral Music (The Classic Period) Miss Della Latham.

Violin Duo, Mrs. Grady Broadhead, Mrs. Barney Roberts.

Russian Music, Peculiar Characteristics, Close Connection with Lives of Its People, Mrs. Warr.

Piano Solo, selected, Mrs. Huddleston.

Life and Works of Tschaikowsky, Mrs. Atkinson.

Piano Solo, selected, Miss Margaret Kendrick.

Chorus.

A delicious salad course was served.

Get Your Hemstitching Done at Wingard Bros. — Work Guaranteed.

Mrs. F. M. Connell Hostess To Circle 6.

Circle No. 6 met with Mrs. F. M. Connell Monday afternoon. Mrs. A. C. Smith conducted the devotional. Those present were Mesdames P. D. Wilson, A.C. Smith, T. M. Parrish, J. R. Hardy, E. G. Hyman, J. A. Hester, C. V. Heath, J B. Atkinson, Miss Bettie Mullins and Miss Laura Robinson, Mrs. A. S. Leatt, F. M. Connell. The circle will meet with Mrs. J. R. Hardy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Polk, Miss Mae Aniece Polk and Mrs. Charley Bradford motored to Sylacauga last Sunday and spent the day.

Hemstitching — All Work Guaranteed. Cotton, 8c yard; silk 10c yd. — Robinson Department Store.

The friends of Mrs. J. M. Curlee will regret to learn that she is in the Central Alabama Hospital for a few days.

Betty Hind, 13-year-old high school student of San Francisco, was recently awarded the Amelia Earhart trophy, offered to the girl whose model airplane could stay aloft longest.

THE FAIR STORE ONE OF LEADERS IN THE MERCANTILE INDUSTRY

MGR. THE FAIR

W. H. SARTOR

SALESLADY

MISS ALMA GENTRY

SALESLADY

MISS RUTH HAND

Miss Ruth Hand, popular saleslady for the Fair Store, is the daughter of W. W. and Catherine Hand of Clanton. She was born in Autauga County, and graduated from the Chilton County High School in 1927.

Miss Hand has been one of the valued employees of the Fair Store since October, 1930, she having had experience as saleslady in other firms of the city. Her pleasing personality and her friendly disposition have made for her a host of friends. Her winsome smile is one of the brightest parts of the Fair Store, and it is a pleasure indeed to have Miss Ruth tend to your needs as a customer of this firm. She deems it a pleasure as well as her duty, to see that every customer receives the most courteous treatment.

Miss Ruth is active in all the civic and social activities of Clanton and she is held high in the esteem of everyone who knows her. She believes in Clanton and Chilton County and is one of its greatest Boosters. She is a member of the Baptist church.

J. B. ATKINSON
Attorney-At-Law
Office Over Robinson Department Store
Clanton, Alabama

Helen Sloan of Hutchison, Kans., a student in the department of industrial journalism, Kansas State Agricultural college, won the Kansas' club 1930 poetry award.

Linwood Lawrence, Jr., 9, of Philadelphia, Pa., has read 101 books on science and the languages in a year.

Modern Department Store Is One of The Most Popular In Clanton

Sound business principles are said to have contributed to the reputation of W. H. Sartor, owner of the Fair Store, one of the largest and most modern department store in Clanton, occupying a spacious building on the corner of 2nd Ave., and 7th St. This store carries a large variety of high grade merchandise of the latest designs and creations and at prices that have made the store one of the most popular in Clanton.

The Fair Store sells to its large and growing clientiele dry goods of every description: Ladies' ready-to-wear, millinery, shoes, and every conceivable kind of merchandise carried by the largest department establishments in the country

The splendid array of merchandise has been priced to meet the pocket book of the man of modest means as well as of the rich

The store throughout has an inviting and bright atmosphere with courtesy [illegible] the corps of trained salesladies [illegible] menting the pleasure of buying [illegible] at the Fair Store [illegible]

Since entering the mercantile business more than 25 years ago Mr. W. H. Sartor has stressed the importance of service, courtesy and the ever striving effort to please his customers

The success of the Fair Store has been built on service and the business sagacity of handling the right kind of merchandise to suit the demands of the large clientiele of the popular department store. Excellent service is given every customer by Miss Alma Gentry and Miss Ruth Hand. Both of these young ladies are thoroughly experienced in their line and deem it a pleasure to serve

Perhaps one of the outstanding departments in the store is the ready-to-wear and millinery department of Miss Callie Watts. Miss Watts has a most attractive array of ladies ready-to-wear and a large and artistically designed millinery department with various styles of the latest creations in headwear. The lady cannot fail to find what she is seeking in the most chic millinery, dresses and coats in this department.

W. H. Sartor, founder of this modern establishment, is responsible for the success of the firm. His business ingenuity and long years of experience in serving a large populace with the right kind of prices, have resulted in this splendid monument to his character as a reputable and sagacious business builder

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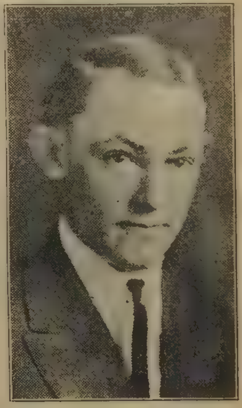

C. D. GIBBONS

Born in Chilton County in 1906 C. D. Gibbons is a young man of fine character and moral worth. He received his education in the schools of this county where he was reared on a farm.

In early life Mr. Gibbons learned the value of industry and is one of our young men who is just starting life with health, vigor and hope. His ideals are the best; he is a young man whose desires and aspirations are to form a character that will stand him well in hand when men of reliability are called upon to shoulder the great responsibilities of life.

Mr. Gibbons is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Gibbons, who passed away when he was three years of age. Therefore, not having father or mother on whom to depend, he learned in early childhood the accomplishments of self reliance. Mr. Gibbons has entered upon his life work in the services of the L & N Railroad, and he has great prospects of a successful future

In June, 1929, Mr. Gibbons was married to Miss Gertie Mae [illegible], of Clanton, Alabama.

Mr Gibbons is now employed as station accountant for the L & [illegible]

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Greetings, From Staff, Chilton County News

The Editor of the Chilton County News and his staff, through this Chilton Booster Edition, sincerely greet you.

To the people of Chilton County we pledge ourselves and our resources, to render you the best service we can give.

To the people of Alabama, we also pledge our cooperation to our fullest extent in all movements for the best interest of our great commonwealth

To everyone we extend a cordial welcome to our office.

BILLY SMITH
Editor and Publisher

Billy Smith is a native of Chilton County, born near Thorsby, Ala., and educated in the Clanton schools, the son of Mrs. Mamie C Smith, and was awarded the Victor Hanson Loving Cup for the most outstanding merit of service to his county during the past year He is also editor and publisher of The Rockford Chronicle, at Rockford, Ala., in Coosa County.

VERNIE L. TEEL
Associate Editor

Vernie Teel, Associate Editor of the Chilton County News and The Rockford Chronicle of Rockford, Ala., has charge of the mechanical department at the Clanton plant, and also assists in the editorial measures of both papers. To him is due a large amount of credit for building these two newspapers to their present high level. His untiring efforts to make this Booster Edition a success were outstanding.

File away your copy of this Booster Edition for Future Reference.

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John M. VanDerveer, Jr.

Who acts as an assistant to the Associate Editor of the Chilton County News and The Rockford Chronicle, having charge of the assembling department, stock room, and mailing. John plays a most important part in the operation of these newspapers, and is due much credit for the success of the News and The Chronicle, and this Booster Edition

BONNIE HAND

Bonnie Hand is the youngest member of the News force, and has charge of the stereotyping department. While new in the newspaper field, Bonnie has proven himself a most valuable member of the force. He has contributed in a large degree to the success of this Booster Edition.

J. H. BELL

Mr. Bell is business manager of the J. H. Bell Advertising Agency of Birmingham and Columbus, and directed the publishing of this Booster Edition. Mr. Bell and his staff of designers and feature writers apparently speeded up the arrival of prosperity to this section, and carried an air of optimism with them at all times. Mr. Bell's work on this Booster Edition has been outstanding.

R. C. (Bob) GORE

Mr. Gore is connected with the J. H. Bell Advertising Agency of Birmingham and Columbus, in the capacity of feature writer and secretary. Mr. Gore's special and unique work in that line for this Booster Edition assisted in a large way to make this edition a success. His pleasing personality and gentlemanly manners won for him many friends during the compiling of this issue.

News from Thorsby

Miss **FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent**

Mrs. E. L. Thornburg has as her guest for several days, Mrs. Haley of Oakman, Ala.

Miss Alta Eeach spent Thursday with Miss Frances Wilson.

Miss Pauline Bean spent Monday night with Miss Dessie Robinson.

On Saturday evening, February 28, there will be an open meeting of the Helen Keller Literary Society. It will consist of a play, "The Family Failing" and several musical selections. Everyone is invited. Admisison will be 10 cents.

The Missionary committee had charge of th Christian Endeavor program Sunday evening. Misses Myrtice Canington and Brown Russell presided. Talks were given on India and Africa. Miss Davidson sang a hymn 'In the Secret of His Presence," composed by a native of India.

Mr. Charles McKee 'of Lineville is the visitor of Miss Edna Lee Wilder for several days.

Mr. Sumner Gerald of Birmingham was a visitor in Thorsby over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray and Miss Vivian Roebuck of Birmingham spent Sunday in Prattville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin spent Monday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin.

Miss Bertha Littleton of Birmingham spent the week end with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Billingsley.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bean and little daughter, Ruby May, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pope of Birmingham spent Sunday with Mrs. Bean's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mims, of South Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Dix were visitors in Thorsby Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin and Peggy Mims, and Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway motored to Montgomery Sunday.

Miss Ethel Price of Boothton is visiting Mr. W. H. Wilson.

Mrs. Lee Pate entertained a number of her friends at a Rook Party Saturday evening. Refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray, Mr. and Mrs. John Childress, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pate, Mr. Cecil Eeach and Miss Vivian Roebuck of Birmingham. Mr. Mack Gray won high score for the men and Mrs. John Childress won high score for the ladies. The home was beautifully decorated in carnations and yellow jonquils.

Miss Vivian Roebuck of Birmingham was a viistor of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray over the week end.

Mrs. Harry Thompson of Birmingham was a week end guest of Mrs. L. E. Thornburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Marcus spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Collins.

The Sewing Circle met with Mrs. G. F. Harper Monday afternoon.

Miss Clara Hayes spent Sunday with Mrs. A. F. O'Barr.

Mrs. S. C. Wood and Mrs. J. E. Each spent Monday with Mrs. Pete Franklin.

Miss Della Jordan of the Education Society will speak at Congregational Church next Sunday morning at eleven o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jihn Goddard spent Thursday with Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Each.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Collins spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson Thursday.

Miss Mary Bratton of Collins Chapel took Sunday dinner with Miss Romie Lee Pate.

Mr. Frank Wood spent the week end in Birmingham.

Mr. Willie Scott of Montgomery spent the week end at home.

Mr. Dudley Thompson who is now in the Woodlawn Hospital in Birmingham is resting nicely.

Mr. J. P. Sorensen who has been in a hospital in Birmingham returned to his home Saturday, but he is not resting very well.

Grandpa Parnell is slowly improving.

Mrs. John Harrison Collins is not improving.

Rev. and Mrs. P. A. Lynch of Walnut Creek were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson Sunday.

The regular meeting of the Missionary Society met at the Baptist church Wednesday afternoon. Circle No. 3 was in charge.

There will be steroptican pictures at the Congregational church next Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Collins spent Sunday with Mr. Collins' brother, Mr. C. D. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson spent the day with Mrs. Wilson's mother, Mrs. F. R. Collins, Tuesday.

Mrs. W. W. Robinson of Lay Dam is spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Collins.

Miss Dude 'Childress spent Monday with Miss Mary Mims.

Mr. Briggs Hodgins of Jacksonville spent the week end at home.

Miss Evelyn Jones spent Wednesday with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jones, in Clanton.

Mr. Julius Smith is spending a day or two at Wedowee this week.

Mr. Oscar Bean has rented the Thorsby Meat Market from Mr. Bob Martin and will have meats of all kind for sale. He wil lappreciate your patronage.

Mr. Sam Pate is spending some time in Wedowee this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne Bryan of Tuscaloosa. were the guests of Mrs. T. W. Robinson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson spent Monday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Gibbins spent Wednesday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Collins.

A marriage of interest to friends in Thorsby and Collins Chapel was that of Miss Pauline Beane and Mr. Elbert Hall, both of Collins Chapel. It was quietly solemnized at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. C. A. Meade of Wisconsin Avenue, Saturday evening at 7 o'clock. Rev. Zac Appleton, pastor of Collins Chapel Church, officiated and only the immediate families and a few friends were present.

In the decoration of the living room a color not of pink and white prevailed. At one end, an altar was improvised of roses, sweet peas and ferns and silver candelabras held white tapers that gave the only light for the ceremony. Two tall baskets filled with roses were stationed at each side of the altar. Little Helen Louise Meade and Dorothy Howard stood just in front of these with a huge heart tied around them with an arrow through it. The following words were written across them, "I am your Valentine."

Preceding the ceremony Mr. C. A. Meade played "Neapolitan Nights," as a Saxaphone solo accomponied by Mrs. Carl Chambers at the piano. Following this Mr. Carl Chambers rendered "I Love You Truly" as a vocal solo accompanied by Mrs. Carl Chambers, who later played the wedding march.

Little Marion Howard, dressed in pink acted as flower girl. The bride's only attendant was her friend, Miss Jessie Dorminey, of Jacksonville. She wore an evening gown of alice blue flat crepe and her flowers were carnations.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Mr. C. A. Meade. Mr. Dock Chandler of Jemison served as best man.

The bride made a quaint and charming picture in her wedding dress of skipper blue crepe fashioned on princess lines with long flowing skirt. A contrasting note was the wide bertha of ecru lace. Her bouquet was snapdragons.

An informal reception followed the wedding service. A three-tier wedding cake centered a lace covered table decorated with pink roses and sweet peas. Misses Dessie Robinson and Edna Childress attended the serving table.

During the reception the bride and groom, accompanied by the bride's sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Meade, slipped away for a short wedding trip.

Out of town guests for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Meade of Calera and Mr. and Mrs. Jordan of Birmingham.

Miss Ruth Maddox of Clanton spent the week end with Mrs. R. M Smith

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Villadsen spent the week end with Mrs. Villadsen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robinson. Mr. Villadsen has ben transferred to Anniston.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bean are now living in the lower apartment of Mrs. P. K. Villadsen. We are glad to have back our old citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. Mixon spent a couple days this week with Mrs. Mixon's mother at Union Springs. They returned Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Moody of Birmingham spent the week end with Mrs. Moody's mother, Mrs. H. M. Gerald.

Miss Esther Johnson of Birmingham spent the week end at home.

The Ladies Guild will meet Thursday at two o'clock at Mrs. A. E. Raegans. Everyone has a cordial invitation.

Mr. Arnold Soberg of Birmingham spent the week end at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Soberg.

Mrs. Dixon Hall of Collins Chapel entertained the following at a wedding dinner at her home Sunday evening: Mrs. Robert Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Zac Appleton, Mr. and Mrs. Green Dominey, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Meade.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Meade and little daughter, Helen Louise, and Miss Dessie Robinson motored to Birmingham Tuesday.

Miss Pauline Bean spent Thursday night with Miss Edna Childress.

Mrs. Earl Meade of Calera spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Meade.

Miss Ruth Gerald of Birmingham spent the week end at home.

Miss Edna Childress spent Sunday night with Miss Pauline Bean.

The Annual Declamatory Contest was held at the Thorsby Institute Auditorium Saturday evening, February 21. It consisted of the following, "Going of the White Swan," by Gilbert Parker, rendered by Miss Margaret Peterson; "The Swan Song," by Katherine Ritter Brooks, rendered by Miss Wilma Goodgame; "The Truly Mother," by Dorothy Canfield Fisher, rendered by Miss Odell Rowe; "Beryl's Happy Thought" by Blanche Willis Howard, rendered by Miss Myradine Martin. There was an interlude here during which Miss Esther Johnson of Birmingham favored the audience with two solos. The program then continued: "Paul's Defense Before Agrippa," taken from Acts 26, rendered by Rev. Malcolm Lockhart; "What Think Ye of Christ?" by Dwight L. Moody, rendered by Mr. James Kincaid; "Give Me Liberty or Give Me Death Speech," by Patrick Henry, rendered by Charles Croker; "On the Death of LaFayette, by Sargent S. Prentiss, rendered by Conway Thornburgh. Miss Margaret Peterson won the prize for girls and Mr. James Kincaid won the prize for the boys.

Mr. Robert Ward is home on a ten day leave. He has just finished a period of military training at Hampton Roads in Norfolk, Virginia, where he has been stationed. Upon his return after his leave he will be transferred to the U. S. Naval Hospital at Portsmouth, Virginia. Here he will attend the Pharmacist Mat's School.

The Martha Washington Tea given at the Baptist Church last Friday evening was a big success. It was given by circles two and three of the Missinary Society. The proceeds amounted to $6.31.

MRS ELIZA A. BAKER, WIFE OF ALFRED BAKER DIED FRIDAY

Mrs. Eliza A. Baker, age 68, died at her home in the Walnut Creek Community last Friday morning following a lingering illness. She is the wife of Alfred Baker, one of the county's oldest citizens.

Funeral services were held on the following Saturday morning at Walnut Creek, with Rev. Lynch officiating. Interment took place in the Walnut Creek cemetery with Martin of Clanton in charge.

COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION IS TO BE MOVED

Will Occupy Potts Residence Located on Lot Adjoining The Court House

Information from county officials stated this week that the office of the Superintendent of Education in the courthouse on second floor will soon be moved into other and larger quarters.

It was stated that the superintendent's office will occupy the Potts residence located on the lot adjoining the courthouse on the East side. Work of repairing the grounds around the residence has been in progress this week. Old fences have been torn away and the place put in fine condition. The inside of the residence will be made to suit for the superintendent's office as soon as possible, it was stated.

It was learned also that considerable work is being done toward making a parking lot for county officials' cars on the lot near the Potts residence.

The trees bordering the lot around the courthouse have been trimmed and general cleaning up is being done there.

SHAW-ELLISON ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED LAST SUNDAY

The engagement of Miss Mildred Shaw to Mr. Ross Ellison was announced in last Sunday's Birmingham News, as follows:

"Mr. and Mrs. H. S Shaw of Clanton, Ala., announce the engagement of their daughter, Lynnie Mildred, to Ross O. Ellison, the weding to be solemnized March 22."

SEED CANE

I have about 3,000 stalks ribbon, seed Cane for Sale. — See O. O. ROPER, Clanton, Ala.

File away your copy of this Booster Edition for Future Reference.

My Best Girl

BY KATHLEEN NORRIS

Maggie Johnson, whose father is a letter-carrier, her mother a lazy woman who has "seen better days," and her sister a bootlegger's sweetheart, who works in a beauty parlor, is stock girl in the "Mack" stores, the Five-and-Ten of San Francisco. A boy whom she knows only as "Joe Grant," but who is really Joseph Grant MacKenzie Merrill, son of the owner of the "Mack" is learning the business by starting at the bottom. He doesn't like the job until he meets Maggie. And neither of them realizes that they are falling in love with each other, at first. Joe is impressed, however, by Maggie's intelligence and goodheartedness, and gives her advice on the subject nearest her heart, how to live the ideal life. She makes a suggestion for a better way of selling certain lines. He tells his father, as if it were his own idea, greatly pleasing the old man. He finds that the girls he used to know don't interest him as much as Maggie does, and when Maggie discloses her love in a burst of jealousy, he realizes that he loves her, too.

Joe is afraid that if Maggie finds out who he really is she will not have anything more to do with him. So he pretends that is its some other fellow's car when he takes her home in his big yellow roadster. And on the way they talk, at last, about marriage.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"And there's a budget for two people begins on eight hundred a year! Joe, I'm going to work it all out. We're going to put money in the bank from the very first minute. The man who has an income of one thousand and saves ten dollars is ten dollars richer than the man on an income of twenty thousand who saves nothing a year."

"Where'd you get that?"

"That was on a card in the window of the bank next door to the Mack. I see a lot of those things," added Maggie dreamily. "But I never really thought about them until I met you. You see, my mother and Liz aren't much on ide-als, and my father—I guess," she added delicately, with some hesitation, "is sorter influenced by Ma. But you—you seemed to be mine, Joe, from the start!"

Her pride, her joy as she said it, brought tears to his eyes. He did not speak.

For the moment he was Joe Grant, he had never been anything else; Joe Merrill, with his car and his income and his magnificent home, was the dream. This was the reality.

He interrupted her, kissing her gravely And then, without speaking himself, although Maggie continued to chatter joyously, he drove her home.

Joe went to his own home, and dressed for dinner like a man in a dream.

A week ago, or yesterday, he might have gotten out.

But now it was different. He had kissed her, had his arms about her, spoken of her as his wife.

Maggie. Maggie Johnson. Living in that wreck of a cottage on Goat Hill, pacifying and caring for that appalling mother, that commonplace, selfish sister, and that poor little worm of a letter-carrying father.

"My God! What have I done?" said Joe Grant, half aloud.

"What thinking of, Son?" his father asked, looking up.

They were in the library, he and his father alone together. And to his father's surprised question, Joe could only make the son's usual answer.

"Nothing."

Then there was another short silence.

"Nothing doing to-night, Dad?"

"I may go over to Maxwell's later—they're sitting in a little game," his father answered, with an awkward little effort to appear interested and cordial that touched Joe. "Brewer, one of our buyers, was to go to Japan for us on the Allegria next Saturday," he explained. "And now I understand that the wife's father has died and left them a pot of money—something like that—and they're going to New York," he said.

"Losing him, huh?"

"I guess so. They come and go, of course."

"Well, with three hundred and forty employees, that's natural enough, Joe drawled.

"Well, the six stores—and the administration office—what have you got down there? Seventeen or eighteen clerks?"

"You wouldn't ever be interested in coming down to one of the Stores with me, Joe," his father began. "It might interest you very much."

"No, thanks," Joe said lightly. "I couldn't start in the Stores—now."

His father nodded. The sudden interest and hope that had lighted his face faded. He instantly resumed his usual inscrutable, remote expression again.

Joe laughed gruffly, cleared his throat.

"That's where I am, Dad," he ex-

"The Mack?"

"That's what they all call the Stores."

"You told them who you were?"

"No, sir. I called myself Joe Grant."

"And nobody recognized you?"

"There was no reason why anybody should. I took care that I shouldn't look much different from the rest."

"You're sure they don't place you, Joe?"

"Place me My God, you ought to hear what they call me and what they tell me."

"You've gotten the goods on me, eh?"

"You stand pretty high with them, Dad. That stock-buying idea has made a hit all down the line."

"You in the Stores. You in the Stores," he murmured.

"Pretty hard work, isn't it?"

"Not so hard."

"And the sort of men—the girls there—aren't they a rather—plain—crowd?"

"They're all right."

"This," George Merrill suddenly exclaimed, "accounts for the automat idea, of course! I wondered—and Flint wondered how you happened to be taking such an interest in the Stores."

"As a matter of fact, it wasn't my

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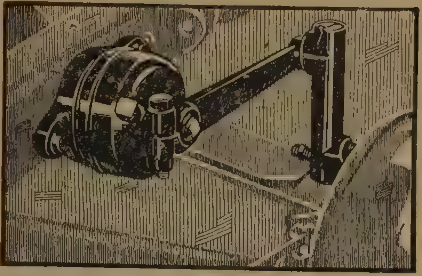
FORD COMFORT



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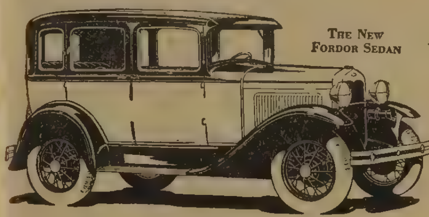

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Billingsley News

Miss Mary Collier spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Collier of Prattville.

Mrs. J. A. Boozer of Tuscaloosa was the guest Sunday of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Downs.

Misses Inez and Maude Lee Patrick of Alabama College at Montevallo and Miss Willie Jeane Patrick of Massey's Business College in Montgomery were the week end guests of their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Thompson spent the week end in Birmingham.

Dr. A. J. Marlar and Charlie Willis spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Willis at Jones.

Mrs. Myrtle Wilson of Birmingham is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Hattie Dickinson.

Luther Carter of Selma spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. J. N. Carter.

Mrs. J. J. Traywick and Mrs. W. C. Wilson spent Wednesday in Montgomery shopping.

Mrs. Keith has returned to her home at Fairfax after a weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Upton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Powell and children of Verbena spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baxter.

Rev. S. A. Bentley went to Moffett Sunday where he filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church there.

Mrs. J. C. Hughes is at the Memorial hospital in Montgomery for a few days treatment under the care of Dr. George Blue.

The Baptist church is looking forward to the second week in March as "Study Course Week." Dr. W. R. Seymore of Fayette, former pastor, will be one of the teachers during the week. Other nearby churches are invited and urged to join this course. Program will be announced later.

Coming "The Wild Oats Boy."

Concord-Billingsley

Our contest closed on Sunday night of February 15th, and last Sunday night one of the group captains reported that group No. 2 won by the majority of twenty-nine and one-half points. So Group No. One will entertain Group No. Two in a way that they think will be of interest. The question of when and wheer the social will be is put into the hands of the social committee to be discussed later.

If we will be as interested now as we were while the contest was running we will do something that is really worthwhile.

Mrs. L.M. Davis of Montgomery was the guest of Mrs. C. A. Surles Sunday.

Mrs. Eddie Morris spent Sunday as a guest of Mrs. Elsie Lee Turner.

Mrs. W. R. Pike of Goodwater, Ala., spent the past week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Little.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Herod of Haynes Sunday.

Rev. Carol, pastor of the New Cedron church, was the dinner guest of the Shaw family Sunday.

Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hicks of Billingsley visited their sister, Mrs. C. H. Herod, last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Seamor spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Little and family.

Mr. T. L. Williams of Enterprise community took dinner at the home of Mr. J. E. Weldon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williams and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Fonza Williams.

Misses Bessie and Jettie Williams were the guests of Miss Clara Dell Sims Sunday afternoon.

Everybody who is interested come to Sunday school and Christian Endeavor every Sunday and let's make it as interesting as it was during the contest and more so if possible. We invite all visitors to come, too.

Fairview News

The many friends of Mr. M. L. Wagner will regret to learn that he is on the sick list this week, but we hope he will soon be well.

Little Edwin Culp is doing fine. She came home from the hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Henley and children. Morravine and Earl Hoyt, Mrs. Tempie Durbin, Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Popwell weer the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Henley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mathews Wagner and children from Union Grove spent the week end with their father, Mr. M. F. Wagner, who is sick.

Misses Mildred and Edna Durbin spent the afternoon with Misses Myrtle and Pauline Durbin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billingsley were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bice of the Shiloh community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. McKee spent a few enjoyable hours with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Keen Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Mims spent the week end with their father in the Mulberry community.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Headley were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Durbin Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. Herbert Traywick, H. L. Mims and Inez McKee were the guests of Miss Jewel Foshee Sunday afternoon and reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Henley spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Henley.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Atkinson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wright Sunday. Mr. Wright is suffering from having some teeth pulled, but hope he will soon be all right.

We were sure glad to see Wilson Atkinson out again Sunday after having the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cox visited Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Wagner Sunday night.

Mrs. J. D. Culp came home Monday after spending two weeks at the hospital with her baby, little Edwin Culp.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

In the matter of the estate of Clyde Henley, Deceased.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Ala., in Equity.

In the matter of the petition for a final settlement of the administration of Mattie Henley, administratrix of said estate.

To Whom It May Concern, Take Notice:

You are hereby notified that the Register of said Court will execute a decree of reference in the above cause rendered on the 16 day of February, 1931, at his office in Clanton, Alabama, on the 11th day of March, 1931, at which time and place you can appear if you think proper.

Witness my hand, this the 18th day of February, 1931.

W. D. SPIGLENER,
2-19-3tc Register.

Read Our Advertising.

MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

If you had been standing by the roadside looking on when Joseph's men stopped the sons of Jacob and started an investigation, and had heard them saying, "Some of you fellows have stolen the Governor's golden cup," and then you had seen the men pull that cup out of Benjamin's sack, you would have said, "That is the guilty party." It looked bad for Benjamin. The evidence was against him. While the evidence was damaging, yet Benjamin was not guilty and he had nothing to do with the cup being in his sack. It was a trap set for him. He was an innocent party and yet he seemed guilty. Not all the things in this world are as they seem to be. I sometimes think that we are too quick to make up our minds, too quick to point the finger of condemnation. Better wait and know the truth before we make our charges.

In Barbour County, Alabama, there were two men in a certain community who were enemies. One day a stranger was riding through that community, and on coming to the top of a hill, he looked down into the valley before him and saw a man bending over another man. He rode up to him and found the man with a long knife in his hand, standing by the one who was his enemy and that man was cold in death. This man told the stranger that he was passing that way and found the man dead by the roadside, with the knife in his heart and that he had done nothing but pull the knife out, and was trying to revive the man. That was his testimony on the stand, but the evidence seemed to say that he had killed the man. The court ordered him hung. Many years after the law had broken his neck, down in South Florida, a man was dying. Ht caled for a minister, and confessed to him that he had killed the man himself, and that the man whose neck was broken had told the truth. He had nothing to do with the killing. We should be careful in reaching a conclusion when we have nothing but circumstantial evidence. Be sure you are right and then proceed.

I heard a fisherman talking the other day about catching three and four fish on one line and all at the same time. He tied his hooks about ten inches apart on the line, and baited each hook. He threw the line into the water and when he felt a tugging at his line, he drew it up, and there were his supply of fish. A fish on each hook that was baited. That sounded very much like some of the fishing that I see the devil doing in Chilton County. He ties a half dozen hooks on his line and then throws it down into our midst. No sooner than his hooks are seen near us, there is a mad rush for the bait. One hook is baited with money, one is baited with pleasure, one is baited with sensuality, each hook has a separate kind of bait, but each hook is crowded with "Suckers" who want to swallow his hook. His Satanic Majesty pulls in his line and he has a number of fish at one time. This seems a mighty good time for the devil's fishing business.

In our courts a man was charged as being guilty of a certain offense and he proceeded to prove an alibi, by showing that he was at another place engaged in another violation of the law. Then the court just lifted it anchor and drifted down to his confessed crime and tried him there. Be sure your sins will find you out. I have known many a man to try and justify himself of one thing and at the same time condemn himself of another. A man tells his patsor, "The reason I was not at church on Sunday was because I had to go to my office." At the judgment God will just let go the charge of non-church attendance, and try him on his self-confesed sin of breaking the Sabbath. It is God who says, "Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy."

The weatherman gave us two days recently that should impress us with the different extremes of life. Sunday last was one of those days that filled our hearts with joy, and during its passing we felt good. The sunshine gladdened our hearts. On Monday it was cold and cloudy. The rain fell and all day we were in a gloom. No one seemed to be alive. If you are subject to the sunshine and rejoice when the world is full of glow, why not go out every day with sunshine in your sul. If you hate cold and gloomy days, why go out with a grouch with you. Leave the shadows behind and walk out in God's world with a smiling face and a happy heart.

The best lettuce seed is that grown the season previous to planting. Strictly fresh seed—that is, seed planted the same season it is grown—may germinate poorly, and lettuce plants grown from seed more than 2 years old may lack vigor.

Poplar Springs News

Last Sunday was our regular preaching day and singing afternoon. We had a large crowd out. Rev. Lowery preached us a good sermon, and we also had a good singing. We had some visitors with us, and we ask them to come back and be with us again, and bring someone with them. We had a large crowd out Sunday night and we had a real good program. The B. Y. P. U. class gave Brother Lowery a pounding. Every member brought a pound of something. So he had about all he could carry home. He surely was pleased with it, and surprised, too, because he knew nothing about it.

Mrs. Clarrie Devaughn was the dinner guest of Mrs. Ben Jones Sunday.

Mrs. Walt Moore and children spent the afternoon with Mrs. Lena Minor.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Gilliland and children are spending a few days with her father, Mr. Albert Needly, this week.

Miss Hattie Lee Gilliland spent part of last week in Birmingham with her brthers, Grover and McKinley Gilliland.

Mr. Walter Patterson is very ill, but we hope he will soon be up again.

—A Subscriber.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court In Equity No. 900.

Melna Dekle, Complainant, vs George Leo Dekle, Defendant

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Melna Dekle that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said George Leo Dekle to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 21st day of March, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 13th day of February, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
2-19-4tc Register

BARRED ROCK EGGS: For Sale, $1 per setting, or baby chicks at $10.00 per hundred. Best grade.—W. E. G. Sutton, Verbena, Ala. 2-19-4tc

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Read our advertising—It will pay you.

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

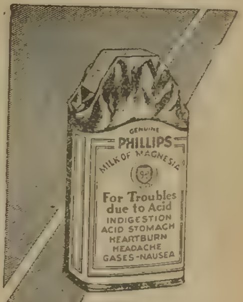
We are looking forward to next Sunday as a great day in church life. Last Sunday was a special smile from God, and how we did enjoy it. Our church was beautiful with flowers, and everybody seemed filled with a desire to worship.

The music was unusually good. The young people were at their best on Sunday night. The sermon preached at the night hour by Dr. Preston from Texas, was one of the best ever heard in this section. He spoke on "Life."

Next Sunday we want you in Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Hear the patsor at 11 A. M. as he gives to you the "Significance of the Wounds of Jesus."

The night service next Sunday will be at 7:30 o'clock. Note the change in the hour. Our church auditorium is one of the most beautiful and one of the largest in this section of the state. Help us to fill it.

Coming "The Wild Ooats Boy."



WHEN FOOD SOURS

ABOUT two hours after eating, many people suffer from sour stomachs. They call it indigestion. It means that the stomach nerves have been over-stimulated. There is excess acid. The way to correct it is with an alkali, which neutralizes many times its volume in acid.

The right way is Phillips Milk of Magnesia—just a tasteless dose in water. It is pleasant, efficient and harmless.

It is the quick method. Results come almost instantly. It is the approved method. You will never use another when you know.

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This year I am in better position than ever before to help you. I have contracted for my supply of Chilean Nitrate at the lowest price in years. I can pass this saving on to you. I recommend Chilean Nitrate...the nitrogen the South relies on for real money-making crops.

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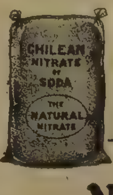

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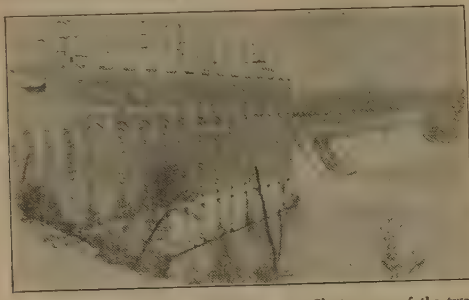
LAY DAM IS ONE OF BEAUTY SPOTS IN CHILTON COUNTY

Formerly Called Lock 12 And Named Later In Honor Of Capt. W. P. Lay

S. R. POWERS
Superintendent of Lay Dam

On December 4, 1906, Captain William Patrick Lay, the organizer and first president of the Alabama Power Company, obtained a grant from Congress, which was approved by the President March 4, 1907, authorizing the construction by the Alabama Power Company of a dam and power plant on the Coosa River at the place selected by the government engineers for Lock Number 12.

Actual construction began in 1910, but not until 1912 did the vision of Captain Lay converge into its final tangible success. The project was completed in the ensuing two years and has a present capacity of 110,000 horsepower and has since rendered a continuous service to the public, supplying a part of the ever-increasing demand for electric energy for the remarkable growth of the State during the past fifteen years.



View of hydro-electric plant, Lay Dam, near Clanton, one of the two large power plants in Chilton County.

At a meeting or Board of Directors of the Alabama Power Company held on October 29, 1929, a resolution was adopted to name Lock Number 12 Lay Dam in recognition of William Patrick Lay's Service to this company, to the electric industry, and to the State of Alabama. Saturday morning, November 23, 1929, over 2500 Alabamians and a score of the electric industry's most prominent leaders braved the cold of the bleak November day to join in the formal dedication of the Lock 12 developed as "Lay Dam."

Lay Dam is located on the Coosa River 12 miles northeast of Clanton. It is 1,543 feet in length and 104 feet in height. The power house is 324 feet long, 106 feet high and 74 feet in breadth. The generating equipment consists of four, 17,500 and two 19,500 horsepower turbines, generating 6,013,500 kilowatt-amperes. It creates a navigable slack water pool 24 miles in length with a flooded area of 6,000 acres and a drainage area of 9,087 square miles. Lay Dam is in charge of S. R. Powers, Superintendent.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK, CLANTON IS CREDIT TO CHILTON COUNTY

Institution Is A Member Of The Federal Reserve System

To serve the people of a community as the First National Bank of Clanton has served Chilton County, is a record that deserves commendation.

The First National Bank is shown as one of the soundest business institutions in the county, and its growth in past years lends mute evidence to that fact. It first opened its doors for business on November 17, 1919, and has built for itself a splendid record during those years, and its reputation for service and security has been widespread.

Its record of achievement might well vie with that of some of the finest banking institutions in the state. Time has told the story of the progress of The First National Bank which has enjoyed a constant growth during the 12 years it has been in business here.

One of the outstanding records made by this bank is that the present personnel has guided its destinies through these years and are continuing their work of building their institution. Men who could be entrusted to lead so vast and important an institution to the present success it is enjoying.

The First National Bank of Clanton had an authorized capital of $30,000 when organized and opened for business, it had a surplus of $3,000, twelve years ago. It has constantly earned and paid dividends each year and has as well, placed a substantial amount to its surplus account annually.

The personnel of this fine business institution of Chilton County is composed of E. E. Upchurch, president; John C. Page, cashier; G. C. Walker, 1st vice president; D. I. DeRamus, 2nd vice president; C. O. Jones, assistant cashier; E. C. Parrish, Teller; and F. L. Harris, bookkeeper The Board of Directors is composed of A. M. Grimsley, chairman, E. E. Upchurch, G. C. Walker, D. I. DeRamus, J. C. Page.

All these men are those who are listed in the outstanding citizens of Chilton County. Their efforts in building their county have stood out models for coming generations.

TELLER

E. C. PARRISH

E. C. Parrish, Teller of the First National Bank of Clanton, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Monroe Parrish, one of the most prominent families in Chilton County. Mr. Parrish is a graduate of the Chilton County High School. immediately after graduating from this school he entered the employ of the First National Bank, and for the past eight years he has been one of the most valued employees of the institution.

Mr. Parrish, like his fellow employees, is constantly Boosting for Clanton and Chilton County.

CASHIER

JOHN C. PAGE

John C. Page is the popular Cashier of the First National Bank of Clanton. Born in Nashville, Tenn., June 24, 1894, he received his education in the schools of that city. He entered the banking business in 1908 with the Old Union Bank and Trust Co., of Nashville. Mr Page removed to Clanton Sept. 19, 1919 at the organization of the First National Bank of which he has been cashier since. He is one of Clanton's most progressive citizens and is very active in all the activities of the town and county.

Mr. Page is a member of the Kiwanis Club of which he is chairman of the membership committee, President of Men's Bible Class of the Methodist Church, member of the local Federal Farm Loan Board, a Mason, and a Shriner.

Mr. Page was united in marriage to Miss Katherine Marion Bostick of McMinniville, Tennessee October 15, 1914. Mr. and Mrs. Page have one daughter, Katherine.

ASST. CASHIER

C. O. JONES

C. O. Jones, assistant cashier of the First National Bank, is one of Clanton's most popular and substantial business men, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Jones, of Clanton.

Mr. Jones graduated from the Chilton County High School in 1919. After finishing school he was connected with the First National Bank of Birmingham, becoming a member of the First National Bank of Clanton in 1921. He is a member of the Masonic Lodge, Order Mystic Shrine and of the Methodist Church.

Mr. Jones is always interested in anything for the improvement of his town and county and is one of its greatest" Boosters."

BOOKKEEPER

F. [illegible] HARRIS

F. L. Harris, [illegible] for the First National Ban[illegible] son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Harris of Clanton. Mr. Harris is a graduate of the Chilton County High School and has been connected with the First National Bank for three years. Besides being one of the most valued employees of the bank, Mr. Harris is an active citizen in every respect and believes in and Boosts Chilton County. He is a member of the First Baptist Church of Clanton.

COUNTY JAIL TO BE REPAIRED AT COST OF $16,000

Work To Begin As Soon As Proper Formalities Are Completed

It was stated from Court House this week that work on the repairing of the county jail in Clanton will begin sometime in the very near future

Permission from the proper authorities has been granted to have the jail building repaired and put in good condition for the keeping of prisoners.

It was estimated by officials that the cost of repairing the jail will come to approximately $16,000.00. No definite date has been set for the work to start, it was stated.

Hemstitching — All Work Guaranteed. Cotton, 8c yard; silk 10c yd. — Robinson Department Store.

"INSIDE" INFORMATION

Serve children small portions of food so they can clear their plates without urging and without the feeling of being stuffed. Let them ask for second helpings if they are hungry.

Tin darkens with use, and this tarnish protects the tin; therefore tin utensils should not be scoured simply for the sake of making them bright. When food dries or burns on tin utensils it may be removed by heating a weak soda solution in the pan and then washing it thoroughly.

Change the kind of bread you use from time to time. Instead of always serving white bread, have whole wheat, rye, raisin, or date bread, once in a while; make rolls of different kinds, corn bread, baking powder biscuits, muffins, hominy or graham gems, corn sticks corn pones or even toasted bread.

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POPULAR BUSINESS WOMAN

MISS MADELYN ORR

Miss Madelyn Orr is one of Clanton's most popular young ladies. Besides being a lady of unusual business ability, she is most active in all of the social, civic and religious activities of the Town of Clanton. Miss Madelyn's pleasing personality and winsome smile have made for her a host of friends, the number of whom is limited only to her acquaintances. She devoted her untiring efforts to securing valuable information to make this Booster Edition possible and it has been a pleasure indeed to have known and worked with Miss Orr

Liberty Hill News

Mrs. Emma Foshee and daughter, Eula attended preaching at Salem Sunday.

A good singing was held at Cedar Grove Sunday afternoon. Several singers from here attended.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Duke and Miss Olene Mims were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Littlejohn.

Mr. Marvin Lowery and Mr. Howard Maddox attended the preaching service at Highland Sunday.

Come to Sunday school every Sunday mo[illegible]ng at ten. We [illegible]ed you.

The Sunbeam Band is still doing fine work. They hold their weekly meetings every Sun[illegible] at 9:15

Wadesonian Has Good Pictures Scheduled

The Wadesonian, popular theatre of Clanton, and Booster for its home town and County, has made announcement of three good pictures which will be presented here on the following dates:

Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 25th and 26th, Edmund Lowe in "Scotland, Yard." all taking; also a Fox News Reel.

Friday and Saturday, Feb. 27th and 28th, Jack Perrin will show in "The Apache Kids' Escape," an all taking Western; also Fox News Reel.

On Monday and Tuesday, March 2 and 3, Sue Carrol will be shown in "She's My Weakness," al ltalking, and Fox News Reel.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Tyus of Billingsley were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geiger and son, Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. L. U. Farnum of Birmingham came down and spent the day Monday with Mrs. Geiger's and Mr. Farnum's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus.

District Sunday School Convention

A District Sunday School Convention will be held at Billingsley Baptist church, March 1st, at 2 P. M. The program follows:

2 P. M. Devotional, by T. L. Patrick.
2:15 Reports of all schools in district.
2:30 The Sunday School a Missionary Agency of the Church, How To Use Such, by Miss Mary Ellen Caver.
2:55 Why I Believe in Missions? by J. F. Apperson.
3:10 Why Missions are real to me, by Rev. J. C. Hill.
3:2g The Necessity of Trained Workers, by H. A. Harris.
3:40 Round Table Talks.
3:55 Adjourn.

Everybody invited to attend.

W. J. PATRICK,
Associate Supt.

JEMISON GRAMMAR SCHOOL WILL PRESENT PROGRAM

The Grammar Grades of the Jemison High School will present a program on Saturday night, ebruary 28, at 7:30 o'clock at the High School Auditorium for the benefit of the P.-T. A.

Songs and verses, First Grade.
Health Play, Second Grade.
A Sick Pupil—Song, the Spelling Bee, by the Third Grade.
Scenes from Hiawatha, Fourth Grade.
Aunt Susan Jones, Fifth Grade.
Friday Afternoon Compositions, the Sixth Grade.

The public is cordially invited. Admission will be 10c and 15c.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus and little daughter, Billie Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Barnette of Birmingham came down and spent the week end with Ben parents, and went fishing. Had good luck.

HILL'S
20th Anniversary Sale
Starts Friday Feb. 27th
Runs Thru Wed. March 4th

Flour	Split Silk	24 Lb. Bag	65c
Flour	Eagle Brand	24 lb.	75c
Flour	Grandmas Wonder	24 lb.	90c
MILK	Evaporated, All Brands 3 Large Or 6 Small Cans		25c
Peas	Black Eyes	5 lbs.	25c
Wesson Oil		pt. can	22c
Matches		6 boxes	15c
Coffee	Royal Blend	2 lbs.	45c
Peas	Del Monte Or Stokelys	No. 2 Can	15c
String Beans		No. 2 Can.	10c
Baking Powder	Calumet Or Rumford	lb. Can	25c
Preserves	Bama Brand	lb. glass	20c
SOAP	Export 8 Bars		25c
Pork & Beans	Campbell's 4 Cans		25c
Tomatoes	Large Cans	4 for	25c
Macaroni	Or Spaghetti 4 Reg. 10c Pkgs		25c

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Chilton Is Among Foremost Agricultural Counties Of State

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We think that Chilton is one of the best agricultural counties in the State. Practically everybody in the county is either directly or indirectly interested in farming.

The soil of Chilton County is largely of the Ruston fine sandy loam type. It responds well to fertilizer, making it profitable here to grow most any kind of general farm and truck crops. Many people who are familiar with the state, say, "That Chilton County is probably the best terraced county in the State." We understand that our former County Agent, Mr. Conway, of Jemison, Ala. is possibly largely responsible for the widespread interest in terracing in this county. Of course there are a large number of good farmers throughout the county who helped create interest in preventing soil erosion.

Much interest is being shown by farmers of the county in not only preventing soil erosion, but in increasing the fertility of the soil, through the use of soilbuilding crops, such as vetch and Austrian winter peas. Each of the past two years, more than a carload of vetch and Austrian peas have been planted for soil building purposes.

Chilton County is located in the center of Alabama, about half way between Birmingham and Montgomery, two of the main markets of the tsate. The paved road connecting Montgomery and Birmingham traverses the center of the county from south end to the north end. The county is a network of good lateral roads from every section of the county leading into the paved highway, making it easy for farmers from every section of the county to get their produce to one of two good markets within two hours time.

The main money crops of Chilton County are cotton, strawberries and watermelons. The annual cotton crop is approximately 19,000 bales. Around 125 cars of strawberries are being shipped from the county annually with more new acreage being set to berries each year.

It is estimated that between$125,000 and $150,000 worth of water melons are trucked and shipped from the county annually. A goodly number of farmers are paying their entire operating expenses from sales of berries, melons and truck crops and having their cotton crop as surplus.

There are six good small banks in the county. The large number of farmer customers and splendid condition of these banks is a good index to the general splendid condition of this county as compared to many other sections.

The farmers of the county have their own organizations through which they buy their materials, such as seed, spray material, fertilizer and necessary feed ingredients, etc., and through which they sell their commodities.

All of the strawberries are sold thru farmer-owned and farmer-operated associations.. The Thorsby Fruit Growers Association is the oldest of these associations. The other two associations through which berries are sold are the Clanton Berry Growers Association and Jemison Berry Growers Association. The associations are very cooperative, and there is a possibility that in the near future all of the berries from the county will be marketed through one sales agency made up of a committee from each of these shipping associations and shipping points.

Prior to 1927, this county was without a county agent for several years. In 1927 a group of influential citizens of the county who realized the value of a county Agricultural Agent as a connecting link between the Experiment Station and the citizenship of an agricultural county came together and asked that the people of the county be allowed to vote for or against the Board of Commissioners employing an Agricultural Agent. Their request was granted and we are advised that the vote was about three to one in favor of the commissioners employing an agent. Following this expression on the part of the people, in August of 1927, Mr. Cohen E. Stapp was employed as agent. Mr. Stapp has made a host of friends throughout the county and has proven to be of much value in the county. In September of last year the Commissioners Court called a county-wide meeting to determine how the people of the county felt about County Agency work after having had Mr. Stapp with us for three years. The notice asked that especially any who had criticisms against Mr. Stapp's work to be present and let the court hear them.

Mr. Stapp was asked to be present and make a report of his activities since coming to the county as Agent. Mr. L. N. Duncan, Director of Extension work in Alabama, and Mr. E. Sizemore, District Agent for Central and Southeast Alabama, were invited. Approximately 500 farmers and other business and professional men met and listened with interest to Mr. Stapp's report. The meeting was one of the biggest demonstrations for the continuance of the Agricultural Extension work in the county, the writer has even seen. The meeting lasted about two hours and not one dissenting vote or word was raised against Mr. Stapp or his work, but everything done and said was in highest praise of Mr. Stapp and his work.

Mr. Sizemore in his talk told the group assembled that Mr. Stapp was rated one of the five best agents in the State.

In addition to the splendid work of Mr. Stapp, the county is fortunate in having two of the best vocational agricultural teachers in the state, in the persons of Mr. Earle Thomas of Isabella High School, and Mr. J. P. Montgomery of Jemison High School. Mr. Stapp and the vocational teachers count upon each other and are very cooperative.

The following is a brief summary of Mr. Stapp's work in the county the past three years:

Upon assuming his duties in the county, Mr. Stapp made a survey of the county to try to determine the program of work he should attempt to lead.

One of the first needs Mr. Stapp saw was some organization through which Agricultural Extension work could be made most effective and worthwhile. Mr. Stapp having been engaged in Agricultural Extension work for seven years prior to coming to Chilton, was familiar with the American and Alabama Farm Bureau Federation, its objectives and ideals. He called in a group of leading farmers from over the county and recommended that they set up a county unit to be known as the Chilton County Farm Bureau. The group sanctioned Mr. Stapp's suggestion and went to work to perfect the organization. The first President was Mr. J. N. Dennis, one of the most influential and highly respected farmers and citizens of the county. Mr. Dennis was succeeded by Mr. W. L. Popwell, another outstanding man of the county. The organization has grown each year, until it now has a membership of 528 of the best farmers in the county, and leads all other county farm bureaus in Mr. Sizemore's district composed of 16 counties in Central and in Southeast Alabama, in membership and activities.

The present officials of the Chilton County Farm Bureau are: Miss Zora Guy is assistant secretary and in charge of the office. Mr. Stapp County Agent, Mr. Earle Thomas, vocational teacher at Isabella, and Mr. J. P. Montgomery, vocational teacher at Jemison, act in an advisory capacity to the Farm Bureau officials.

Mr. Stapp has promoted cooperative selling of poultry which was started on the west side of the county by vocational teacher Earle Thomas. Since Christmas Mr. Stapp has aided in the cooperative shipment of more than 52,000 pounds of poultry. Two cars stopped at Verbena, Clanton and Jemison last week, loaded 27,142 pounds of poultry. More than five hundred farmers were issued checks for poultry loaded on these two cars.

In an effort to help provide a market for surplus butterfat, where farmers didn't get enough to justify them to ship to a creamery, Mr. Stapp made arrangements with the Farm Bureau and Swift & Company, to install a cream station at the Farm Bureau office. The station opened up with less than one dozen patrons. Now more than sixty farmers are bringing their cream to the station where it is weighed, tested and paid for while they wait.

Mr. Stapp's report further reveals that since coming heer and up to November of last year, when he made his last annual report to Washington that: He has held 1335 field method demonstrations on such subjects as culling, housing and feeding poultry and other clasess of livestock, terracing, care of home orchard, seed selection, soil building crops, marketing, etc. His records show that more than 22,500 farmers attended these demonstrations. He has made 1956 farm visits. He has written 535 news articles; five thousand and seventy individual letters; 105 circular letters, of which more than two hundred and seventy-two thousand copies were sent.

More than 16,580 farmers have called at Mr. Stapp's office for various kinds of information. He has distributed more than ten thousand government bulletins treating on various subjects of interest to the farmers of the county. Mr. Stapp has a very complete display of the newest, practical bulletins covering more than 300 subjects of vital interest to farmers and farm women of Chilton County. Mr. Stapp has attended and spoken at about 160 meetings other than ones included in above report. There has been a total attendance at these meetings of more than 13,000 people.

Mr. Stapp's work with the 4-H Club boys has been very outstanding. He has held annual Club Rallies with average attendance of more than 300 boys. He held three days camps with the boys in 1928-29 and -30 with an average attendance of about 130 4-H boys. This year Mr. Stapp is organizing the boys into local clubs. He is having the boys to elect officers and a local adult leader. The boys will hold regular community club meetings this year and discuss timely subjects assigned by Mr. Stapp.

With the splendid soil, roads, markets and cooperative spirit in Chilton County considered, we think Chilton affords a splendid opportunity for the energetic, cooperative spirited farmer.

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Pauline Jones, who attends the Tennessee Teachers' College, at Memphis, pays all her expenses by giving finger waves to her fellow co-eds.

In addition to being the best feminine basketball player in the whole state of Idaho, Alberta Zweigart, is also president of the Southern Idaho Women's Basketball League.

Eastview News

J. Harley Ray was killed by automobile on Saturday, February the 14th. He was hit and wounded by an automobile near his home in Birmingham. He was rushed to a hospital, but he died on Monday, February 16, at 6 a.m. His body was sent to his daughter, Mrs. Zora Dobbs, at Eastview, and was laid to rest in the Maple Springs cemetery near here. Rev. Till Deason preached the funeral. Mr. Ray was 71 years of age and had lived several years in Chilton County. He has been a member of the Maple Springs Baptist church for several years. He leaves many friends and relatives in Chilton County and Birmingham to mourn his death.

Mr. Ray's first wife was Miss Carrie Hammonds, before the marriage. She departed this life nine years, one month and 8 days before his death. After her death he was married to Miss Girtie County, whom he leaves to mourn his death. He leaves one sister, Mrs. Janie Townsend, four sons, Willie, of Dadeville, Lonie and Joe, of Chilton County, and Horace, of Birmingham; five daughters, Mrs. Mamie Sanders and Ada Mims of Clanton route 7, Mrs. Zora Dobbs and Mrs. Ida Henson, of Eastview and Mrs. Ruthie Higgins, of Thorsby Route 2.

"Man that is born of woman has but a short time to live, and is full of misery, he cometh up like a flower, he fleeth as it were a shadow, and never continueth in one stay, in the midst of life, we are in death, of whom may we seek for success, but of thee, O Lord, who for our sins are justly displeased." For we know that if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved, we have a building of God, an house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

Mrs. A. C. Nelson, who has been sick in bed ever since the 7th of February is not able to be up any yet, but she is reported to be improving some.

Mrs. Minnie Nelson was called to the bed side of her mother one day last week, who is very ill. Her mother is the wife of Rev. C. A. Taylor, and they lived several years near here in Floyd Community.

Misses Mary Sue and Emma Dean Smith were the al-day guests of Misses Lillian and Elvie Devaughn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Driver of Montgomery visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Driver, last Sunday.

Miss Gulma Traywick was the Sunday dinner guest of Miss Catherine Strength.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Strength were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Morris Sunday.

Miss Jessie Bell Speer is visiting relatives in Montgomery this week.

Mr. J. P. Rushing and wife and Mrs. Veda Glenn and son, Arthur, were the Sunday dinner guests of Rev. A. C. Nelson and family.

We had a good Sunday school Sunday morning, a good singing Sunday evening and a good Christian Endeavor service Sunday night. All services were well attended. Cme back again, we are always glad to have you worship with us. Our church is a community church. We want our Master's prayer, "that we al may be one."—John 17:21 to be answered at our church. If you find a welcome at Eastview tell others, if not tell us.

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Clantons remarkable strides forward in a material way have been equalled, if not surpassed, by the remarkable advances made in the educational system of the city in the last few years. The schools of the city are two in number, modern and well equipped in every respect. The enrollment in the schools is about 580, and a corps of 19 teachers is maintained.

It was during the year 1914 that the citizens of Clanton and the whole of Chilton County began to agitate the question of establishing a high school for the county to be located at Clanton. Consequently, twenty acres of land was donated to the State of Alabama for such purpose by Dr. Earl Gowan, one of the town's most public-spirited and progressive citizens, and by January, 1915, the present beautiful building had ben oompleted and the institution opened its doors to the public.

Mr. C. C. Slayton was the first principal, and the faculty composed of the following: H. L. Foshee, Miss Corita Wilson, Miss Mary A. Brown, Miss Dora Haynes, Miss Emma Mathews, and Miss Evelyn Waller. The student-body numbered sixty, and the first graduating class according to information secured from the Cantrolla (High School Annual) consisted of the following young women and men: William Edgar Teel, Annie Laurie Gragg, Omar Louis Reynolds, Ara Eustace Mullins, Thomas Eugene Wyatt, Mae Beverly Hester, Oscar William Jones, Bessie Elizabeth Davis, James Arfeltz Mullins.

The school progressed rapidly, and today the faculty numbers ten with a student-body of two hundred and thirty-eight and a graduating class of thirty-five.

L. C. Warr, the preesnt principal, who came to the school in the fall of 1928, is a graduate of the State Teachers Colege at Troy, Alabama, holds a B. S. degree, George Peabody College, Nashville, Tennessee, and an A. M. degree from Columbia University, New York City. He is assisted by the followinfg capable young men and women: T. H. Walker, A. B., University of Alabama, J. B. Varnell, A. B. Howard College, Bernice Williams, A. B., Womans' College of Alabama, Margaret Brown, B. S. Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Margaret Kendrick, A. B. Womans College, Mrs. W. M Green, A B. University of Alabama, and A. M Polytechnic Institute, Nell E. Wells, A. B., Alabama College, Jospehine Martin, Diploma State Teachers College, Troy, Alabama, and Edna Cofield, A. B., Birmingham Southern College.

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Cases Disposed Of In Circuit Court Here, Feb. 17

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itary privy, cont'd.

Taff Spence, petit larceny, cont'd.

Bud Boswell, V. P. L., $50 and costs.

Edgar Duram, Public drunkenness, cont'd.

Joe Tom Middleton, et al., D. Bond, fined 1c and costs.

General Harrison, C. C. Pistol, cont'd.

F. W. Beasley, Fraudulent check, cont'd.

Perry Johnson, V. P. L., nol prossed.

Reuben Willis, V. P. L., cont'd.

Cary Ray, V. P. L., fined $50 and costs.

E. E. Middlebrooks, reckless driving, set aside.

Thomas Hawkins, V. P. L., cont'd.

John Ratliff, selling mortg. property, cont'd.

Henry Cox, permitting cattle to run at large, nol prossed.

Daniel Jackson, A. & B., cont'd.

Guy Abrams, A. I. O. L., fined $150 and costs.

Allen Lenoir, A. I. O. L., fined $150 and costs.

Willie Mims, V. P. L., $50 and costs

Dick Price, driving M. V. While Intox., $250 and costs.

T. H. Langston, selling mortgaged property, cont'd.

Earl Pierce, posting and leaving obscene writing, $25.

Veryl Sammons, V. P. L., cont'd.

Charlie Mims, V. P. L., bond fixed at $750.00.

Curtis Killingsworth, V. P. L., to Juvenile Court.

Sam Warren, V. P. L., cont'd.

W. B. Bird, selling mortgaged property, nol prossed.

Harry Martin, posting and leaving obsceen writing, not guilty.

Hattie Roberts, et all., D. Bond, continued.

Odis Jones, et al., D. Bond, $5.00 and costs.

Arnold Littleton, public drunkenness, nol prossed.

Arnold Littleton, V. P. L., cont'd.

Paul Robinson, petit larceny, fined $100 and costs.

Ocie Williams, V. P. L., cont'd.

Farm and Home Facts

Try painting the wall behind the kitchen stove with three coats of waterproof varnish. Soap and water will then remove the spots.

When the seat of a cane-chair begins to sag, wash both the top and the under side of it with hot soap suds and allow it to dry.

In 1930 the manufacture of automobiles in the United States dropped 2,000,000 below 1929 production, and 1,000,000 below 1928 production, as reported by the Alabama Economic Review, Auburn.

The year, 1930, was the best year we have had in 4-H club work. There were 36,000 Alabama boys and girls enrolled in the Alabama 4-H clubs.

"The only forest tree to be spared is the tree which is growing tall and straight as a crop tree; and that should not be spared after it is ripe."—Lyle Brown, extension forester, Auburn, Ala.

The practice of growing soybeans in corn is profitable to both tenant and landlord and should be followed to an even greater extent than at present.

During the last fifteen years hogging off corn in Alabama averaged 28 cents per bushel more than harvesting and marketing it at market prices, according to a study made by F. W. Burns, extension livestock specialist at Auburn.

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Electrified window screens have been invented that kill insects when they touch the wires.

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The Union-Banner is the outgrowth of a combination of the Union and the Banner, two newspapers which served the people of Chilton County for several years. The Banner was established in Clanton in 1892 by a Mr. White, who was its first edtior. The Union was organized in 1903 and was edited by Wallace S. Edler. The Union and the Banner were consolidated in 1911 and have since that time been published as The Union-Banner.

In 1912 W. M. Wyatt and M. D. Foshee took over The Union-Banner and it was published under this management for two years. T. E. Wyatt purchased the interests of Mr. Foshee in 1915 and since that time, with exception of perriod during the World War when the paper was edited by E. C. Powell, these men have acted as editor and business manager respectively.

The Union-Banner occupies its own building on 6th Street. It was constructed in 1925 and is of modern brick. The plant is modernly equipped thruout. The personnel of The Union-Banner consists of W. M. Wyatt, editor, T. E. Wyatt, business manager, D. E. Cleckler and Courtland Rutherford, operators. Stewart Armstrong and Hubert Ellison, pressmen.

The Union-Banner has served as a training school for printers. Several men, who secured their training with this paper have gone into other fields and have proven thoroughly qualified. E. C. Powell, who edited The Union-Banner during the war, is connected with the Decatur Daily as foreman; J. B. Wells is now operator for the Selma Times-Journal; Jim Lowe is operator for the Decatur Daily, while Clyde Lowe is connected with a newspaper in Oklahoma as operator; Vernie Teel is now with the Chilton County News, as associate editor and is associate editor of The Rockford Chronicle.

Clanton and Chilton County have every reason for being proud of this newspaper, as it reflects credit on the community, and any city's newspaper is an advertisement for it.

W. M. WYATT

T. E. WYATT

COMMISSIONER

A. P. VINSON

One of the outstanding men of Chilton County and one who has aided materially in the growth, prosperity and advancement of the county is A. P. Vinson.

Mr. Vinson is one of Chilton County's most progressive farmers. He has been a member of the Chilton County Commisisoners Court for a number of years and during his term as a member of this body has been one of its most valued and esteemed members. He was a member at the time the present courthouse was erected in 1918.

Mr. Vinson believes in Chilton County and its people, and is a most enthusiastic Booster.

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Joseph A. Sims is one of the prominent merchants of Jemison. Born in Rockdale, Georgia, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Sims, he moved to Chilton County with his family in 1875. Mr. Sims received his education in the schools of this county and remained on the farm until 1911 when he entered the barber business at Jemison, Ala. He then entered the Jemison Hardware Co. at Jemison and has been engaged in this business for the past 12 years

Mr. Sims is one of the progressive men of Chilton County. He has made a host of friends throughout the county, due to his fair dealing and pleasing personality. He is active in all the activities of his town and county and is one of its real Boosters.

In 1880 Mr. Sims was married to Miss Emma Aldman of Conyers, Ga. Mr. and Mrs. Sims are the parents of nine children.

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A "railplane" system, consisting of dirigible-shaped cars driven by propellers fore and aft and running on a single rail, has been succesfully tested in Scotland.

Prominent Clanton Citizen

J. R. HARDY

Mr. J. R. Hardy, citizen of Clanton and Chilton County, formerly of Coosa County, who makes his home in Clanton is one of our esteemed citizens. Mr. Hardy's business interests brought him to Clanton and Chilton County for eight years before removing his family to Clanton. He was formerly Sheriff of Coosa County for four years, having been elected by a good majority. Beginning his term of office in 1915 and serving his four years and retiring in 1919.

Mr. Hardy was reared on the farm and received his education in the schools of Coosa and attended the 4th District Agricultural School in Sylacauga, Alabama. He entered upon his career in the business world as a farmer and speculator in live stock, the latter bringing him into contact with all the people of his county. His fair dealing and honesty and friendly disposition made everyone his friend, with whom he dealt or was associated with in business.

It was largely through this endeavor that he gained the confidence of his people who recognized his ability as not only a good business man, but an upright Christian gentleman that created a demand for his making the race for Sheriff of his county. During his term of office the people who elected him were not disappointed in his administration. He was fearless in dealing with the lawless element and at the same time was most considerate and kind in his dealings with them. He never at any time when dealing with the lawless made a personal matter of any mistreatment that he might have received at their hands. It was thoroughly demonstrated that he felt that he was a servant of the people and represented the law and not himself.

Mr. Hardy has moved through the course of his life in a quiet and unassuming manner, never putting himself forward, yet when necessary he has met every demand when duty has called. Mr. Hardy, while he has not made a great deal of money because money has not been his chief end in life, yet he is comfortably fixed along this line and owning considerable property which classes him as a man of affairs in his community.

We would speak of Mr. Hardy's home life. It has been the pleasant privilege of the writer to be entertained in his home. Therefore, gaining an insight to the real worth of Mr. Hardy, his wife and children. We can say that it has given us an inspiration to be the recipient of this hospitality and to observe the quiet even way in which their home is conducted.

In 1900 Mr. Hardy was married to Miss Maggie Harris of Tallapoosa County, Ala. Mr. and Mrs. Hardy have five children, the older, Mrs. Robbie Davis, educated in Howard College, Birmingham, and the U. of A.; Marshall, who graduated from Auburn, and is now a valued employee of the First National Bank of Birmingham; Harris, now attending school in Gadsden; Johnnie, Jr., is employed in the drug business in Montevallo, Ala.; Maralyn, the youngest, is now attending high school in Clanton.

We are proud to claim these good people as citizens of our town and wish them many more years of peace and happiness.

Rambling Thoughts Of A Reader

The address delivered by Dr. D. W. Haskew at the Kiwanis Club and published in the paper was read with much interest and his thoughts were heartily sancitioned.

The growth and improvement of Clanton can be seen in many ways. It is a community we have grown to love for many reasons. The people who live in a place certainly make the place ideal or otherwise. Have you ever read the poem, "It Isn't Your Town, It's You."? This applying to fault-finding or progressiveness as the case may be. There are many people here from whom radiates a hearty welcome to newcomers and a friendly fellowship to those with whom they come in contact.

If we would find peace and happiness we must give to the world a little more than we expect to receive from it. "As we measure our neighbor, he will measure back to us." Are we keeping up our measures? How fine it would be for us all to adopt the Scout motto and "Do a good turn daily."

May we all pledge allegiance to Dr. Haskew's "Radiance Party." May we heartily endorse all the planks in the platform.

May we remove the "slouchy garment that is resting on our beautiful little city. We become accustomed to the unsightly places, and seem to forget the piles of rubbish, mud, slush, and weeds—the swamps, the dumping places that border on public roads, the vacant lots, and last but not least, the City of our Dead.

Why should a city of lovely homes, prosperous business houses, fine chuches, schools, and public buildings to be proud of, neglect its cemetery so? It is true theer are some beauty spots there that show loving care. Let us grow flowers instead of weeds—let us "clothe this spot with a garment that shines."

Let us strive to be leaders in the ranks of progress. Let us each be a "Goodwill Community Asset" in any way we can, even though it be small.

Signed—A READER.

To aid aviators to land on dark fields some English airplanes are being equipped with a searchlight at each wing tip, the beams of which converge at a known distance.

A new radio beacon is to be established at Fowey Rocks lighthouse to guide ships through the straits of Florida.

A new radio station for communication with the South Seas area is being constructed by a Japanese company at Koyama.

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MASONRY HAS BEEN ACTIVE IN CLANTON FIFTY-FOUR YEARS

Fraternity Has Shown A Steady Growth, And Has a Blue Lodge, Chapter and Commandery in City

The Masonic fraternity has played a prominent part in the affairs of Clanton and Chilton County for over a half century and has shown a steady growth ever since its establishment. The Clanton Lodge No. 423 was organized in September, 1877, with William D. Sartor, Worshipful Master; J. S. Edwards, Senior Warden; H. J. Callen, Junior Warden; J. A. Dudley, Treasurer; J. D. Lanier, Secretary; E. S. Stewart, Senior Deacon; J. S. Johnson, Jr., Junior Deacon, and Wm. Wright, Senior Tyler. The Charter was granted and issued to this lodge December 6th, 1877.

On Sept. 17, 1883, the Lodge purchased from John T. Gullahorn the upper story of its present building, and on the 13th day of April, 1896, the Lodge purchased of Joseph P. VanDerveer, the lower story and two lots upon which the building is now located. In April, 1920, the Lodge remodeled its Lodge building, thereby securing the nicest and best equipped hall between Montgomery and Birmingham. The present officers are: J. E. Edgar, W. M.; M. B. Arant, S. W.; J. Z. Mims, J. W.; J. R. Mullins, Treas.; G. C. Harris, Sec.; S. J. Ezell, Chaplain; L. E. Foshee, S. D.; J. C. Page, J. D.; and L. E. Diefenderfer, Tyler.

There are three bodies in the Masonic Order in Clanton, which are the Clanton Lodge No. 423, Clanton Chapter No. 116, and Clanton Commandery No. 27.

Clanton Chapter No. 116 was organized January 12, 1901, and at the session of the Grand Chapter held in December, 1901, a charter was granted to Clanton Chapter No. 116. The chapter today has 100 members and the officers are: B. J. Sessions, High Priest; C. C. Marcus, King; J. Z. Mims, Scribe; J. R. Mullins, Treasurer; G. C. Harris, Secretary; S. J. Ezell, Chaplain; M. F. Jones, Captain of The Host; M. B. Arant, Principal Sojourner; R. L. Duffey, Royal Arch Captain; L. E. Foshee, Master of 3rd Veil; J. D. Armstrong, Master of 2nd Veil; L. E. Diefenderfer, Master of 1st Veil, and T. J. Marcus, Sentinel.

Clanton Commandery No. 27, has a membership of 93, and the officers are: M. C. Broadhead, Eminent Commander; G. F. Harris, Generalissimo; B. J. Sessions, Captain General; John Z. Mims, Senior Warden; M. F. Jones, Junior Warden; S. J. Ezell, Chaplain; W. H. Sartor, Treasurer; G. C. Harris, Secuda; J. E. Edgar, Standard Bearer; L. E. Foshee, Sword Bearer; C. O. Jones, Warder, and T. W. Kemp, Sentinel.

A Home In Clanton

The above is the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Renfroe Mullins, on Second Avenue, Clanton. This is one of the many attractive homes situated throughout the thriving little city of Clanton.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD HAVE AN ACTIVE CAMP IN CLANTON

Local Order Was Organized Almost A Quarter Of A Century Ago; At Present It Has 165 Members

The Clanton Camp No. 322, Woodmen of the World, was organized in Clanton April 12, 1907. The first officers of the Lodge were: E. A. Mathews, consul commander; J. A. Hester, Adviser Lieutenant; J. W. Stanfield, Banker; J. P. VanDerveer, Clerk; J. W. P. Murphy, Escort; T. J. Littlejohn, Watchman; J. L. Ruffin, Sentry; E. G. Hyman, H. T. Pipes and B. E. Jones, Managers.

The Clanton Camp has shown a steady growth in membership since its organization and today boasts of a membership of 165. The present officers are: Eric Hart, Post Consul Commander: W. B. Crane, Consul Commander; G. T. Tippett, Adviser Lieutenant; J. A. Maddox, Banker; G. C. Harris, Clerk; J. C. Jones, Escort; Ervin Wilson, Watchman; J. A. Baker, Sentry; H. T. Pipes, W. H. Sartor and J. R. Mullins, Managers. The Lodge holds its meeting on the second and Fourth Monday nights in each month.

Clanton Chapter Eastern Star Is An Active Organization Here

Has Large Membership And Is Doing Much For The Town and Chilton County

Julia Beauchamp Chapter No. 27 O. E. S. was organized February 19, 1921 The Charter members were Miss Alice Stanfield, Mrs. Glennie White, Mrs. Leo VanDerveer, Mrs. Elna Roberts, Mrs. Elizabeth Hinkle, Mrs. Rhoda Upchurch, Miss Leona Pipes, Miss Annie Gragg, Mrs. Elizabeth Higgins, Mrs. Ethel Downs, Mrs. Cornelia VanDerveer, Mrs. Margaret Stanfield, Mrs. Celeste Hayes, Mrs. Carrie V. Heath, Mrs. Eula Gragg, Mrs. Ada Atkinson, Joseph P. VanDerveer, John W. Stanfield, P. T. Hinkle, and M. L. White.

Miss Alice Stanfield was the first Worthy Matron and Joseph P. VanDerveer the first Worthy Patron

Others who have filled the chairs as Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron are: Worthy Matron: Mrs. Glennie White, Mrs. Elna Roberts, Mrs. Elizabeth Hinkle, Mrs. Eula Gragg, Mrs Elizabeth Jones, Mrs. Celeste Hayes, Mrs. Jeanette Pipes, Mrs. Bessie Harris and Mrs. Lillian Smith; Worthy Patrons: Omar L. Reynolds, Grover C. Walker, Joseph B. Atkinson, Grover C. Harris and Grady F. Harris

The following are the present officers of the Chapter

Mrs. Pauline Jones, Worthy Matron.
Mr. J. Z. Mims, Worthy Patron.
Mrs. Mary Heflin, Associate Matron.
Mr. M. F. Jones, Associate Patron
Mrs. Gussie Harris, Secretary.
Mrs. Lois Mims, Treasurer.
Mrs. Gladis Strock, Conductress
Miss Ruth Sessions, Associate Conductress.
Mrs. Lula Arant, Chaplain.
Miss Zora Guy, Adah.
Mrs. Eula Gragg, Ruth.
Mrs. Maude Diefenderfer, Esther.
Mrs. Lottie L. Dennis, Martha
Miss Erin Danforth, Electa.
Mrs. Jeanette Pipes, Warder
Mr. H. T. Pipes, Sentinel
Mrs. Estelle Foshee, Organist
Miss Dollie M. Harris, Marshal

Bone meal, poultry manure, cottonseed meal, and sewage sludge are very good commercial fertilizers for the lawn. They are safe to apply and give fairly quick results. Apply from 10 to 15 pounds to 1,000 square feet in late winter or early spring.

More liberal use of seed potatoes would increase the average production per acre, the U. S. Department of Agriculture believes. From 15 to 18 or more bushels of seed potatoes should be planted to the acre, instead of 9 to 11, as is the usual practice in some sections.

Planting wheat 65 to 75 yards from any wheat straw or stubble of the previous season will control the destructive wheat strawworm, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. This pest, which often destroys whole fields of spring wheat, attacks wheat only, and the first generation, or spring form, is wingless and unable to travel long distances.

CHIEF DEPUTY

JAMES B. GILLESPIE

Contributing a great deal to the efficiency of the Sheriff's office is the Chief Deputy, James B. Gillespie, who was born in Coosa County in 1897. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gillespie. He attended the public schools of the county and became interested in farming at an early age. When he was only 20 years of age he was an independent and successful farmer. Mr. Gillespie proved that he was a progressive farmer by the fact that he was a strong believer in diversification.

One of his hobbies was the raising of registered stock. He was associated in this work for a time with Mr. J. D. Collins, a former Sheriff of the county.

Chilton County is indeed fortunate in securing the services of a young man of such ability.

Mr. Gillespie married Miss Linnie Collins of Chilton County and is the father of five fine children, three boys and two girls, and is a member of the Baptist church.

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A pound of good quality cottonseed meal furnishes as much digestible protein as three pounds of wheat bran.

DIST. ATTORNEY

HENRY GRADY REYNOLDS

Henry Grady Reynolds, United States District Attorney for the Alabama Middle District, with offices in the Federal Building at Montgomery, has practiced law at Clanton, Chilton County, being a member of the law firm Reynolds & Reynolds, of which his brother is junior partner.

Mr. Reynolds was born January 11, 1889, and is the son of Judge L. H. and Dora C. Reynolds of Clanton. He acquired his primary education in the schools at Clanton, attended the Marion Military Institute in 1906-07, and was a student in the University of Alabama from 1907 to 1912. He took his law degree at the University in 1912 and in the same year engaged in private practice at Clanton, where he achieved the substantial success that brought him broader recognition and attention. On July 24, 1924, he was given a temporary appointment as United States District Attorney for the Middle District of Alabama, and on January 13, 1925, was appointed for a full term of four year. He was re-appointed in 1929.

Mr. Reynolds is a Knights Templar Mason and Shriner, member of Knights Pythias, Woodmen of the World and the Presbyterian Church. On September 10, 1914, he married Miss Estelle Morgan. They have two fine boys, Henry Grady Jr., and Morgan.

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Scalded poultry deteriorates more quickly than dry-picked poultry and should be handled more carefully and quickly when marketed. Frozen poultry may be thawed in running water in from 8 to 12 hours, but this method tends to injure keeping quality and flavor. A better way to thaw poultry—both dry picked and scalded—is to hang the birds by the legs in the cooler over night.

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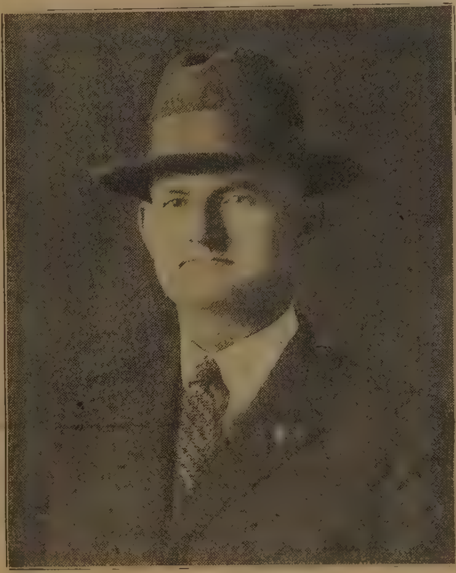
Always grease an iron with lard or vaseline before putting it away for a long time, or it will rust. To remove rust on an iron, scour it with scouring powder and rub well with a flannel cloth.

Judge Of Probate



JUDGE L. H. REYNOLDS

Judge L. H. Reynolds, Probate Judge of Chilton County, was born in Macon County, Alabama, in 1864, the son of Wm. Joe and Susan M. Reynolds, pioneer settlers of Macon County. His grandfathers, Colonel William Reynolds and William Jordan, were among the first settlers of Tuskegee, Alabama.

His family moved in 1870 to Dry Valley in Chilton County, Alabama, where he spent his boyhood and was educated. His early life was spent on the farm, remaining there until 26 years of age, leaving the farm to enter the mercantile business at Jemison. This firm was known as The Farmers' Alliance and operated under this name for five years, Judge Reynolds buying out other interests and continued the business for ten years under the name of Reynolds Bros.

In 1890 Judge Reynolds was nominated for State Senator, but withdrew because of his age. In 1896 he was elected a member of the Legislature, which position he held for two terms. He was elected as delegate to the Constitutional Convention in 1898, and in turn was elected to the Legislature to put the New Constitution into effect.

Judge Reynolds was elected Judge of Probate in Chilton County in August, 1904, which office he held until 1910. He was defeated for re-election in 1910, suffering the only defeat in his career. After leaving the office of Probate Judge in 1910, he entered the mercantile business in Clanton, which he conducted for six years.

In 1916 Judge Reynolds was again elected Judge of Probate of Chilton County, and was re-elected in 1922, and again in 1928. He is now serving his county in his twenty-first year as Probate Judge of Chilton County.

One of the first movements of Judge Reynolds was in 1905, which was his first year as Probate Judge was to clear the county of debt and place it on a cash basis. His experience in the mercantile business had taught him that the county could operate cheaper and better on a cash basis. During his first term the county was freed of all indebtedness and had $10,000.00 in the treasury. When re-elected in 1916 he found the county in debt to the extent of $238,000.00. In 1918 the county Court House burned with only $12,000 insurance. Due to State laws it was impossible to borrow funds to build a new Court House as the county was bonded at that time to the limit the law provided for. Judge Reynolds was advised by the Circuit Judge and County Examiner that it would be impossible to build a Court House. Again he called upon his old policy of paying cash and not only rebuilt a magnificent Court House, but at a minimum cost. This building was cleared of all indebtedness in 1921.

During Judge Reynolds' term as Probate Judge the county's debt has been reduced to a minimum and has sufficient cash on hand to take care of all outstanding bonds. Several thousands of dollars have recently been loaned to banks of the county to be reloaned to the farmers, thereby enabling them to produce another crop.

During the recent depression and unemployment period the county had hundreds of people in need. The county road machinery was discontinued and men placed on the county roads in their place. Many men in the county who were unemployed were given a job and on December 23, 1930, which was the first month under this policy, $11,000.00 was paid to the unemployed, this money going to 1100 people, according to information. The roads and highways of the county are being put in excellent shape under this policy and at a small cost to the county. Too, all road tax was discontinued for the year. This move has caused others in different sections to start a similar move for the unemployed. Judge Reynolds has been complimented for inaugurating this policy.

The County roads are in excellent condition, having over 1700 miles of well kept roads. There is not a place in the county a school bus or rural mail carrier can not go in comfort.

In his private life Judge Reynolds is a man active in all the civic, social and religious activities of his town and county. He is a member of the First Methodist church of Clanton, member of the Masonic Lodge and a Shriner.

Judge Reynolds was married to Miss Dora Marshall of Athens, Ga., in 1888. Judge and Mrs. Reynolds have five children of whom they are justly proud: Grady, U. S. District Attorney, Claude, connected with Adams Grader Co.; Omar, prominent lawyer of Clanton; Mrs. Winnie Bridges, of Bessemer, Ala.; and Mrs. Willie Newell, of Birmingham, Ala.

Judge Reynolds has never used tobacco in any form, and he has always been a strong prohibitionist, all his life. He is proud of his three sons, not only for the success they have attained in the business world, but also for the fact that like their father, they have never used tobacco or alcohol in any form.

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Fish oils from canned tuna, sardines, menhadden, and salmon contain vitamin D. They are valuable and the housewife should stop feeding them to the cat and should serve them to the family.

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Asparagus production has increased threefold since 1920.

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Hog liver compares favorably with beef liver and is usually half as expensive.

ATTORNEY

OMAR L. REYNOLDS

Mr. Omar L. Reynolds, prominent attorney of Clanton, is a native of this county. He secured his elemntary education in the schools of this county, attended Chilton County high school, of which he is a graduate. He is also a graduate of the University of Alabama He is the son of L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate of Chilton County.

He is a young man, but due to his close attention to his duties, and his pleasing personality, he has built up for himself a substantial and important clientiele in this territory. He is City Attorney for the Town of Clanton, and member of the law firm of Reynolds & Reynolds. He is interested in the social, religious and civic movements of his town and county, and is a real Booster.

DEPUTY SHERIFF

WILLIAM ADELBERT NORRIS

Making up a part of our Sheriff's force is William A. Norris, a young man of very sterling qualities. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Norris and was born in Chilton County near Mitchell Dam in 1907. He attended grammar school at Verbena, and also completed his high school course there

After leaving school Mr. Norris was employed by the Dixie Construction Co. and was associated with Dr. Sims in a vigorous fight against mosquitoes between Mitchell Dam Lake and Lay Dam. During the following years he was rodsman and later transit man with a party of engineers with the Dixie Construction Co., at Martin Dam. He also spent several very useful years as switchboard operator for the Alabama Power Company at Mitchell Dam.

He was recently appointed deputy to Sheriff Gillespie, and is proving his true worth as a conscientious law enforcer.

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Too much water in a washing machine causes excessive splashing and often reduces the efficiency of the machine. Observe where the water line is and also be careful not to overload the machine with clothes.

SOARING ON TO GREATER HEIGHTS

Keeping Step With The March Of Progress Of This-- Our County

In keeping with the forward march of Progress, being made in Clanton and Chilton County, we have made steps to carry this Store onward. Our stock of dry goods, millinery, ready-to-wear, shoes and furnishings for men is now the largest and most complete we have ever carried. When You enter our store you will not have to leave until you have outfitted yourself completely with wearing apparel if you so wish.

We have constantly served the people of this section for years, during which time we have strived to the best of our ability to render them a service that is worthwhile and in keeping with that which they deserve. Our corps of salesladies are experienced in their line of business and those patronizing this store are assured of the service of our salesladies and salesmen at all times, rendered with courteous pleasure.

DRY GOODS
SHOES
MILLINERY

Chicago Sales Company

Clanton's Big Department Store **Reedie Taylor, Mgr.**

READY-TO-WEAR
NOTIONS
Gents' Furnishings

Chicago Sales Company Has Modern Enterprising Store Located In City Of Clanton

Grows Into A Potential Mercantile Concern In Five Years; Reputable Man Is At The Helm

From the very small business launched in Clanton five years ago, The Chicago Sales Company has expanded into one of the leading mercantile concerns in Central Alabama.

Occupying a modern brick building, 50 feet wide and 125 feet long, located in the center of the business section, The Chicago Sales Company carries one of the largest lines of mens', womens and children's wear dry goods, shoes and virtually every kind of merchandise handled by a modern department store.

The merchandise is neatly arrayed throughout the spacious floors and a trained corps of salesmen and salesladies handle the large clientele. Florsheim, Peters, Friendly Five and Natural Bridge Arch Shoes, Gordon and Interwoven hosiery; Curlee and Hart, Schaffner & Marx clothes for men also Rothschilds and Stetson hats. Jeannette Walker ready-to-wear and Klutz Millinery and many other nationally advertised lines are carried in styles and patterns to please the most fastidious.

The Store is arranged in departments. Dry goods and hosiery mens wear shoes and ladies ready-to-wear and millinery. Four regular employees are on the pay roll of the firm, Miss Etta Baker, Miss U. L. Foshee, Miss Kate Aldridge and Mrs. J. H. Williams. The business has increased threefold since 1926 and is enlarging its number of customers continually.

The business is operated under the efficient management of Reedie Taylor. On June 15, 1926, Mr. Taylor purchased this business from V. J. Elmore. It was then located next to the First National Bank in which stand it was operated for four and one-half years. November 1930, Mr Taylor moved to the present location.

Mr. Taylor makes regular trips to St. Louis and Baltimore markets yearly and is in constant touch with the leading manufacturers and secures last minute information on smart apparel.

In June 1929, a branch store was opened in Jemison, Alabama, and in keeping with the progress of the Clanton Store, has shown a marked improvement each month. The store is operated by W. A. Kemp, who has as his assistant Mrs. Arch Wells.

Born in Chilton County, Alabama, October 12, 1906, Mr. Taylor has lived in Clanton practically all his life. He received his education in the schools of Cla[illegible] at Draughn's Business College in Montgomery, Alabama. He was [illegible] with the Peoples Savings Bank of Clanton for [illegible] and [illegible], and is at present a [illegible] the institution. He is a [illegible] the Board of Directors of Bank of Jemison. Mr Taylor has been a member of the City Council of Clanton for several years and among the many achievements accomplished as a member of the Council has been the reduction of the city's indebtedness, and the installation of a Modern Filtering plant for the city water. He is a member of the Kiwanis Club of Clanton and is keenly interested in all civic, social, religious and fraternal activities of Clanton and Chilton County. Mr. Taylar's father, Alonza M. Taylor, died when Mr Taylor was 12 years of age, and though handicapped, Mr. Taylor has succeeded in making himself, with the help of a wonderful mother, one of the leading young business men of the State, and a citizen any community would be proud to boast of. He was married to Miss Pauline Lawrence November 16, 1930.

POPULAR YOUNG SALESLADY

MISS ALMA GENTRY

Miss Alma Gentry, popular saleslady for The Fair Store is one of Clanton's most attractive younger set. Miss Alma has been connected with the Fair Store for five years and has continued to gain in popularity.

She entered upon her business career in 1926. Her desire to serve to the best of her ability and her pleasing disposition has won for her a host of friends, in fact she can number her friends only by her acquaintances. You can expect Miss Alma to always meet you with a smile. She is ever ready to help the customers of The Fair Store to make selections or make suggestions that will enable all who make purchases at the store a satisfied customer.

Miss Gentry was born and reared in Chilton County and graduated from Marbury High School in 1925. She is a member of the Mt. Creek Baptist church and takes a great interest in the Sunday School work, having charge of a class of junior boys and girls. Miss Alma is a real Booster for Clanton and Chilton County.

FRUIT GROWERS ASS'N. MANAGER

J. M. SMITH
OF THORSBY, ALA.

It gives the News great pleasure to give a sketch of the life and activities of Mr. J. M. Smith. Mr. Smith is a most unsung man who is modest in his expressions about himself. We therefore feel that it is due him and his community to say something about the value of his services to his county.

He was born and reared on a farm four miles south of Thorsby, on Oct. 16, 1876. He received his education in the common schools of that day. The school system of 1880 was not adequate to take care of the education of the children of the county. Mr. Smith therefore, did not have much opportunity to get the educational training due him and other children. He did much of his studying at night by a pine knot light. It is a far cry from the schools of that day to this. Think of it. The fine schools on every hill, fine equipment and the finest teachers. Still many fail to take advantage of the opportunities they have.

Mr. Smith, since early manhood, has always spent his time in helping to promote the interest of his county and community. At 25 years of age he was elected as a trustee of the Littlejohn school and has been continuously, for 20 years. Soon after this he was employed by the Chilton County Farmers Union and served in that capacity for 10 years. During that period he became acquainted with every farmer of the county and was so well informed in agriculture, truck and fruit growing that he was chosen to an important post with the Thorsby Fruit and Truck Growers Association. He is today an outstanding leader in this great work of helping the farmers and fruit growers to success in productivity and marketing their products. Mr. Smith has been a member of this organization for 20 years and has filled every office except president. He is manager and Treasurer of this organization and has been for 10 years. He has seen the organization grow from a small number to the present membership of 250.

Tiffin - Klinner Furniture Co. Ranks High In The Furniture Business

Founded by J. B. Tiffin, One of Most Sagacious Mercantile Men; Furnishes Everything for the Home

One and a half years of service to the trade of Clanton, and founded by J. B. Tiffin, one of the most progressive business men that ever operated in Central Alabama, the Tiffin-Klinner Furniture Company is one of the most important mercantile establishments in Clanton.

In its two story building the furniture, fancy china, and everything to furnish a home, three salesmen handle the large volume of business on the main floor, which has 3750 square feet of working space. The handsome lines of furniture and furnishings are elegantly displayed, making selections of the desired merchandise considerably easier.

The Tiffin-Klinner Furniture Company features the products of Perfection makes of living and dining room suites, and the Simmons bedroom furniture. Gold Seal congoleum and Eagle ranges. A demand for the company's merchandise is being supplied over a radius of several miles from Clanton.

Mr. W. F. Broadhead of Birmingham, Ala., who operates furniture stores at Birmingham and Gadsden, purchased the interest of Mr. Klinner and is President of Tiffin-Klinner. Mr. Tiffin is secretary and treasurer. Mr. Tiffin has connected with him in the store his two sons, Thomas and James.

Mr. Tiffin was born in Franklin County, Alabama, December 24, 1882. He has been in the furniture business since he was 21 years of age. He was in business in Red Bay, Alabama, from 1906 to 1919, and in Birmingham from 1919 to 1929. He is said to know every angle of the furniture business and is extra keen and reputable as a business man. Under his management the company has enjoyed continued growth and success. He is a Booster for Clanton and Chilton County.

Mr. Tiffin was married to Miss Nola Walton of Tupelo, Miss., in 1909, and they have three fine children. The Tiffins are members of the Methodist church.

Sheriff Of Chilton County

W. H. GILLESPIE

Chilton County boasts of one of the strongest county law enforcement departments in the state. Headed by a very able Sheriff, Walter H. Gillespie, the citizens of the county feel that they have a splendid protection.

Mr. Gillespie was born at Rockford in Coosa County in 1879. He is the son of David and Emily Gillespie. When Mr. Gillespie was only 14 years of age his father died and he was left with the responsibility of the family, a mother, five sisters, and 4 brothers. He took his father's place on the farm and followed that vocation for a number of years.

In 1896 Mr. Gillespie married Miss Roxie Kelly from Rockford. He continued to farm until 1915 at which time he was appointed chief deputy to Sheriff Harris, and he served Chilton County in that capacity during the 4 years of his term. In 1919 he became a member of the law enforcement department of the State of Alabama and from 1920 to 1921 he was deputy for Eureka Coal Company at Helena. Mr. Gillespie has a very fine record as Federal Prohibition Agent for 8 years during which time he proved to be both fearless and courageous in the discharge of his duty.

He is highly esteemed by the people of Alabama as well as by the people of Chilton County, as was proven by the recent county election in which he was elected Sheriff of Chilton County.

Lilly Miki, a six year old Japanese girl, has been hailed as a piano prodigy and she is now preparing to make her first concert appearance.

Hilda and Helen Boehm, 17-year-old twins of Malden, Mass., who recently won the doubles championship in a national tournament at Chestnut Hills, are among the most promising young women tennis players in the United States.

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Win Day, 15 year old Chicago high school boy, who won the Miami midwinter amateur golf tourney, continued his sensational play in the Miami Biltmore invitation meet.

Elmer Rood of Quincy, Ill., was fined $200 for using the telephone to scold his wife.

Gerald Dugan of Ely, Nev., tied one end of a string to his dog's tail, the other end to a tooth that bothered him, yelled "sic' him" to the dog and watched his pet run away with his tooth.

William McKechnie of Detroit was placed on pobation for 12 months when his wife told a magistrate that he had beaten her every day for the last 18 years.

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A woman of Paris, who sued for the unauthorized publication of her photo, obtained four cents damages.

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When a freshman at Rhode Island State College dares to flirt with a co-ed and is caught, he must wear a baseball catcher's mask for three days as punishment.

Outstanding Baseball Player

JACK HAYES

MEMBER WASHINGTON AMERICAN LEAGUE BASEBALL TEAM

Minter Carney (Jack) Hayes, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Hayes of Clanton, was born July 19, 1906. He attended the schools of Clanton, graduating from the Chilton County High School in 1915. He entered the University of Alabama in 1916, graduating from that institution, and while there became one of the greatest baseball players to ever grace the diamond at the Capstone.

Mr. Hayes baseball career began in high school where he was quite a star. In the summer of 1924 he played semi-pro baseball at Roanoke, Ala., 1925 at Clanton and 1926 at Aliceville, Ala. Before finishing high school Jack received an offer for the Chattanooga Club of the Southern League. While a sophomore at the University of Alabama he received an offer from Chicago White Sox of the American League.

In the spring of 1927 Mr. Hayes signed with the Birmingham Barons of the Southern League and two months later was bought by Clark Griffith, owner of the Washington Senators of the American League. He remained with the Washington Club until August, 1928, when he was farmed to Minneapolis of American Association. He played second base for the "Millers" during the months of August and September of that year. His playing was sensational, and he was recalled by the Washington Club, remaining with them since.

Jack has been used as a utility infielder most of the time by Washington, but his playing has convinced the Washington officials that he is one of the most valuable players in the big league. The leading sport writers thruout the country praise him as being a brilliant and reliable fielder, knowing what its all about, with a strong and accurate throwing arm and a very dependable man at the plate. Frank H. Young, sports writer for the Washington Post, has this to say: "In practically every line of business there are men with just as much ability as some of the administrators, holding lower positions simply because opportunity did not knock at their door. This also applies to baseball, the history of the National game being full of cases where lowly understudies, once given a chance, have suddenly blossomed out as stars and better than the men whose places they have taken. If the recent showing of Minter C. (Jack) Hayes may be taken as a criterion, Washington has a young shortstop whose light would have remained hidden under a bushel' but for the injuries to Manager Harris and Infielder Bob Reeves. The beauty of Hayes' form is that it is natural, the youngster taking to baseball like a duck to water. He appears to have the knack in fielding which makes difficult stops look easy, the reason being that he gauges the ball properly from the time it leaves the bat. He stands still at the proper time, goes back at the proper time and comes in at the proper time, the result being that he generally gets the ball on good hops."

The work of Jack Hayes attracted the attention of Scout Joe Engle while Hayes was still with "Bama" but before the Nationals had time to make him an offer Johnny Dobbs, Birmingham manager, stepped in and signed him to a contract. The Baron roster was full at the time and, being that Jack was just a rookie collegiate, he was not used. The Nationals, strictly on his performance with Alabama, then bought Hayes from the Barons before he ever had the opportunity of seeing his name in a Southern Association box score.

Jack is proud of the fact that he hails from Clanton and is a real Booster for his home town and community. Clanton is in turn proud of Jack and his achievements in the baseball world.

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

Although it is the shortest month February perhaps holds the birth anniversaries of more famous Americans than any other. Among these, Washington and Lincoln are preeminent. But two other presidents, William Henry Harrison and Millard Fillmore, were also born in February.

This month also marks the birthdays of David Porter, naval officer of the War of 1812; Zebulon M. Pike, soldier and explorer, for whom Pike's Peak was named; General W. T. Sherman of Civil War fame; Horace Greeley and Henry Waterson, noted editors; Henry W. Longfellow and Sidney Lanier, poets; Mark Hopkins, the great educator who was president of Williams College for 36 years; Roger Williams, pioneer of religious liberty and founder of Rhode Island; Richard Watson Gilder, poet, editor and civic reformer; Dwight L. Moody, evangelist; Peter Cooper and George Peabody, philanthropists; Joseph Jefferson, actor; Cyrus H. McCormick, inventor of the reaper, and William F. Cody, the colorful "Buffalo Bill."

The February list also includes several famous American women, among them being Susan B. Anthony, piooneer suffragist, and two noted women educators, Mary Lyon, founder of Mount Holyoke Seminary, and Alice Freeman Palmer, former president of Wellesley College.

Among living Americans born in February, the most famous are Thomas A. Edison, Elihu Root and Charles A. Lindbergh.

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Church of Christ Had Beginning In Redman Hall In Clanton In 1922

Clanton Church Was Organized Nine Years Ago; Has a Very Active Membership Today

The history of the Church of Christ at Clanton dates back to November 12, 1922, when it began worshiping in the Redman Hall in Clanton. For several years a small congregation had been worshipping at Mineral Springs about ten miles north of Clanton, but a movement was started to consolidate the membership of all the members living in reach of Clanton at this place, and the worship was begun here on the above mentioned date. The church continued worshiping in the Redman Hall for about one year when it moved into its new building located on the corner of 6th Street and 4th Avenue, North.

The house of worship now used is not the equal of some of the other church buildings in the town, but there are but very few better church buildings in Chilton County. The auditorium has a seating capacity of about 400, and theer are four class rooms. The church owns one fourth of an entire city block.

The church has been unfortunate in losing a great number of its membership by people moving away from the town, but the present membership numbers about forty members the most of whom attend services regularly. The church has never failed a single Lord's Day to have its regular services since its beginning, and every Sunday school class is taught by a college trained teacher except one, this one being taught by a literary teacher of wide experience.

Some of the ministers who have preached for the congregation are the following: Price Billingsley, of McMinville, Tenn.; S. H. Profit, Chattanooga, Tenn.; D. E. Mason, Ft. Deposit, Ala.; L. S. Ellis, Birmingham, Ala.; A. C. Patterson, Birmingham, Ala.; O. C. Dobbs, Fayette, Ala.; G. H. O'Neal, Morrison, Tenn.; W. C. Graves, Birmingham, Ala.; Fred M. Little, Montgomery, Ala.; J. F. Pendergrass, Birmingham, Ala.; Reese Rodgers, of Clanton, Ala; R. H. Boles, Highland Home, Ala.; J. T. Daniel, Clanton, Ala.; Murphy Bratton, Jemison, Ala.; and G. A. Dunn, Dallas, Texas; and J. S. Moares, Wetumpka, Ala.

The officers of the church now are J. E. Pate, J. P. Bean, W. M. Bean, elders, and A. Wade and W. T. Bean, deacons.

REPORT ON REDS

Some rather surprising information is contained in the report of the House committee created to investigate the activities and propaganda of Communists in the United States, of which committee Hamilton Fish, Jr., of New York was chairman.

The report shows that while the actual number of Communists in this country is relatively small, perhaps not more than 500,000, they are very active in their attacks upon American institutions and our system of government. It is also stated that these Communists "are apparently proud of taking their orders from Moscow and giving allegiance to the Red Flag of the Soviet Union of Russia."

Briefly, the Communist program is to abolish all so-called capitalistic government and bring the whole world under the domination of Russia; to confiscate and take over all property by the state; to establish race equality, social and otherwise; to abolish all forms of religion.

There are no less than 11 daily and 18 weekly Communist newspapers in the United States, nearly all printed in foreign languages, which vigorously advocate this program, besides 12 Communists publications not entered as second class mail matter. In addition, tons of pamphlets and other Communist literature are circulated each year.

Two organizations for propaganda work among school children are maintained, called the Young Communist League and the Young Pioneers of America. A total of more than 60 Communist organizations operating in the United States are listed by the Fish committee.

One significant statement by the committee, which really sums up the case, is as follows: "In reality, Communism is a mortal enemy within our country, aiming to destroy our republican form of government, guaranteed by the Constitution, to cause civil war and bring about revolution in the United States."

The efforts of the American Federation of Labor in its fight against Communism are highly praised by the committee. The Federation's strong stand has kept the Reds from making much headway among native-born American workers.

Beautiful Floral Gardens

HOWARD BROTHERS FLORISTS

One of the outstanding businesses of Chilton County is the Howard Brothers Floral Gardens at Thorsby. The four large hot houses contain 10,000 carnation plants and the unusually large blossoms in full bloom make an exquisite picture. Howard Bros. have a wholesale and retail business, and these handsome flowers are shipped over a large portion of the South. So expert are the Messrs. Howard in the handling of these flowers that even when being sent to distant states they arrive at their destination in splendid condition. They also specialize in fine gladiola and dahlia bulbs, pot plants and bedding plants. One of the most interesting features of their work is the handsome funeral designs made by Howard Bros. In their business they supply a long felt need in their community, as well as in the entire county and state.

The owners and operators of the business are brothers, Fred Howard and C. S. Howard. They were born and reared in Monitowoc, Mich., a beautiful city on Lake Michigan. They came south in 1900, and settled in Thorsby. They were the pioneer strawberry growers and shippers of this section and through their efforts the growth of strawberries has become a thriving business over a large portion of the county.

In 1906 Messrs. Howard engaged in the field culture of carnations and in 1908 they built the first hot house and have since added three other hot houses

Chilton County is indebted to them not only through their leadership in the agriculture of this section, but also because they represent two of the finest citizens in the county

People from many sections visit Howard Brothers Floral Gardens and pronounce them a thing of beauty and interest.

BOY SCOUTS TAUGHT HOW TO BECOME MEN OF CHARACTER

Duty To God, Help Other People, Keep Physically Strong, Are Cardinal Principles Taught

Along with the wonderful progress in Clanton and Chilton County for the past few years, in farming, dairying, and other industries, is the progress in the development of its youth in character and citizenship. It was through the realization that the future of any community depends upon the training of the boys of today who are the men of tomorrow, that the Clanton and Lay Dam Councils, Boy Scouts of America, was organized.

Character development is the real objective of the Boy Scout movement. Every step in the Scout program is but a means to that end. The various tests and the variety and interests of the many activities are intended to hold the interest of the boy who becomes a Scout and to educate him in the manly art of the craft. This character manifests development itself in health, efficiency, loyalty, patriotism and good citizenship.

Scout Oath

Every Scout takes an oath to follow three cardinal rules, as follows

To do my duty to God and country and to obey the Scout Law.

To help other people at all times.

To keep myself physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight

In addition to these the Scout law code embraces the following: trustworthiness, loyalty, helpfulness, friendliness, thrift, bravery, cleanliness, and reverence. These ideals are drilled into the boys during the years when his mind is open and impressionable, imbuing in him the traits of character that make him a good citizen.

Last year the Kiwanis Club of Clanton adopted as one of its projects the sponsoring of a Boy Scout organization in the Clanton district. A special committee composed of members of the Kiwanis Club set to work on Boy Scout organization and a Troop was organized. On September 1st last year 22 members were registered. The first 22 members registered were as follows: U. L. Baker, Hal D. Broadhead, Quinton A. Boockholdt, Norman E Childs, Edward Childs, Wesley Danforth, John S. Ezell, Joe Hall Johnson, Carl Jones, Lawrence F. Gerald, Jr., Joe W. Moore, John Thomas Marler, Phillip Nelson, Arnold Poe, Donald Poe, Grady Reynolds, Jr., Morgan Reynolds, Ted Reynolds, Sidney Reynolds, Dan C. Smith and Herbert Neighbors.

The Clanton Troop received its Charter in October. Since then the following boys have been added to the Troop: L. D. Easterling, Wilson Maddox, Curtis Wyatt, John McNair, James C. Connell, Owtn Deal, Irby Wood, Eugene Wilkerson, Thomas Marcus, Hays Marcus, Julius Martin, Horace Vincent, Searcy Martin, and Bobby Powers.

The Scout Troop Committee is composed of C. E. Stapp, Chairman, S. J Ezell, Mack Wyatt, John Page, Sam Powers and L. C. Warr. John Hollis is responsible for the supervision of camping.

Since receiving Charter in the Clanton Club, a troop has been organized at Lay Dam with Sam Powers, Scoutmaster, director in charge. In addition to these two troops there is a troop of Cub Scouts, that is, boys under 12 years of age, at Mitchell Dam. The leader for the boys at Mitchell Dam is Mr Doyle McRae

The boys are very much interested in Scout work in the district and it is hoped that several new troops will be be organized. The Boy Scouts are planning on taking over the City of Clanton for a day during the summer. This movement inaugurated by this organization several years ago, has become quite popular throughout the United States and is in keeping with the wonderful work of the organization. The Boy Scouts are always interested in the welfare of their town and community. When called upon they are ready to do their good deed daily." They may be found assisting in all social, civic, and religious movements. In making Clanton and Chilton County the place it should be no better movement could be fostered than that of the Boy Scouts. Let's get behind these boys, help them and Boost them, because they surely help and Boost Clanton and Chilton County. The Scouts are under the supervision of John Mullins, Scoutmaster

Rather Unusual

Miss Florence Kelly of Chicago presented in court a written list of 32 epithets which Mrs. R. A. Voorhies had applied to her in a quarrel.

Just as he was landing his thirteenth fish, Armand Leveille, of Metheum, Mass., was arrested by a game warden.

Theodore G. Sherwood of Los Angeles was given a room without bath in jail after making the following remak: "I'll be hornswaggled if anyone can make me buy a license to take a bath in my own home."

Frank Bowers and Theodore Palmquist of Ashland, Wis., told a postal inspector they had burned $21,000 in currency from a mail pouch because the sight of so much money "gave us a scare."

When asked if he were a descendent of Ponce de Leon, R[illegible] Leon of Le Panto, Ark., replied: "The difference between us is: Ponce de Leon was in search of the 'Fountain of Youth' while I'm looking for the staff of life."

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J. MELL MARTIN PROVIDES COMPLETE MORTUARY FACILITIES

Two Large Henney Combination Cars Are Used By Firm—Day And Night Service Given

One of the largest, most modern and completely equipped Mortuary establishments in this section is that of J. Mell Martin, funeral director of Clanton. This business is housed in a large brick building on 7th Street, fitted up especially for the firm with the finest of fixtures, and equipment. Service in time of sorrow or misfortune is weighed in finer scales than ordinary relations which exist in the affairs of people. At such times, promptness, courtesy and sympathy weigh more heavily than they do under normal conditions. Clanton and Chilton County people, therefore, are especially fortunate in having a concern like Martin's with its first class equipment, trained personnel and its additional facilities for prompt, comfortable ambulance service to sick and wounded.

Two big Henney Combination cars are used by the firm, and day and night service is given. Mr. Martin is an experienced funeral director, and the equipment in this respect is unsurpassed. A large and complete stock of metal and wood caskets, in all sizes and grades, including the (Clark) Steel Vaults, is carried at all times, as well as a complete line of suits and dresses, also casket hardware.

J. Mell Martin, owner of this firm and known and valued as one of the progressive citizens and representative business men of Clanton, was born in Coosa County, Alabama, January 24, 1884, and is a son of Rev. Darius S. and Aurabell (Nolen) Martin.

Mr. Martin attended the schools of his native county until he had attained to the age of twenty years, and in the meanwhile he was employed as a mercantile clerk during the summer vacation periods. After leaving school he was employed as clerk in a general store in Coosa County eight years, and he then engaged in the grocery and funeral business in an independent way at Equality, Coosa County. In 1921 he sold the grocery department of his business and removed his funeral parlor to Clanton, where he has since conducted a representative business in this line and where he has gained an inviolable place in the confidence and esteem of the community. Through his years of faithful, sympathetic service to the people of this section, Mr. Martin has made thousands of friends throughout this part of the state, and is one of Chilton County's most unusually beloved citizens. He is a Knight Templar and Shriner Mason, Independent Order of Odd Fellows and the Woodmen of the World. He is an active member of the Baptist church of Clanton, and is President of the Kiwanis Club.

In September, 1905, was solemnized the marriage of Mr. Martin and Miss Mary Wilbanks, daughter of Geo. T. and Nettie (Bailey) Wilbanks. Mr. and Mrs. Martin have four children, Mrs. Latham Ellis of Birmingham, Samuel, Leroy and James Carl. Samuel is at present attending the Cincinnati College of Embalming, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Popular Baseball Player

BROADUS M. CONNATSER

Born at Serville, Tenn., Sept. 19, 1904, attended grammar school at Serville, moved to Thorsby in 1915, attended Chilton County High School and graduated from it in 1920. Graduated from the University of Alabama with B. S. degree in 1926.

Played baseball four years at University of Alabama. In spring of 1926 he began playing professional ball with the Birmingham Club of the Southern League. Birmingham sold him to Jackson, Miss., in 1928, where he hit .325 for season. At the end of that season New Orleans Club bought him and re[illegible] there for another years tr[illegible] where he hit .355.

In 1930 he reported back to New Orleans Club for spring training. He spent a month of the regular season there was "farmed" to Terre Haute in the III League or as some call it the "Stutter League" where he hit .383. He was picked by sporting writers in the league as a member of the All Star Team.

During off season he spends his time with his uncle, W. W. Fox, in Clanton, Alabama.

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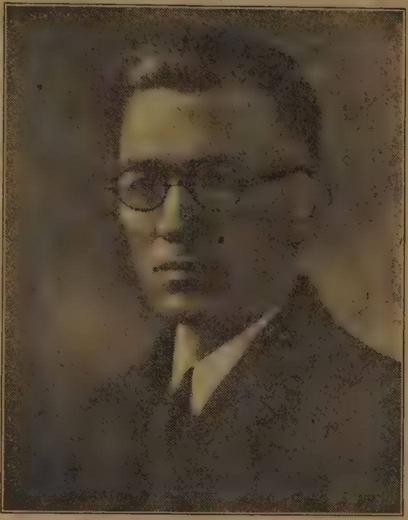
Roy Haskell, newspaper boy of Boston, proved himself a hero when he assisted in carrying out three children from a burning house in his neighborhood.

Supt. Of Mitchell Dam



J. L. HOLLIS

The growth and progress of Clanton and Chilton County has been rapid principally because of the interest shown by its citizens. One of the outstanding citizens of the county and one whose progressiveness is revealed after a short acquaintance is J. L. Hollis, Superintendent of the Hydro Electric plant of the Alabama Power Company at Mitchell Dam.

Mr. Hollis was born and reared at Lincoln, Talladega County, Alabama. He received his education in the elementary schools of Talladega County, and higher education in the schools of this State. In 1911, Mr. Hollis entered the service of the United States Government in the Engineering department and remained there until 1915. The following year found him with the Gulf States Steel Company and after three years with this organization, he became a member of the Golden Foundry and Machine Company. In 1921 Mr. Hollis joined the forces of the Dixie Construction Company at Mitchell Dam.

Mr. Hollis was engaged in the construction of Mitchell Dam and this gigantic structure stands as one of the most outstanding achievements of engineering in the country. In 1923 he entered the employ of the Alabama Power Company and upon completion of Mitchell Dam he entered the Service of the Production Department then as a mechanic. His work was such that promotion came rapidly, finally reaching the post of Assistant Superintendent, and finally Superintendent.

The high esteem in which Mr. Hollis is held by his company is well exemplified by a clipping from "Powergrams," Alabama Power Company's own newspaper, "John L. Hollis, Superintendent at Mitchell Dam, has been placed in full charge of the Mitchell Hydro-Electric plant since J. U. Benziger, Superintendent of the Coosa River Plants, has resigned to take up work with Georgia Power Company.

"Mr. Hollis has moved steadily in the organization since he began work with the Dixie Construction Company on Mitchell Dam on Nov. 14, 1921. John Hollis' record with the company is a tribute to his "sticktoitness." He is a man of great mechanical skill and in handling successfully the man problems incident to his various positions, he has demonstrated dependability under all conditions. Excellent service while on loan to affiliated company is also to his credit. While he is a man of few words, he has a very warm nature, which is so well exemplified in his family life."

Mr. Hollis is a member of the Kiwanis Club and First Baptist church of Clanton. He takes an active part in all activities of Clanton and Mitchell Dam. He is vitally interested in the Boy and Girl Scouts of Mitchell Dam.

Mitchell Dam

A bird's-eye view of Mitchell Dam Hydro-Electric plant of the Alabama Power Company, located near Clanton, Alabama.

It is estimated that there are 105 men to every 100 women in the United States.

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Cuba's central highway, which is termed the largest single project of high-type road construction, is about 700 miles long.

The African baobab is considered the oldest species of tree in the world, there being one specimen found estimated to be 5,700 years old.

A police official in Holland has combined a pocket telescope with a stop watch for timing automobiles accurately.

ALABAMA POWER CO. FURNISHES POWER FOR FARMERS OF STATE

Survey Of Power Company Rural Division Reveals Use Of Electric Power On Farms Shows Steady Increase

With over 22,000 farms, or nearly one-tenth of the farms in Alabama now being served from the rural power lines of Alabama Power Company, the use of electricity on farms is now beginning to have a major effect upon Alabama agriculture, a recent survey of the Power Company's Rural Division reveals.

Started in 1924 as an experiment in cooperation with the Alabama Experiment Station and Alabama Polytechnic Institute, the extension of electric service to rural communities has been continued as a part of Alabama Power Company's development program and is now one of its major activities.

The growth of rural electrification in Alabama has been little short of phenomenal, but its growth and present major effect upon agriculture in Alabama would not have been possible without the cooperation with the Power Company of farmers, agricultural workers and equipment dealers thruout the state.

On January 1st, 1924, the Power Company had in operation 14 rural lines serving 240 rural customers; and on January 1, 1931, the status of rural electric development was as follows: rural lines in operation 336, with a mileage of lines of 1,282, serving 5,256 customers; rural lines authorized and under construction, 34, totaling 180 miles, and 530 customers; rural lines that were transferred to urban classification, 50, covering 213 miles, and serving 3,353 customers; making a total of 450 lines covering 1,675 miles, and serving 9,140 customers.

Rural customers have been added during the six-year period at the average rate of 1,378 per year, or 115 per month, and rural lines were built at the average rate of 254 miles per year, or 21 miles per month.

In addition to the customers served from its rural lines, the Power Company is serving approximately 13,120 customers in 143 small towns of less than 1,000 population each. These small towns are farming community centers, and the citizens are either farmers or supply merchants for the neighboring farms. Service to most of these towns has been provided in connection with the Company's rural electrification program, and are sources of power for future expansion of electric service to rural customers.

The Power Company is therefore, serving approximately 21,730 customers from rural lines and in small towns, which means the convenience of electric service for approximately 106,000 people as a result of the rural electric development. In addition, the Company's transmission and distribution system is so developed that practically every farm is within reach of electric service from a physical standpoint of providing service from existing distribution lines.

Of the rural customers served on January 1, 1930, 7,410 were farms, each farm meter being designated by the Company as a customer. According to a survey made by the Company, there is an average of two tenants or share croppers per farm customer that are counted as separate farms by the farm meter and in practically every instance the barns used by the entire farm are lighted. On this basis electric service is being provided to about 22,000 farms in the company's territory.

A survey of 3,031 typical rural power customers indicates that in addition to lights, electricity is serving many purposes. On the basis of this survey, 700 rural customers are using electric ranges, 3,800 are using irons, 950 are using water pumps, 600 are using electric refrigerators in their homes, 575 are using radios, with smaller appliances, such as toasters, percolators, sewing machines, churns, fans, etc., in about the same proportion.

By taking into consideration that an average of 253 hours less labor per year is required to cook on an electric range than on a wood stove; that an automatic water supply system in the home saves an average of 305 hours of labor per year in addition to supplying water in abundant quantities and under pressure; that an electric churn saves 20 minutes of labor per day, or about 120 hours per year; and the many other equally effective labor saving uses of electricity, we realize the value of electricity in not only making the rural home more attractive and convenient, but also as a great factor in reducing the labor and drudgery in farm home making, which is one of the most vital and important farm problems.

The uses of electricity for performing farm operations is continually increasing and many farmers are using electricity to reduce their operating cost and increase their net incomes.

A number of truck growers have for several years used electric lights to trap the moth that produces the tomato fruit worm. In one year the use of these lights by one faremr resulted in a saving of about $1,200 of tomatoes. This customer also uses an electric motor to pump water for irrigating his truck patch—thereby making it practical to use heavy applications of fertilizer and also eliminating the risk of crop failure due to lack of rain.

About 100 dairymen served by the Power Company have installed electrically operated refrigerating equipment. Its use is resulting in an average saving of about $400 per year per dairy or a total saving of about $40,000 per year to the 100 dairymen, comparing the cost of electricity, plus interest and depreciation on the equipment, with the former cost of ice.

Poultrymen are using electric lights to increase winter egg production; and electric brooders, incubators and feed grinders satisfactorily to reduce their operating costs.

Many farmers are using electric refrigerators to store milk, butter, fruits and vegetables which have been going to waste on the farm.

The increased uses of electricity are well illustrated in the fact that in 1924 the rural customers on the Company's system used an average of 383 kilowatt-hours per year and at the end of 1929 rural customers were using an average of 840 kilowatt-hours per year. This increase was obtained even with the addition of an average of 126 new customers per month. At the end of 1929 rural customers that had been using electricity five years or more were using electricity at the rate of 993 kilowatt-hours per year.

In addition to the uses of electricity by farm and residential customers on rural lines during the 1929 ginning season, there were 56 gins on the Company's rural lines operated with electric power. The operation of these gins, as well as grist mills, small ice plants and other rural community enterprises, were a great convenience to the people and a source of revenue to the communities.

As the Company's rural lines are expanded, the number of customers per mile line is decreasing. However, there are a sufficient number of practical and satisfactory uses of electricity on the farm and in the farm home to make it possible for electric service to be generally available to the farmer of this state. This is borne out by the fact that on January 1, 1925, the Company's rural lines had an average annual consumption of 5,345 kilowatt-hours per mile of line. This had increased by January 1, 1931, to a yearly consumption of 5,775 kilowatt-hours per mile.

A staff of six agricultural engineers of the Power Company devote their entire efforts to assisting farm customers with their problems pertaining to the use of electricity and in assisting other farmers in their efforts to get electric service. With the continued cooperation of the farmers, agricultural workers and equipment dealers of Alabama, the Power Company feels confident that the development will continue to expand more rapidly each year of this activity's existence.

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A pawnbroker of Chicago refused to make a loan on the cork leg of a man who said he wanted to get enough money to buy a drink.

ATTORNEY

RAYMOND SMITH

Raymond Smith, son of A.C. and Linnie Calloway Smith, is one of Clanton's most prominent attorneys. He was born in Clanton, Alabama in 1905, and graduated from the Chilton County High School in 1923. He attended the University of Alabama, graduating in 1929, receiving the degree L. L. B.

In 1929 Mr. Smith was admitted as a member Alabama State Bar. He served as County Solicitor for two years, having been appointed to this position by Winston Huddleston, Circuit Solicitor of the 19th Judicial Circuit.

Mr. Smith is vitally interested in the growth and prosperity of Clanton, and Chilton County, and is one of its wide-awake Boosters.

PRINCIPAL

ZAC Y. APPLETON

Zac Y. Appleton is the popular principal of the Collins Chapel High School of the Collins Chapel community. He was born July 10, 1904, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Appleton, in Collinsville, DeKalb County, Alabama. He received his elementary education in the public schools of Collinsville and graduated from the Cherokee County High School in 1921.

In the summer of 1924 Mr. Appleton felt a conscious impression that he was called to be a minister of the Gospel. Realizing the necessity of further schooling he entered Howard College in 1924 and graduated in 1928. In addition to his school work, Mr. Appleton is pastor of the Baptist church of Collins Chapel and Salem communities.

Mr. Appleton is a big believer in his home town and county, and is keenly interested in its growth and prosperity. He is a charter member of the Chilton County Boosters.

On August 2, 1928, Mr. Appleton was united in marriage to Miss Kate Chappell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Chappell.

An old rule followed by many beekeepers who winter their bees in cellars is to take them out when the soft maples are in bloom. This is a good rule in localities where these trees grow, say apiculturists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Watch the weather reports closely and choose a time when a "high-pressure" area is just passing and a "low-pressure" area is approaching. At such a time the weather will be cool so the bees will not fly, and with a "low-pressure" area approaching it will soon be warmer so the bees can make a flight. Bees in good condition rarely fly unless the outside temperature is as high as 60 degrees. F.

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Master Arthur Will of Cincinnati, 13-year-old cornet artist, entertains large audiences over the radio and it is predicted that some day the youth will be one of the most famous cornetists.

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A special type of automobile brakes consisting of an electrical arrangement which works a spring is said to stop a car within one-fifth of the ordinary braking distance.

Co. Demonstration Agent

COHEN E. STAPP

Cohen E. Stapp was born September 22, 1896, at Carrollton, Pickens County, Alabama. He was educated in the Pickens County High School at Reform, Alabama, and graduated in 1919 in Agriculture with the degree of B. S. at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute at Auburn.

Upon leaving school Mr. Stapp became Superintendent of farms in Pickens County. He was connected with Alabama Extension Service as County Agent of Lamar County from November, 1919, until June, 1923. He was County Agent of Etowah County from June, 1923 until November, 1926. Mr. Stapp came to Clanton as County Agent in August, 1927.

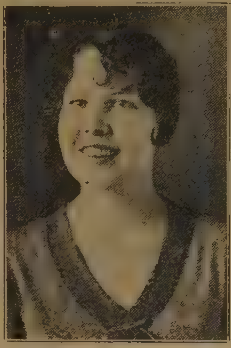
Mr. Stapp realizes the wonderful possibilities of Chilton County and states that through the breeding of thoroughbred Jersey heifers, diversification of crops, cream station, and a cooperative shipping of chickens and eggs these possibilities may be brought into the fullness of realization.

Mr. Stapp is a member of the Kiwanis Club of which he is past president, a charter member and at present is Lieut.-Governor of the 4th Division of Alabama. He is a member of the Masonic Lodge and of the First Methodist church.

After only one hour and 40 minutes of instruction, 17-year-old Henry Bierd made a solo flight at Roosevelt Field, Long Island, and is believed to have set a record for the time required to learn to fly.

Maribel Vinson, 19, of Boston recently won the gold medal of the British National Skating Association in London, with an exhibition of speed and fancy skating which amazed the British.

SECRETARY



MISS ZORA GUY

Miss Zora Guy, Assistant Secretary of Chilton County Farm Bureau, was born in Coosa County. She received her education in the Public Schools of Morganville and Marbury, graduating from the latter in 1926.

Miss Guy is an excellent secretary, and is popular throughout the city and county.

Miss Guy is active in club, social and religious circles of Clanton and Chilton County. In November, 1930, she organized the local chapter of Girl Scouts and is serving this organization as captain. She is doing a great work with the young girls of this city." She is a member of the First Baptist church.

Prune limbs from trees so there will be no stub left, advises the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Make the cut parallel to the trunk or the supporting limb and as close as possible even if this makes the surface somewhat larger than it otherwise would be. Improperly made wounds are not covered by new growth as soon as those made properly and may result in unnecessary damage by decay of the exposed wood.

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Jessamine Bland, who was elected secretary-treasurer of the freshman class of the North Carolina State College at Raleigh, N. C., is the first woman ever elected to a class office at the college.

Prominent Attorney Of Clanton

A.C. Smith

Allie C. Smith is the virtual dean of the bar of Chilton County. He has been engaged in the practice of law at Clanton more than thirty-five years, and he gave eight years of characteristically loyal and effective service as County Solicitor, from 1895 to 1903, when he resigned to give his undivided attention to his substantial and important law practice.

Mr. Smith was born on the family homestead in Clay County, Alabama, January 2, 1862, the son of Miles L. and Martha (Brassell) Smith. Mr. Smith taught in the schools of Alabama for ten years, paying close attention to the study of law at the same time. In 1890 he was admitted to the Alabama Bar, and for three years he maintained a law office at Prattville, Alabama.

In 1893 Mr. Smith moved to Clanton, where he has since continued in the active and successful practice of his profession. He is a member of Chilton County and Alabama Bar Associations, Baptist church of Clanton, Masonic Lodge and the Chapter of Royal Arch Masons.

December 24, 1890, recorded the marriage of Mr. Smith and Miss Lennie Calloway. Mr. and Mrs. Smith have six children.

POSTAL RECEIPTS REFLECT STEADY GROWTH OF CITY

Clanton Post Office Serves About 8,500 Regular Patrons, Has Seven Heavily Patronized Rural Delivery Routes And One Free Delivery Route To Business And Residential Section of City

Postoffices, being common to every town and village in our country, makes it rather hard to say anything about a postoffice that would be really interesting to the reading public. Many things we enjoy are so common to us that we in reality never attach to them any importance, but if left without them, we should suffer much inconvenience. Among these are the postoffices and the services they render to the general public. Postoffices are institutions for serving the public, and are owned and operated by the United States Government, and are operated at a loss by the Government for its citizens. It is one of the few institutions which the citizens get more out of than they put into it

Information gathered from fairly reliable sources reveal the information that for the past three quarters of a century the postal service at Clanton, Ala. has had smooth sailing. It is meant by this that there have been no upheavels or disturbances. Of this the patronage of the office can and does speak with much pride

During the period above mentioned it is reviewed that Clanton has been favored with the following named citizens, in order, as postmasters and acting postmasters: As postmasters, J. B Downs, Felix O. Dudley, Barney Roberts, J. E. Robinson, and as acting postmasters, G. F. Harris, G. C. Harris N. A. Kicker, J. M. Parrish, and J. J. Pickens. These gentlemen without exception, reflected great credit on the service while engaged therein

The rural service from Clanton office is unexcelled by any rural service anywhere. Rural delivery service now covers the area of a circle with a radius of 30 miles, and it is believed that this area is covered as nearly perfectly as any country from an office anywhere. Hundreds of patrons who ten years ago were quite a long distance from a rural free delivery route now have door service. This is due to general improvements and especially in the roads of the country, making it possible to have rural service extended to reach many, many more than could be reached before. It is not meant that the service is complete; it is hoped that every patron claiming Clanton as his postoffice can some day be so served by the service from this office that he can enjoy a delivery of mail at his door every working day of the year.

Clanton office has extending therefrom, seven heavily patronized rural delivery routes; one carrier serves the village, making two deliveries each day in the business section of the town, and one delivery each day in the residential section. Each rural route serves an average of more than 900 patrons. And besides, one carrier serves a patronage of fifty families at Lay Dam, one of the larger hydro electric plants in the South.

The entire number of people receiving mail through Clanton office numbers approximately 8,500. The population, as revealed by the last census, of Clanton and the surrounding territory steadily increase. This, it is thought, is due to the favorable situation of the town, its good farming land, and the recent interest in and success made with truck farming and particularly, berry growing.

Clanton postoffice was advanced to 2nd class in the summer of 1923. Up until that time the office was taken care of by the postmaster and one helper. After the office was advanced, one substitute clerk additional was given, and the person serving as helper at the time the office was advanced was made a classified employee. This employee remains in the service at this time. Since the office was made 2nd class, there have been few changes in the personnel of the force at said office. One person resigned as village letter carrier, one substitute clerk resigned, and one carrier's death mark the only changes since the office has been in the 2nd class.

The amount of mail handled at the office has steadily increased for the past several years. One carrier now takes from the office for one delivery as much mail as was taken out by half a dozen carriers 8 or 10 years ago. Uncle Sam now carries by mail almost any article of merchandise, and if articles passing through the mails are properly packed, wrapped and addressed, very few are ever lost.

The receipts of the office 10 years ago were less than 50 per cent of the receipts of the office at this time, and receipts continue to grow.

Besides handling mail for 8,500 patrons there are other aspects of the service carried on which those who have not had occasion to learn may not know is done. Among these we mention money order business, registry business and Postal Savings. Each of these requiring the utmost care and attention daily to see that records pertaining to each are properly kept. These with other duties of the office at Clanton which are handled by the postmaster, one regular clerk, and one substitute clerk, reveal the information that the force inside the office, as well as those serving as carriers, must give diligence to see that his part of the service is done. This means work. It is not meant or intimated by this that anyone in the work here is complaining. This is said only complimentary of the patronage being so good and co-operating so well with the working force of the office to make it possible for this to be done

Clanton postoffice is now situated in as good quarters as any office of its size in Central Alabama; the employees of the office will do anything in keeping with the law to assist any patron of the office. Realizing at all times that to serve the public is their duty, the employees at the post office solicit the help and suggestion of all concerned

"Let's all work together for all the good we can, to all we can, in all the ways we can, just as long as we can," is the slogan of the entire force at the Clanton postoffice

W. M. Bean is postmaster, having served two terms: L. P. Bean is regular Clerk, R. R. Sutley is Sub Clerk, Claude M. Baker is village carrier. The rural delivery department is in charge of G. F. Harris, Route 1; J. D. Armstrong, Route 2; G. C. Harris, Route 3; E. W. Miller, Route 4; J. J. Mims, Route 5; D. D. Easterling, Route 6; and B. J. Sessions, Route 7

L & N AGENT

W. C. ERWIN
OF JEMISON, ALABAMA

In Mr William Claud Erwin we have a real booster for Chilton County and the thriving town of Jemison. He is a son of the late Robert C. Erwin, a prominent farmer of Morgan County, who has passed on to his son the high principles and ideals that have characterized his life. Mr. Erwin received his education at the schools of Morgan County, attending high school at Hartselle.

For the past twenty years he has been a very valued employee of the L & N Railroad. Upon first entering the service of the railroad he became agent at Hartselle, where he was located for five years. In 1915 he became agent at Thorsby and after spending a year there he was transferred to Jemison, where he now resides

In June, 1916, Mr. Erwin married the attractive Miss Elizabeth Culpepper, daughter of Frank Culpepper of Clanton. They are the parents of four fine children, two boys and two girls

In the eleven years that Mr. Erwin has lived in Jemison, he has proven a valuable and loyal citizen. He is serving his third term on the Town Council, and aids his town in every possible way. He is Past Master of Jemison Masonic Lodge No. 411 and Worthy Patron of Jemison Chapter No. 398.

Mr. Erwin is a Booster for Chilton County. He makes one feel that it is truly a promisel land, flowing with milk and honey and where manna drops from the skies.

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Parkavenue: That's not the mother of those children, it's the nurse.

Centralpark: How do you know?

Parkavenue: She knows them by their names.

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Miss Mabel Howard Prominent Beauty Specialist and Widely Known as operator of DeMabel's Beauty Shoppe Clanton, Ala.

Miss Mabel Howard, the young lady whose idea and ideal caused the establishment of the DeMabel's Beauty Shoppe in Clanton. Miss Howard is the daughter of Mr. Fred Howard of Thorsby. She was born in Green Bay, Wisconsin, the home of the Howard family before moving to Thorsby.

While with Marshall Field and Company in Chicago Miss Howard saw the wonderful possibilities of the Beauty Shoppe. On July 1, 1927, she opened her place of business upstairs in the New Mullins Building. Her business has shown a steady growth each year, and with her specially designed equipment, she can give as good service to her clients as can be had in any city. Due to the increasing popularity of finger waves, Miss Howard has recently installed one of the latest dair drying machines.

Miss Howard specializes in Eugene permanent waves, which can be in large loose waves, round curls, ringlets, or marcel effect. Hair bobbing, shampoos, marcels, manicures, henna rinses, scalp treatments, eye lash and eye brow dyeing, eye brow arching and facials.

At DeMabel's there is carried in stock a "Beauty Parlor Exclusive" line of cosmetics, including rouge, lipstick, powder, face and hand lotions, toilet water and perfumes, bath salts, water softener, mascara face creams and bath soaps.

For the "Maintenance" of permanent waves Miss Howard sells permanent wave oil and atomizers, which are necessary to the continued good appearance of the hair after the permanent wave has been made. Also finger wave fluid, especially good for fixing the windblown hair cut, which is most popular now.

Miss Howard has recently added another interesting feature to her Beauty Shoppe. An analysis is made of the customer and the exact shade of face powder needed to blend with the complexion is the result. She has the "De-Vore" line of powder especially prepared by French Beauty experts to blend with any complexion.

In her spare time Miss Howard employs her turn for artistic things in still another way. She paints and tints cards for all occasions. In this is included announcing cards, birth announcements, birthday greeting cards, cards expressing friendship, congratulation cards, for the bride or graduate, gift cards, handkerchiefs, etc., tally cards and score pads for bridge.

Serving A Modern Demand —

The American People have realized that Cleanliness is one big thing that vitally affects the life of everyone. Besides being a real business asset, it is the best known agent for maintaining the health of this great nation. The housewife has, in the past, had that health-breaking, crude, tiresome job of doing the family wash, depriving them of their energy and time to properly bring up the next generation. The washwoman is usually unsanitary in her methods, crude, unreliable and costly. Today, the Laundry Industry, the Sixth largest in America, is filling that modern demand for cleanliness of clothing. Modern equipment, scientific and hygenic methods are doing a most satisfactory job for millions of America's housewives, at a very reasonable cost.

Our completely equipped plant and trained workers are supplying the finest laundry and dry cleaning services for Chilton County. Just Phone 119 for prompt Service. It's the better way.

Clanton Laundry & Cleaning Company

"We Serve To Serve Again"
Clanton, Alabama

SELECTING A NAME

Choosing a name for the baby has been the subject of spirited controversy in many otherwise well regulated families, but seldom has there been keener competition over naming a thoroughfare than exists with respect to a new avenue to be opened in Washington, D. C.

Several states are claimants for the honor, among them Louisiana, whose viewpoint is ably set forth by Mrs. James J. McLoughlin in the Washington Post who contends for recognition of the vast territory known as the Louisiana purchase and the intrepid French explorers and administrators who paved the way for its development—La Salle, Marquette, Biènville, Iberville and others, including Louis XIV, "the grand monarch," for whom the territory was named.

She also feels that it would be a deserved tribute to Lafayatte, Rochambeau, L'Enfant and their French compatriots of Revolutionary fame. It was Major L'Enfant who, at the request of Washington, surveyed and laid out our capital city, which resembles his native Paris in outline.

In view of all this, Mrs. McLoughlin pertinently asks: "What could be more feasible than that Washington should have a fine boulevard representative of what France has done for our land?" And who can say that her contention is not well founded?

With only eight hours of flying at an aviation school, Lela Newman, 17, of Seattle, made a solo flight of half an hour, achieving the record of being the youngest flier ever to solo in the Northwest.

The United States Postoffice Department receives and delivers nearly 15,500,000,000 letters each year.

The longest passenger air line in the world, 8,000 miles, between England and South Africa, is to be in full operation by mid-summer.

Shanghai, China, with a population of 3,144,868, now claims to be the fifth largest city in the world.

Due to a peculiar atmospheric condition which prevailed in Mexico recently, the planet Venus shone brightly in a sunlit sky at mid-day.

When a theatre in San Francisco reported that a thief had stolen $50 worth of silk stockings which were part of chorus girls' costumes, the detective exclaimed, "I thought chorus girls abandoned stockings in 1878."

Claude Porham, a poet of Milwaukee, was warned to "stop that mush" when he tried to answer in rhyme to a charge of disorderly conduct.

MGR. OF LAUNDRY

F. L. (LEO) THOMPSON

Mr. Thompson was born in Bibb County, Alabama, and received his education in the schools of Tuscaloosa, Alabama, and graduated from Sidney Lanier High School in Montgomery, Ala. He is one of Clanton's leading business men and is to be complimented for his wonderful achievements in the business world. He takes a very active part in all the activities of the town and community. He is an ardent Booster for Clanton and Chilton County.

When a Chicago woman was arrested on a minor charge, she revealed that she had masqueraded as a man for 17 years because she was unable to find work as a woman.

Vincent McGinn of Detroit was given a sentence of six months for spanking his wife.

Pleasing fiction will not disappear so long as obituary notices are written.

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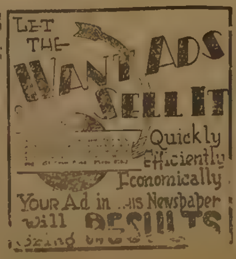

CLANTON LAUNDRY & CLEANING CO. CREDIT TO TOWN & COUNTY

Industry Cleans Everything That Can Be Cleaned—Fleet of Auto Trucks and 12 Employees Keep Plant Humming—Covers 35-Mile Territory—Spotless Work Is Done

A modern laundry and dry cleaning industry is indispensable to a growing community. Operated scientifically and with modern machinery the Clanton Laundry & Cleaning Company, founded by F. L. Thompson, owner, in 1926, has expanded enormously and succeeded in serving the needs of a progressive city and county, in a progressive manner.

In five years the laundry has increased its volume of business seven-fold, which is indicative of Clanton's and Chilton County's substantial growth since the plant first opened its doors to the community, and the efficient service the laundry has rendered.

While a large volume of laundrying of all kinds has been handled during the five years Mr. Thompson has started operations, marked increases have been noted in the dry cleaning branch of the business. Only experts are employed in handling this important part of the industry, under the supervision of Mr. Thompson, who has devoted his entire life to the laundry and dry cleaning business.

The Clanton Laundry and Cleaning Company handles their work in a modern building 40 feet wide and 90 feet long. The plant owns its own well, is equipped with most modern machinery, filtering and softening the water used in washing. The plant is sanitary in every respect and in keeping with the appearance of the business. Each employee wears a freshly laundered uniform of blue and white. The laundry offers a variety of services, family wash family finish, rough dry, flat work and damp wash.

The books of the Clanton Laundry & Cleaning Company reveal hundreds of customers in all parts of this section who patronize it for dry cleaning of their garments and who obtain laundry service there.

The company personnel comprises 12 employees. Two auto trucks are employed and the company serves its customers within a radius of 35 miles from Clanton. Miss Lillian Thompson, sister of Mr. Thompson, is in charge of the office. L. E. Gentry and Minzer Yawn are in charge of operating the trucks.

"We Serve to Serve Again" is the slogan of this rapidly growing industry.

The dry cleaning department specializes in all types of silks, wools, furs, felt hats, draperies, etc. There are over 400 articles in the home that can and should be dry cleaned. This is the only dry cleaning plant between Birmingham and Montgomery.

Two Arkansas men who killed each other as the result of an argument over a passage of scripture have probably gotten it straight by now.

Ole Buck says that by keeping filled with bran, sour milk, carrots, spinach and other things recommended by the health faddists you will have no fear of death. On the other hand you will welcome it.

A piece of tapestry woven by Mrs. Aashild Feroy won for her a first prize in a national exhibition at Bergen, Norway and a medal presented by the king himself.

Hilda Gillman, 16-year-old junior student at Lincoln High School, in Portland, Ore., has been awarded the Oregon Trail gold medal for the best true story of the opening of the West.

A pessimist is disagreeable, but he gives less foolish advice than an optimist.

ATTORNEY

PERCY McGRAW PITTS

Percy McGraw Pitts was born January 28, 1890, at Vincent, Shelby County. He is the son of John Singleton and Ada (McGraw) Pitts, of Columbiana, the former Tax Assessor of Shelby County for twenty years. The grandparents were Major John Wesley Pitts of Columbiana and Dr. Allan E. and Lucy Allen McGraw, of Vincent.

Representative Pitts was educated in the public schools of Columbiana and graduated in 1911 with the degree of B. S. at the University of Alabama, and two years later received the degree of L. L. B. at that institution. He at once entered upon the practice of law at Columbiana, but later removed to Clanton, where he now resides. He was First Lieutenant and Aide de Camp, 77 Inf. Brg. Hdqr., 39th Division, Aide to Brig. Wilder S. Metcalf. He served overseas from August 6, 1918 to June 4, 1919, at which time he was honorably discharged from military service. He was elected as a member of the Legislature of 1927, from Chilton County, and was re-elected in 1930. Representative Pitts is a Republican, Methodist, Mason and member of S. A. E. Fraternity, Alabama Mu Chapter. He was married November 5, 1919 to Miss Myrtle L. Reynolds of Chilton County.

As the most efficient 4-H boy in America, Carroll H. Brannon of Inman, S. C., has been awarded the Moses trophy at Chicago.

General Butler should have told his Mussolini story only to the Marines.

Paderewski probably attracts large audiences because he is a magnetic Pole.

While turning the sod in his front yard at Fort Bayne, Ind., Carlton Reitdorf unearthed a tin can which contained $480 in gold.

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Clanton Alabama

Woco-Pep Company Serves Scores of Gasoline Dealers In Section

Handles More Than 600,000 Gallons A Year And Operates A Fleet Of Gasoline Trucks

Supplying upward of 50 dealers in Clanton and adjoining territory with more than 600,00 gallons of gasoline and oils a year, the Woco-Pep Company of Clanton, wholesalers, has risen to the upper rung of the industrial ladder in Central Alabama since it officially opened its plant here for business in January, 1926.

The company's products, Woco-Pep gasoline, Tiolene and Nulube motor oils, are conveyed from the big plant by means of 2 huge automobile trucks especially designed for transporting fuel. In addition to the many dealers who buy from the Woco-Pep Company, numerous farmers in this state are yearly swelling the volume of business.

A supply of 100,000 gallons of gasoline is stored in huge tanks in a separate plant, and the company maintains its private siding on the tracks of the L & N Railroad line to expedite shipment. The company has created a large market in Central Alabama for its Tiolene and Nulube motor oils, said to be among the highest grade motor oils produced in the United States.

The plant of the Woco-Pep Company is located on 2 acres of land, which affords ample facilities for the storing of oils and gasoline. The gasoline and oils are sold and delivered to the dealers' door, thus obviating unnecessary delays that are often incurred in railroad transportation. This is another step forward in the service the company is constantly rendering its many customers over a radius of more than 35 miles from Clanton.

The office of the Woco-Pep Company is located in the Woco-Pep Service Station at the corner of 6th St. and 2nd Ave. Mr. R. J. Sumner is manager and under his supervision the company has shown a steady increase each year.

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A woman of Jacksonville, Fla., sent the following mesage to the postmaster Atlanta: "I am sure you can find me a fine man to be my husband. But please select him carefully, as I am particular in these matters."

CHIEF CLERK AT LAY DAM

R. D. WOODSON

Mr. Woodson is one of the valued and appreciated employees of the Alabama Power Company, being Chief Clerk of Lay Dam, one of the outstanding Power Plants which is located on Coosa River in Chilton County.

Mr. Woodson was born in Anthony, Florida, March 13, 1890. He attended the Tennessee Military Institute. He spent three years as Lieutenant Phillipine Constabulary, in the Phillipine Islands. Mr. Woodson was Captain in the 5th Ammunition Train, 5th Division during the World War and saw nine months service overseas. He is a member of Clanton Post American Legion.

After the war Mr. Woodson entered the employ of the Chattanooga and Tennessee River Power Company, as accountant remaining there until 1922 He came to Lay Dam in 1922. He is a very active member of all social, religious, civic and business affairs in his community and is a real booster for Chilton County. We need more boosters like Mr. Woodson.

Mr. Woodson married Miss Marguerite H. Dobson of Athens, Tennessee June 28, 1916. Mr. and Mrs. Woodson are the proud parents of two splendid boys, Thomas Stewart, and Wm. D.

MUSIC STUDY CLUB OF CLANTON IS WIDE AWAKE ORGANIZATION

One of the outstanding land marks of Clanton is "The Study Club," composed of some of Clanton's most genial, active and wide-awake women, whose loyalty of membership can not be too highly commended.

Mrs. Harvey Chandler, of beloved memory, and Mrs. Earl Gowan, were the moving factors in the organization of the club, which held its initial meeting at the home of Mrs. Barney Roberts in February, 1918, with the following charter members: Mesdames A. H. Bowen, F. B. Collier, H. F. Chandler, L. J. Duncan, J. F. Goble, L. F. Gerald, Earl Gowan, J. P. Hayes, Arthur Johnson, Hugh Jones, M. F. Jones, N. S. Johnson, S. E. Johnson, E. C. Maze, T. C. McSwain, H. C. McDonald, J. O. Middleton, J. J. Pickens, T. H. Neighbors, L. C. Reynolds, H. G. Reynolds, B. M. Roberts, B. G. Smith, W. P. Splawn, E. E. Stewart, A. C. Wade, P. D. Wilson, J. M. VanDerveer, Mrs. J. P. VanDerveer, Jr., and Miss Luline Harper. The officers as elected were Mrs. Earl Gowan, President; Mrs. W. P. Splawn, vice president, Mrs. B. M. Roberts, secretary; Mrs. A. C. Wade, field secretary; Mrs. T. C. McSwain, treasurer.

The purpose of the club is signified in its name, and in thise lines on the fly leaf of its first year book:

"A meeting ground for those of purpose great and broad and strong,
Whose aim is in the stars; who ever long
To make the patient listening world respond
With sweeter music, freer tones,
A place where kindly lifting words are said,
And kindlier deeds are done, where hearts are fed.
Whose wealth of brain for poverty atones;
Where hand grasps hand, and soul finds touch with soul."

This bespeaks for the life of the organization, and is the underlying charm in furthering its progress.

Activities of the club have been confined to no one channel, though broader culture, through study has always been the prime importance of the club's existence, yet its life has been filled with social, educational, benevolent, and memorial projects, through all of which has prevailed a spirit of cooperation which has made it all a real pleasure.

A happy coincidence is that at the present writing Mrs. Earl Gowan is again ably serving the club as President, and under the capable leadership of this charming woman, who has meant so much to the club's splendid functioning, we hope to become an indispensable asset in the calendar of "Women's Clubs."

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A motorcycle with enclosed body, having a carrying capacity of half a ton, has been invented in Japan.

A new muffler for locomotives discharges steam and hot water in a fine spray between tracks so that they do not obstruct an engineer's vision nor damage cars on adjacent tracks

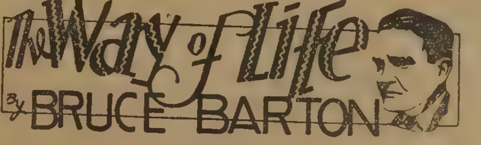
Electric light bulbs frosted on the inside are now being made in sizes up to 500 watts.

An apparatus to automatically purify a town's water supply by the chlorine process has been invented in Switzerland.

For signalling to vessels that are met, a Dutch steamship has been equipped with an electrically illuminated arrow that is pointed in the direction other pilots should take.

Attractive Lay Dam Home

The attractive home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel R. Powers at Lay Dam, near Clanton. This is one of the many beautiful homes at this place.



Pleasant Places

When he was hardly more than a boy my friend Jim Derieux, one of the editors of the American Magazine, was secretary to the governor of South Carolina.

There was a brilliant young chap in the state administration who at the age of twenty-six held the office of assistant comptroller He had not intended to run for the comptrollership, but a political faction organized to head him off. This made him mad, and so he did run and was elected.

After holding office for only six months he asked for an interview with the governor.

"What's on your mind?" asked Jim.

"I am going to resign."

"Why?"

"I'll tell you presently"

They went in to the governor's private room, and the young official tendered his resignation. The governor was amazed.

What's the matter?" he exclaimed. "I thought you were sitting pretty."

"I am," said the young man. "That's just the trouble."

"But I don't understand."

"Well, Governor, you know this office that I hold is a mighty pleasant place. I am twenty-seven years old, and it's a very pleasant place indeed. I am afraid of it."

He was afraid he would settle down and become too contented. Afraid that, without hard problems to tackle and stern duties to conquer, he would get flabby and soft. Afraid that at forty he would wake up to find himself a lazy office holder with no ambition and no hope.

Nobody under fifty should be in too pleasant a place.

Robert Updegraff, the writer of business articles, uttered a profound business truth when he counseled: "Never complain about your troubles. They are responsible for the greater part of your income."

Almost anyone can hold a job which presents no difficulties; hence such jobs pay small salaries. Men at the top are paid for their willingness to accept responsibility; for the problems that they tackle and the difficulties they lick.

King David wrote: "The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside still waters."

But when David wrote that he was a fugitve from Saul. He was fighting through the wilderness, pursued by enemies and wild beasts. The green pastures and still waters were all in his mind.

He never did reach an entirely pleasant place. Even when he became king his life was full of problems, disappointments and hard work. But his soul gave birth to songs that are among the finest of all the ages.

Robbers that broke open the safe in a hardware store in Hagerstown, Md., weren't so clever as they failed to see a neatly typewritten tag bearing the combination of the safe on the door.

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After winning a box of cigars, a carton of cigarettes, a smoking stand and a cigarette lighter as bridge prizes, Edward C. Jackley of Kansas City, found the gifts useless as he did not smoke.

Mrs. Jane Grigor of Evanston, Ill., called her physician for the first time when she was 94.

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Johann Zorlem of Cleveland was arrested for bigamy on his honeymoon, after pretending to be rich and persuading 22 year old Margaretta Rohrer to marry him.

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Read Our Advertising.

Supt. Of Power Plant

SAMUEL ROBERT POWERS

A man who has been a real factor in the progress and growth of Chilton County is Samuel Robert Powers who is superintendent of the Hydro Electric Plant at Lay Dam

Mr. Powers was born in Little Rock, Arkansas, August 8, 1889, and moved at an early age to Nashville, Tenn., where he attended the city schools. At the age of 15 he graduated from high school in Nashville and began serving his apprenticeship with the N. C. & St. Louis Railroad in that city. He remained in this work for eight years and in 1911 accepted a position with the Tennessee Central Railroad. The following year he became associated with the L. & N. Railroad in Birmingham. Finally it seemed that fate placed him in a position which was to lead ultimately to his life work. In the year of 1912 he became identified with the Alabama Power Company and he spent several interesting months in Gadsden where he was in charge of the steam pipe works for the Gadsden steam plant. Still deeply interested in his work with the Alabama Power Company another phase of the work seemed to beckon to him and he came to Lock 12 the latter part of 1912 in time to help in the construction of a gigantic project which when completed, he was later to become superintendent. The construction of Lock 12 required hundreds of workmen and two years of hard work to complete what is today Lay Dam, which because of its beauty and splendid engineering, attracts people from all over the world. It has even been viisted by a Japanese engineer sent over by the Japanese Government. It was on this job that Mr. Powers did some of his most constructive work as the head of all pipe work and assisting in the installation of the machinery of the, then Lock 12.

During his superintendency he has had the pleasure of putting on one of the greatest celebrations ever witnessed in the state when the dam was dedicated and named for Capt. William Patrick Lay.

Mr. Powers takes great interest in the affairs of Clanton as well as of Chilton County. He has been a member of the Kiwanis Club of Clanton since it was first organized. He is a Shriner and a member of the Alcazar Temple.

He married the lovely Miss Pearl McWherta of Martin, Tenn. Mr. and Mrs. Powers have two attractive children, Bobby, 11 years old, and Suan, 10 months of age.

When the plant was completed in 1915 Mr. Powers was made master mechanic of operations and after he had served in that capacity for five years he was made assistant superintendent under Mr. J. U Benziger.

In 1925 Mr. Powers was made superintendent.

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An 800-pound hog chased George Beatty of Walesboro, Ind., into a thorn tree when his shot, intended to kill the animal, went wild.

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Gid Asher of Nashville, Tenn., who escaped a one-year sentence 14 years ago, recently surrendered in Berkeley, Calif., saying his conscience bothered him while roaming through 41 states.

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A cat taken on a visit to Lancaster, O., walked 100 miles home to Cincinnati.

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Wm. H. Anderson of South Peabody, Mass., erected the following sign near his home: "Wanted: Information leading to the capture of a job by the father of seven."

Paul Oesting of San Francisco left his dog $500 to "buy the pet the comforts of life."

WHEN THEY MAKE 'EM BETTER WE'LL SHOW 'EM

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Confederate Veteran

J. W. E. GULLEDGE

Popular Confederate Veteran Tells Most Interesting Story Of War Days

By R. C. "Bob" Gore

One of the outstanding figures among the many distinguished soldiers who fought for the cause of the South in the War Between the States is Gen. J. W. E. Gulledge of Clanton, Ala., formerly commanding general, Fourth Brigade of the Alabama Division of the United Confederate Veterans.

It was the writer's privilege to attend the Confederate Reunion in Little Rock, Arkansas, which was also attended by Gen. Gulledge, in 1928, and many interesting reminescences of that gala occasion were brought back in our interview.

Gen. Gulledge is a typical representative of those grand old heroes who made the gamest and most wonderful fight for principles 'way back in the sixties that the world has ever witnessed. Although the years have rolled by and time has whitened his locks with the snows of many winters it has not lessened the luster of his fearless eyes nor banished the vim and pep that made him a volunteer soldier in that war that is famous in history, valor and chivalry.

It has been our pleasure to meet the distinguished Confederate soldier and hear him relate some of the thrilling incidents of the War Between the States, in which he took part and the patriotism, the sentiment and loyalty of this brave man who now looks back over 85 years of fruitful life with a keen sense of humor and a true and unprejudiced sense of values is nothing short of delightful.

Tells Interesting Story

"Tell us something about your life and career," we begged as the stalwart soldier of other days, keenly alive to our interest, divulged many interesting things.

"I am an Alabamian, born and bred," Gen. Gulledge began by saying, "and my birthplace was in Coosa County, the date being Sept. 18, 1846, and the place just 24 miles north of Wetumpka.

"I was reared on a farm in that county and obtained a common school education. At the age of 17 years I volunteered for the Army of the Confederacy and became a member of the Second Battalion of Hilliard's Legion, in the Tennessee Army, then located at Missionary Ridge. Later the legion was reorganized and became the Fifty-Ninth and Sixtieth Alabama Regiments of volunteers, the Fifty-Ninth being commanded by Col. Bolling Hall, of Montgomery. In this organization I was a member of Company K, of which company my brother, Capt. R. H. Gulledge, who died a few years since, was captain.

"In the early part of November, 1863, Gen. Longstreet was ordered to meet Gen. Burnside and his Yankee cohorts at Knoxville, Tenn. On Nov. 29, 1863, a rush by rail from Missionary Ridge to Knoxville. Gracie's Brigade, to which his company was attached, made an attack on Fort Lowden, and that was where I had my first experience of real war. From then on my experiences came thick and fast. Gen. Bragg's line have given way, Gen. Longstreet and his army were ordered on a long move, passing en route across East Tennessee by way of Rogersville, Morristown, Dandridge, at which place they met the Yankees again, but brushed them out of their way.

"Again at Bean Station the enemy appeared and a lively battle developed, but the 'Bluecoats' finally got enough and retired. They then continued their way, with nothing more serious than empty stomachs and sore feet, by Bristol, Tenn., to Lynchburg, Va., and on to Richmond, where they rested a few days. Orders carried them next to Drury's Bluff, and on March 12, 1864, they made an assault on an enemy fort four miles below the bluff, but were repulsed. On May 8, 1864, they joined battle with Gen. Sheridan in front of Richmond and defeated him."

On May 16, 1864, in an assault on the fortification of the enemy and when within 75 feet of their breastworks, Gen. Gulledge's leg was shot to pieces and he fell and for two hours or more he lay there in the mud, and finally, just before the "litter boys" came for him, another bullet shattered his arm. It required about four months for him to get on foot again, but don't forget that he is "right theer with the goods" now and just as ready as he was in the sixties to fight for his principles.

Gen. Gulledge came of fighting stock, his father having been an Englishman, and they are all fighters, and his mother, the daughter of Jacob Mitchell, a Scotch-Irish veteran, who carried his gun under George Washington for five continuous years in the Revolutionary War.

Sad And Harrowing Stories

Gen. Gulledge has many sad and harrowing memories of those dark days of the War Between the States to tell, and also many amusing incidents that serve to brighten the story. In those days an army had to move on foot; they had few railroads and no motor cars, trucks and busses. What rations and ammunition they used had to be hauled by wagons and roads were few and mud plentiful. A field battery then was composed of six cannons, smooth bore, and drawn by horses. Siege guns were heavier and were mounted on the breastworks. The soldiers were armed with muzzle loading cap and ball rifles and muskets—one shot and load. Most of these guns had crude bayonets that could be attached when in close quarters.

"As for rations," said Gen. Gulledge, "the men had to carry them in haversacks and eat when they could. Tents were few and far between, and cold or hot, rain or shine, the ground was often their bed and the skies or clouds their covering. There was no one to pass hot coffee and lunches around on the battle line. No cozy ambulances to hurry the wounded to a snug field hospital equipped with everything required for good service and handled by a corps of the best physicians and surgeons that money could hire. Nothing like that. In those days it was war with all of its horrors and only a loving line now and then from home to cheer one. War was not an up-to-date science then, but a knock-down-and drag-out, fist and skull fight with all the frills left off."

Draws Comparisons On War

Gen. Gulledge in talking of the late war makes many striking comparisons between the methods of war now and then. He says that in the days when he was in war science had not devised so many ways to kill, nor such high class and classic modes of destruction.

"In those days the boys went to the front by long, tedious and tiresome tramps, now they load up in fine motor driven vehicles, go on a joy ride and land on the firing line, with a line of motor driven kitchens bringing up the rear with plenty of hot coffee and eats," said the general.

"In our war you had to shoot 'em or stick 'em to kill 'em. Now you bomb 'em from above and below, gas 'em and so on. They used to shoot them by hand, now they shoot them by machinery or blight them electrically. We had cannons that would throw a solid shot or shell maybe two miles. Now they have guns that throw their shells 75 miles. As two is to 75, so is the war game then and now."

Believes In Reunions

As general commander of the Fourth Brigade of the Alabama division of tht United Confederate Veterans, Gen. Gulledge devoted the best that was in him to bring peace and happiness to all of his aged comrades who are still on this side of the "Great Divide." In his work he has found that the women are doing more today for the old veterans than all other influences combined, and his heart overflows with gratitude to them, every one for their wonderful cooperation.

"I am opposed to any plan that can be devised to abolish the reunions. They furnish the one bright spot that each old veteran can look forward to from year to year. It is to us what Christmas is to a child," said the white-haired veteran.

After completing his education, Gen. Gulledge began teaching school and taught for 30 years, with great satisfaction to himself and patrons, having taught more than 2,000 children, young men and girls.

He has an enviable official record, having served as chief deputy sheriff in Coosa County for four years; also as chief deputy for Chilton County for three years, as committing magistrate of Chilton County for four terms with but few reversals, and as chairman of the county board of registrars of Chilton County for two terms.

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As an excuse for speeding his automobile, Eva J. Perkins, of Evanston, Ill. said that his "two-year-old son kept begging me to take him to a fire so I thought I would."

ART TEACHER

MISS ROSETTA HOUSE

Miss House was reared in Conisteo, New York, where she lived until recent years, when she came South and located in Selma.

Miss House is an art teacher of real ability, having received extensive training in art in Buffalo, Livingston Normal School and Chatauqua Lake. She also studied under the celebrated Dr. J. M. Maycock of Boston and the noted Russian Master Mauresekesy in Atlanta

Being an artist in the truest sense Miss House has a real vision and is fast realizing her ambition to bring the highest type of art and art appreciation to a large territory of the State.

She is teaching at the following places on certain days of the week:

On Monday she is at Orville, Tuesday at Clanton, Wednesday at Autaugaville, at Prattville, Thursday at Plantersville and Maplesville, on Friday at Tyler and Lowndesboro, and is at Selma on Saturdays.

Miss House teaches the following subjects: Water color, oil, tapestry, interior decoration, arts and crafts, and commercial arts.

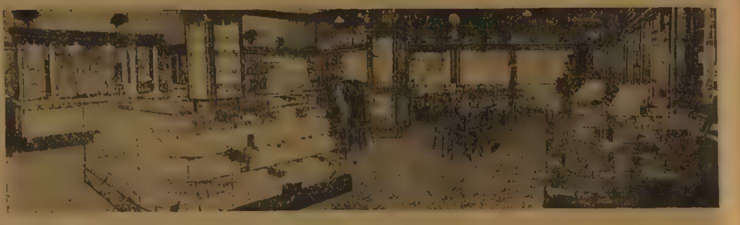
In classes of art appreciation, pupils learning the greatest number of pictures and their artists will receive a copy of a masterpiece.

Interesting contests will be offered in other art classes, which will culminate in an interesting competition in all the schools at the end of the year.

Miss House also takes a great interest in teaching individual pupils.

She forms an important part of the community life of each town in which she teaches and considers it a privilege to assist organizations in raising money in helping plan entertainments, the costumes, settings, etc.

One Of Clanton's Leading Drug Stores



Interior of Upchurch Drug Company, Clanton, Alabama

UPCHURCH DRUG COMPANY IS AMONG LEADERS IN ALABAMA

Modern Store Has Grown Into Institution; One of Largest And Most Complete Retail Drug Houses In State

For more than 28 years the firm of Upchurch Drug Company has progressed with the city in which it was founded. Founded on the principles which have made Clanton successful, this store has enjoyed steady growth and today it stands as one of the largest and most complete retail drug houses in Alabama.

In 1903 Mr. Upchurch opened a drug store in a location across the street from the present store. He operated this business in this location for severals years. It was soon necessary, however, in order to take care of the increasing business to move into larger quarters. The new location, corner Main and Seventh Streets, was selected and has been known as UPCHURCH DRUG COMPANY till this day.

It is essentially and primarily a drug store and is known from the Florida line to Tennessee along the main highway as "A City Drug Store in the Country." Travelers come to the store to see about it. In many instances the Upchurch signs along the road are the tourists' first introduction to the Capital of Chilton. It is a "REXALL" store and also carries the "Nyal" line of preparations and articles, and a very complete line of standard medicines, toilet articles, perfumes and sundries.

Mr. Upchurch is a registered pharmacist and prescriptions invariably receive the attention of a registered pharmacist in this store. Home folks and travelers have discovered that the large line of candies carried is kept cool and fresh. These include Whitman's, Nunnally's and other standard confections Nationally advertised items carried include Schaeffer and Waterman fountain pens, and many other items of "The kind you have always bought." The store is also the textbook dispensary here, and is well stocked with school supplies.

Fishing being Mr. Upchurch's fa orite outdoor sport he naturally ca ries a complete line of fishing tackl Music has an added charm to the fis erman and the Upchurch Drug Con pany is prepared to deliver Victrola Edison phonographs, from the sma portable to the cabinet Orthophonic m chines, with all the newest records great variety. Radio is the amuseme of the hour so Edison Radios may had in any type.

Being located on the corner of th principal street of Clanton and th Montgomery-Birmingham highway, the traveling public has long since acquired the habit of dropping in at this nea half-way station for a cool drink at th Upchurch soda fountain, where due a tention is paid to both quality of th things served and to sanitary service

Many metropolitan jewelry hous do not carry a better assorted stock jewelry and silverware than does t Upchurch Drug Company, which h also, by careful buying and close sellin developed a local market for diamond

Mr. E. E. Upchurch has literally built his business from the ground up, a has done his full share for building the Town of Clanton at the same tim He has given the people 28 years continuous service. He has seen t city grow from a wide place in the road with a wooden courthouse and fram business houses, churches and scho and muddy streets, to a small city permanent buildings, paved streets hospital and other evidences of civ consciousness and pride. He is a v active member in all social, civic, ligious, and business activities of Cl ton and Chilton County and is one its biggest Boosters.

HOW TO FIGHT THE FLU

Plain common sense is the main ingredient of advice offered by Surgeon General Hugh S. Cumming of the U. S. Health Service for the treatment and prevention of influenza, which has assumed the proportions of a mild epidemic in many parts of the country.

He recommends plenty of sleep and rest; simple diet, with large amounts of water, fruit juices, milk and hot soups; warm clothing; avoidance of contact with others who have colds; keeping in the open air as much as possible, and avoiding the use of alcohol and stimulants of all sorts.

Most of the surgeon general's recommendations are merely sound rules of health which might well be observed at any time, particularly in winter. He also advises against the use of any so-called preventives, such as sera, vaccines and other advertised nostrums, which seem to have no value and may be harmful in this disease. A doctor's care and common sense health rules are the only proper treatment.

Avoidance of alcohol and stimulants of all kinds should include elimination of the most common of all, tea and coffee. This advice is consistent with the rest of the national health officer's suggestions for building up the vital reserve power of the individual.

Public health services perform one of their most valuable functions by pointing out to the public that there is no royal road to health, only the road we build by schooling ourselves to follow the laws of nature, which are available to all of us.

TAX COLLECTOR

W. G. CULP

W. G. Culp, Tax Collector of Chilton County, was born in this county March 1, 1886. He has spent his entire life in the county where he received his education.

Mr. Culp was reared on the farm and spent most of his life there until coming to Clanton in 1919. His early boyhood brought out his talents along the musical line and for several years he taught music throughout the county. He served as rural mail carrier for about seven years, leaving this service to become Chief Deputy Sheriff under Sheriff John L. Gore in 1919. This office he held for twelve years and his efficient work with his wonderful personality are well brought out by the fact that in August, 1930, he led the county ticket and was elected tax assessor of Chilton County, receiving the greatest number of votes cast for a county officer.

Mr. Culp is a man who has had the confidence and esteem of all those with whom he has been associated. Since his residence in Clanton he has taken a leading part in the social, religious, civic and business activities, which characterize him as a man any community would be proud to have in their midst. He is a member of the Missionary Baptist church and Woodmen of the World.

December 15, 1908 Mr. Culp was married to Miss Lucinda Littlejohn of Chilton County. Both Mr. and Mrs. Culp are real Boosters for Chilton County and think there is no place to compare with it

All new buildings should be made ratproof. On many American farms the cost of rat proofing all the construction would amount to less than the damage the rats do annually.

Latest Pictures Shown In Clanton's Modern Theatre

C. W. Wade is the owner of the Wadesonian Theatre, Clanton's popular amusement house. Mr. Wade was born in Starkville, Mississippi, Sept. 1863, and was educated in the schools of that city.

Mr. Wade's home is in Calera, Ala., where he has lived for twenty years. He was in the automobile business in Calera for several years, owning the Ford Agency. He has this distinction of having sold the first Ford automobile in Shelby County. Mr. Wade was in charge of the Chevrolet Agency in Clanton for a number of years.

Buying out the old theatre which was at that time located in the Woodyard Building, Mr. Wade moved to the old Baptist Church building and built the present theatre in 1927.

At the Wadesonian one may see the very best pictures, as only first run pictures are shown. The theatre modern in every respect, has a seating capacity of 300 and the best sound obtainable from Vitaphone and Movi tone. There is no reason why anyone should leave Clanton to see a good picture because there is nothing left undone by Mr. Wade to furnish just as good as can be seen in any city.

Mr. Wade is a believer in and Booster for Clanton. He mails 400 circulars each week outside of the city. This advertising not only helps the Wadesonian, but other firms as well. In keeping with his civic spirit, Mr. Wade admits five families a day to the unemployed, one pass to each family of Cotton Mill employees, until the mill is reopened and Mr. Wade reduced his prices to 10c and 25c, until conditions improve.

International Sunday School Lesson
JESUS, FRIEND OF SINNERS
Luke 7:36-50
Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

Again the entire chapter should be read. Remember that we are studying the entire life of Christ on earth and not just a few incidents thereform. More miracles are performed. The faith of the Centurion was commended when that man besought Jesus to heal His servant from the distance by merely giving the word. Raising a dead body is no greater problem than any other kind of healing, as is evidenced when the widow of Nain receives her son again. Then note the incident when John the Baptist sends messengers from his prison and Jesus calling attention to the works and preaching which are common report.

The Pharisee who invited Jesus to his home evidently did it that he might observe this Nazarene more closely. He did not say "Come" for Jesus' sake. There may have been food enough but the common courtesy of washing s from the feet was ommitted, thou that was the work of a slave or lowly servant. A woman who had made her living as a common prostitute rejoices at the opportunity of expressing her joy in the salvation which had come to her when the Pharisee-host condemns her soul, through His teachings. Both Jesus and the woman a deep lesson is given by a parable story about two debtors. The forgiven sinner was therein exalted above the rude Pharisee The woman was encouraged to make a new start in life, no matter what her forgiven past had been. The Golden Text explains the meaning of it all: "Faithful is the saying, and worthy of all acceptation that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners." Timothy 1:15.

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Although Mitzi Green, little film notable is only 10, she carries a life insurance policy for $1,000,000, costing $15,000 a year.

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Our Dreams About To Be Realized

The South has always been a land of promise. But to-day it is a land of activities and development. It has lacked only the Magic touch of genius to bring its possibilities into the fullness of realization.

Alabama, in the heart of the South, with its unlimited resources, has made greater advancement within the past few years, in our opinion, than any other State in the Union.

It has seen the dawn of a New Day. It stands upon the threshold of one of the greatest developments and consequently the greatest prosperity that any section has ever known.

Its soil is the most responsive in the world. It is now producing 5 bales of cotton where one was formerly grown. It has increased in the production of other commodities more than three hundred percent. It is producing billions of dollars in steel, coal, lumber and many other products, yet its vast resources have scarcely been disturbed.

Chilton County, Alabama, of which Clanton is the Capitol, is one of the Most Progressive Counties in the State of Alabama. It has 33,000 thrifty and progressive people who are taking advantage of every opportunity afforded for advancement and development.

Its Agriculture is imbued with New Life. Diversification is beginning to bear fruit. It has been preached and urged for years without even a conception of its possibilities. Those who urged it little dreamed of the extent of its possibilities.

This territory is destined to be one of the Chief Sources of dairy supplies for the Nation. Already it has added thousands to bank accounts, and is rapidly placing on a Cash basis the farmer who until a few years ago was dependent entirely on credits.

The farm house is taking on a New atmosphere. Drudgery is becoming a thing of the past. The charm of farm life is about to be restored to its former prestige.

There is no Cloud to cast a shadow over the County to-day. Opportunity beckons on every hand. The County is on the verge of a great economic awakening. Dreams are about to be realized. Hopes of half a century are coming to pass.

Our people are a hardy race. They come of pioneer stock. They have been strong in prosperity. They will not weaken in days of adversity.

They will use wisely the blessings that come to them from the hands of a generous Providence. They know the source of the gifts that have been laid at their doors.

With the instruments at their command they will help fashion a Country that will make mankind their debtors.

Yours for Service and Prosperity,
BILLY SMITH, Editor.

CHILTON COUNTY NEWS

**Published In The Interest Of
Clanton and Chilton County**

One Of Clanton's Prominent Families

The above photograph is that of J. P. Lawrence, manager of the Standard Oil Co., of Clanton, and family. Mr. Lawrence was born in Henry County, Georgia. His family moved to Perry County, Alabama, when Mr. Lawrence was only one year of age. One year later his family moved to Bibb County, Alabama, where he was reared and received his education.

After leaving school in early life he entered upon his business career at the age of sixteen. His advancement in business life has been steady from his earliest young manhood. He has had the confidence and esteem of all those with whom he has been associated in business life. Mr. Lawrence was very successful in his private business endeavors in Clanton. He was in the mercantile business for quite a number of years. Upon coming to Clanton 14 years ago he entered the auto business, which he conducted for eight years. He is now one of the valued employees of the Standard Oil Company, with his office in the Mullins Building. Since his residence in the city of Clanton he has taken a leading part in all the social, religious, civic and business activities, which has characterized him as a man whom any community would be proud to have in their midst. Mr. Lawrence has taken a great interest particularly in the growth, advancement and prosperity of the City of Clanton. He was for a number of years a member of the City Council and while serving in this capacity, in cooperation with the other members of the board, was responsible for many improvements in the town. One of the outstanding accomplishments was the paving of the city streets and laying of sidewalks.

Mr. Lawrence was married to Miss Carrie Goodyer in August, 1910, of Riderville, Alabama. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence are blessed with eight children. Their home life is beautiful and happy. We are certainly glad, and take pride in mentioning these facts, because it is from homes of this character that our future men and women are to come to rule the destiny of our nation. We are proud of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence.

Carfare and the price of a meal for relatives and friends who attended his funeral were stipulated in the will of James B. Levan of Philadelphia.

Edison Mull of Casar, N. C., can stand in one room and be in Cleveland County, then walk into another and be in Burke County, as his home is built on the county line.

The body of Mrs. Douglass Stanfield's pet dog which was killed at Knoxville, Tenn., was enclosed in a special satin-lined casket before its burial.

Mrs. Anna C. Tillinghast, renamed commissioner of immigration for the port of Boston for four more years, was the first woman ever appointed to the office.

Passengers who ride over Eastern Air Transport lines between Now York and Atlanta find the trip made more pleasant by Miss Wanda Wood, who is the first aerial hostess in the country.

The only American woman to receive the Victoria cross is Dr. Adelaide Woodward of Washington, who divides her time among many countries.

The work of Mrs. Kaufman Raud of Pittsburgh in the development of Swedish and Norwegian singers was recognized by award of a gold medal from the King of Norway.

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Miss Ann Caywood recently retired as a telegrapher for the New Haven railroad at Milford, Conn., after 45 years of continuous service, during which time she missed but one day from duty.

Merchant

M. LANDE

Mr. M. Lande is one of Clanton's leading merchants. He owns and operates The Leader, one of Clanton's leading department stores, carrying a complete stock of dry goods, notions, shoes and ready-to-wear.

Mr. Lande was born in Perrin, Illinois and moved to Nashville, Tenn., in his early boyhood. He was reared in Nashville and educated in the schools of that city. He was engaged in the wholesale dry goods business in Nashville for several years, leaving this business to enter the Service during the World War. After his discharge from the U. S. Army Mr. Lande moved to Clanton and opened The Leader.

Mr. Lande is one of Clanton's progressive citizens and is an ardent booster for Clanton and Chilton County.

In 1921 Mr. Lande married Miss Sadie Margolis of Nashville, Tenn. Mrs. Lande is connected with The Leader and is one of Clanton's most popular and efficient business women.

Roy Marsh of Erie, Pa., facing a non-support charge, testified in court that his wife "treated him rough" and on one occasion forced him to sleep in the barn.

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Miss Margaret A. Smoke and David F. Ash were married recently at Iowa City, Ia.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK?

A. G. (Pat) Mayse, publisher of the Paris (Texas, Morning News, says:

That although it is often said in such a manner as to imply originality, there is perhaps no town in which some one has not said, "What this town needs is a few first class funerals." I have never and do not now agree with the expression. The foundation of the civilization we now enjoy and the progress our cities and towns have made have been brought about through sacrificial contributions of time and money of our pioneers. We applaud a man while he is in active civic service but it is strange to observe how quickly we forget men who have worked in the past.

The present generation gives no credit to the men who cleared the timber, beat out the paths, built the fences, cultivated the soil and erected our first schools and churches. Those men recognized the responsibility of citizenship and met their duties in a noble way.

I heard it said not long since of an elderly man that he was "an old tightwad who never did anything for the town." Yet I happen to know that no single citizen of that particular town has contributed as much in money and in time as that good man has given. It is true that with the passing of the years some men can not keep time with the rapid step of progress, yet their hearts are right and most of them, even now, are doing more than they get credit for.

No, most of our towns do not need a "few first class funerals." Rather they need a re-birth of the hardihood, loyalty, courage, foresight and stability of men who have gone on before. We need fewer men, yet comparatively young to stop saying that they have "served their time" and who are always willing to "let George do it." The next time you hear somebody say, "What this town needs is a few first class funerals," call their hand and check up the records.

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A device installed at the University of Texas cuts igneous rocks in transparent slices one-half millimeter thick, aiding microscopic study.

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John Szarnecki of Trenton, N. J., grew so weary of waiting for a long freight train to leave a grade crossing that he got out, uncoupled two cars and drove through when the front of the train moved away.

A LEADING BANKER

FRANK J. CALLEN

Mr. Callen, who is president of The Peoples Savings Bank, one of the oldest institutions of Chilton County, located in Clanton, is also one of those listed among the prominent and outstanding citizens of the county. He is the son of the late William T. Callen, former president of The Peoples Savings Bank, and has spent practically his entire life in studying banking, having been reared in a family well known in bank circles over the state.

Mr. Callen has figured largely in movements that tend to bring his town and county to the front, and is an active member of the Clanton Kiwanis Club.

France's submarine fleet now includes 52 vessels built and 47 building, including one of 3,250 tons displacement, which will be the world's largest.

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Kiwanis Club members of Bridgeport, Conn., who comprise the committee to visit the sick are a physician, a druggist, an undertaker and a tombstone salesman.

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When Nate Faulkner of Springfield Mo., was sentenced to 13 years in prison, he pleaded with the court to make it 14 years as 13 had always been his unlucky number.

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Read Our Advertising.

1901 An Unbroken Chain Of Service 1931

Linking This Bank With This Community

YEAR by year, link by link, this bank has added to the chain of strength that binds it to this community. This unbroken record of service is your solid assurance of safety in banking here.

This is an independent, home-managed institution, directed by men of experience who are working steadily for the good of local enterprises and home people.

We make a special effort here to keep in personal touch with each individual depositor.

Through intimate acquaintance with the people we serve and constant study of local conditions, we have tried to make our service of the greatest help to the greatest number.

Our most loyal friends are the depositors who have been with us for the longest time. We consider this our strongest recommendation to every prospective depositor.

If we are not already serving you, we hope you will give us the opportunity to do so very shortly. We will take especial pride in giving you the very best service we know how to give.

Peoples Savings Bank

Safe Since 1901 Clanton, Ala.

CONTINUALLY
Boosting and Building
For
Chilton County
Its People - Industries - Farms

"The Farmers Friends"
Supplying
General Merchandise

Cotton Buyers - Funeral Supplies
Commercial Fertilizers

Mullins & Moore
"The Farmers Friend"
Clanton Alabama

IRVIN MEYER LANDE

Irvin M. Lande is the six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Lande of Clanton. Irvin is very talented in work of art. In an interview we learned that it is Irvin's one ambition to become one of the country's leading artists.

Franklin Garage, Thorsby

Owned By One of Thorsby's Leading Young Business Men

The Franklin Garage of Thorsby is owned by Mr. R. R. Franklin. Mr. Franklin is one of the wide awake, progressive business men of Thorsby and Chilton County. He operates an up-to-date garage and repair business, which is located on the Dixie Bee Line Highway. His business is housed in a beautiful brick structure, which would be a credit to most any business of the same character in a larger city. His garage is equipped to render service for any kind of automobile repairs. Mr. Franklin was born and reared in Chilton County where he obtained his education. He was reared on a farm and learned early the necessity of work and industry and thrift. Mr. Franklin is 29 years old and has been in business for himself in Thorsby for seven years. He is greatly interested in the growth and prosperity of his community and takes an active interest in all civic activities. He is a member of the Baptist church and Woodmen of the World. You will always find a cordial welcome at his place and satisfactory service is his watchword. Strangers and tourists passing down the Dixie Bee Line Highway will find him on the job and ready to serve them night and day.

APPEAL TO CURIOSITY

How people will respond to something which appeals to their curiosity is illustrated in a story from Budapest, where a bookseller circulated an advertisement, translated as follows:

"What must a young girl know before marriage? From the book which I supply to order, the young girl will learn, not what every young girl is told before marriage, but what the young girl of today will find it indispensable to know if she is to prove herself really modern. For reasons easily to be understood, it is not advisable to sell such a book over the counter but on receipt of the price, four pengoe, it will be sent, discreetly packed, to any address."

The price quoted is about the equivalent of one dollar, so orders poured in by the thousands. Not only young girls but persons of both sexes and ages, bought eagerly in the expectation of thrills.

The books were delivered as promised, but were found disappointing. Some customers prosecuted the bookseller for fraud, but he was acquitted. It was held by the court that the books sold through the advertisement really contained information which "a young girl should have before marriage. They were cook books.

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REPORT ON PROHIBITION

One of the most contradictory reports ever made by a responsible body was that of the Wickersham Commission on prohibition submitted a few days ago. So far from agreement were the members of the commisison that separate individual reports were made by several of them in addition to the ambiguous document presented by the commission as a whole.

Briefly summarizing the individual opinions expressed by the eleven members, it may be said that none give permanent approval to the Eighteenth Amendment and the Volstead Law. Five members advocate giving the present law a further trial, four members favor immediate revision, and two members favor repeal.

All in all the various views expressed would seem to muddle the situation, rather than clarify it. There is little indication that they will have much effect upon public opinion one way or another. The main report is rather "dry" in its conclusions, while the individual reports are preponderantly "wet."

That enforcement has been far from satisfactory is admitted by all the members, while six of the eleven seem to feel that adequate enforcement of the present law is impossible

Senator Borah aptly described the reactions of wets and drys by saying that the commission's general conclusions were very satisfactory to the drys, while the conclusions of individual members were very satisfactory to the wets.

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It costs more than $96,000,000 a year to operate the Chicago public schools.

A refrigerating plant for fruit and vegetables destined for export, which, it is asserted will be the largest in Europe, is to be built at Verona, Italy.

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When Louis Horovitz of Chicago was discovered peering into a subway turnstile with an officer's badge on his coat and a toy pistol in his hand, he told policemen that he was studying to be a detective.

BEGIN CHARITY AT HOME

In spite of the present unfavorable economic situation, there is still heard in some quarters continued agitation for the cancellation of war debts owed to the United States by foreign countries. There is no justification for such cancellation at this time, when our own people are laboring under heavy taxation and other burdens that can not be escaped

Compromises with the nations which owe this country have reduced the principal of these debts to less than one-half of their original amount, and to that extent these obligations have been cancelled already. In making these compromises Uncle Sam has been most generous, both in determining the sums to be paid and in permitting payments to be made over a long period—62 years.

The money which these debts represent was borrowed by the United States government from its own people and loaned to the allies. It must be repaid from the federal treasury, whether foreign nations pay or not. This means that any further cancellation of war debts will increase the burden of domestic taxpayers accordingly.

Economy in government administration is just now the outstanding need. Congress and other legislative bodies are giving away a lot of money as it is, but when it goes to aid our own people it is not entirely unjustified. Under present conditions, especially, charity should begin at home, and it would be well to draw a line there and let the foreign debts ride awhile.

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The United States Weather Bureau has 500 stations where river stages are observed daily so that flood warnings may be broadcast.

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There are about 800 known minor planets or planetoids revolving around the sun in addition to the major planets.

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JOHN McCORMACK, Ireland's "Minstrel Boy," will give his first 1931 radio concert on Feb. 5 as one of the famous series of musical events sponsored by Maxwell House-General Foods. The program, which will be broadcast throughout the United States over the NBC-WJZ chain, will be all-English. It will be offered at 9:30 p. m. (EST) Thursday, February 5th. One of the chief features of the program will be a song entitled "What an Irishman means by Machree," a tuneful, stirring air which in time undoubtedly will become as great a favorite as it is in Ireland and England.

The total area of national parks and monuments increased from 15,486 to 16,156 square miles in 1930.

Air mail and air passenger planes operating on regular schedule within this country are flying approximately 109,000 miles daily.

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Berlin, Germany, now has 130 policemen who speak English and are stationed at the city's main traffic centers.

Chicago is said to be the world's greatest railway center.

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For the first time in 300 years, England has abolished the tax on tea.

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These achievements are the result of new inventions, improved operating methods, new equipment, combined with the skill and interest of experienced operators, linemen and engineers cooperating with an army of loyal workers, many of whom are technical experts.

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CLANTON, ALA.

Miss Callie Watts is the manager of her own business, The Hat and Dress Shoppe, located at The Fair Store. She needs no introduction to the people of this section, as it is widely known that she is well experienced in ladies ready-to-wear and millinery. For several years Miss Watts was connected with the Fair, having charge of the ready-to-wear and millinery departments. She owned and operated The French Shoppe in Birmingham, Alabama, for several years and was credited with having one of the most exclusive Ladies Ready-to-Wear and Millinery shops in that city.

Miss Watts has been a resident of Clanton for several years and her acquaintances know her to be a lovely lady and one whom you can well go to with all your problems of dress. She is in constant touch with the greatest markets in New York and Paris. She has just returned from market where she received the last minute information on Style and Dress. She is bringing to the ladies of this section the very latest in Smart apparel. Her bulletins arrive daily. She will gladly give you the latest style fit. Her whole time is devoted to her Shop and its success.

While an old resident of Clanton, Miss Watts is new in her own business here. She is making every effort to cooperate with you. Go see her, look over her lovely shop and its stock, tell her how lucky we are to have her with us again. Let her know we appreciate the work she is doing to please the most fastidious.

Farmers Pay Billion Dollar Tax Bill

"Recent studies reveal that the tax burden of American farmers now amounts to more than one billion dollars annually," says the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation, which believes the present property tax system is out of date and causes all types of property owners, including farmers, to pay for more than their relative share of the cost of government.

"The burden is especially heavy on the farmer because he is an important owner of real-estate," said President Edward A. O'Neal, Farm Bureau President. "The farmer pays 30 per cent of his net income in taxes while industry and commerce pay only about 10 per cent.

"Farmers now pay in taxes more than four times as much as they spend for seed, two and one-half times the cost of all farm improvement, and substantially more than their total expenditures for machinery and tools.

"The general property tax supplies 75 per cent of the total state and local tax collection in the United States," he added. "This means that real-estate is contributing between 55 and 60 per cent of such collections. Much of the intangible property escapes direct taxation. There is need for revision, in order that taxes may be levied upon the basis of ability to pay."

When Arthur Turner, a negro of Newburgh, N. Y., was caught in a chicken coop, he explained that he had been fleeing from two other negroes and had hid there.

Winter Drought Threatens Timber

The owners of timber and cut over lands are facing critical conditions on account of the current winter drought, according to Colonel Page S. Bunker, State Forester. All timber growth starts with seedlings, and the latter can easily be wiped out by the woods fires that occur so frequently during the winter and spring.

By keeping a close watch over the woodlands, especially on dry windy days, and by taking prompt action to extinguish fires shortly after they start many thousands of dollars of damage can be avoided. Over the greater part of the woodland sections of the state, local forestry agents employed jointly by the Federal Government and the State of Alabama have developed good systems of cooperation among the landowners in forest fire protection and other branches of forestry. However, the prevailing business depression has reduced the income of the forestry department so that a great many of these agents have necessarily been placed on furlough. This materially increases the responsibility of the landowner himself in his timber growing project.

Forest fires in Alabama are comparatively easy to extinguish, providing action is taken before they become very large. Light surface fires can be whipped out with a fire swatter or even with a pine top. It the burning extends down into the forest floor, a hoe is necessary to dig down to the mineral soil to stop the spread of the fire. A rake is very handy in scratching a clean line in front of the fire, across which it will have difficulty in burning. If there is heavy wind it often is necessary to back-fire from some clear strip such as a path or road. The two most common errors in fire fighting are failure to start the back-firing sufficiently far in advance of the main fire, and thinking the fire is out when it is not.

Alabama Is A Three Billion Dollar State

Alabama is a three billion dollar state producing about $560,000,000 worth of new wealth each year, says the Alabama Department of Agriculture and Industries.

The Bureau of Census estimated value of all tangible property at $2,015,430,000 in 1912 and $3,002,043,000 in 1922. "Since 1922 the declining price level has tended to decrease this amount, but the accumulation of new property has probably more than offset that tendency," the agricultural department said.

The actual production of wealth in Alabama is confined to agriculture, mining and manufacturing. In 1927, the latest figures available, the production of wealth in agriculture was $252,000,000; in mining $79,000,000 and in manufacturing $233,000,000, making a total that year of $564,000,000 of new wealth added to the State.

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Rather Unusual

The Burlington railroad is getting tired of having motorists knocking its trains around. So, when Floyd Hauck of Broken Bow, Neb., charged his automobile into a freight train, knocking three box cars into the ditch, the railroad sued him for $239.

Bishop Manning doesn't approve of Judge Lindsey's ultra-modern ideas about marriage, yet the Bishop is not strictly a fundamentalist, for he recently said: "I accent the theory of evolution, and I also believe in revelation given to us in the Bible."

A gift to charity under unusual circumstances is reported from Anderson, Ind., where James Pattie is serving a life sentence for murder. Having earned $30 at the rate of a few cents a day by extra labor in the penitentiary, Pattie gave it all for the relief of the unemployed in Anderson.

Without government relief, John Guest, lifelong farmer near Gadsden, Ala., accumulated an estate worth $100,000, much of it in cash, it was disclosed when he died recently at the age of 81. His will gave each of nine children $3,500 in cash and the rest of the estate to his widow. It is safe to say he did not confine his farm operations to raising cotton.

When a shoplifter of Cincinnati told the judge that he had stolen a pair of shoes for his mother-in-law, the judge replied, "Greater love hath no man. You may go."

Judge Hurley of Chicago is not especially sympathetic, but he stopped the tears of a young woman whose breach of promise suit was being tried before him by saying: "You are crying your way to a verdict, but I'll set it aside if you get it." The plaintiff's emotion promptly subsided.

A versatile painter is John Kane of Pittsburgh. He first painted houses, now paints box cars as a regular job and landscapes on the side. Recently he sold one of his landscapes to Mrs. John D. Rockeferrer, Jr., and it has been exhibited at the Museum of Modern Art. Kane has also worked as a miner and street paver.

An Announcement

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Overdrafts		158.00
Overdrafts, secured by cotton		1,063.12
United States Bonds		30,000.00
Banking House		10,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures		2,700.00
Redemption Fund		1,500.00
Stock in Federal Res. Bank		3,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	**$ 68,390.29**	
Cash in Vault and in Banks	**205,243.89**	
		279,634.18
Total		$626,857.26

LIABILITIES:	
Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	60,122.46
Circulation	30,000.00
Deposits	**486,734.80**
Bills Payable	**(None)**
Re-Discounts	**(None)**
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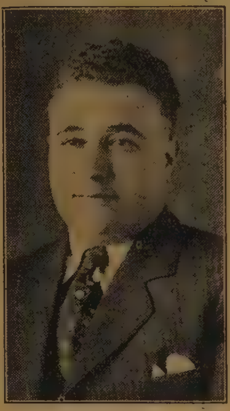

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News In Brief

In his report of dairy cow testing work in Alabama in 1930, C. M. Ling of Auburn said that feed cost per cow uring the year varied from $25.23 to 158.59, or a difference of $133.36. The erage cost was $41.

At a recent meeting, the executive uncil of the American Federation of abor adopted a resolution calling up- the United States government to get into step with progressive private mployers" and make a five-day week effective for all employees.

The Egyptian government has made definite decision to dispose of the 00,000 kantars (about 300,000,000 ounds) of cotton which that country w holds. The plan is to sell half a million kantars annually in small quantities. How to dispose of this surplus has been a difficult problem for the gyptian government to solve.

A group of German agricultural cientists and economists who visited the United States to study American griculture report that the American farm worker produces 4 to 5 times as much as the German farm worker, and receives 2 to 4 times the wages. The difference is due largely to more extensive use of machinery by American farmers.

During 1930 smokers of the world increased their consumption of American tobacco while international usage of practically every other product of this country's industry and agriculture diminished. The U. S. Department of Commerce reported that leaf tobacco exports for 1930 amounted to 579,704,000 pounds against 565,901,000 pounds in 1921. Due to this decline the value of the 1930 exports was slightly below that of 1929.

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Secretary of Labor William N. Doak in his first official speech recently made in Boston told his audience that theer are more than 2,000,000 people out of work in Great Britain; 3,000,000 in Germany; 5,000,000 in Italy and 150,000 in Austria. Having observed the bad breaks of the Census Bureau, the Department of Commerce and other administrative agencies in putting out misleading unemployment figures, the new Secretary discreetly made no guess on unemployment in the United States.

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When a motorist of Albany, N. Y., was unable to get his car uphill because gas was low, he dropped stones into the tank to raise the gas to a higher level.

Popular Saleslady

MRS. ANNA R. JONES

Mrs. Anna R. Jones is one of Clanton's popular matrons and business women. She was born in Clanton and educated in the schools of this county.

For the past seven years Mrs. Jones has been connected with The Leader, one of Clanton's leading department stores. She was formerly connected with The Fair, another of Clanton's leading department stores. Mrs. Jones, through knowledge of dry goods and ready-to-wear is known by everyone whom she has served and her wonderful personality has endeared her to everyone. She is a member of the first Methodist church of Clanton.

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Like some of us less important individuals, Rudyard Kipling has difficulty in keeping his bank balance straight. His trouble, however, arises because tradesmen to whom he gives checks for small amounts do not cash them, but sell them to souvenir hunters who

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The task of uniting two families in matrimony was completed in Chehalis, Wash., when Lawrence Hadaller recently married Gertrude Kirpes, as four brothers of the bridegroom had previously married four sisters of the bride.

SALE OF BIBLES INCREASED IN 1930 OVER 1929 SALES

Following the recent statement by commercial publishers of Bibles that the sale of Scriptures throughout the United States was smaller in 1930 than in previous years, the American Bible Society has just announced that the total of 5,565,779 copies of Scripture issued during 1930 from the Society's headquarters at Bible House, Astor Place, New York City, is an increase of more than a million and a half over the figures for 1929. With the exception of 1927 this total of volumes issued exceeds that of any year in the Society's history.

There are still thousands of homes and many thousands of people in the United States who have never owned or even seen a Bible according to statements sent the American Bible Society by its agencies which distribute from Philadelphia, Chicago, Dallas, Denver, San Francisco, New York City and other large centers throughout the United States.

Statistics are not yet available from the Society's twelve foreign agencies responsible for distribution in territory outside of the United States but from reports already received the indications are that the foreign distribution during 1930 exceeded that of any earlier year

We Will—We Are

(St. Louis Post-Dispatch)

The Wickersham commisison's report recalls the company of infantry who were being harangued by their gallant Irish captain just before going into battle. "Bhoys," he shouted, "will ye fight or will ye run?" And the men yelled, "We will-" Mr. Hoover asked the Wickersham commission, "Are you wet or are you dry?" And almost two years later the embattled 11 murmur, "We are."

THE FAMILY DOCTOR

By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

SEASONABLE HINTS

The crisp, invigorating days of autumn somehow inspires one with renewed courage and faith in the things about us. The appetite becomes keener, the breathing deeper; the morning walk in the open drives away the fatigue of midsummer. The machinery of digestion takes on a new hum; in short, we "feel better all over."

The rural housewife finds much for her capable hands to do. Think of the canning of pears, the preserving of late plums, the pickling, canning, catsuping of the luscious fall tomato! Such substantials for the winter-day dining table! How we anticipate, as we carry out autumn details!

I am in direct touch with the National Canners Association of America, and with great benefit to myself as an advisor to the public in the interests of more and better health. I find the great canning industry striving, with every improved facility known, to give our people the best in sealed provisions, employing the most skilled scientists in laboratory tests, in order to provide nutriment of unparalelled flavor and purity for our people. The winter fruit-can holds the juices, vitamines, proteins, so acceptable to right living. Our canned products reach outward to the four corners of the earth.

In time, the housewife will escape the exacting duties of canning fruits; they can be put up fresh by the great and expert technicians, cheaper, more convenient to handle, and can be obtained ready to use with little outlay, compared with the drudgery of home canning.

We are well past the age when copper was used to color the glass jar of commercial pickles. Poisons are no longer used as bleaches or preservatives. The tin can is used where such employment is scientifically appropriate. I hear of little or no illness caused by the impure canning of fruits and vegetables. The summer, with its host of invaders of the partially-eaten canned food is gone. The "culture season" is over. But I am horribly afraid of the partly-used, hot-weather can of pigs' knuckles and other potted meats!

Circuit Clerk Of County

J. Z. MIMS, CIRCUIT CLERK OF CHILTON COUNTY

Born in Clanton November 22, 1886, Mr. J. Z. Mims has lived in Chilton County all of his life, with the exception of the time spent in Livingston where he did special work at the Livingston Normal School. Reared on a farm near Clanton, Mr. Mims has been closely associated with farm life and has been an important factor in the agricultural development of Chilton County. He spent 14 busy years as a teacher in this county, having taught from 1906 to 1920.

Mr. Mims is now serving his second term as Clerk of the Circuit Court and upon having been reelected for a second term he received the greatest number of electorial votes ever cast in the county for a county office. He is deacon of the Samaria Baptist church where he also takes a very active part in Sunday School work being superintendent of a very progressive Sunday School. Mr. Mims is a member of the Masonic Order in which he holds the office of Junior Deacon.

Quite in keeping with his interest in the growth of his county, Mr. Mims now lives in one of the prettiest and most modern farms in the state which is situated just south of Clanton on the Montgomery-Birmingham highway.

After seven years of living in a section of his home apart from his wife, Chester A. Jones of Beacon, N. Y., is seeking an annulment in court.

Mrs. Joseph Balogh of New York, who is seeking a separation, told in court that during a quarrel her husband pointed to a pin cushion well stuffed, and remarked: "I'm going to have as many wives as there are pins in that cushion."

A letter which was addressed in shorthand and mailed at the post office in Worcester, Mass., was delivered, as the assistant postamster was a stenographer.

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FEW STRIKES IN 1930

Although periods of hard times are usually marked by serious industrial conflicts, the year 1930 showed fewer strikes than any year since authoritative records have been kept, averaging only 47 a month.

Contrasted with 82 strikes a month, in 1929, 108 a month in 1925, and 302 a month in 1919, the record for last year is extremely gratifying. In the number of men involved the record is even more impressive, less than one-twentieth as many having been on strike in 1930 as there were in 1919.

All this is evidence of the better understanding between employers and employees that has been brought about in reecnt years. As a recent survey points out:

"Absence of industrial dispute has undoubtedly strengthened our industrial and social structure and should be an important factor in increasing the possibility of a more rapid economic recovery."

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Testifying his wife made him use second-hand golf balls, refused to let him buy but one shoe lace at a time, and rebuked him for passing out cigarettes to his friends, Earl F. Miller of Appleton, Wis., has sued for a divorce.

DEADLY WOOD ALCOHOL

The public's lack of information concerning the difference between denatured alcohol and methanol wood alcohol was directly responsible for 148 deaths in various parts of the country during recent weeks, according to a compilation from press reports. After one methanol drinking party at Pittsfild, Mass., eight persons died and another went blind.

To forestall the repetition of such a disaster, Dr. George H. Bigelow, state health commissioner of Massachusetts, called upon health enforcement agencies to strictly regulate the sale and distribution of methanol wood alcohol, and urged those communities lacking proper legal regulations to provide them. He also asked individual motorists to exercise extreme care in the purchase of anti-freeze mixtures.

Methanol, Dr. Bigelow explained, is poisonous whether imbibed or inhaled as a vapor, and will also produce toxic conditions if absorbed through the skin. He summarized the situation in this statement:

"We can see no advantage in methanol as an anti-freeze. Of the products generally available on the market it would seem that the most dangerous is methanol, while denatured alcohol is least poisonous."

Some persons will take any chance to get an intoxicating drink. The only way to keep them from poisoning themselves, it seems is to rigidly restrict the sale of methanol wood alcohol, at the same time using every means to educate the public regarding its deadly effects.

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Handcuffing one man to the front bumper of a stolen car so his four companions could not attempt a getaway without running over him, Constable Afred Hodgson of Lindsay, Canada, single-handed, arrested five men.

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The will of Mrs. Mary Shaw Yoe of Glades County, Fla., states that in case both of her daughters desire a mirror, which is now an heirloom, it is to be cut in two.

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Bandits flooded the safe in a Kansas City filling station with water and removed $57 in floating currency through a slit in the top.

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A man entered a railroad station in Fort Scott, Kan., recently and handed the agent $10 explaining that he had been "converted" and the money was to pay for a ham he stole from a freight car in 1917.

FRIENDSHIP CHESTS

One of the finest projects to engage the activities of American school children is that of sending "friendship health chests" to the less favored school children of Mexico. So far, this activity has been confined principally to California children, who have already sent 150 chests, but it is to be extended to other states.

The plan which has been followed is for each American school taking part to build and equip one chest for presentation to a Mexican school. The chests are made by the manual training departments in accordance with uniform specifications; home economics departments add six infants' layettes, and the chest contains a medical kit, a volley ball and net, baseballs, one American and one Mexican flag, children's books in Spanish, pictures for the school room and a 3-pound box of candy. Enclosed is also a letter of friendship from the school making the gift.

These chests have been received with the greatest appreciation and enthusiasm by the Mexican children and many touching letters have been sent by them expressing their gratitude. The director of federal education in Mexico through whom the gifts are distributed, has warmly commended the movement, as have President Ortiz and other high officials.

At a national educational conference held in Milwaukee in December, plans were discussed for extending the friendship health chest project to other states as a means of promoting good will between the United States and Mexico an objective worthy of the fullest measure of support.

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Daniel McDonald of Rumford, Me., driving a horse and sleigh, collided with an automobile driven by a policeman who arrested him for drunkenness.

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In order to win a bet from a friend, Henry Head of Statesville, N. C., ate 18 cottage rolls, a half pound of weiners, three bananas and drank one quart of whole milk and a bottle of "pop."

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Convicted on a charge of carrying a concealed weapon, Bert Gunn of Mobile, Ala., was sentenced to 90 days in jail and fined $250.

W. L. PARRISH
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CLANTON, ALA.
PHONE 4100

PORTER M. PLIER

Porter M. Plier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Plier, of Clanton, was the first man from Chilton County, Alabama, to be killed in the recent World War. It was on June 18th, 1918, his 21st birthday, while out with an advance scouting party, in company with Emmett Singleton and others, that Porter met his death, when struck by a piece of shrapnel.

When the old Fourth Alabama Regiment (National Guard) was being recruited for service on the Mexican Border, Porter volunteered and saw service on the border for several months and when this Regiment was inducted into the United States service and became the famous 167th Infantry of the 42nd (Rainbow) Division, he was a member and among the first to sail and see service in France.

The record that Porter M. Plier made as a young man and soldier, was the very best and entitled him to first place in the memory of the people of this county. He gave his all that we who survive might enjoy the freedom and liberty which our forefathers, through sacrifices and even death, established for this nation.

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In her divorce suit, Mrs. Samu Laich of Chicago testified, "My hu band kept a still in the living room, and it used to explode every other day. I moved out."

Thomas W. Gluck of Los Angel recently sued his wife for a divorc complaining that her love for hi caused her to stick so closely to his side that he was unable to attend t business.

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The bandit who broke into the office of the Hoffman Machinery Company in Buffalo, N. Y., took in addition to a safety box, containing $55, the office pet, a female cat named Sixty Cycles.

After he took the money from the safe in an automobile garage at Walla Walla, Wash., the robber went to the cash register and rang up "Paid Out $110."

Plan the Bridge Supper With an Eye to the Men

By JOSEPHINE B. GIBSON
Director, Home Economics Dept., H. J. Heinz Company

A WISE hostess plans a substantial menu for her bridge party when men are to be present, for she knows that most men do not like the "salad and sandwich" type of meal so popular with women.

Food does not need to be overly elaborate to please the men, but it must be well prepared and served. The next time you have an evening bridge party where men are to be present, try serving some simple hot dish, with rolls and relishes, and plenty of coffee. And then, of course, you must plan a dessert—because men are just as enthusiastic about sweets as women are, whether they admit it or not.

These three menus for late evening suppers are unusually good, and they have been planned especially to please the men guests:

Creamed Chicken and Ham with Olives on Buttered Toast
Hot Rolls Fresh Cucumber Pickles
Ice Box Apple Butter Pudding
Coffee

Chow Mein with Boiled Rice
Hot Cloverleaf Rolls
Preserved Sweet Gherkins
Divinity Fudge
Coffee

Individual Cold Platters
Prepared Mustard Chili Sauce
Hot Rolls
English Tarts Coffee

Creamed Chicken and Ham with Olives on Buttered Toast: 4 tablespoons butter; 4 tablespoons flour; 2 cups rich milk; 2 hard cooked egg yolks; Dash of pepper and paprika; Few drops Worcestershire Sauce; 1 cup cold cooked ham, diced; 1 cup cold cooked chicken; ½ cup Stuffed Spanish Olives, sliced.

Melt butter in a saucepan, add flour and stir until well blended. Add milk and egg yolks which have been forced through a sieve. Cook until thick, stirring constantly. Season with pepper, paprika, and Worcestershire Sauce. Add ham and chicken, then sliced Olives. Heat thoroughly, and serve on slices of buttered toast.

Chow Mein with Boiled Rice: 1 lb. fresh pork, chicken, veal, lobster, or crab meat; 4 tablespoons fat; ½ cup water; 1 teaspoon salt; ¼ teaspoon pepper; boiled rice; ½ cup Tomato Ketchup; 1 teaspoon corn starch; 1 onion; ¼ lb. dried mushrooms or ½ lb. fresh mushrooms soaked for 2 hours in cold water, drained, and cut in thin slices.

Cut pork in 1 inch strips and fry 5 minutes in 2 tablespoons fat. Add water, Ketchup, and cornstarch. Simmer 3 minutes, or until meat is tender. In another frying pan put 2 tablespoons fat, onion cut in very fine strips 2 inches long, and mushrooms. Cook 3 minutes, stirring constantly. Combine mixtures, add salt and pepper, and serve on a platter surrounded with boiled rice.

Divinity Fudge: 2 cups granulated sugar; ½ cup corn syrup; ⅝ cup cold water; 1 teaspoon Pure Vinegar; 2 egg whites; 1 cup nut meats; vanilla.

Mix together sugar, corn syrup, water, and Vinegar. Cook slowly, without stirring, until the mixture forms a very firm, almost brittle ball in cold water. Pour gradually over stiffly beaten egg whites, and beat until creamy. Add nut meats and vanilla. Pour into a buttered pan, and mark in squares.

Individual Cold Platters: Sprigs of parsley or watercress; Meat loaf, ham, roast beef, bologna, or other meats; Sweet Mayonnaise Salad Dressing; Midget Gherkins; Lettuce; Tomato; Celery; Nuts; Bread and butter sandwiches.

Using parsley or watercress, divide a small dinner or salad plate into four sections. In one section place a slice of cold meat; in the second a salad on a lettuce leaf (tomato stuffed with celery, nuts and Mayonnaise, or tomato stuffed with cole slaw); in the third section a mound of pickles; and in the fourth small bread-and-butter sandwiches.

A RECORD HARD TO BEAT

The formation of a new French cabinet a few days ago again calls to mind the exceptional record held by M. Aristide Briand, who for the 16th time becomes minister of foreign affairs, and for the 25th time a cabinet member.

Since March 14, 1906, the date of M. Briand's debut in ministerial affairs, his time in the government service totals 15 years and four months, of which five years were in the position of president of the council, certainly a record hard to beat.

For several years he has made notable efforts in behalf of world peace, and it was his suggestion that inspired the Kellow-Briand peace pact, whereby 62 nations formally renounced war as an instrument of national policy. Recently M. Briand has put forward a plan for forming a United States of Europe as a further means for promoting peaceful international relations. He was awarded the Nobel peace prize in 1926.

Admirers throughout the world will wish for this distinguished statesman many more years of useful service such as he has rendered so effectively in the past.

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AREAS LISTED FOR CROP PRODUCTION LOANS

Dr. C. W. Warburton, Secretary of the National Drought Relief Committee today announced the States and counties which will be served by the Farmers' Seed Loan Offices at Memphis, Tenn., and at Grand Forks, N. Dak. These offices wil lamke loans to farmers who suffered serious crop losses from drought last year. The loans will be made from the $45,000,000 fund appropriated by Congress for the purpose and will be for the "purchase of seed, fertilizer, feed for work stock, and for fuel and oil for tractors used in crop production."

From the Memphis office loans will be available for all counties in Alabama, Arkansas, Mississippi, and Tennessee, where drought damage was done in 1930. In Louisiana the loans will be confined to approximately the northern two-thirds of the State, drought damage being slight in southern counties. In Tennessee several counties in the east central and eastern portions were not seriously affected by drought and it is not expected that loans will be necessary there, Doctor Warburton said. Drought damage was severe in some portions of Alabama and there were isolated localities in many other counties that suffered crop losses.

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Detachable covers have been invented that enable women to use umbrellas as sun shades in colors that harmonize with costumes.

Woco-Pep Mgr.

R. J. SUMNER

The above is a photograph of R. J. Sumner, who is manager of the Woco Pep Company of Clanton, Ala.

Mr. Sumner was born and reared in Tuscaloosa, Ala. He was educated in the schools of that city and was in the sporting goods business for many years. Mr. Sumner is the son of B. C. Sumner, who was one of the pioneers of the State of Alabama. Mr. Sumner is a member of several fraternal organizations. He is a member of Clanton Masonic Lodge, Knights Templar and Shriner, and is a member of the First Baptist church of Clanton.

Mr. Sumner has been manager of the local Woco Pep Company in Clanton for five years. He was formerly connected with this same company in Tuscaloosa. His company serves a radius of 40 miles and he has more than 50 dealers under his supervision.

Woco Pep has shown a steady increase each year, in this section, during Mr. Sumner's management.

A device for police has been invented to hold a revolver on a washboard or at any other convenient place in an automobile.

Electric motors installed in the bowling alleys of the German Lloyd S. S. Bremen facilitate the setting of the pins and return of the ball to the bowler.

A bag for carrying bathing suits has been invented that can be inflated to serve as a pillow or float to support a person's head in water.

Floyd Tharpe, 9, of India Bay, Ark., was found to have three rows of teeth when doctors cared for him.

Alabama Livestock Consumption Larger

During 1930 livestock consumption in Alabama increased over 1929, says F. W. Gist, State and Federal statistician of the Department of Agriculture who reported the total value for 1930 was $78,173,000 compared with $74,572,000 in 1929. "The greater number of animals sold and slaughtered resulted in some reduction of the number on farms Jan. 1, 1931, as compared with the number on farms at the same date in 1930." he said.

The number of cattle sold and slaughtered by farmers in Alabama in 1930 was 341,000 compared to 288,000 in 1929. The value of these was $8,695,000 in 1930 and $4,673,000 in 1929.

There were 1,101,000 hogs sold and slaughtered by farmers of the State in 1930 compared with 968,000 in 1929 and the values for the two years were $16,119,000 and $15,166,000 respectively.

In 1930 theer were 37,000 sheep sold and slaughtered compared with 30,000 in 1929 and the value for 1930 was $155,000 and for 1929 $90,000.

There were sold and eaten by Alabama farmers 9,632,000 chickens in 1930 compared with 8,524,000 in 1929. The value of these were $5,490,000 in 1930 and $5,477,000 in 1929.

There were produced on Alabama farms 114,245,000 gallons of milk in 1930 compared with 110,136,00 gallons in 1929. The value of these quantities were $34,273,000 in 1930 and $33,040,000 in 1929.

Eggs produced in 1930 in the State amounted to 53,765,000 dozens compared to 52,020,000 in 1929 and the values were $13,441,000 in 1930 and $16,126,000 in 1929.

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J. M. SMITH, Alderman

MR. AND MRS. E. R. PIPER OF THORSBY, ALA.

E. R. Piper is one of Thorsby's most successful business men. He was born in Shelby County, Alabama, and received his education in the schools of that county.

Mr. Piper lived in Ensley, Alabama for several years, where he was engaged in the grocery business. He moved to Thorsby in January, 1919, and has been engaged in the insurance business of this city. He is a director of the Bank of Thorsby, City Clerk, member Board of Directors of Thorsby Fruit and Truck Growers Association and Chilton County Farm Bureau.

Mr. Piper is very active in all social, religious, civic and business activities which has characterized him as a man whom any community would be proud to have in their midst. He has taken a great interest in the growth, advancement and prosperity of Thorsby and Chilton County. He has extensive holdings in farm lands, which in itself proves his faith in the future of this County. Mr. Piper is a splendid booster for his town and county and thinks there is no place like it in the wor[illegible]

In May, 1906, Mr. Piper married Miss Albertina Woods of Abbeville, Ala., and like Mr. Piper, she is very [illegible] in all activities of her town and c[illegible] Mr. Piper is a member of the Odd Fellows and Methodist church.

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U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE PROGRAM FEBRUARY 23-27

The monthly analyses of trends in grain, dairy, lamb, and poultry and egg markets will be delivered to the radio audience in the Department of Agriculture periods of the National Farm and Home Hours to be broadcast thru a network of 40 radio stations associated with the National Broadcasting Co. during the week of February 23 to 28.

The most popular feature of the department broadcasting in the Farm and Home Hour this winter will again be presented on Tuesday, February 24, when W. R. Beattie, horticulturist, will conduct another meeting of the Progressive Garden Club, with department horticulturists entering into a roundtable discussion on planting and manabement of ornamentals and flowers.

The complete Department of Agriculture and Farm Board program for the week follows:

Monday, February 23: No department program, legal holiday.

Tuesday, February 24: February meeting, Progressive Garden Club, W. R. Beattie, Bureau of Plant Industry, presiding.

Wednesday, February 25: "February Grain Markets," by G.A. Collier, marketing specialist, Bureau of Agricultural Economics; "February Dairy Markets," by L. M. Davis, marketing specialist, Bureau of Agricultural Economics: "Putting Weather Reports to Work," by Arthur J. DeMars, meteorologist, Weather Bureau.

Thursday, February 26: "The Household Calendar," by Rowena Schmidt Carpenter, home economist, Bureau of Home Economics: "February Lamb Markets," by C. L. Harlan, livestock statistician, Bureau of Agricultural Economics; "February Poultry and Hog Markets," by Roy C. Potts, marketing specialist of Agricultural Economics.

Friday, February 27: "The Farm Business Library," by M. S. Eisenhower, Director of Information, U. S. Department of Agriculture: The Week with the Farm Board," by Edgar Markham, assistant to the chairman, Federal Farm Board; 'Progress in Cooperative Marketing," by Chris L. Christensen, secretary, Federal Farm Board.

The National Farm and Home Hour is broadcast from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Eastern Standard Time; 11:30 a. m. to 12:30 p.m. Central Standard Time, and 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m Mountain Standard Time.

The following stations will broadcast the National Farm and Home Hour VA, Richmond; WJAX, Jacksonville WHAS, Louisville; WMC, Memphis; WJDX, Jackson; KVOO, Tulsa; KPRC, Houston; WKY, Oklahoma City; WRC, Washington; WDAF, Kansas City; WBZ, Springfield; WBZA, Boston; WHAM, Rochester; KYW, Chicago; WREN, Lawrence; WEBC, Superior-Duluth; WIOD, Miami Beach; WSM, Nashville; WSB, Atlanta; WSMB, New Orleans; WFAA-WBAP, Dallas-Forth Worth; WOAI, San Antonio; WOW, Omoha; KDKA, Pittsburgh; WAPI, Birmingham; KTHS, Hot Springs; KFAB, Lincoln; WLW, Cincinnati; WRTF, Raleigh; WEAL, Baltimore; WHO, Des Moines; WOC, Davenport; KOA, Denver; WFLA, Clearwater; WSUN, St. Petersburg programs:

WJZ, New York; WJR, Detroit; [illegible] WK, St. Louis; KSTP, St. Paul; WR

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—Su[illegible]ribe To The News—

Justice Of Peace

T. W. BRYAN

The above photograph is that of T. W. Bryan, Justice of the Peace of Precinct 4, Chilton County. Mr. Bryan is one of the most conscientious and progressive officers in Chilton County. He enforces the law without fear or favor. his decisions are fair and in cases, where the necessity arises, he may be accused of one serious fault. In dealing out justice it is tempered with mercy.

Mr. Bryan was born and reared in Dodge County, Georgia, and received his education in the schools of that county. He has been a resident of Chilton County for the past six years. During this time Mr. Bryan has made many friends, the number of which is limited only by his acquaintances.

When Mr. Bryan left his former residence in Dodge County, Georgia, to make his home in Chilton County, Alabama, he was presented with a paper signed by business, professional, church men and other men of all walks of life attesting to his character and reliability. The following is a quotation from this paper, "We have been knowing Mr. T. W. Bryan for a number of years and we find him to be honest, reliable and trustworthy, and deem him one of the best citizens of Dodge County. Mr. Bryan has r[illegible]led in Dodge County all his life and has been very active in everything that he could possibly be towards the betterment of his community, the uplift of humanity, and t[illegible] progressiveness of his c[illegible] and his fellowman."

Mr. Bryan is a member of the Fi Methodist Church of Clanton. Bryan may be found in his office [illegible] the Wilson Building.

Fruit and Truck Growers Assn. Vital Factor In Section's Growth

Thorsby Fruit and Truck Growers Association was organized in 1903, by a group of men seeing the importance of working together for the purpose of improving the fruit and truck industry and perfecting a marketing system. From the day this organization was perfected it has been active in the interest of the community along the above lines

The section surrounding Thorsby is peculiarly adapted to fruit and vegetables of all kinds. The organization has grown in membership from twenty five in 1903 to more than 250 today. In the first years of this organization the sale of fruit and vegetables amounted to about $10,000.00, but within the last three years the sale of products has exceeded $100,000.000 a year. While the main objective has been the promoting of truck farming, this organization has worked for the interest of farming extensively.

All fruit and truck of this section is sold through this organization. Each year buyers from different markets are on the ground, who pay cash for commodities raised here. In 1929 more than one hundred cars of strawberries were shipped. This organization can be complimented for its business management. It has never lost a dollar for its growers in its history.

The Association was incorporated November 25, 1925, and therefore is a substantial organization in the business world. The present officers of this organization are; President, Carl C. Petersen; Vice President, T. J. Martin; Secretary, E. R. Piper: Manager and Treasurer, J. M. Smith; Directors: Carl C. Peterson, T. J. Martin, W. A. Hayes, M. J. Soberg and John Childress.

The Thorsby Fruit and Truck Growers association is the oldest organization of its kind in the State and possibly the oldest in the United States. The organization has been active continuously with educational work, which awakened the farmers to a realiz that there is more money to be r in fruits and vegetables than raising cotton.

It has taught the people of this munity the value of cooperation team work. The best thinking men leaders of this organization have ma it their business to see that politic not enter into this organization.

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The Scrap Book

THE PRIME OF LIFE
By Walter Learned

Just as I thought I was growing old,
Ready to sit in my easy chair,
To watch the world with a heart grow
cold,
And smilt at a folloy I would not
share,

Rose came by with a smile for me,
And I am thinking that forty year
Isn't the age that it seems to be,
When two pretty brown eyes are
near.

Bless me! of life it is just the prime,
A fact that I hope she will understand;
And forty year is a perfect rhyme
To dark brown eyes and a pretty
hand.

These gray hairs are by chance, yo
see—
Boys are sometimes gray, I am to
Rose came by with a smile for me.
Just as I thought I was getting o

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Chilton County Section Being Watched By Eyes Of Nation

Many Other Outstanding Industries See Unprecedented Future For Chilton County As Place Of Wonderful Opportunities

Alabama's growth and development is a marvel of progress and advancement. Our state today is the center around which other states revolve in relation to its vast wealth consisting of hundreds of natural resources, all kinds of farming and fruit growing and its unprecedented advancement along all lines of endeavor.

Development officials everywhere are greatly interested in Alabama's progress. Realizing the great opportunities we have to offer, men of industry are seeking a place within her bounds. Our own people have been awakened to our vast resources and opportunities and are beginning to make an inventory of our raw materials, and industrial and agricultural assets.

We believe that we can safely say that Alabama offers today a greater opportunity for industrial and agricultural investment that any other state in the Union. Many hundreds of charters for new lines of business have been taken out in the past few years and are now operating.

"Back to the Farm," is the slogan that is appealing to our college men and they are turning their attention to agriculture, because agriculture has become a scientific business. Farming under the old system was drudgery, but today under the magic touch, applied by science, fruits, vegetables, grains, and grasses are producing tenfold more than under the old system.

Through the influence of the departments of agriculture both state and national, our state with its experiment stations, with its county agents, demonstration agents and information that goes to the farmer has helped him to make life on the farm a pleasure indeed. We have broken away from the one-crop system and are turning to the unlimited opportunities of fruit growing, nut raising, truck farming and dairying. Marketing systems have been inaugurated in every county and in Chilton County, the home of the Chilton County News, hundreds of cars of berries, fruits, vegetables, poultry, cotton and livestock are shipped annually.

We have learned the wisdom of intensive cultivation, and draining with an intelligent application of commercial fertilizer. By this system our lands are being made to produce 5 times as much as was produced a few years ago.

Through the influence and work of County Agents the farms are raising more and better feed crops, better pastures and grazing lands for both winter and summer. Our people are growing the things needed and living at home. Our farmers have learned that they can live like kings by taking advantage of their own opportunities. Our long months of sunshine, our mild climate, our plentiful supply of water for low cost of upkeep of cattle, make dairying and stock raising a very profitable business.

The cattle tick has been exterminated and there is no longer danger of disease from this source. Capital and industry are watching closely the development of Alabama and are moving steadily into the state.

Consulting engineers, the American Mining Congress, have surveyed Alabama minerals and discovered a wealth of raw material other than those that are being mined, that can supply raw material for many different manufactured articles. There are clays, bauxite, baukite, and many other specimens of minerals that are not yet developed, which can be found in abundance.

Constructive legislation is making capital more favorable to the call of Alabama. Millions of dollars of foreign capital are being invested in the state each year and this is but a small amount of what is anticipated within the next four or five years. Other things making Alabama and especially Chilton County most attractive to the investor and home seeker, is health conditions. Most every county in the state maintains a full time health unit. Vaccines are furnished by the state and many contagious diseases have been reduced to a minimum. Malaria has almost been driven out, public, state and government officers are on the job twenty-four hours a day, fighting the deadly mosquito. Chilton County, the home of the Chilton County News, is one of the most healthful counties in the South and our local physicians are due much credit for the progressive movements along this line.

Alabama still has a plentiful supply of timber. Where much of our timbered lands have been cut over young trees are growing and will soon be ready to be manufactured. We have much virgin timber still standing and the citizenship of Alabama is imbued with the spirit of conservation.

No state in the union has made more progress in road building than has Alabama. Every child in the county can reach a school over improved roads. Running through the State are many concrete highways, the Dixie Bee Line Highway, which may be seen outlined on the front sheet of this edition, extends from Chicago to Miami, Florida, running through the heart of the State and which passes directly thru the City of Clanton in Chilton County, Alabama. This highway is 1635 miles in length and is solid concrete with the exception of about sixty-five miles.

We believe that Chilton County, Alabama takes the lead. not only in health conditions, climate, but adaptability of soils to fruits, vegetables and berries. Chilton County, Alabama needs many kinds of manufacturing industries to take care of our products, both natural and agricultural and can be kept busy the year round.

In Chilton County there is great opportunity for small industries. There are several major activities that can be included. We believe that the shipping of raw materials to other localities for conversion into finished products of all degrees is economically unsound. There

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C. C. H. S. PRINCIPAL

L. C. WARR

L. C. Warr was born and reared at Clayton, Barbour County, Alabama, and is the son of J. M. and Laura Frances Warr. He attended the schools of that county and graduated from the 3rd District Agricultural High School at Abbeville, Henry County, Alabama. He later graduated from the State Teachers College of Troy, Alabama.

Mr. Warr was in the U. S. Army during the World War and was stationed at San Diego, California. After his discharge from the army he became principal of the high school at Headland, Ala. He was superintendent of city schools of Enterprise from 1920 to 1924, and while at the head of this school, graduated from the George Peabody College of Nashville, Tenn., receiving the B. S. degree. Mr. Warr was superintendent of schools at Luverne from 1924 to 1928 and removed to Clanton in the fall of 1928, to become principal of the Chilton County High School. Mr. Warr was recently graduated from Columbia University of New York, receiving the M. A. Degree.

Mr. Warr is active in all the civic, social and religious activities of the town of Clanton and Chilton County. He is a member of the Methodist church, of which he is superintendent of the Sunday School. He is also a member of the Kiwanis Club of Clanton.

A [illegible] Barrie Lambert, will control London's one hundred metropolitan hospitals and its city ambulance stations, with a total staff of some 50,000 and an annual expenditure of $200,000,000.

SCOUT TROOP 47 OF CLANTON

This fine group of Scouts are members of Clanton Troop 47. The Kiwanis Club of Clanton is sponsoring this troop.

Clanton is a member of the Central Alabama Area Council with headquarters at Opelika, Ala. Chairman of the Clanton District is C. E. Stapp. He is ably assisted by the following chairmen of Committees: John Hollis of Camping, Percy Pitts of Civic Service, L. C Warr of the Court of Honor, John Page of Finance, Dr. V. J. Gragg of Health and Safety, Sam Powers for Leadership Training, Earl Thomas for Lone Scouts, W. M. Wyatt of Publicity, Rev. S. J. Ezell for Reading, and R. Smith for Troop Organization. John J. Sigwald is Scout Executive and John Mullins and Sam Powers Scoutmasters A Cub Pack under direction of John Hollis is organized at Mitchell Dam.

The Scout troop 47 meets each Friday at 6:30 at the First Baptist church. Scoutmaster Mullins is seen at the upper right hand corner of the group of boys.

Twenty-seven Scouts meet regularly under direction of the Scoutmaster. At each meeting the Scouts are taught at least one thing. It may be First Aid or signaling. Maybe it is instruction in boxing the compass or anyone of a hundred subjects. At each game each week a certain amount of time is given over to business of the troop as well as in palying games. Indeed, Scouting is a 'learning by doing' method of teaching Scouts the two-fold program of Character Developing and Citizenship Training.

All boys 12 years of age and over are invited to come to a meeting of the troop at their next session, Friday.

Clanton Became Town In 1872—Site Owned By Thomas Williams

City Now Has Over 2500 Population Having Grown Rapidly In Past Ten Years; Is Center of Hydro-Electric Power and Rich Agricultural Section and Still Rapidly Growing

The history of the City of Clanton is one that should incite the admiration and interest of every citizen in the community as well as outsiders

Located in the heart of Alabama and in one of the richest agricultural sections of the State, as well as being the center of Hydro Electric Power for the State, Clanton has grown from a mere hamlet to a thriving city of over 2,500 during the past fifty years. It is located on many highways, the Dixie Bee Line Highway, all paved from Chicago to Miami, Florida; is only fifty-seven miles from Birmingham, Alabama's largest city, and forty miles from Montgomery, the Capital of Alabama; the city being connected to both of these places by concrete roads. Excellent transportation is offered, also, the city is located on the main line of the Louisville and Nashville railroad, from New Orleans to Cincinnati

The ground upon which Clanton is situated was first owned by Thomas Williams, who acquired the land by grant from the government. This land was sold to Alf Baker, who conceived the idea of developing a city thereon. Mr. Baker employed engineers who surveyed the site, which is now Clanton. Streets and sidewalks were laid out in regulation order in 1872. The Louisville and Nashville railroad was laid through Clanton two years before. Mr. Baker deeded to the city the site for the depot. The town was named Clanton. The streets were named in numerals, and yet bear their original names. Clanton's first residents were Alf Baker and Joe Foshee, both of families: Sam Adams, Thornton, Hannon, Aldridge, Jim Dudley, Sharpe, Lewis Boyd, Wells, Chestnut, Sartor, Dr. John Robinson, Evans, Randolph, and Warner. Alf Baker owned and operated the first hotel of Clanton. The building was a two story frame structure and stood on the corner now occupied by the Upchurch Drug Co. Clanton's first physicians were Drs. John R. Robinson, I. D. Lanier and Sam Johnson. Clanton's first lawyers were Jesse R. Jones, William A. Collier and Col. Williamson.

Clanton's first City Election was held in 1887. The following is taken from the files of the 1886-1887 State Legislature.

AN ACT

To authorize the Probate Judge of Chilton County to order an election for the purpose of electing officers for the Town of Clanton in said county. Section. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Alabama. That the Probate Judge of Chilton County, is hereby authorized and empowered to order the Sheriff of Chilton County to give notice of and to hold an election in the Town of Clanton in said County, for the purpose of electing one Intendent and five Counsellors for the said Town of Clanton, according to the provisions of Chapter 1, title XIV, Part 1 of the Code of 1876; provided that the officers elected under the act shall not be authorized to levy and collect a per capita tax for the purpose of opening or repairing streets or to enact any ordinance requiring personal service for the same. Approved February 24, 1887.

Clanton is today a thriving city of approximately 2,500 population, paved streets, beautiful churches, modern and up-to-date schools, sewerage, well equipped fire and police departments and is one of the most progressive cities in Alabama.

The religious institutions in the city are Methodist, Baptist, Presbyterian, Christian and Seventh Day Adventists.

Education has always been stressed The fire department consists of several capable volunteer firemen under the leadership of Loren Smith.

The police department is composed of two efficient men, John A. Boockholdt and C. A. "Red" Sherrod. Mr. Boockholdt is day policeman while Mr. Sherrod serves as a protection for the city at night

Water is supplied for Clanton from a deep well. The equipment used by the city water works is modern in every respect. The city has recently installed a modern filtering plant. Electric lights and power are furnished by the Alabama Power Co., and the available supply is sufficient to handle a city of hundreds of thousands of people

There are two excellent sound banks in this city. Several lumber concerns modern laundry, cotton mill, ice factory, and many other [illegible] industries, besides a number of splendid wholesale and retail stores.

The officials [illegible] Smith, Mayor, C. H. Pipes, City Clerk, Omar Reynolds, city attorney; Dr. J [illegible] Marcus, city health officer, Reed Taylor, Grady Heflin, H. S. Shaw Grady Broadhead, and W. L. [illegible] aldermen

Prominent Attorney Of Clanton

J B Atkinson

By: R. C. "Bob" Gore

One of the most outstanding men in Clanton, Chilton County and the State of Alabama is J. B. Atkinson, prominent lawyer of Clanton.

Mr. Atkinson was born in Rockford, Coosa County, Alabama, August 10, 1890, and is a son of Joseph C. and Frances B. (Carden) Atkinson, natives respectively of Georgia and Alabama. After receiving the advantages of the public schools of Rockford, Mr. Atkinson pursued a virtual high school course in the Alabama Fourth District Agricultural College at Sylacauga. After preliminary study in the office of a prominent attorney of Coosa County, he completed in 1912, the Junior Law Course in the University of Alabama. In 1913 he successfully passed the examination that gained admission to the bar of his native state and after six months of professional work at Sylacauga, he was engaged in practice two years in the City of Birmingham. He then, in 1915, established his residence in Clanton, where he has built up a substantial and representative general law practice.

Mr Atkinson made an excellent record during his six years of service as a member of the Alabama National Guard. Within the war period he served for a time as Chief Clerk of the exemption Board for Chilton County, and he was then transferred to service at the State Headquarters at Montgomery, where his work was in the government department that had supervision of looking after delinquents and deserters. In this work he served under General Crowder, from whom he received a personal letter of high commendation for his efficient service.

Mr. Atkinson served as a member of the City Council for four consecutive terms and during this period aided in many movements to better the City of Clanton. He served as Mayor of Clanton from October, 1926, to October, 1928. From 1919 to 1928, he served as Alderman, Mayor pro tem, and Mayor Some of the outstanding accomplishments during this time were: Paving of City streets, laying of sidewalks, purchase of fire truck, bought property for city hall, gave city water works extension.

Mr. Atkinson is a member of the State Democratic Committee and past Ch'm., County Democratic Committee He has been a member of the Masonic Lodge since 21 years ago, is a Knight Templar and Shriner. He is Past Master of the Blue Lodge with which he is affiliated and has served also as district lecturer of the Ancient Free and Accepted Masons. He has membership in the Alabama State Bar Association and is a member of Board of Trustees of the Methodist Church of Clanton.

In December, 1926, Mr. Atkinson purchased the Chilton County News and in June, 1930, The Rockford Chronicle. He conducted these newspapers until December, 1930, when he sold them to Billy Smith.

At Vincent, Shelby County, September 29, 1912, Mr. Atkinson was united in marriage to Miss Ada M. Darnell, daughter of Willis T. and Mary (Steeley) Darnell. Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson have three lovely children, Mary Frances, Joan, and Gwendolyn.

The Interests Of Chilton County

As Seen By An Editor

NOTE: At the request of the News, Mr. Wyatt, Editor of The Union-Banner, of Clanton, kindly consented to write this very interesting article, for this special edition. Mr. Wyatt is a native of this county and has studied its needs at all times.

By W. M. Wyatt

When requested by the Chilton County News to write an article on "The Interests of Chilton County from the Viewpoint of an Editor," I was assured that I had all the lattitude one might desire in discussing my subject I quite agree that it is a subject that affords a great deal of elbow room, so to speak. For truly, the interests of Chilton County are so great and so many; and just as truly the viewpoints of an editor so varied, and his experiences so numerous therefore, putting the two together and attempting to make a concise and somewhat brief story out of it all requires that one be a magician, as well as a writer. Fearing that I am not very accomplished at either art, I feel that I have perhaps been chosen for a task that is too big for me.

I do not know that I could choose any particular viewpoint, as an editor, from which one might see the interests of his community with any different perspective than that which would be the conception of any other well-meaning citizen from the same place. But we are not all editors. Therefore, it is entirely possible, I think, that one who has been an editor, living and working in this county for the past eighteen years, might claim some viewpoints which have not been attained by others.

Quite surely, in a period of eighteen years as a country editor, one may lay claim to numerous experiences all his own. I have seen times when I wished I might share my predicament with others. But none were at hand to take a part of the "glory." Many times, too, I have been consoled by the companionship of loyal sacrificing friends, who were with me for better or for worse, for weal or woe.

I have voluntarily restricted my subject for this article. I have shorn it of many of the vestments which might properly be included in a discussion of the interests of Chilton County. Out of all the things which might be properly included, I have selected three subjects which I shall attempt to impress upon those who read this: Education, Health, Religion.

The education of our youth is among the first interests of our county. It is one that offers to our citizenship a ringing challenge. It is one of the biggest questions in front of us. Chilton County's schools have made much progress in recent years. But we must make more progress yet. We are far from the place where we may rest on our oars and take it easy concerning our schools.

We have not provided the support which we might have done, and in my opinion, ought to do, for our schools. We should go the limit in providing educational advantages for the youth of our county. We should hold back nothing that we can reasonably give.

Chilton County, in point of wealth, is able to place her schools right close to the top of the list of Alabama counties. From where I stand, I say without hesitation, that I can very plainly see that the people of Chilton County must move out to a bigger and broader consideration of the interests of our future men and women through providing every possible dollar of support for our public schools.

Dollars are not all that is required to make the best schools, either. We must put our hearts into the work, we must use our heads and our hands in building the spiritual and physical structures that are required to guide our youth into a glorious manhood and womanhood. We who would vision the future of our boys and girls should first vision for ourselves the kind of a heritage we would leave to them. "Where there is no vision, my people perish."

Close to the educational interests of our county is the important subject of public health. I am very sorry that the majority of the people of Chitlon County have not become aroused and awakened to the vast importance of this question.

The State of Alabama has a public health system that is recognized among the best in the whole world. Chilton County is able to have the best county health system in Alabama. Our people need it as much as they need any public measure that can be mentioned. We should brush the scales from our eyes and step forward to our opportunity in providing the benefits of public health supervision for our County.

This special edition of the Chilton County News will go far from our own borders carrying the message of Chilton County to the outside world. Somebody who reads it will want to know about the health program of a county that is so progressive and so full of opportunities. What will they think when they scan these pages and find that we are not able to say a word about public health supervision, more than that we hope to have it some day?

A better county, through providing better schools, better educational advantages, better health conditions, are interests which we can not compromise. Reason and sound judgment must some day leaven the whole.

My honest conviction is that the interests of our county are bound up in the subject of religion more than many of us seem to realize. Jesus told his people to seek first the kingdom of heaven, and all the other things would be added. Most of us go at it right backwards. We seek all the other things first. Then if we have any time left we sit down in peaceful repose and tell the Lord if he wants to do anything for us, we will not object. When we serve God and keep his commandments we render the best service possible for all the interests of our community, our fellowman, and ourselves.

This reminds me of something I heard over the radio the other night. Two humorists were cracking smart things at each other. One said he knew he had found the laziest man in the world. Then he related how a certain man had gotten a friend to write out for him a fine bed-time prayer. When he started to bed each night, he placed his prayer on the dresser and said: "There it is, Lord. Just go ahead and read it. I have got to get some sleep."

In conclusion, I will assure everybody everywhere that her in Chilton County we have the best place in the world to live and to work and to play. We have lots of very desirable, and attractive situations and conditions. We have very few bad environments. We want a better County, and we shall have it if determination and everlasting persistence for better things can be depended upon to win.

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MERCHANT OF CLANTON

W. H. SARTOR

W. H. Sartor is one of Clanton's oldest and most substantial merchants. He was born near Autaugaville, Ala., in 1868. He received his education in the schools of Clanton.

Entering the business world when but a young man, Mr. Sartor was engaged as Superintendent of Ehrman Saw Mill. While engaged in this business he was associated with N. A. Kicker, who at that time was manager of the commissary for this lumber firm. Mr. Sartor and Mr. Kicker formed a partnership and entered the mercantile business in Clanton under the name of Sartor and Kicker. This business continued under this name for four years, Mr. Sartor buying out the interests of Mr. Kicker. The firm name was changed to W. H. Sartor and Sons, operating under this name for several years.

In 1918, Mr. Sartor became a partner of V. J. Elmore and was connected with this firm for about ten years. In 1928 Mr. Sartor purchased the interest of Mr. Elmore and changed the name of the business to The Fair. Under Mr. Sartor's supervision the Fair has become one of Clanton's leading business houses. His years of experience has placed him in a position to know the needs of the public along the lines of dry goods, notions, ready-to-wear and shoes.

Mr. Sartor has always taken a very active part in all social, civic, religious, fraternal and political activities of the town and county. He served four years as a member of the City Council and during this administration was very instrumental, with the aid of other members, to give the City of Clanton water works. He served as a member of the School Board for a number of years. Mr. Sartor is widely known in Masonic Circles. He has held the highest offices of the Clanton Lodge 423, Chapter No. 116, and Commandery No. 27. He is a charter member of Clanton Chapter No. 116, and member of Zomara Temple, Ancient Order Mystic Shrine, Birmingham, Ala. Mr. Sartor is also a member of Clanton Camp No. 322, Woodmen of the World. He is auditor of this order. He is a member of the First Baptist Church of Clanton.

Mr. Sartor was married to Miss Bell Watts of Clanton September 12, 1893. From this union five children and four grandchildren, who have brought great pleasure into the lives of these excellent people.

Mr. Sartor is therefore one of Clanton's most excellent citizens and can certainly be called a friend of man. The back of his hand is turned to no man, and the great objective of his life has been, not to make money, but to serve his fellowman to the best of his ability.

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THORSBY JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

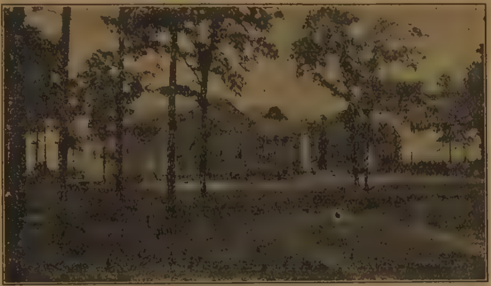
Thorsby Junior High School, Thorsby, Ala., a modern brick structure, and one of the high ranking junior high schools of the county. Prof. W. T. Bean is principal of this school.

Thorsby Institute Rated As One Of State's Leading Schools

Institute Offers Exceptional Advantages To Students Of State

Thorsby Institute has just entered on the last half of its 25th year of service to the young people of Central Alabama. From the school man's point of view conditions have changed amazingly in Alabama during the past quarter century. When Thorsby Institute began its work there was only one other High School in Alabama nearer to Thorsby than the cities of Montgomery and Birmingham.

Thorsby Institute during its earlier years could not confine itself to High School classes. There were too few pupils ready for High School work. Twenty-five years ago very few rural schools carried their pupils beyond the sixth grade. Among our earlier students, was one man who entered the school at the same time with his son. And the father devoted himself to work in the Primer. However, that case was exceptional.



HELEN JENKINS HALL

With the increasing facilities for education through the County and the State the Institute has raised its standards until now it does not attempt to carry classes below the ninth grade.

Miss Helen C. Jenkins, A. B., Mount Holyoke College, A. M., Syracuse University, has been with Thorsby Institute almost from the day of its founding, first as teacher, then as financial agent and field secretary and since 1918 as it Principal. To her in largest measure is due whatever success the school has attained.

With her are associated a faculty of three men and six women, trained, experienced, congenial, sympathetic, and three of them themselves graduates of Thorsby Institute.

Thorsby Institute is positively Christian, but not sectarian. The teachers are all members of evangelical churches and are representative this year of at least five different denominations.

DINING HALL

Some seem to consider the discipline at Thorsby Institute rather strict, but on the other hand many parents seem to be well satisfied with the fact that their girls, and their boys also, are as carefully cared for, as they would be at home.

Thorsby Institute has a special appeal for those who in their early youth did not have the educational advantages they needed. In their student body today are four married people. The two young men are preparing for the ministry. The wife of one of them is studying in the same class with her husband. The other young woman is the wife of a student in Howard College.

Thorsby Institute has never been a large school. Their ambition has not run in the direction of numbers. Seldom have they enrolled more than 100 students. Rather have they looked for quality. They have sought for the best, have been democratic enough to believe that they were more likely to find the best prospective students in humble homes, in the country, or in small towns. They have sought students who have had to work for what they got, whether in school or in the home. They have consistently and persistently "preached the gospel" of education "to the poor." They have required of all our boarding students that they work with their hands at least six hours every week. Some have come to the Institute with almost nothing except their willingness to work and they have won the honors in their classes and the Institute would like to make every ambitious young person of Central Alabama and every parent who is ambitious for his children believe that every young person of good health, good character and ordinary intelligence may secure a High School education. Thorsby Institute would like to show anyone interested how this may be done.

Thorsby Institute had in January a visit from the State Supervisor of Secondary education. After his return to Montgomery he sent the principal a letter from which is quoted:

"Much could be said in praise of the school, but perhaps a list of some of the excellent features will suffice. They are as follows:

1. Excellent campus, with space and some good facilities for outdoor activities, shrubs, etc.

2. Excellent buildings including standard classrooms, auditorium, office, commercial room.

3. Approved sanitary facilities, fountains for drinking water, etc.

4. Good general equipment and furniture.

5. Library containing many books suitable for high school use, well organized and administered by a trained all time librarian.

6. Some good equipment for chemistry and biology.

7. Unusual facilities for fire protection.

8. Faculty generally well qualified, earnest and industrious, doing much excellent work.

9. Fine morale and good work upon the part of the students. I believe their work on the whole is exceptional.

10. The buildings and grounds are well kept, and there is a noticeable air of refinement throughout the school. . . .

May I express to you, your association and the pupils of the school my very warm appreciation of the courteous treatment accorded me during my visit. It was a very pleasant day."

We would in closing call especial attention to item 5 above. The Institute has a trained librarian. The library contains 3000 volumes, many excellent books of reference among them the new Encyclopedia Brittanica. They are receiving about 25 excellent magazines and other periodicals, and the library is open to the public without charge, the only public library in the County.

NOT FOR THE DOLE

Hoover have come to the same conclusion, based on their experience, that the country does not believe in any kind of dole such as Great Britain has committed itself to. "If any member of Congress wishes to propose any form of dole measure that is his right and the bill should be considered on its merits," is the way Coolidge puts it to the public. But it is apparent that neither of these leaders will help fasten it upon the American people.

ROADS ESSENTIAL TO SUCCESSFUL FARMING

"In general, more attention has been given to the improvement of State highways during the past ten years than to country roads," says Harry Tucker, Professor of Highway Engineering at North Carolina State College. "The result is that the farmers in many communities are unable to take full benefit of the improved roads through difficulty in getting to them. They are now demanding roads that will be passable for motor vehicles during all seasons of the year—and rightly so—for the success of the modern farmer is dependent upon diversification of his farm products and the means of getting them easily and quickly to a market. . . ."

It is an ill wind that blows no one good, and the unemployment problem has done much to advance the farm road movement. In the last few months $700,000,000 has been raised for public works, and this is being augmented by the sale of bonds voted last November. A large part of the total is for roads.

To assure the greatest value from the use of these funds a fair relation between main and secondary roads must be maintained. Main highways, no matter how straight and wide and smooth, are valueless to a farmer who lives five miles away from them on a road that becomes a series of mud holes in winter. There is much talk nowadays about a new agricultural era—and good farm-to-market roads must be built if that hope ever is to be an actuality.

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TREND OF TRANSPORTATION

In a recent address J. L. Haugh, vice president of the Union Pacific Railroad System, brought out some important facts concerning "The Trend of Transportation."

Mr. Haugh points out that the railroad industry, in the hundred years of its existence, has given the United States a network of transportation facilities which is unequalled anywhere else in the world, either in comprehensiveness or standards of service. Now competitive modes of travel and transportation—the aircraft, buses, waterways and oil pipe lines—are being developed and are taking an appreciable part of the business that once went to the rails. This has a definite bearing upon the future success and progress of the railroads.

These new modes of transportation have a justifiable place. By cooperating with the railroads they can still further improve and broaden transportation of both commodities and persons. The danger lies in that they may go beyond the point of their value and thus injure both the railroads and the public. This, to some degree has already happened.

The railroads are still the most satisfactory agency of long-haul transportation, and will undoubtedly continue to be. Buses and truck lines, on the other hand, may better serve smaller areas. "It should be practicable," says Mr. Haugh, "to deevlop each form of transportation within its own sphere so that the railroads will handle the mass transportation and the truck lines will handle the local distribution, thus forming a complete service and not one of ruinous competition."

All transportation agencies have a place—but their services should be coordinated so that they all prosper, and the public benefits accordingly.

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THE OIL YEAR

It is to be hoped that the progress made in oil conservation during 1930 will be continued through 1931.

At the end of the former year, surplus stocks of oil were more than 26,000,000 barrels less than a twelvemonth before. This achievement was made in spite of a smaller demand for petroleum products, and the discovery of new oil pools in all of the oil producing states.

Of great significance was the legal victory of proration, which was tested in Oklahoma. Likewise, the federal government demonstrated that it is giving steadily stronger support to sound oil conservation methods.

At the present time the conservation problems has been somewhat overshadowed by the gasoline tax problem, which is close to every motorist. After the various legislatures have met, however, oil waste will take its place again as an economic problem of widespread importance. The efforts of the major producers to do away with surplus oil, and adjust supply to demand, are worthy of all public and governmental support.

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This is the time for some business concerns to quit thinking that the public owes them something and think of what they owe the public.

First Baptist Church Clanton, Alabama

First Baptist Church of Clanton Is A Beautiful House Of Worship

Fine Brick Structure That Is Modernly Equipped; Has Active Church Organization

The seed from which has grown the Clanton Baptist church, were sown by several pioneer preachers who preached in school houses, vacant stores, and in the courthouse. Chief among these were Rev. James A. Mullins and Rev. P. H. Lundy. These two, composing a presbytery, called a meeting on November 5th, 1872, and organized the church with nine charter members: W. D. Sartor, H. W. Barnes, James Thacker, E. M. Cooper, Mrs. J. R. Jones, Mrs. F. A. Hannon, Mrs. W. D. Sartor, Mrs. James Thacker, and Miss Georgia Jones.

Mr. Alfred Baker gave to this small band a lot, now occupied by the dwelling of Mr. M. A. Gore, on which was erected the first building. The church was served in its early days by Rev. James A. Mullins and Rev. P. H. Lundy, and visiting ministers from time to time. The church did not make much progress, and a meeting was called on August 25, 1878, "to revive the organization which had been suffered to go down." At this meeting Rev. Jefferson Falkner was called as pastor, and served until 1884.

The church was admitted into the Unity Association in 1878. The first mention of Sunday school was in 1883, in these words: "The Moderator gave us a talk on Sunday School, which was listened to attentively." From this day the teaching work began with varied success and failure. Today the church maintains a Sunday School of 250 to 450 in attendance.

January, 1890, a committee was appointed to select a new site and erect a new building. On a site donated by Dr. J. S. Johnson and wife, the new building was erected in 1893, at a cost of $1500. This building served the congregation until November, 1921.

In February, 1920, a committee was appointed to purchase a lot and look into the matter of the erection of a new building which was begun in May, 1921, and completed in November, 1921, at a cost of nearly $40,000.00. In October, 1927, the Church began the erection of its splendid Educational plant, which was completed early in 1928, at a cost of approximately $20,000.00. The church now owns property valued at more than $60,000.00, all of which is free of debt.

From an humble beginning of nine members, the church has grown to a great congregation of 700 members. The church took on new life with the coming of Dr. S. J. Ezell as pastor in September, 1922. During his ministry of eight years the church building has been paid for, and the new educational building built and paid for. The Sunday School has grown from an average attendance of 122 in 1922 to an average attendance of 265 in 1930. During his 8 years service 580 additions have been added to the church, perhaps more than in the other 50 years of its history. The church has a constituency of noble men and women who are leaders in all walks of life.

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A Tennessee reformer has received approval of his ideas from an unexpected source. Crusading for Sunday observance, he wrote a large number of railroad presidents asking that Sunday trains be abolished. Thinking him a crank, none replied except President F. D. Atterbury of the Erie, who said he "would be delighted to abolish Sunday trains, because they lose money."

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INTERESTING REMINISCENCES OF ONE OF OLDEST CITIZENS RELATED

Memories Of High Spots Of Chilton County's History Is Told In An Impressive Manner

By W. B. Corley

By W. B. Corley, Sr.

Do you ever take the time and trouble to turn back, in your mind the pages of events that have contributed to evolve from the mists of the past this progressive and fertile country of ours?

Back in the stringent and terrible days that followed the history-making Civil War, everything was chaotic in all this wonderful Southland and it seemed especially so in this sparsely settled region. The few log cabin homes, with now and then a more pretentious frame "mansion," were indiscriminately scattered through the forests, with a bridle path, perhaps, or a little semblance of a road linking them together. In the eastern section of the county, along the banks of the Coosa River was occassionaly small patches in a state of primitive cultivation, with crops of corn, peas and potatoes helping to feed the population.

In those days the area of what is now Chilton County was largely what is known as "piney woods" and at that period it was not considered sufficiently fertile to warrant the labor of bringing it into cultivation. Out in that splendid territory, now known as Fairview, the father of our fell townsman, Mr. B. L. Jones, sold 40 acres of fine pine land as there was in that section, for the munificent sum of 10c per acre. Land in that section now sells for from $75 to $100 per acre and the owners are not seeking any buyers at that price.

The only land tilled in those days was valleys, rivers and creek bottoms. All the rest was "too poor" to fool with. The range for game must have been superb. Deer and turkey were plentiful and if the larder run short all you had to do was gather up your trusty shot gun and make a short round and amply replinish that yawning larder with plenty of venison and turkey. Nature was doing her part then and aided these victims of a bloody and devastating war to get on their feet and go to hustling and see what wonders they have accomplished since.

After the war a few years, our county began to vision the possibilities of its future and they began to cast about for a method of individuality. Soon a demand for separation from Autauga County took form and presto! a new county was born and they named it baker. Business began to pick up. Soon the saw mill industry was introduced and the turpentine man was a close follower. Crowds of labor flocked in an dthe sound of the saw mill whistle began to wake us up with the dawn and the endless song of turpentine darkeys was mingled all day long with happy bird notes that made melody in the virgin forests. Thousands of acres of the finest long leaf yellow pine you ever saw went through the mills, while train loads of raw turpentine went to the distant refineries.

Experimentation then began and there a farmer would clear up a patch of this "poor pine land" and behold, what a transformation! They found the soil much more easily cultivated than the "bottoms," and by proper cultivation, equally as remunerative. For farming purposes today there is no county in the State that can surpass ours in good and reliable production.

The years rolled on, like they have a habit of doing, and the first thing you knew, came a movement to rechristen our county, the result of which was that the name of Baker was done away with and the name of Chilton put at our masthead, and from the prosperity that has followed it must have been a good thing.

One prominent adjunct to the wealth of our county is not often enough thought about. I refer to the possibilities of its mineral welath. In the southwest portion of the county is deposits of brown ore that can not be surpassed anywhere in the State. A few years ago it was mined and sold readily to the steel making companies around Birmingham. These experts pronounced it as good as they have ever handled. But it lies from 2 to 6 miles from the railroad with, in those days, no roads that would stand the traffic, so the expense of transportation ate up the profits so fearfully that those engaged in the business had to quit. Have heard in later years that some of those large steel makers bought options on the mineral rights down there and are holding them intact to such time as they use up the mines they already have in operation. There is almost any quantity of it in that area and sometime there will be an active ore business carried on down there.

Then, coming on up the line of the river from the iron ore section, you enter a large area filled with graphite ore that has never been fully develped, while at one point on Chestnut creek, a plant has operated for years and is still at work on the same vein of ore.

Still coming north from the graphite plant a few miles, you run into a mica deposit that covers quite an extensive territory. The real flake mica shows up there in the only mine ever opened there, but lack of capital to put in the proper machinery for getting out the output suspended its work.

Speaking of minerals, there are other locations on the eastern side of our county that show pronounced traces of gold. Neither of these has ever been examined farther than on the surface. Sometime in the future a gold mine out there need not surprise you.

After we grew up and got our name, Chilton, properly registered and things looked good along came the Farmers Alliance, a splendid farmers organization, but, like two or three other organizations I have belonged to, the oily-tongued political montebank slipped in and the order was no more. Here in our county, I am told, that the Alliance became involved in politics, a bitter fight got up that finally resulted in two political parties, the Democratic and Republican. So, it has remained to this good day, and it is indeed a misfortune that has put many a stumbling block in the way of our legitimate progress. The good people of the county have grown suspicious of each other and do not cooperate and pull together as they otherwise would do.

Long about 1912 that exceptionally fine gentleman, Capt. Lay, succeeded, after long years of the most disheartening toil and worry, in erecting in our county that wonderful hydro-electric dam, known now as Lay Dam, and its advent certainly seemed to "turn on the light," in more ways than one. Our citizens took on new life and solid improvements have been going on ever since. Light and power anywhere in the county you want. The farmer in the "sticks" can read his paper by as good a light as the banker, and his wife can cook a meal on the same sort of range as the banker's wife.

Later on came Mitchell Dam, another wonderful engineering feat, with its auxiliary power to sow broadcast all over the land. Untold millions have been scattered in Chilton County by this great company in the past few years and their confidence in our potential future has created a like spirit in many of our good citizens. There is inspiration for all when great public achievements are wrought.

The great State highway passes just outside my window and I gaze with a reflective mind on the contrast then and 50 years ago. Cars with their happy passengers dash by at fifty miles, closed in and supremely comfortable. Fifty years ago the road would be a streak of rough road and an ox wagon groaning along at two miles per hour. That comparison is representative of the changes that have taken place all along the line of human endeavor.

Since those dark and poverty stricken days that followed in the wake of the Civil War, our County has emerged from a practical wilderness of timber into an almost arcadian land of comfortable homes, broad and fertile acres of farm lands and good, broad roads, making of travel a delight instead of a torture, as in the days of old.

Our citizens, I believe, rank up in the front van of progressive, thrifty, kind and neighborly people.

Our school facilities are something for every Chiltonian to be proud of. Our church privileges are numerous and well supported. Our sanitary department is high up in State records, and the health of our people, as a whole, is way above par. If you want a happy home and are willing to fulfill the conditions of good citizenship, come and abide with us and we will do you good and make you happy.

Methodist Church, Clanton

Methodist Church Here Stands As a Monument To Methodism In City

Beautiful Brick Edifice Erected At A Cost of Over $60,000.00; Has A Membership of 380

The history of the Methodist church in Clanton reaches back over a period of about sixty years. At that time when the section where Clanton now stands was nothing more than a country community, Methodist preachers appeared and preached in the homes where invitations were given. In 1873 a school house was built near the cemetery in East Clanton, and the first Methodist church was organized in that building soon after its completion.

The Rev. Meyers was the first regular pastor assigned from the Alabama conference to serve the church. A few years after his pastorate in Clanton he died and is now sleeping in our cemetery. It is supposed that the first Methodist church was built soon after the organization of the society in 1873. Alph Baker, a Protestant Methodist preacher, donated the lot where the present church building is now located, and a small frame building was erected. This building served the needs of the growing church until 1887, when the second church building took the place of the first.

There are those still among us who remember the effort put forth to build the second church structure. The lumber men gave the lumber, the brick masons gave their time, carpenters made no charge for work, the women served tables and the men put up the building. It was completed, but carried a small indebtedness. In the year 1890 Rev. A. J. Briggs, then a boy preacher, was assigned to Clanton. During that year he secured the services of Rev. Henry Johnson, and these two flaming evangels of the Cross, held a meeting in the new church and such an awakening was never felt before in this section. During that revival money was raised to settle all indebtedness and the church was dedicated.

We mention a few of the pastors serving the Clanton church in the closing years of the 18th century: J. W. Shores, Chas. Lamar, J. P. Sanders, L. H. S. Chappell, P. M. Guthrie, W. A. McCarty, B. E. Faegin. Since that time many of the prominent men of the Alabama Conference have been stationed among us and they have served with credit. We like to mention such names as I. F. Bilbro, R. R. Ellison, S. U. Turnipseed, R. J. Mills, I. W. Chalker, D. M. Pearson, C. C. Wilkinson, W. M. Cox, L. B. Green and E. A. Childs. The present pastor of the church is Dr. D. W. Haskew.

From the long ago we mention the names of Grandmother Sexton, Mrs. Anna Evans, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Chestnutt, Mr. and Mrs. Middleton. A host of other names could be given as having kept the faith and died with a victorious experience. What sacred memories come into our minds when we continue to call the roll: Mr. and Mrs. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Callen, Lee Stewart, Mrs. W. W. Fox, J. C. Jones, and others.

The growth of the church has been marvelous, having on its roll at the present 380 members. It has a well organized Sunday school and its missinary society is doing most excellent work. During the last eight years the Missionary society alone has made more than ten thousand dollars, placing that amount in the parsonage, pipe organ and church building.

When Rev. C. C. Wilkinson came to Clanton in 1922 he conceived the idea of a magnificent church plant for Methodism in Clanton, and he set his forces to work to this end. The present building was erected at a cost of around sixty thousand dollars. A heavy indebtedness was carried over from the years of construction In 1930 Rev. E. A. Childs was successful in lifting the indebtedness, and now the church plant stands free of all indebtedness. The plant now stands as a monument to Methodism in the city, and carries with it ample room for expansion in the years to come. The large auditorium will seat five hundred people, and there is sufficient room in the educational annex for five hundred Sunday school pupils. At the close of the year 1930, under the pastorate of Rev. E. A. Childs, the church was dedicated, Bishop Ainsworth preaching the dedicatory sermon.

Isabella Future Farmers Of America Organization Progressing In Interest

By James M. Deason

The Isabella F. F. A. is progressing very fast. The chapter met at the beginning of the 1930-31 term of school. At the meeting they made plans for their projects. They were as follows:

1. Membership programs.
2. Improve campus grounds.
3. Fertilize shrubbery.
4. Finance educational trip.
5. Father and son banquet.

The chapter has proved its ability to carry out plans. It has completed almost all the projects for this year.

The chapter held the membership program a few weeks after school started. Several boys joined, in fact, all the boys of the Senior II and III classes belong to the chapter (with the exception of one.) In the Junior III and Senior I classes almost all the boys belong. They fertilized the shrubbery and the grass on the campus. They are working to finance the educational trip this coming summer. All the members have been asked to make a map of the places of interest that they would like to visit. The Father and Son banquet will be held March 6th. They have united it with the girls, Mother and Daughter banquet, so that they will be together, as it will be much cheaper. I can say that any person who attends one of these banquets will certainly enjoy it. To improve the campus the boys have planted shrubbery and Italian rye grass.

The chapter has sponsored the building of a room for the County Farm Bureau at the school building. This room is to be used for storing feed and seed to be sold in the Mulberry community. Mr. Thomas is to have charge of this sub-store. It will be a great help to the people of this community, because they will not have to go very far to get their seed or feed.

The chapter has representatives of three degrees of the F. F. A. They are

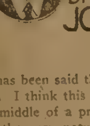
1. Greenhands, No. Rep., 11.
2. Future Farmers, No. Rep., 8, and two associate members.
3. State Farmers, No. Rep. 1 and one associate member.

We hope to have more members for all three degrees later on.

Last summer a number of the boys attended the State Convention at Auburn. We hope that every member will attend this summer. All the boys that attended this convention enjoyed it very much. The boys plan to come through Auburn and attend the Convention while they are on their educational trip. They have bought two pigs from Mr. Thomas. The pigs are to be sold at the end of school and the money put into the treasury. The money is to help pay the expenses on their trip.

The chapter had a splendid bunch of officers last year. The officers for this year are as follows: President, Marvin M. Durbin; vice-president, Crit DeRamus; secretary, R. C. Veazey; treasurer, Luther Mims; reporter, James Deason; local advisor, Mr. Earle Thomas. Marvin Durbin is also State Reporter.

If a young man is taking agriculture and there is an F. F. A. Chapter at his school, he ought to line up with it. No person will ever regret that he became a member of this fast-growing organization. Not that it is better than any other organization, nor that it will cause you to learn more than in some other organization. But it will give you a general insight of farm life as compared with others. If a chapter has a good program committee, the chapter will have many meetings with interesting programs with the facts [illegible]. Our last program was interesting. First was a talk by [illegible] Lee[illegible] [illegible] subject was, "Progress of [illegible] [illegible]nd, a talk by Crit De[illegible] [illegible] subject was "Thrift." Thi[illegible] a talk [illegible] Hannon Owens. His subject wa[illegible] [illegible]ting a Good Farm Mule." They all made splendid talks.



THE FAMILY DOCTOR

BY JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

Changing Doctors

It has been said that it's a bad practice to swap horses in the middle of the stream. I think this applies quite as well to the abrupt changing of physicians in the middle of a protracted disease.

In the very nature of some complaints, they advance very slowly, taking sometimes months and years to produce complete disability. A disorder that has been on hand two or three years cannot be cleaned up in as many weeks. Particularly is this true in diseases of the heart, lungs, and kidneys. To shift physicians impatiently every two weeks, in the effort to secure quick relief, is to invite disaster, it takes in some cases of very serious disease, several months of intimate relation and study on the part f the physician, to tide the patient ashore safely. This cannot be done by shifting tactics on the part of the invalid. It is his business to start right and stay right; his life may depend on it.

Years ago, a wealthy man offered me $1000 to clear up one-fourth of one per cent of albumin from his urine. I accepted his bantering proposition. "What shall I do first," he asked; "go to bed for four weeks," I answered. "Can't possibly do it; you see, I've got some business—" Of course he had. All men have affairs.

He went to a "magnetic healer," who cured by laying on of the han[illegible] $250 wasted. Another shift to a "pathy"; no better luck; then to a "pra[illegible] by this time dropsy was coming. A month with a masseur who agre[illegible] it out." It didn't rub out. The last I heard of the case, he had [illegible] and called his family doctor; too late—the kidneys were far beyond p[illegible] relief. Swapping horses [illegible] mid-stream. That man should be alive today. But he was too busy to "stay put." He has been dead a long time.

If you suspect serious disease, stick to your physician—don't neglect his advice—he's your best bet.

ONE-STOP SERVICE STATION, VERBENA HELPS MAKE MOTORING REAL PLEASURE

Complete Line of Gasoline, Oils, and Accessories Carried—Garage Employees Are Skilled Mechanics And "Courteous Service" Is Slogan

Mr. Chas. Gulledge operates the One-Stop Service Station, one of Verbena's leading business houses. The firm carries a complete stock of Tires, Tubes, and Accessories for all makes of cars, as well as the highest grade gasoline and oil.

In keeping with the growth of his business and his civic pride, Mr. Gulledge hopes to add a modern garage to his One-Stop Service Station in the near future. It is his plan to take care of the motorists in every detail.

Service has always been the slogan of the firm and with the addition of the garage one's motor troubles will be solved. He is also having installed equipment for the accomodation of the public in everything to satisfy the desires of the tourists and travelers generally. It will be known as the One-Stop Service Station."

Mr. Gulledge has impressed the writer not only of his moral worth and pleasing character, but the very nature of the man is to please and to serve His place of business is located on the Dixie Bee Line Highway, thirty-five miles from Montgomery, and sixty-eight miles from Birmingham. He has a day and night service and his charges are always reasonable.

CHAS. GULLEDGE

Mr. Gulledge was born in Verbena in 1881. He received his education in the schools of this county and attended the Stark University of Montgomery. He comes from one of the pioneer families of Verbena, being the son of F. A. and Cordelia Gulledge, who settled in Verbena when the town was in its infancy, and who have played a very prominent part in the gorwth and prosperity of the community. Mr. Gulledge is a Mason, Night Templar and Shriner and is a member of the Methodist church. He is a real Booster for his town and Chilton County.

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Jack Farrell of Livingstone, N. J. who suffers with rheumatism, refuses to enter a hospital for two reasons, "first, because there are too many women around that kind of an institution; second, because his dog would be deserted."

SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION

B. LAWRENCE

B. Lawrence, Superintendent of Education of Chilton County, was born in Chilton County June 17, 1891. He attended the public schools of this county and the Lincoln Memorial University of Cumberland Gap, Tennessee; attended Jacksonville Normal School, Jacksonville, Ala., and the Baptist Theological Seminary, at Louisville, Ky. Graduated from Howard College, Birmingham, Ala., in June 1921, receiving A. B. Degree.

Mr. Lawrence's first work upon leaving school was done as the principal of Oak Grove School, which position he held for one year. He was principal of the Jemison School from 1922 to 1924. During Mr. Lawrence's term as principal of schools in these communities he also served as part time pastor of several churches in the county.

In May 1925 Mr. Lawrence was elected Supt. of County Schools of Chilton County. During his administration the schools of the County have shown a steady improvement. He has under his supervision 50 white and 21 colored schools, employing 144 white teachers and 34 colored teachers. There are 45 white and 2 colored buses operating under his supervision to convey the pupils to and from school. To name every achievement of the Superintendent's office would be impossible, but among the outstanding ones, the establishment of a welfare and attendance supervisor, complete educational survey of county schools, tax system and abolition of privately owned bus bodies and establishment of county-owned bus bodies, assuring comfort and safety to school children.

Besides being an outstanding man in his position as county Superintendent of Schools, Mr Lawrence has taken a leading part in the social, religious, civic and business activities of the town and county. He has the confidence and esteem of everyone with whom he has been associated in business life

Mr. Lawrence married Miss Mollie Burnett of Thorsby, Alabama. Mr and Mrs. Lawrence have five children. Mr Lawrence is a member of the Baptist church of Macedonia, and also serves as part time pastor for several churches of the county He is Moderator of the Chilton County Baptist Association, which position he has held for several years He is a member of the [illegible] Chapter, Council and [illegible]

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PROMINENT INSURANCE MAN

J. M. VanDerveer, Sr.

The above photograph is that of J.M. VanDerveer, Senior, prominent citizen of Clanton and Chilton County, and one of the most successful and progressive exponents of the Life Insurance Business in this section of the state.

Mr. VanDerveer has been a resident of Clanton for more than thirty-five years. He is the son of the late J. P. VanDerveer and Cornelia Elizabeth (McMath) VanDerveer, and was born in Clear Creek, Alabama. Mr. VanDerveer received his education in the public schools of this city and at the death of his father in 1923 took over the large and well organized insurance business which his father had conducted.

For many years Mr. VanDerveer has been prominent in the life insurance business of this section. During the greater part of this time he has been the representative of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company of Newark, New Jersey. He not only enjoys the distinction of being the leading life underwriter of the county, but his name is to be found upon the company's honor-roll as one of the three hundred leading personal producers throughout the United States.

Mr. VanDerveer is one of Clanton's most active citizens and besides being one of its greatest Boosters, is vitally interested in the growth and prosperity of the town and county.

In 1909 the wedding of Mr. VanDerveer and Miss Edith Leona Magrath of Kansas City, Kansas, was solemnized. Mr. and Mrs. VanDerveer have two splendid sons, John M. Jr., and Joseph W. John M. Jr., is a most valued member of the News staff, while Joseph is a popular member of the young school set in Clanton.

RELIGIOUS AND CULTURAL ACTIVITIES OF THE WOMEN IN CLANTON

Clanton Women Are Whole-Heartedly Engaged In All Phases Of Christian Service

One of the favorite class mottoes, "Esse quam videri," "To be rather than to seem," aptly describes the womanhood of Clanton. This statement is verified by their many activities. First, and foremost, they are Christian women. Large organized Sunday school classes are maintained in our churches. The Baptist Church has four such, with an enrollment of twenty-five to fifty in each class. The classes of the other churches are proportionate. These women also have a week-day religion. Unfortunate, indeed, is the agent who sets out to sell his article on Monday afternoon. Nobody is at home. The women have gone to the Missionary Society meetings.

In no town of like size will one find more women whole-heartedly engaged in this phase of Christian service. Practically the entire membership of the Methodist, Baptist and Presbyterian churches are enlisted. Space could not be had in one "Booster Edition" to enumerate their activities. Certainly they "Aid" in all church work, and then have their own pet undertakings also. They take particular care of the parsonage, pastorium, or manse, as the case may be. The Methodist ladies bought their beautiful pipe organ. The Baptist Missionary Society paid the full salary of Miss Mary N. Lyne, Missionary in Shanghai, China, above their regular pledges to missions, and then had the pleasure of knowing her personally as their State W. M. U. Secretary. This society has one hundred-fifty members, and is an A-1 organization. Mrs. J. P. Hayes is the efficient president, Mrs. P. T. Hinkle, vice-president, Mrs. Horsley White, Mission Treasurer, Mrs. D. C. Alred, Aid Treasurer.

The Methodist Society has begun a new year with unbounded enthusiasm under the leadership of Mrs. D. W. Haskew, President, Mrs. W. M. Polk, vice president, Mrs. L. E. Diefenderfer, Secretary and Treasurer. The Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary has as president, Mrs. L. F. Gerald. This organization has assisted nobly in making possible the splendid new Presbyterian church, and looks forward to an even greater year.

Being a good Christian, to Clanton women, also means being interested in all the cultural activities of the town. The Grammar School P.-T. A. is fostering a lunch room, serving more than a hundred hot lunches daily; the new building is being equipped, and shrubbery planted; plans are also on foot for a spacious concrete driveway. Mrs. N. S. Johnson is president of this flourishing organization.

The High School P.-T. A. is having an equally successful year. The lovely new curtain and stage furnishings in the auditorium have been bought recently. The Home Economics Department is now being fitted out. Pianos have been purchased, pictures presented, and various and sundry other things necessary to maintain a high school on the State Accredited List. Mrs. L. E. Diefenderfer is president.

The womanhood of Clanton is not only interested in the cultural advantages of the children, but also in their own mental development. For many years they have had a Study Club, affiliated with the State Federation of Clubs. Mrs. J. E. Gowan is president of this organization. This year, they are studying Modern Drama. They have collected much valuable historical data in the county, had a series of very interesting papers published on the same, and have preserved them. To foster literary attainment in the schools, awards are given each year.

The Music Study Club is a younger but no less popular organization. Their Year Book shows that an interesting and informing course of study, based on the music of various countries, has been prepared. Mrs. L. F. Gerald is president of this club.

Mrs. C. E. Stapp, our County Child Welfare Worker, and Chest Fund custodian, than whom there is none better anywhere, also knows that "Esse quam videri" is a suitable motto for Clanton's womanhood, because she has learned that she has but to let the women know her needs and they will make a concerted effort to satisfy them—whether it be "All-Day Sewings," "Clinics," "Drives," or what not. These are some of the outward results of inward beauty.

"A woman that feareth Jehovah, she shall be praised. Give her of the fruit of her hands; And let her works praise her in the gates."

The Scrap Book

By Charles Lamb

I have had playmates, I have had companions,
In my days of childhood, in my joyful schooldays,
All, all are gone, the old familiar faces.

Ghost-like, I paced round the haunts of my childhood.
Earth seemed a desert I was bound to traverse,
Seeking to find the old familiar faces.

Friend of my bosom, thou more than a brother,
Why wert not thou born in my father's dwelling?
So might we talk of the old familiar faces—

How some they have died, and some they have left me,
And some are taken from me; all are departed,
All, all are gone, the old familiar faces.

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Charging that she suffered permanent injuries when she fell on a slippery bathroom floor while visiting in the home of old friends, Mrs. J. Matthews of Dallas, Texas, filed suit against them for $16,000.

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Verbena Service Station

CHAS. GULLEDGE VERBENA, ALA.

Verbena, Town Long Famous For Its Culture, Hospitality And Refinement Of Its Citizens

Verbena is a village situated on the L & N Railroad, thirty-two miles north of Montgomery and sixty-four miles south of Birmingham. Its population is about five hundred, composed of both white and colored people.

It has long been noted for the culture, hospitality, and refinement of its white citizens.

Its principal agricultural products are cotton, corn, and melons, but a great variety of fruits, garden products and other crops are raised for home consumption. Its soil is principally Ruston sandy, and Ruston gravelly, and Orangeburg loam.

Its elevation varies from four hundred to five hundred feet above sea level, and it is noted for it mild and delightful climate in all seasons of the year.

Graphite is the only mineral that has been discovered in sufficient quantities to justify mining operations, yet small quantities of gold, iron, and mica have been found within four miles of its center, and are mined and marketed in small quantities from time to time. The deposits of graphite on Chestnut Creek about two and one half miles east of Verbena are of the finest quality to be found in the United States, and is being mined and refined by the Flaketown Graphite Company, and is shipped to all parts of the country.

It forests were once well covered with an abundance of pine, oak, poplar, hickory, gum, and chestnut timber, but the activities of the axemen and the saw mill men have about denuded the forests of these valuable woods. It is sad to know that these stately old pines, oaks and other kings of the forests are gone forever, but we hope to see in their places harvests which will mean as much as did these valuable woods.

It is believed that DeSoto was the first white man to ever visit this part of Alabama. The remains of an old fort may yet be seen within four miles of Verbena, and it is believed that it was built by DeSoto. Among the early white settlers, after the Indians had been driven from this part of Alabama, in 1838, weer the following: The Coopers, Dennis, Nelsons, Price, and Poseys. Peter Cooper owned most all the land on which Verbena is now situated. On this land he farmed extensively with slave labor. His home was located on the hill where the residence of the late Dr. H. W. Caffey now stands. At his home he accomodated travelers going from north to south and on their returning journeys. Traders with great droves of mules from Tennessee and Kentucky, making their toilsome journeys to the great cotton plantations, of Central and Southern Alabama, and Louisiana; great hog drovers, with immense herds of hogs from Tennessee, making their way to the ports of New Orleans and Mobile, apple farmers, hauling their crops of apples to the southern markets; were all eager to make this their stopping place, because they knew bounteous repasts of venison, steak and wild turkey awaited them and here they would find an abundance of provender for their weary animals.

Mr. Cooper was known as the wealthiest man of his county. He owned more than a thousand acres of land, and had a sufficient number of slaves to operate all the machinery on his farm, including his saw mill, grist mill, and ginnery, located on Chestnut Creek, near the junction of Sandy and Chestnut Creeks. He lived to a ripe old age and died at his home in 1884, after rearing a large family.

The village of Verbena was founded in the year 1869. The first real residence and store of Verbena were built by Captain Norton, of "Steam Boat Fame." The first house he built was north of Chestnut Creek, near the junction of the Knights Ferry and Higgins Ferry roads. It was on the preliminary survey of the then prospective railroad. This building burned, and he rebuilt on a later survey of the railroad. This house is still standing and is known as the "Norton House."

On completion of the L & N Railroad in 1881, the depot was established and operated in a part of the store of Captain Norton. This house was later moved northeast of its first location. It was occupied by Mr. Brown who later established the Brown Printing Co. of Montgomery. This house is still standing and for many years was known as the "Brown House." It is now a part of the Verbena Service Station property.

On removal of this house the railroad erected a depot which was used until about 1910, when a new one was erected and the old one converted into a cotton shed.

A number of wealthy planters of Montgomery and Bullock Counties, and also some residents of Montgomery, desiring to escape the dreaded malaria and yellow fever diseases so prevalent during the summer months, selected Verbena as a desirable place to build their summer homes. Therefore the name "Summerville" was first given to the village. But there being another place in Alabama by this name, it was necessary to change it. There are conflicting opinions as to how the name "Verbena" came to be adopted, the most plausible being that Colonel Sayre once carried a bouquet of beautiful wild Verbena, which grew here in abundance, to the railroad station. This, being so much admired and commented upon by others at the station, inspired the thought of naming the town "Verbena."

Many of those who made their summer homes here found it so delightful that they made their permanent homes here, among them were: Major J. C. Gibson, Colonel B. J. Baldwin, Colonel Sayre, A. J. Brooks, Dr. J. S. Pitts, the Mitchells, Merriweathers, Williamsons, Barretts, Clisby's, Jno. W. Hughes, Josiah Morris and others.

The accommodations being insufficient for those seeking the advantages of the summer resort, a stock company was formed and a large hotel was built in the year 1882. It was very successfully operated for many years under the name of the "Clifton House."

A. J. Brooks established a store about 1876-6 in the building that is still standing and occupied by T. B. Deramus Grocery and Feed Store. He later built a large store house which is still standing, now occupied by the estate of D. I. Deramus, as their main store building.

In the year 1876 F. A. Gulledge established a store in a building that he afterward tore down, and in its place built the large store building that is now occupied by his sons, J. H. and W. A. Gulledge. A number of small stores have been established and operated for a few years, but those established by Brooks and Gulledge are the oldest ones.

The stores in operation now are Gulledge Bros., Estate of D. I. Deramus, H. T. Williams, W. H. Strock, T. B. Deramus, S. D. Williams, Verbena Service Station, Hardy's Service Station, and the Verbena Drug Company.

Some of the physicians who have practiced in Verbena for any length of time are as follows: Drs. J. J. Dawson, J. S. Pitts, Tom Davis, H. W. Caffey, S. T. Williamson, A. J. L. Dennis, T. M. Barnett, C. S. Strock and J. D. Eiland, all of whom were successful in their profession, and prospered financially. The last two are our physicians today.

Strange as it may seem, Verbena had no bank until the year 1919, when the Bank of Verbena was organized, and opened for business in January, 1920.

In the year 1874, through the efforts of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Paine, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Baldwin, Major Gibson, Captain and Mrs. Norton, Colonel Sayre and others, a Methodist Church was completed. It bears the distinction of being the first church in this part of the country to have a bell. The same bell now calls its members to worship, and became famous during the World War by ringing at four o'clock each afternoon, to call all the people who believed in prayer to pray for the victory of the cause for which our country was fighting.

Five years after the establishment of the Methodist Church, the Baptist Church was established through the noble efforts of Mr. Kineon Wells, A. J. Brooks, Mr. W. B. Strock, J. T. Bland, and others. The building is still standing.

The first church service held in Verbena was conducted by Reverend Walter McDaniel, and the first school was taught by Miss Bettie Bonham, in the small house across the street in front of J. W. Lett's home.

The two-story part of the present Grammar School Building was built in 1882 by Major J. C. Gibson, Col. B. J. Baldwin, Dr. J. C. Courtney, F. A. Gulledge, A. J. Brooks, W. B. Strock, J. T. Bland, Kineon Wells, and many others. In this building Profesosr W. U. Acree, the first principal, taught a sucessful schol for a number of years. In 1918 our school took on new life, and each year thereafter a new room was added and an additional teacher employed, until 1923, under the able leadership of Prof. W. E. G. Sutton, who became principal in 1921, the Verbena High School was made accredited and now ranks high among Alabama's high schools. Verbena schools have an enrollment of nearly 400 pupils.

In 1921 and '25 through the untiring efforts of Prof. W. E. G. Sutton, principal, and J. C. Pattillo, J. H. Gulledge, and S. L. Gibson, trustees and building committee, a beautiful stone High School Building with large auditorium was erected on the hill formerly occupied by the home of Colonel B. J Baldwin. This lot commands a splendid view of the railroad, paved highway, and the surrounding country.

Verbena receives its electricity from "Mitchell Dam," one of Alabama Power Company's master Hydro-Electric Power Plants on Coosa River, only seven and one half miles distant.

VERBENA HIGH SCHOOL

One of the finest school buildings in Chilton County, built of Native Stone and modern throughout. W. E. G. Sutton is principal of this school, and it ranks as one of the best in this section.

While being tried on liquor law charges at Columbia, Mo., Leon Perry denied selling a pint of liquor to federal agents, saying: "No, judge, it was a quart."

Mrs. Alma White, who is the leader of the Pillar of Fire faith and founder of its church in Zarephath, N. J., is said to be the only woman bishop in the world.

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Read Our Advertising.

PROMINENT CITIZEN OF VERBENA

F. A. GULLEDGE

The subject of this sketch is Mr. F. A. Gulledge, of Verbena, Alabama, whose past life is as follows:

Born in Coosa County, Alabama, September 25, 1849, hence eighty-one years old. Born on a farm where he lived until he was twenty-seven. During his early boyhood days he obtained a limited education in the one-teacher school at Providence, sometimes missing one or two years and hardly ever getting more than six weeks schooling each year. Married at nineteen years of age to Cordelia Collier of the same community. She was born October 30th, 1845, hence eighty-five years old. To them have been born five children all living and prosperous, in Verbena. His first home, bought with borrowed money, interest upon which was from 8% to 20%. Upon the sale of his home in the latter days of 1876, leaving him six hundred dollars, came to Verbena and invested it in a small mercantile business which by strict economy, and perseverance his business increased from year to year until at one time it was the largest business in Chilton County. In 1884 he built the store now occupied by Gulledge Bros. and which business grew more prosperous until 1889 he resolved within himself that he should leave business and enjoy a more quiet life. To this end on January 1st, 1903, he locked the store doors, store full goods, handed his keys to his five children with the injunction to follow his example. The business then prospered under the firm name of Oliver & Gulledge Bros. A few years later Oliver sold out his and his wife's interest to J. H. and W. A. Gulledge who have since run the business under the name of Gulledge Bros.

Mr. Gulledge's slogan in business was "The Best Goods for the Price, One Price to Black or White, Rich or Poor." Gulledge Bros. have used the same slogan, result the same customers who traded here forty to fifty years ago are today customers of his old store now run by Gulledge Bros. Politically, Mr. Gulledge is an uncompromising Democrat, religiously affiliating with the Methodist Church, but deep down in his heart a natural non-sectarian. Yet, politically and religiously, he is not one of the intolerant kind.

Mr. Gulledge was born of English stock on his father's side, a native of Anson County, North Carolina. His mother, Elizabeth Duke Mitchell, a native of Virginia, and pure Scotch-Irish, hence it is little wonder the stand he takes in both politics and religion. Mr. Gulledge, although advanced in age, very spry, commander of a considerable real estate business, with all the alertness in business, and with a social nature becoming a much younger man. Memory remarkably good, eye-sight fair and ready to undertake the solving of any financial question or social entanglement. He owns 4500 acres of land, more than one hundred pieces of property in Birmingham, all of which he looks after in person. For twenty years the largest individual tax payer in this county, taxes included in other counties of Alabama, Oklahoma, and Arkansas. Large stockholder in different enterprises including three banks.

Mr. Gulledge's argument and admonition to the young is to fix their ideal and go to it, and that a large percentage will reach the goal of their ambition.

Mrs. Gulledge is living and enjoying reasonable health (except for a recent accident) surrounded by her five children, seven grand-children and one, only great-grand-child, and all the five children in business of one kind or another.

In September, 1888, Mr. Gulledge resolved never to owe a man anything on the first day of any succeeding year. He amended that later by resolving to pay any little debt he might owe each Saturday night to his employees or to others. For forty-two years he has lived up to those resolutions, and he admonishes his friends, especially the young to adopt the same slogan. In 1899 when Mr. Gulledge resolved to quit business he owned 12,000 acres which he resolved to sell and has since sold, on long time and easy payments, mainly to the poor, who otherwise, would probably have never owned land. As it is, they are nearly all owners of homes and doing well today.

Mr. and Mrs. Gulledge, both born of fairly well to do people were broken up by the Civil War, and had absolutely not one penny in cash when they got married, in fact he borrowed the money to pay for his marriage license, and worked it out three months after, at 50c and one meal a day.

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Mrs. B. F. Rader of Herrin, Ill., was granted a divorce when she testified that her husband became so enraged because she smoked a cigaret that he forced her to swallow one lighted.

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While cleaning his office, recently, Jake Bingham of Gervias, Ore., found $100 in bills which he had mislaid 16 years ago because there wasn't a bank in the town at that time.

Dept. Store In Verbena, Ala.

GULLEDGE BROTHERS

GULLEDGE BROS. DEPT. STORE, VERBENA, ALABAMA

Gulledge Brothers are successors to F. A. Gulledge, who established the business in 1876 and in 1903, presented it to his five children, two of whom sold their interests to H. B. Oliver, J. H. Gulledge and W. A. Gulledge, who operated it under the name of Oliver & Gulledge Bros. In 1913, J. H. and W A. Gulledge, the present owners, bought the interest of H. B. Oliver, and it has since been operated under the name of Gulledge Bros.

In 1928 Gulledge Bros. having joined the Independent Grocers Alliance of America (I. G. A.) erected an addition to their large store and on December 19, 1928, opened a fancy grocery and market giving to Verbena all of the advantages as to asortment, and price enjoyed by any of the cities. The IGA is not a chain store, but is one of many independently owned businesses in thirty-eight states, associated together for the purpose of mass buying, giving it the second largest buying power of any business in the United States, which enables its members to compete with any and all chain stores.

Gulledge Bros. Department Store contains the largest and best assortment of quality merchandise to be found in the country. If you can not find it elsewhere, go to Gulledge Bros. —they have it

BILLY SMITH TELLS WHY HE IS A BIG BOOSTER FOR CLANTON and CHILTON CO.

By R. C. "Bob" Gore

In discussing the many advantages of the Town of Clanton and the County of Chilton, the writer asked Billy Smith, editor of the Chilton County News, a direct question, "Just why do you believe in Clanton and Chilton County?"

"I believe in Clanton because I **know Clanton.** It is one of the best located cities, commercially and industrially, in the South; it is the marketing center and the 'hub' of one of the most productive agricultural sections, and this, combined with the marketing of a large amount of fruit and vegetables, is another incentive that Clanton should in the near future take its rightful place as one of the leading cities of the South.

"The educational advantages of Clanton are unexcelled. The city has a school system that is well abreast of the times, and with a high school curriculum on a par with the best in the United States.

"Clanton is the home of Hydro-Electric Power for the State of Alabama. Millions of dollars have been spent by the Alabama Power Company in the construction of Lay Dam and Mitchell Dam, two gigantic structures which are a credit to the South."

Thrift And Industry

"While we do not claim that Clanton is an earthly paradise, we think we may fairly say that our city ranks well up with any community in any section of the country. Our men and women are simply men and women—no better and no worse than their neighbors anywhere. Clanton and Chilton County is a community where thrift and industry are sure of their reward, and where the flowers blossom in gorgeous profusion and their delicious fragrance rivals the heavy-laden air of the tropics. All these things come naturally to Alabama.

"Nature's sunbeams warm the people and the plants—the soft Gulf winds temper the winter and the summer. The delightful climate makes it possible for one to be out of doors all the year round, and opportunities for enjoying all outdoor sports of field and stream combine to make Clanton a mecca for all who seek an ideal place to build new homes. A hearty and cordial welcome—an old fashioned Southern welcome—awaits all good citizens who may cast their lot with Clanton, the city of opportunities." Thus spake the editor of the News.

ELEMENTARY SUPERVISOR

MISS. MADGE SCARBOROUGH

Miss Madge Scarborough, County Supervisor, Elementary Schools of Chilton County, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Scarborough. Miss Scarborough was born in Blue Springs, Barbour County, Alabama. She attended the schools of that county and graduated from the Blue Springs High School.

After finishing High School Miss Scarborough attended the State Teachers College at Troy, Ala., from which she graduated. She taught for five years in Millry School in Washington County and Pineapple in Wilcox County. In 1928 she graduated from the Alabama College at Montgomery. During her college course she was critic or supervising teacher of 4th grade in Alabama College Training school.

In the fall of 1928 Miss Scarborough moved to Clanton and has filled the position of Elementary Supervisor of Chilton County schools. She has 107 elementary teachers under her supervision and Miss Scarborough's popularity in this position is well brought out by the wonderful cooperation of these teachers.

Miss Scarborough is doing a splendid work in the elementary schools of the county. She realizes the responsibility resting upon her and is leaving no stones unturned to place the elementary schools of the county at the top. She is an ardent Booster for Clanton and Chilton County. She is active in all civic, social and religious activities of the town and county Miss Scarborough is a member of the Methodist church.

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A contemporary recently made a slip by atrributing to Commodore Perry the famous remark, "Don't give up the ship." Now, as everyone knows, it was John Paul Jones who said that. What Commodore Perry really said was "Damn the torpedoes," after hearing of Farragut's telling Gridley to fire if and when ready. This merely for the sake of keeping the record crooked.

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Florence Wright, 22, town clerk, was left to govern the 506 persons in Gilsum, N. H., when the three selectmen resigned because of a disagreement over the lease of a town snow plow.

Mrs. Arnold Stevens, an invalid of Brockton, Mass., has completed work on a quilt made of 20,736 pieces, each cut the size of a postage stamp.

PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK, CLANTON GIVES 30 YEARS FAITHFUL SERVICE

Founded In 1901, Has Been Bulwark Of Industries—Played Important Part During World War

To serve the people of a community for almost 30 years is a record of which to be proud

The Peoples Savings Bank of Clanton is the oldest bank in Chilton County. It first opened its doors to its depositors December 7, 1901. And since that time its reputation for service and security has been widespread

Its record of achievement might well vie with that of the finest banking institutions in the land. Time has told the story of the progress of the Peoples Savings Bank, which has enjoyed a constant growth since it opened its doors in Clanton in 1901.

The wonderful achievement of the bank is ascribed to the personnel, which during the 30 years has directed its destinies. Men of the keenest business acumen and reputation have been at its helm. Men who could be intrusted to lead so vast and important an institution to the success it is at present enjoying

One of the most cherished relics of the Peoples Savings Bank is the record book which contains the reports of the first organizers of the bank. Wm. F. Holloway was its first president, however, the operation of the bank [illegible] mostly in the hands of W. T. Callen and Jno. A. Thomas. W. T. Callen was elected president a short time after and served as such for 22 years until his death in 1922. He was succeeded by his son, F. J. Callen, in 1922, who remained as president until his voluntary retirement in 1927. H. G. Boyd served the bank as president from 1927 to 1930, and is now vice president of the City National Bank of Selma, Ala. Mr. Callen was recalled as president in 1930 and is at this time serving the Peoples Savings Bank in this capacity

The records reveal that in 1901 the capital of the Peoples Savings Bank was $15,000, and deposits that year were approximately $20,000. The bank's deposits today are $388,000, with a capital of $50,000, surplus and profits over $50,000, making a total of over $100,000. The bank owns its own building on 2nd Avenue and boasts of one of the most modern and well equipped banks.

During the World War the Peoples Savings Bank financed considerable of Liberty Loan Drives and after the war took the entire quota of Chilton County for the Victory Loan. The stockholders have never been assessed nor has any new capital been put into the bank. Dividends have been paid regularly since 1902 and the capital structure has grown from the original of $15,000, to a total of well over $100,000. The Peoples Savings bank is owned entirely by citizens of Chilton County and all dividends are circulated from time to time right back to the people of the county. The bank believes in truth in advertising, never misleading people into thinking there is any special mystery in successful bank operation, but that conservative management and faithful performance of duty entirely determine the success of the institution. The record of the Peoples Savings Bank clearly proves this thing to be correct.

The stockholders are never concerned about earnings, but accept their duties as servants to the public and their objective at all times is to safeguard the funds placed with them for safe keeping. They have proven faithful to this trust for nearly 30 years and stand today as a monument of strength not only in Chilton County, but is outstanding in the State of Alabama.

The Peoples Savings Bank has graduated many young men and women who are now connected with other banks and doing well, which reflects on the wonderful training in this bank.

The officers of the bank are: F. J. Callen, President; N. S. Johnson, vice president; H. G. Heflin, cashier; W. L. Smith, assistant cashier; Miss Delilah Kelly, secretary. The directors of the bank are: N. S. Johnson, G. C. Harris, W. L. Popwell, Walter Popwell, H. S. Shaw, F. J. Callen and H. G. Heflin.

PRES. PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK

FRANK J. CALLEN

Dr. Pepper Shows A Remarkable Growth In Five-Year Period

Popular Beverage Has Cultivated New Millions Each Year By Fine Food Qualities

That the popular and delicious drink, Dr. Pepper, has ben showing continuously for five years, a remarkable growth in distribution, is shown in a map recently prepared by the company.

Although it is perhaps the oldest branded carbonated beverage in America, having been first marketed in Texas more than 42 years ago, its history dates from the spring of 1927, when it was introduced into many other states. Dr. Pepper was originated in Waco, Texas, and was sold there for 37 years before it was sold in the other states.

At present this popular beverage is being distributed on a large scale in 19 different states. Each year, sales increased tremendously, and now this company is enjoying a wide popularity wherever their attractive signs are displayed.

Dr. Pepper contains, besides a delicious combination of fruit juice, essences and abstracts, it contains a full ounce of pure cane sugar. In the chemistry of syrup making, this is made "invert," which means, in effect, that it is practically pre-digested. Like a flash, the blood drinks up this new energy. Analysis shows that a bottle, or a glass, of Dr. Pepper contains a high degree of real food value. That, it was learned is where their slogan, "Drink a Bite to Eat," originated, as it was stated by a representative of the company, that it is truly a bite to eat, and they recommend it at ten, two and four, o'clock.

In the Chilton County section, the attractive plant of the Dr. Pepper Bottling Company at Montgomery supplies this beverage. This plant is owned by Harold Link, of Birmingham, and is managed by Logan B. Schirmer, who keeps an attentive eye on the interests of his company and yet at the same time, devoted untiring efforts toward giving the public one of the most popular and delicious drinks on the market. A visit to the Montgomery plant of the Dr. Pepper Bottling Company, will show anyone, a sanitary and well conducted firm.

Congressman From 4th Dist.

MAJOR LAMAR JEFFERS

Major Lamar Jeffers, of Anniston, Alabama and a member of Congress from the Fourth District of Alabama, to which office he succeeded himself last November. Major Jeffers is possibly one of the most noted and widely known Congressmen from Alabama. His World War record stands out boldly without assistance as one of service and bravery.

Major Jeffers is also a member of the American Legion, having become affiliated with that organization of ex-service men at the time of its first organizing. He has been a member of the Committee in the House of Representatives on World War Veterans Legislation since the creation of Committee and has always taken an active part in that work, having been outstandingly instrumental in securing the Veterans Hospital for Alabama, one of the largest of its kind. Major Jeffers World War Service overseas was with the 82nd Division, as Captain of Company "G" 326th Infantry, commanding that Company in the St. Mihiel drive and in the Meuse-Argonne offensive until October 11, 1918, when he was severely wounded by machine gun bullets in an attack on St. Juvin, France.

On the night of October 10, 1918, Major Jeffers reconnoitered a badly damaged bridge and early in the morning of the 11th he supervised its repair, being continually under intense machine gun fire from the opposing army. There are numerous instances where Captain Jeffers was outstanding in service and bravery to his country overseas during the World War, and page after page could be filled with accounts of such instances.

Major Jeffers became a delegate to the Eleventh Annual Congress of FIDAC, which was held in Washington and New York, the latter part of 1930. He was a delegate from the American Legion of Alabama.

It is a pleasure and an honor to the News to have such a man represented in this edition. Major Jeffers' friends in this state and elsewhere are countless, as they are numbered wholly by his acquaintances.

SALESMAN

L. C. REYNOLDS

Mr. L. C. Reynolds is a native of Chilton County. He is one of those crack salesmen, who has made a success on the road. He is now representing J. D. Adams Co. as District Salesman. His company are manufacturers of road building and maintenance machinery.

Mr. Reynolds has made a fine record in his work, and is highly esteemed not only by his company, but with his customers as well.

Mr. Reynolds is the son of Judge [illegible] H. Reynolds, who is Judge of Probate of Chilton County. He is the second son, and a brother of Grady and Omar L. Reynolds, who are prominent attorneys.

He was educated in the schools of Clanton and the University of Alabama. He was a member of the SA[illegible] Fraternity during his college days, and is now a member of the W. O. W., having been an active member for twenty years. He is a member of the Methodist church, and is interested in the religious and civic welfare of the community.

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Before old General Depression goes too far he might reflect on what happened to Napoleon.

ASST. CASHIER

W. L. SMITH

W. L. Smith, assistant cashier of the Peoples Savings Bank, was born in Marion, Perry County, Alabama, October 17, 1906, the son of Y. E. and Dora D. Smith of Chilton County, Alabama. He received his education in the schools of the county and graduated from the Marbury High School. He attended the New York University where he received a special course in Banking. Mr. Smith entered the [illegible]ploy of the Peoples Savings Bank [illegible] July, 1926, and has been promoted to the position of assistant cashier. Mr. Smith is one of Clanton's most popular young business men and is active in the social and civic activities of the town. He is a Booster for Clanton and Chilton County.

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MUCK-RAKING SEASON

February is the anniversary month of the births of Washington and Lincoln, at which time [illegible] historians break into print with their discoveries about these great national heroes. In recent publications former President Lincoln was described as "unkempt," "lazy," etc. Washington also is "rediscovered" each February with fresh unholy imperfections.

Somebody ought to strangle a few of these sensational mongers who show up annually at this time of the year

CASHIER

H. G. HEFLIN

H. G. Heflin, Cashier of the Peoples Savings Bank of Clanton, was born in Moulton, Lawrence County, Ala., April 25, 1902. He received his education in the schools of his native county, graduating from Lawrence County High School in 1919.

Mr. Heflin first entered the business world as a banker for the Peoples Savings Bank in 1919. His advancement in the banking profession came rapidly due to his efficiency and perseverance. In 1922 Mr. Heflin was made Cashier and in 1930 was elected as a member of the Board of Directors.

In the social, civic, religious and business activities of the town and county Mr. Heflin is an active member. He believes in his home town and county and is numbered among its greatest Boosters. He is a member of the Baptist church.

Mr. Heflin was married to Miss Mary Duke of Randolph, Alabama in 1923. Mr. and Mrs. Heflin have two fine boys, James Duke, and H. Grady, Jr.

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The fellow who said "it is hard to [illegible] a million dollars" might have included major generals and bishops

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STENOGRAPHER

MISS DELILAH KELLY

Miss Delilah Kelly, bookkeeper and stenographer for the Peoples Savings Bank is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Kelly. Miss Kelly is a graduate of the Chilton County High School and Alverson Business College of Birmingham, Alabama. She became a member of the Peoples Savings Bank immediately after finishing school and has served this institution for three years. Miss Kelly's pleasing personality has made for her a host of friends, in fact her friends can be numbered only by her acquaintances. She is a real believer in Clanton and Chilton County, and if in doubt as to her Boosting, say something against Clanton or Chilton County.

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IN SEARCH OF PROSPERITY

Business and political leaders, looking ahead in search of prosperity, have agreed upon an axiom that America's well-being can not be advanced by narrow international policies. But application of the axiom to present-day conditions is not so easy. Albert H. Wiggin, chairman of the Chase National Bank, thinks it points to a reduction of war debts and a lowering of tariffs. Collier's Weekly, strenuously nationalistic, takes a middle ground by asserting bluntly that "our prosperity depends on the earning capacity and well-being of the people of all the world."

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Selling apples may help some, but it will hardly get to the core of [illegible] employment problem.

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We wouldn't mind giving another driver half the road if he would only take it on its own si[illegible]

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Lordy, what a wow, Dr. Pepper has come to be! Everywhere you hear the name, every day it grows in fame, this drink that millions love. Here's popularity plus and it must be darned well deserved. Dr. Pepper combines health, energy and fun in one . . . . and that means happiness. Old and young, skinny and fat, big and little, tall and short, poor and rich, handsome and homely, all sorts of people in all walks of life applaud the happy habit of drinking-a-bite-to-eat.

And why not? Dr. Pepper is a F-O-O-D as well as a drink. It's a good food, keen to taste and with positively no after regrets. Besides healthful fruit juice, extracts and sparkling water, it contains pure cane sugar in pre-digested form. Quick as a flash this concentrated new energy seeps right into the blood. That's why you feel refreshed, exhilarated and keen for work or play. Nothing in it can harm you. Drink with a free, clear conscience at 10, 2 and 4 o'clock.

A Good Habit To Get - It Won't Get You

hilton's History Is Story Of Fight Against Great Difficulties

dications Of Future Prosperity And Development; Industrial Opportunities, Poultry and Truck Farming, Churches, Schools and Social Advantages

Chilton County's history is made up of relatively small incidents. The annals that geographical and political subdivision of Alabama record no great battles n its soil, no outstanding event of world importance. They tell rather of the uggle of a courageous people against the handicap of many years of isolation ough lack of roads and other means of transportation; their efforts to combat evils of illiteracy, to establish schools and churches; to build towns and mes. One must look for Chilton's great achievements in the near future, ind of the past.

hat section of the hilly country west the Coosa River was originally the ting grounds of the Upper Creek ians. Their towns were chiefly on Coosa County—east side of the river. West of the stream were the woodhills where deer, bear and smaller e were hunted in due season, where nerous creeks afforded good fishing refuge for beavers, valued for their t and pelts. The Indian, on his hunting ground, was a conservand rarely killed game during its eding seasons. The territory reservor hunting was often used in com by numerous tribes, that recogd a truce from tribal wars when r hunting parties met upon these rvations.

here were Indian villages along lberry creek, and the mound buildleft their monuments at various ts, the largest of which may still be about 1 1-2 miles southeast of rsby.

ioneers from the Carolinas, Virginnd Georgia came with their negro es in 1833 and established perma settlements, chiefly along Big berry creek and other streams in Coastal Plain areas of the county. n and wheat were grown in quans for local use and ground at nums mills operated by water power g the streams. Whenever the land became worn out by the crude and wasteful farming methods of those days new forests were deadened, cleared and planted, while the old fields were used for grazing sheep and cattle and soon were covered with second growth timber.

Before the war between the sections freed the slaves, cotton became the staple crop of that region and some of the plantations contained from 1,000 to 5,000 acres. After the close of the war most of the large plantations were broken up and a new system of agriculture was gradually developed though cotton has remained the chief crop.

Forests of long-leaf and short-leaf pine covered the greater part of the land and the first industries were the manufacture of lumber and naval stores Logging and lumbering became the winter occupation of many of the small farmers. When the railroads came, the larger tracts of timber were soon removed and sawn into lumber at several large sawmills in different parts of the county.

Chilton County Established

Bibb, Autauga, Perry, and Shelby counties lost portions of their territory when the legislature carved out of those four the present boundaries of Chilton County, on December 30, 1866. When first established the new political body was given the name of Baker county, for Alfred Baker, a prominent citizen of the Autauga section. On December 17, 1871, it was changed by act of the legislature and named in honor of Judge William Chilton, chief justice of the supreme court and former member of the Confederate Congress, wherein he represetned the Montgomery district.

The act of establishment named Reuben Powell, Anderson Baker, William Vines, E. Ward and John Pernell as commissioners to hold an election, locate a county seat, build a courthouse and jail, and levy a tax to pay for these evidences of civilization and government. The first county seat of Chilton County was at Grantville, about four miles east of the present court house at Clanton. The old building was made of logs. It had but one room, about 16 x 20 feet. There must have been a jail, also though no mention is made of such in any of the records so far discovered. The country's first officers were Mordecai Robertson, probate judge, and Thomas H. Wililams, sheriff. Both were commissioned in 1869.

The Town of Clanton was laid out in 1872 and was named for the Confederate General James Holt Clanton, a native of Georgia and long a prominent figure in political life of Alabama. A more imposing courthouse was built at the new county seat and served its purpose until it was burned. The South and North Railroad, which later became the Louisville and Nashville, reached the point where Clanton now stands in 1870, and later connected Montgomery and Birmingham. Clanton and Birmingham are practically the same age.

The Southern Railway crosses the western part of the county giving transportation to the markets of Birmingham and Selma. A branch of the Mobile & Ohio railroad crosses the Southern at Maplesville.

The pure air and a moderate summer climate is due in part to the high elevation of the greater part of Chilton County. North of Clanton, Ala., about 6 1-2 miles is an elevation arising about 830 feet above sea level, known as Jemison Mountain. Near that point is said to be the highest elevation of the L & N Railroad south of the Tennessee River. The county is shown by Government survey to have an average elevation of about 500 feet.

Lay Dam, on the Coosa River about 12 miles from Clanton, was one of the first of the giant hydro-electric power plants completed in Alabama by the Alabama Power Company. Some years later Mitchell Dam was completed further south. The Power Company is by far the largest tax payer in the county by reason of these plants and other improvements and a good part of the prosperity and development of the county within recent years is due to expenditures made for construction and other purposes by the big corporation.

Strawberries, poultry raising, dairying and diversified farming have also contributed to improve the income and general prosperity of this section, tho cotton remains the chief money crop.

The strawberry crop has shown a steady growth and hundreds of cars are shipped annually. Shipments start each year about one week later than from Castleberry, and the berries are of fine flavor, color, and shipping qualities. There are numerous large poultry farms in the county and this industry is growing rapidly both in volume and in the quality of birds produced. The wealth annually produced from this source would be difficult to calculate, but it is sufficient to form an important item of local prosperity and the money from the industry is widely distributed.

Besides producing pure, sanitary, healthful milk products the dairy industry is bringing to the farmers of Chilton County thousands of dollars each year.

THE DIFFERENCE

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TOWN OF MAPLESVILLE ONE OF THE OLDEST IN CHILTON COUNTY

Has Shown Remarkable Growth Due to Progressive And Interesting Citizens

On the Western border of Chilton County is situated the Town of Maplesville, one of the most progressive towns of the County. Near it is the big Mulberry Creek which furnished its sportsmen and citizenship territory for fishing and hunting and has a great potential value as a water supply for the future use of the Town, for domestic and commercial purposes. The altitude of the Town of Maplesville is 338 feet.

This little city is traversed by the M & O and Southern Railroads which render to the shipper and passenger adequate and convenient service. The Town is known for its convenience as a place to market lumber, and agricultural products, and is a fine place for the marketing of cotton, the merchants always giving the best prices for agricultural products, thereby stimulating a spirit to sell and buy at home.

The citizenship of Maplesville is of the original Southern stock and can trace their descent back to the original settlers of the Mississippi Territory, which later furnished the soil for Alabama. They also maintain with pride the Southern hospitality and a person may visit the town as a stranger, with expectation of being treated as such, but as soon as he enters the gates of Maplesville, he finds that he is among friends who are friendly, and people who live on a high plane and are charitable and work for the ideal that the world may be made better for their having lived. The town has a splendid graded public schol and its citizens are wide awake and always grasp every opportunity to improve the educational facilities of the town and county. In their school, the students are offered the same opportunities as are furnished in the larger cities of the state. There is employed a high class and efficient corps of teachers and with the cooperation of the Trustees and P.T. A.'s, the school has made a splendid record and one that the citizenship of the town can be justly proud.

There is located in the Town, two churches, the Missionary Baptist and Methodist Episcopal Church, South, each having a large and enthusiastic membership. Both maintain a standard Sunday School and with the ability of the pastors of these churches and the lay leaders, the town is kept up to a high standard in its morals and a spirit of brotherly love prevails, and a real loyalty exists for the ideals of American citizenship.

We find in this Town a large number of Masons, who are members of Maplesville Lodge No. 706 A. F. & A. M. This order has just recently rebuilt their Masonic Hall, which compares favorably with any in the small towns of the state.

There is also in this Town an Eastern Star Chapter, which has an enthusiastic membership of both ladies and men. This Chapter ranks among the best in the state, and among the ladies of its membership are to be found some of the most proficient in the work of the order.

Maplesville has a strong and substantial bank, which carries the town name, "The Bank of Maplesville," which institution is backed by men of high standing in the state and county. This bank has shown a steady growth since its organization and it is today one of the strongest banks in the county. This institution has for its cashier, Mr. John Maples, who knows the banking business and gives to it every ounce of his knowledge and energy.

The officers and stockholders of this bank have been instrumental in backing the agricultural development of the county as well as the Town and community of Maplesville; each of them is a genuine booster for the Town and county and foresee much progress in this section in the next few years.

As indicated before, Maplesville's professional and business men are of the highest type of citizens who are well and favorably rated in the business and commercial world.

The town of Maplesville was first settled about three miles east of its present location in the year 1822. It took its name from a prominent pioneer named Maples. Old Maplesville was located on the stage road from Montgomery to Tuscaloosa, the latter the capital of Alabama. In 1850 the railroad known as the Selma, Rome and Dalton, was completed from Selma to Dalton, Georgia. Due to the inconvenience of mail deliveries, the post office was moved, in 1856, from the old town to the present location of Maplesville. So the railroad was responsible for the abandonment of the old town and the growth of the Maplesville of today.

Reding Hicks, became the pioneer merchant and post master of Maplesville. In 1860 he sold his place of business to Noah Foshee, who operated this business until his death. Mr. Foshee was succeeded in this business by his oldest son, later by his second son, who is today carrying on the business in the same location as did his father seventy years ago.

The Mobile and Ohio Railroad was built through Maplesville in 1897. In 1911 Maplesville suffered a very disastrous fire which destroyed practically the entire business district. These old buildings were soon replaced with modern brick. The town boasts of about twenty prosperous business houses and a population of about 500 law-abiding and church-going people.

WORTHY OF SUPPORT

High hopes are held for the success of the metal curtailment program now being put into effect by the mining industry.

Basically the problem is like that of the oil, the farm, the rubber industry and others—to adjust supply to demand. When an industry produces more of a commodity than it can sell the result is a depression. Surplus stocks pile up and prices drop to the point where it is impossible to make a profit.

When any major industry finds itself in a predicament such as this the entire industrial structure of the nation is affected. The efforts of mining to regain its economic balance are worthy of support.

The public expects to know about the business world and what they have to sell.

Out of consideration for the public, every business man should advertise.

The printed page is the proper place to advice the public who you are, where you are and what you have to sell.

Every business should look ahead. They must anticipate; they must employ well established policies of modern business; they should have faith in their city, faith in their business, confidence in themselves, and then advertise!

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Delicious and Refreshing
Coca-Cola
Grantland Rice Interviewing Topnotchers

Listen in Every Wednesday night over the N. B. C. coast to coast network.—Hear Grantland Rice interviewing one of the world's most famous stars in tennis, baseball, golf, football, wrestling, boxing, etc.—Get the inside on their favorite training methods, strategy and winning plays.—What made them champions.—And a delightful, refreshing program of sparkling music by the Coca-Cola thirty-one piece, all-string Dance Orchestra.—The only one of its kind on the air.

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QUALITY UNCHANGED
Fashioned-Newest Shades
SERVICE WEIGHT
COLORS: Flesh, Nude Sun Tan, Made Sable, Gun Metal, Egg Shell, Basque Brown, Black
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THORSBY ONE OF MOST THRIVING CITIES IN CHILTON COUNTY

Though Only 37 Years Old Town Has Made Many Advances

While less than forty years of age, the City of Thorsby has made for itself, through its constant and rapid growth, and advancement along civic, industrial and business lines, the reputation of being one of the most progressive towns in Alabama. This reputation is verified by the figures in the postal receipts in the Thorsby post office, and through the railroad office of Thorsby.

In 1894, K. G. Falgre, J. F. Peterson and T. T. Thorson, men from the Northern States, conceived the idea of coming South and forming a Northern Colony. They organized under the name of the Concordia Land Co., and purchased large holdings in and around the present townsite of Thorsby. The post office at Strasburg was abolished and removed to Thorsby. People began to come from the North to look over the country and many of them joined the organized colony, buying lands.

Thorsby was an attractive little town from its beginning. The early settlers being a very thrifty people, realized the advantage in building good homes. In the first years of its existence Thorsby had two Lutheran Churches, later one of these churches becoming the property of the United Protestant church (Congregational). Later the Baptists built a church which has become a very active factor in Thorsby religious circles. A Public School building, hotel and business houses were built from the beginning.

The first five or six years of Thorsby were devoted to building and setting out vineyards and orchards, including peaches, apples and plums. On the 6th day of May, 1901, an ordinance was passed to adopt a code of laws for the Town of Thorsby and a charter was drawn up.

Thorsby is located in the Central part of Chilton County, on the Main line of the Louisville and Nashvilel railroad. It is half way between Birmingham and Montgomery. The town occupies the highest point of a gravelly plateau, and is surrounded by fruit and vegetable farms interspersed with woods of pine and oak. The location is well drained and the climate is ideal both summer and winter.

In 1902 the farmers and business men of Thorsby, realizing the necessity of an organization for the advancement of agriculture in general, formed what is today known as the Thorsby Fruit and Truck Growers Association. From a mere handful of members this organization has grown until today it has over two hundred and fifty members. Hundreds of cars of fruit and vegetables are shipped through this organization each year and hundreds of thousands of dollars are placed in the farmers' hands. In 1929 over 100 cars of strawberries were shipped. The organization is in touch with the leading markets and receives the best prices for all commodities. Carl C. Peterson is President; E. R. Piper, Secretary, and J. M. Smith, Manager and Treasurer.

Largely as a result of the interest of some Alabama Congregational leaders, Thorsby Institute was started on September 17, 1906, with a High School department and two grades preparatory for high school. At the time it began there was no high school in the county. Mr. J. Lambe, a graduate of Brown University, was its first principal. In 1919 Miss Helen Jenkins became principal and through her leadership the school has grown until it is today recognized as one of the leading preparatory schools in Alabama. Its graduates speak for the standards of the school. For several years the school has been affiliated with the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. Thorsby Institute is itself a booster for Thorsby and Chilton County.

The official board of the town is composed of Carl C. Petersen, Mayor; E. R. Piper, City Clerk; E. W. Butler, Alderman; Donald Merchant, Alderman; M. E. Willis, Alderman; M. J. Soberg, Alderman, and J. M. Smith, Alderman.

CONFECTIONERY OPERATOR

M. A. WRIGHT

M. A. Wright, owner of the Wright's Soda Fountain in Thorsby, is the popular son of J. A. and Rosa Franklyn Wright. He was born in Jemison, Chilton County, Alabama, in 1905, and graduated from the Jemison High School in 1927.

On leaving school, Mr. Wright entered the grocery business, as clerk, and after a few months entered business for himself. Mr. Wright has one of the most popular soda fountains in the county. It is a rendezvous for the young people of the Town of Thorsby. Each day at lunch time, this popular place of business is crowded with students and teachers enjoying the delicious lunches served by Wright's.

Mr. Wright carries a complete line of school supplies and sundries. Nunnally's and Norris' candies are carried for those who "care to reach for a sweet." A complete stock of standard and staple patent medicines are also carried at Wrights.

Mr. Wright is a young man of sterling qualities and great vision. He is vitally enthusiastic in his town and county and is a Booster.

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British lexicographers have made a list of 43 words, which they declare comprise one-half of the daily conversation one hears. They are: And, as, at, about, all, be, but, can, come, day, dear, for, get, go, have, hear, her, if, it, in, me, much, not, on, or, one, say, she, so, that, the, they, those, this, though, time, to, we, will, with, write, you, your. Over here such a list would certainly include "gimme."

MERCHANT OF THORSBY

G. F. HARPER

G. F. Harper is one of Thorsby's most popular and progressive merchants.

Born on a farm in Shelby County, Alabama, May 10, 1863, where he spent his boyhood, Mr. Harper received his education in the schools of that county. He is the son of Thomas and Jane Caroline Harper, who were early settlers of Coosa County.

Mr. Harper remained on the farm until he entered the mercantile business in Ensley, Alabama, where he remained for six year. He then returned to his farm in Shelby County where he remained for several years. In 1901 Mr. Harper was in charge of the State School Farm at Montevallo for one year.

Mr. Harper then entered the mercantile business at Wilsonville, Alabama, and in 1919, moved to Thorsby to enter business. Mr. Harper has established himself as a reliable merchant and his growth in his business has been rapid. In early life he learned the importance of dealing fairly and squarely and his success is partly measured by the hundreds of people whom he has served. He is a man active in all the civic, religious and business affairs of his town. He is a Booster for his town and county and would be an asset to any community. He was a member of the City Council of Thorsby for four year and member of the Board of Directors of Thorsby Institute for four years. He is a member of the Baptist church, of which he is chairman of the board of deacons, and a member of the Masonic Lodge.

Nov. 18, 1883 M. Harpe[illegible] married Miss Elizabeth Miles of [illegible] Alabama, and to this union were born four splendid children, Lucy Lee, G. H., Florence and Edward. Mrs. Harpers death occurred while living in Ensley.

On May 10, 1911, Mr. Harper was united in marriage to Miss Elizabeth Burke of Evergreen, Alabama.

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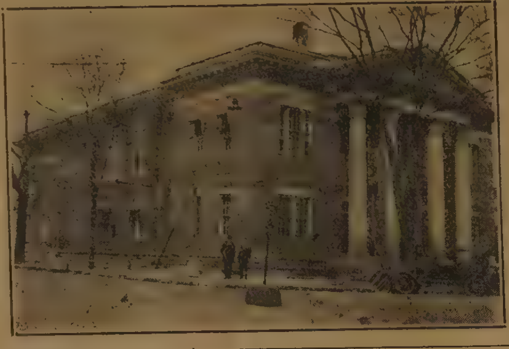
Knowing that we must eventually shuffle off the mortal coil, we hope to do it painlessly. So did one H. W. Dyer of Lewisham, Eng., who padded his neck so that he might hang himself in comfort. But it didn't work, and he is recovering after a mild choking spell.

A wealthy Kansas woman who suffered a bereavement recently invited friends to a wake which lasted four days and nights, during which she recounted the virtues of the dead to any who would listen. Then the remains of Phil, beloved French poodle, were deposited in an elegant marble tomb.

Police recently discovered that Theodore Cerallo of Clearwater, Fla., rented the front part of his building to a Baptist congregation for religious worship and used the rear part for the sale of liquor.

Gaylord Carpenter of Bushkill, N.Y., has a new boss. Until recently he was postmaster, but as a result of a civil service examination he was superseded by his former assistant, who made a better grade, so the two changed jobs. The new postmaster is his wife.

Chilton County Court House



Editors Play Important Part In Developing The Town And Community

Newspapers Are Continually On Lookout For New Ideas of Progress and Industrial Expansion

You, perhaps, have never considered the question: "Just what part does the editor and printer play in the life of your community?" The printer and editor, have probably always been, in your mind, considered as a sort of necessary evil to be tolerated, but as having small place in the active scheme of things. They are all right but—they don't mean much, really. But, doubtless you have never thought about the matter seriously.

Listen! The printer and editor carry a much greater burden in the community's interest than you probably do, or possibly ever will. If there is the prospect of an industrial plant being located in the community—where he exists, he is on the job at once, doing all in his power to further the new development. If there is talk of some civic improvement, he is on to the movement, doing his utmost to put it over. In any and all movements that spring up to better or boost the common good, he is there with all he has to help. If the shadow of death falls over your home and some loved one is taken away, his heart sorrows with you and his paper pays its sympathetic dole to the loved one who is no more. When the wedding bells ring their happy carols at your home he rejoices with you and tells all your friends about the happy event.

He is always about the first one to lament your "hard luck" when calamity dogs your footsteps. In all the epochs that come and go as the years roll, he is there to sorrow and soothe or to sound loud peans of joy, as the case may be.

To your churches, he is the one constant friend. He spends his space lavishly, gratis, for them and their labors. To the schools he is always a champion among those who strive to make our educational system bigger and better. He preaches his humble sermon, week after week and never falters at criticism, but goes evenly on his way, realizing his efforts will bear precious fruit in days to come.

The friend of every honest man, woman and child in his community and the sincere well-wisher of every movement that looks toward making the community better in every way, for the people who make it.

Hoping a bright crown of glory will finally adorn the brow of every country printer and editor, I am,

—One Who Knows.

MERCHANT OF THORSBY

DONALD MERCHANT

Standing high in the ranks of Chilton County's progressive young business men, is Donald Merchant of Thorsby, who has been in business there since 1926.

He was born at Riderville, Chilton County, 1904, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Merchant, who now live at Centerville. Being a successful merchant is rather a tradition in the family, since his father has been a well known merchant in the state for many years.

Mr. Merchant attended grammar school at Maplesville and high school at the Bibb County High School. He was also a student at Howard College in Birmingham.

His first experience as a merchant was gained in Clanton. In 1926 he moved to Thorsby where he is a popular merchant.

In 1924 Miss Anice Kemp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kemp, became the bride of Mr. Merchant. They are the parents of one child, a charming little daughter.

Mr. Merchant is a real booster for his county and a very useful citizen, taking a prominent part in the affairs of Thorsby. He is a Mason and is also local clerk of the Woodmen of the World. In the last city election he was elected a councilman of Thorsby. He is a member of the Baptist church.

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One of the first woman bank cashiers in the country, Edna Meinhardt, cashier for the Meinhardt Bank at Burlington, Wisc., recently completed 40 years of service in that position.

CHILTON COUNTY COURT HOUSE ERECTED IN 1918; A CREDIT TO THE COUNTY AND TO THIS SECTION

Beautiful Brick Structure; Costing $60,000.00, and Valued Today at $150,000.00; Fire Proof Throughout

Rising majestically from the ashes of two former court houses, the present Chilton County Court House, erected in 1918, at a cost of approximately $60,000.00, and built of modern brick and stone, is one of the most beautiful county buildings in Alabama.

The first Chilton County Court House in Clanton was a two-story frame building that stood directly in the crossing of 6th and Main Streets. The plot of ground was deeded to the county by Alfred Baker, a pioneer settler in the county. The first session of court in the county, however, was held in an old house located on the Adams lot, in 1871.

In 1894 this courthouse was sold to Dr. Sam Johnson, and a two-story brick structure was erected on the northeast corner of Second Avenue and Sixth Street. This building served as the County Court House until destroyed by fire in 1918.

The magnificent brick and stone structure which is today the Chilton County Court House, is located on the same place the first brick court house was built. The present building was erected at a cost of approximately $60,000 in 1918, to the people of the county and various improvements made on it since have enhanced its value to approximately $150,000.

On the first floor are twelve or teen rooms, having offices of th bate Judge, Tax Collector and sor, Circuit Clerk, Sheriff and the County officials. The second is taken up with the court room seats several hundred people. The o ficers of the County Treasurer a Superintendent of Education, are al on this floor.

This building is practically fire pr throughout. It has a double floor, cement walls and is well suppor ed by steel. Each department is equip ped with fire proof vaults which a sures the safety of all county record One of the main features of this cou house is the convenient arrangement the court room. The jury and rooms are so located as to be enter from the opposite side eliminates the passing of witne jurors through the usually court room and speeds up the the Court materially.

At the erection of the Court Ho in 1918, the commissioners co composed of A. P. Vinson, T. miney, W. T. Herrod and S. drop and Judge L. H. Reynold of Probate Court. To these m credit is due for the erecting a building under the existing conditio at that time.

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is no more reason why, if our ship will awaken to this fact, t products can be converted same degree of fineness of m turer in this territory as well a North and East. Our aim shou balance our industry with our tural pursuits, thus bringing pr to the producer, the manufacturer, merchant and the consume around this circle the "So-Called iness Cycle" swings irrevocabl us therefore awaken fully to ou possibilities and opportunities. operate with one another in for one great objective—Alabama Greatest State in the Union, and ton County the Greatest Coun State.

It's not where you come from but what you can Do!

NOT HERITAGE, but training and ability, are your greatest assets in securing and holding a job. Employers aren't nearly as much interested in *where you came from* as in *what you can do.*

The same is true of motor oils. A hot motor isn't affected by what State the crude oil came from, but it is affected by whether or not the motor oil is tough enough to stand up under terrific engine heat, and keep a protective film between the moving parts.

Refining is what gives motor oil its strength and lubricating qualities. . . . . . "STANDARD" Motor Oil is the result of 50 years' refining experience. It is the best motor oil that brains, experience and organization can produce, or that money can buy. You can depend upon "STANDARD"—*always!*

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PLANS FOR THE COUNTY PLAY DAY COMPLETED

Program For Day Shows A Most Interesting Outline of Various Activities

The committee in charge of the plans for the Chilton County Play Day to be held in Clanton, on March 13th, announce the completion of their plans for the activities during the day.

All teachers and pupils of the schools in the county are beng urged to make preparations to be present in Clanton on that day, and to take part in the interesting outline of the games, etc., on the program. It was stated that all children attending the Play Day will be credited as attending school on that day as usual.

The County-wide spelling contest will be included in the day's program, and special letters of instruction have been mailed to all the teachers in regard to the work. All parents are also being urged to come to Clanton Friday, March 13th, for this day which is hoped will be a red letter day for Chilton County schools.

The parade, one of the important items on the program is scheduled to begin promptly at nine o'clock that morning, and every school in the county is expected to be represented in the parade, which will originate at the high school grounds. Following is an outline of the program of activities for the day:

I. Parade—All schools at County School before 9:00 o'clock occupying space in ball field as assigned on chart attached.

II. Each school return to home area and all pupils will sing first and last

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A. T. RYAN KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT NEAR PELHAM, MON.

Information was received by the News stating that R. T. Ryan, of Bessemer, died Monday afternoon at one-thirty o'clock as the result of injuries received in an automobile accident Monday morning on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway, just north of Pelham.

The information stated that Mr. and Mrs. Ryan, were the only occupants of the car, and that the accident was caused by the steering wheel having come off while the car was moving. Mr. Ryan being unable to cntrol the machine, it ran off the highway and crashed into a telephone pole. A Johns ambulance from Birmingham carried Mr. and Mrs. Ryan to the Hillman Hospital. Latest reports stated that Mrs. Ryan's condition is critical. They had been visiting their son, Albert Ryan, who operates the Whispering Pines Tourist Camp, just south of Calera, and were returning to their home in Bessemer when the accident occurred.

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CEMETERY CLEANING DAY IS SET FOR CEDAR GROVE

Thursday, March 12, has been set aside to clean the cemetery and yards of the Cedar Grove church. All members and those who have an interest there are requested to be present and aid their bit in making the church grounds look better.

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JESSE BAKER IS ABLE TO BE OUT AND IN HIS STORE

It is with a good deal of pleasure that the News states this week that Jesse Baker was again in his store, the Clanton Cash Store, this week. Mr. Baker had been confined to his bed for several days with illness, but expects to be going strong again in a day or so.

YOU CAN STILL GET COPIES OF THE BOOSTER EDITION

The News is very glad to state this week that they will be able to furnish a few more of the extra copies of the Chilton County Booster Edition, which was published last week to anyone calling at the News office, or advising us by mail.

Hundreds of calls have been sent in for extra copies of that edition and the News has found it was to an advantage for the people that we printed several hundred copies more than had at first been anticipated. Letters from various sources have come to the News office requesting copies of the Booster Edition, and it is estimated that the supply now on hand will be given out by Saturday.

BARBER SHOPS IN CLANTON REDUCE PRICE OF HAIRCUTS

The announcement was made by three of the barber shops in Clanton, that a reduction in the price of haircuts became effective this week. Hereafter, until further notice, the Sanitary Barber Shop, the Service Barber Shop and the Exchange Barber Shop will have as their price on haircuts formerly at 35 cents, but now 25 cents.

In another part of the News this week will be found this announcement from these shops, and it will no doubt be received by the people of this section in a most favorable way. A fine spirit of cooperation between these shops of Clanton can always be found, and this action on reducing their price will go far in adding to their popularity.

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STANDARD OIL CO. TAKES OVER PROPERTY HERE

J. P. Lawrence, Distributor Says Business Outlook For This Section Is Good

As evidence that business of the Standard Oil Company is showing an increase in this section, especially this county, information was received by the News to the effect that the Standard Oil Company has secured the service station, located on the Birmingham-Montgomery Highway, near the Ford Building.

Not only has the oil company opened this station, but they have also leased a station at Cooper, Alabama, and one at Midway, two miles south of Verbena, as recent additions, according to J. P. Lawrence, local wholesale distributor of Standard Oil Products. The Midway Station will be operated by O. H. Garrick. Other places recently added also are J. L. Jones, Verbena, J. D. Rockett, Cooper and Cooper Merc. Co.

The new station at Clanton is to be repainted in accordance with the specifications of the Standard Company, and will be operated by N. J. Griffin, of Verbena, who will have assistants. Mr. Griffin is a veteran railroad man, and knows the filling station business as well. A full line of tires and tubes will also be carried by this new station, using three gasoline pumps.

In giving this information to the News, Mr. Lawrence stated that he had all the confidence possible in the future of this county, and that in his opinion business is already showing an increase here. It was his faith in the future of Chilton County and his belief that business is on the upgrade, that caused him to put forth efforts to obtain more stations for the products he sells. Mr. Lawrences' statements in regard to this come from years of experience here, and are well founded.

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Play To Be Staged At Verbena School

"Aaron Slick from Punkin Crick," will be played at the Verbena High School on Friday, March 6th, 7:30 p.m.

This play is presented by the P.-T.A. of Thomas Junior High School. The cast of characters follows: Mrs. Berry, Mrs. Pearl Parrish; Aaron Slick, Argus Pressley; Sis Riggs, Hercie Ree Jones; Mr. Merridew, Melvin Lansford; Gladys Mae, Mrs. Nora Hand; Girl in Red, Mrs. Crew; and others.

A million laughs to see Mr. Slick propose to the widow Berry.

Also, the DeVaughn Quartet will render six selections. A string band by Verbena boys. Admission will be 10c and 20c. For the benefit of both schools.

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CLEARING AT JIM PARRISH'S PLACE NEXT TUESDAY, 10TH

There will be an old-time working at the farm of Jim Parrish next Tuesday, March 10th. The work to be done is clearing some land; so all are requested to bring sharp axes and saws. Be there by 6:30 o'clock.

Rev. M. J. Parrish will preach to the crowd at 11 o'clock, and dinner will be served on the ground to all who work. Come prepared to spend the day in both work and enjoyment.

Jim Parrish lives on the Lay Dam road, two and one-fourth miles out from Clanton, on the old Jim Connell place. Remember the date—next Tuesday, March 10th.

CLANTON MAY GET ANOTHER GAS STATION

Tentative Plans Made Known For Modern Filling Station Near The Ford Place

Information from a reliable source was given the News this week stating that Clanton will probably get another modern filling station in the very near future. It was learned that plans are now underway for the erection of a service station on the corner lot, across the Birmingham-Montgomery highway in front of the Ford Building.

This station, it was stated, will probably be occupied by the Shell Petroleum Corp., and will be erected by J. R. Mullins and J. Watts Moore of Clanton. It was said that blue prints are now being prepared and although it was not definitely informed that the station would be erected, it is believed the plans will be carried out.

The plans will call for a filling station of the latest plans, in keeping with other modern stations of Clanton.

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Matt's Will Give Free Lunches Daily

Beginning Sunday, March 8, and thereafter, someone in Clanton will receive a cordial invitation to dine at Matt's Lunch Shoppe as the guest of the shop for lunch each day.

Those who, in the past, have been served with regular dinner at this popular eating place, will be in line to be the fortunate guests, Mr. M. L. Ware, proprietor of Matt's stated. Names on slips of paper will be placed in a box and each day one will be drawn out. That person will receive the invitation for the following day, and so on. If your name is picked, you will be notified either by telephone, mail or thru the Chilton County News, and the name will also be shown on the window in a small corner at Matt's Lunch Shoppe each day.

Elsewhere in the News this week, appears an ad from Matt's telling of this idea. Before anyone's name can be placed in the box, they will have had to have been served at the Lunch shoppe in the past with a regular dinner, or an order equivalent to that. If the fortunate person does not have a telephone, they will be notified by mail. At times, a man and his wife will probably be invited. Watch for your name in the News and an invitation for the following Sunday. An invitation will be sent out for each day in the week by Matt's Lunch Shoppe.

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BRIDGEPORT YOUTH SAID TO BE YOUNGEST EDITOR IN ALABAMA

The distinction of being the youngest editor of a newspaper in Alabama has been given to J. Arthur Jones, age 18, of Bridgeport, Alabama.

Young Jones is now editor of the Bridgeport News-Herald, as well as being general manager of the paper. He began work with the paper less than two years ago as a type-setter, and shortly afterwards became manager. He is the son of J. W. Jones of Gadsden, Ala. An inquiry sent to the News-Herald confirmed the statement that the youth is editor and general manager of the newspaper, and from all indications is due the distinction of being the youngest editor of a newspaper in Alabama. The News extends heartiest congratulations and best wishes to Mr. Jones on this distinction.

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Clanton received a pleasant visit last Monday from Mr. J. B. Moore, of Montevallo. While in town, Mr. Moore called at the News office for a short visit.

BAPTIST MEN WILL MEET IN BIRMINGHAM

Prominent Speakers on Program For Big Two-Day Meeting

Two big days for Baptist folks will be March 17 and 18 in Birmingham. Tuesday morning at ten o'clock, March 17, laymen and preachers will meet in the First Baptist Church for a great men's meeting. Mr. J. T. Henderson, Knoxville, Tenn., one of the great laymen of America, will be present and take part in the exercises. Mr. J. H. Anderson, of Knoxville, a layman who knows how to back up his Christian profession with a consecrated life and by giving hundreds of thousands of dollars to the Lord's work, is expected to be one of the speakers. Also Mr. T. J. York, a brotherhood worker, well known and loved in his native Alabama, will be one of the speakers.

Dr. Barton, Secretary-Treasurer of the Executive Board of the Alabama

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Dr. Barton Will Speak Over KWKH

Dr. L. E. Barton, Secretary-Treasurer of the Executive Board of the Alabama Baptist Convention, will supply the pulpit of Dr. M. E. Dodd, Shreveport, La., on Sunday, March 8th. The night sermon will be broadcast over KWKH 850 kilocycles, and also a special radio message from nine to nine-thirty after the sermon. Dr. Barton occupied this pulpit the third Sunday of March, 1930, and received many messages of appreciation from eight different states. Literally thousands tuned in all over Alabama. The Secretary-Treasurer invites all, especially Baptists, to tune in the night of March the eighth, which is next Sunday night, remember.

He promises to have something to say on the Economic, Moral and Religious conditions throughout the world and how to change them. Pastors please announce in churches next Sunday.

We suggest that if Dr. Barton's presentation of the claims and place of Christianity in our present day social order prove a blessing to you, you wire him, or write him a card at 127 S. Court St., Montgomery, upon his return from Shreveport.

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MRS. G. C. WALKER HOSTESS TO "AS YOU LIKE IT" CLUB

The "As You Like It" club met at the home of Mrs. G. C. Walker Thursday afternoon. A pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by the members. Later the hostess served a delicious salad course to the following: Mesdames L. C. Warr, T. H. Neighbors, D. W. Haskew, J. B. Atkinson, T. R. Burdette, V. J. Gragg, M. A. Gore. Invited guests were H. C. Falkenberry and B. Jones.

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CONDITION OF M. D. WYATT SHOWS NICE IMPROVEMENT

Latest reports from the bedside of M. D. Wyatt of Clanton, who has been seriously ill for some time, state that his condition is much improved at the present.

It was stated that fear was seen for Mr. Wyatt last Sunday, but he appeared to have made a turn for the better the early part of the week, and indications are now that he will rally. He has been at the home of his son, G. M. Wyatt, confined with pneumonia.

Editor Of The Business Week Cites Figures To Illustrate Point That Depression Is Near Close

By Sam C. Starke
Executive Vice Pres. Birmingham Real Estate Board
In The Birmingham News

It is not too late to review an address by Mark A. Rose, managing editor The Business Week, before the last meeting of the National Association of Real Estate Boards. The caption of the speech consists of the question "Where Are We? How Long Will We Be There? Then Where Will We Go, and How Will We Get There?" Summarizing, we give some outstanding points in his answers.

We are at the bottom of the deepest depression ever measured, and even at that business has been hanging around 80 per cent normal, and according to statisticians comprising more business than the rest of the world transacts. Of course this business does not cover needs of incompetents. While some concerns set new records in 1930, others lost money even in 1929, which latter fact, he says, required a real talent for failure in many lines.

He believes we are a little better off than at the bottom and the tide has begun to rise. He finds average depresisons have covered 24 months from their beginning up to normalcy; that general business began to slip about the middle of 1929, and that experience shows the odds are seven to one that events will follow this two-year rule

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GRADY TAYLOR TO OPEN STORE AND FILLING STATION SOON

Announcement was made this week by Grady Taylor that he will open a grocery store, with a filling station in connection, on next Saturday morning, March 7.

This new place of business will be located at West End, Clanton, and will be housed in a recently completed building arranged especially for this particular kind of business, which will be on the "help yourself" style.

In another part of the News this week will be found an ad from this place, known as the West End Grocery, with Mr. Taylor as manager, telling of a special offer for the opening day. Mr. Taylor is a business man who is well known over the county, and he extends an invitation to the people to visit his new place of business.

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4-H CLUB BOYS PREPARING FOR WORK IN 1931

Clubs Being Organized Over The County; Number Is Increasing

County Agent Stapp advises that the 4-H Club Boys are now setting up their community organizations for 1931 and future years.

Mr. Stapp is visiting a number of school communities and asking that boys who want to carry a project in 4-H Club work this year, to organize themselves into a community club with officers and one outstanding citizen of the community as leader. The following are schools and clubs organized last week:

Baker School—J. W. Hamilton, Leader; Willis Baker, President; Julius Foshee, vice-president; Morris Thornton, Secretary; Earl Lowery, treasurer.

Other members of the club are A. J. Chastine, Marvin Scarbrough, Glenn Bradberry, Hershal Hamilton, Johnnie Culpepper, Grady Williams, Jr., Bill Carroll, James Parrish, nane Lowery, Joe D. Holley, Harvey Rowell, Lloyd

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S. S. Convention At Liberty Hill

The next monthly conference of the Sunday School Department of the Unity and Chilton Baptist Associations will be held at Liberty Hill church, about four miles west of Clanton on next Sunday, March 8, according to C. D. Hughes, vice-president. The conference will begin at two o'clock that afternoon.

All churches in the district south of Clanton are urged to send as many as possible from their Sunday schools. Following is the program for the afternoon:

2:00 P. M. Devotional.
2:15 Reports.
2:30 Has Christ Failed the Church? by Rev. W. P. Lowery.
2:45 Special Music.
3:00 How to Enjoy a Religious Service, by Rev. H. T. Wooten.
3:15 Conference.
3:30 Adjourn.

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Mr. W. C. Erwin, and brother, Grady Erwin, of Jemion, were among the visitors to Clanton Tuesday.

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DR. JOHN T. CALLOWAY, WELL KNOWN HERE, BURIED IN B'HAM

The funeral of Dr. John T. Calloway, age 48, of Birmingham who died at Sarasota, Fla., last Saturday, was conducted at the residence of J. A. Coker in Birmingham at 2 p. m. Monday by the Rev. L. O. Dawson, pastor of the Edgewood Baptist church. Interment took place in the Elmwood cemetery.

Dr. Calloway went to Birmingham from Clanton, where he was born, approximately twenty-five years ago, where he practiced medicine from 1911 until his health gave way about three years ago. He went to Florida last August on account of the condition of his health.

He is survived by his widow, his stepmother, Mrs. Alice Calloway, of South Clanton, and several blrothers and sisters, and other relatives.

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MR. AND MRS. J. N. DENNIS PROUD PARENTS OF FINE GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Dennis have announced the arrival of a fine baby girl born on last Sunday, March 1st, at their home south of Clanton.

The new arrival has been named Mary Sue Dot, and both she and her mother are doing fine.

ADVICE GIVEN TO VETERANS ON GOV'T. LOANS

Service Commissioner For State Outlines Plan For Veterans

Veterans of the World War who feel they have a claim under the terms of their war risk insurance should file these claims at once with the Veterans Bureau, according to a statement issued by W. M. Weston, state service commissioner.

Under a recent court ruling the disability need not have resulted from service during the war, the statement says. Suits may be brought in the United States Circuit Court, but only after a claim has been disallowed by the Veterans Bureau, the statement holds. Weston said it might be advisable for the veteran filing a claim to have the papers prepared by a lawyer, so that if suit is necessary the lawyer will be familiar with the facts.

The statement is as follows:

Veterans who served in the army, navy, marine corps and in the nurse corps during the World War were given the privilege to contract for insurance in multiples of $500, not less than $1,000 and not more than $10,000, and were issued insurance certificates in the amount contracted for by the veteran.

Veterans who now feel that they have a claim against the Veterans Bureau under their war risk insurance are privileged to produce evidence to the effect that they have been unable to follow continuously any substantially gainful occupation since discharge from the service or from the date of the last payment of premiums on their insurance.

This evidence may be in the form of doctors' statements showing their dates of treatment and giving in detail the history of the disabilities that have disabled the veteran from maintaining himself in a continuous gainful occupation. Also affidavits from laymen setting forth their knowledge of the veteran's disabilities or inability to carry on a continuous gainful occupation.

The United States Circuit Court of Appeals has ruled thus:

"Total disability within the meaning of the policy is any disability of mind or body which renders it impossible for the disabled person to follow continuously any substantial gainful occupation, and such disability is deemed to be permanent whenever it is founded upon conditions which render it reasonably certain that it will continue thruout the life of the person suffering with it."

It is not necessary for the veteran to show that the disabilities claimed are the result of his service during the World War. The Veterans Bureau has a Form 579 which the claimants should use in making demand for payment on their insurance contract.

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"FUN ON THE PODUNK LIMITED" AT BILLINGSLEY SCHOOL, SAT.

The people of the Billingsley section and other parts of the county have in store for them some real laughs, if they are fortunate enough to attend the play to be given at the Billingsley Elementary School on next Saturday night, March 7. "Fun on the Podunk Limited" is the title of the three-act comedy to be presented at the Billingsley school.

The play is to be given under the auspices of the Baptist W. M. S. and the Elementary School. Everyone is invited to see this play.

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J. L. Eason of Mountain Creek was among the visitors to Clanton last Tuesday.

MORE GOOD NEWS COMES IN WITH NO NAME SIGNED

Again, this week, several letters containing well written items from over the county came to the News office for publication, but there were no names signed to the news.

Such news letters, although interesting and well written can not be used by this newspaper unless the writer signs his or her name to the letter. Of course, the name of the person will not be published with the news items unless requested but we must know where the articles come from. The News appreciates such news items, and welcomes correspondents from those communities where we have non

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Sardis News

Too late for last week

The W. M. U. Circle No. 3 met with Mrs. Emma Klinner on last Wednesday afternoon with an interesting program as follows:

Devotional, 14 Chapter of Proverbs, by Circle Leader, Mrs. Girtie Pounds.

Sentence Prayers by Circle members.

Each member on program read and made a talk on her choice chapter in the Bible.

After the program we were dismissed in order by Mrs. Ella Ratliff.

[illegible] next program will be with Mrs Alice [illegible] on Monday afternoon after the third Sunday in March, with the program as follows:

[illegible] Lula Ratliff, Christian Duty.

Mrs. Maggie Williams, How to Entertain Strangers in our Home Church.

Mrs. Lula Sansom, A Mother's Duty.

[illegible] Ella Ratliff, Our Duty to Our

M[illegible] Lena Ratliff, How [illegible] Becom Gr[illegible].

Mrs. Ella Buxton, Talk on [illegible]ope.

M[illegible] [illegible]ma Klinner, Talk on Faith.

Mrs. Girtie Pounds, What My Home Church Means to Me.

Mrs. Lula Belle Short, The Five Talents.

Miss Ida Short, Christian Experience.

We invite everybody to come and be with us.

The G. A. girls have announced that there will be a picnic for the G. A.'s and Sunbeams at Sardis Church March 7, Saturday afternoon and they invite all the W. M. U. members to be with them.

Sardis Singing Class met with Mrs. Daisy Crane Sunday afternoon and had a fine singing.

Miss Arie Ratliff and Mr. Carlos Ratliff spent Saturday with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Deason, of Wetumpka.

Friends of Mrs. Zora Headley are glad to know that she is back home again.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Williams spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff.

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News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

Mrs. Lena Higdon of Kentucky is visiting her parents for a week or so.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gibbons spent Monday in Birmingham on business.

Mrs. Russell Peterson of Collins Chapel spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. C. A. Meade.

Miss Edna Childress spent Saturday night with Miss Clara Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eiland and daughters, Claudia and Pauline, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson and daughter, Frances, Friday evening.

Mr. Clyde Meade and Mr. Russell Peterson went to Montgomery Friday night on a business trip.

Mr. Aiken Mims of Mobile is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. John Harrison Collins.

Last Saturday night the Helen Keller Literary Society of Thorsby Institute held a public meeting. A mixed chorus sang, "Keep on Hopin' " and the trio—Kathryn Foss, Lois Thompson and Fred Boyd, sang, "Indian Moon Song" and "I Passed by Your Window." After the musical numbers a comedy in one act "The Family Failing" was given. The cast of characters was as follows: Brown Russell, Mytris Canington, Kathryn LeNoir, Albert Mims, Mamye Johnson, George Nix, Mary Ruth Nix and Leo Spivey. The desire of two sisters to run everything was brought out in an amusing way as the "Family Failing."

Thursday and Friday of this week term examinations will take place at the Institute.

On March 21 the Faculty of Thorsby Institute, with the help of some alumni will give a play.

Mr. E. N. Bentley made a business trip to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mims spent the week end in Birmingham visiting relatives.

The Congregational Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Carl Peterson Thursday afternoon. There will also be an evening social. Games will be played. Teachers and "the men folks" are especially invited.

Mrs. Robert Bean entertained her newly married daughter and new son-in-law at a dinner last Saturday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Dixon Hall and family and Mr. and Mrs. Zac Appleton.

Little Miss Margaret Ward led Junior Endeavor Sunday afternoon. Her leadership ability is excellent and was displayed Sunday afternoon in the fine way she carried out the program. The little folks are coming to the top.

Mr. William Each of Montgomery spent the week end at home with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson and son, Jack, spent the day with Rev. and Mrs. Each last Tuesday.

Mrs. B. F. Franklin was carried to the St. Vincents Hospital in Birmingham Tuesday morning where she expects to be operated on for a goitre.

Mrs. John Harrison Collins has no indications of improvement at preesnt.

Mr. Willie Scott of Montgomery spent the week end at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scott.

Miss Frances Wilson spent Thursday with Miss Alta Each.

Miss Stella M. Jordan of the Education Society spoke at the Congregational Church at the Sunday morning service. Her lecture was deemed very intellectual. She also spoke to all interested in Sunday School work Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. This talk was very interesting.

Special meetings will begin at the Congregational church March 8, at the regular Sunday morning service. Bro. James A. Davenport of Daisy, Tenn., will lead these services. Bro. Davenport, who is an ex-pastor of the Congregational church, is widely known and much loved. All will be benefited who come to hear him with receptive hearts. The week-day services will begin at ten in the morning and at seven in the evening. Everyone has a cordial invitation.

Mrs. J. W. Jones has been ill for the past week, but is much better now. We hope to see her out again soon.

Circle No. 1 of the Baptist Missionary Union met with Mrs. J. W. Jones Monday afternoon.

The women of the Missionary Union are observing this week as a week of prayer and study of home missions.

Circle No. 3 of the Missionary Union will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. W. H. Raybon

Wednesday's program of the Union will be at the Baptist church where there will be an hour of prayer

Miss Marguerite Davidson is leaving Thursday for regions in Tennessee where she will conduct young peoples conferences. She expects to attend one at Chattanooga this week end and at Memphis the following week end.

Mr. Julius Smith made a business trip to Clanton Monday.

Mr. W. H. Wilson spent Sunday in Boothton visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. E. Jordan of Sylacauga is spending several days with her brother, Mr. McDonald Pearson.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gore Sunday afternoon.

Little Norman Peterson is confined to his home with measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Collins took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Julius Smith Sunday.

Misses Ethel and Sallye Thompson and their brother, Frank, spent Sunday in Birmingham with their father, Mr. Dudley Thompson, who is in a hospital. Mr. Thompson is not improving as he should.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Billingsley spent Sunday in Birmingham.

Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood spent the week end at their camp below Lock 12 Sunday they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. John Childress. Mr. Sidney Davenport, Mr. Mack Gray, Masters Brady Billingsley, Orville Freeman, Guy Higgins, and Frank Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway, Mrs. Mack Gray, Mrs. R. R. Franklin with Peggy Mims motored to Montevallo Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Childress gave a birthday Rook party on Saturday night, February 28, at the home of Mrs. Ben Davenport for her husband, Mr. John Childress. The home was beautifully decorated in jonquils, yellow golden bells and violets. The birthday cake was filled with candles. Apple salad, sandwiches, cake and tea were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Relious Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pate, Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Billingsley, and Mr. and Mrs. John Childress. High score was topped by Mrs. Lee Pate and Mr. Relious Franklin.

Miss Eleanor Rowell of Birmingham spent the week end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rowell.

Mrs. Astro Wright and Miss Ruth Martin spent Saturday in Clanton shopping.

Mr. Plato Deason of Ensley was a visitor in Thorsby Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pate were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson Saturday evening.

The Thorsby P.-T. A. met with Mrs. W. L. Leary Friday evening. Plans were discussed and made for surveying the campus of the Thorsby Junior High School and planting some flowers and shrubbery there.

Mr. Kenneth O'Barr took Sunday dinner as the guest of Miss Clara Hayes.

Mr. Gordon, the painter, received a fractured skull due to an auto accident Saturday night.

Mr. W. H. Maddox of Pate's Chapel was the Sunday dinner guest of her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Maddox.

Miss Jessie Mims had as her spend-the-night guest Wednesday night, Miss Frances Wilson.

Mr. J. P. Sorenson spent Monday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rollins and little daughter, Jewell, of Liberty, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Maddox Saturday night.

Misses Ethel Price and Frances Wilson spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Collins.

Among the guests of Misses Loutisha and Willodean Bean Sunday evening were Miss Gertrude Jones, Mr. Ted Hayes of Birmingham and Mr. Kenneth O'Barr.

Mr. Curtis Dupriest of Missouri was the guest of Miss Clara Hayes Monday evening.

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CARE OF SHADE TREES TOLD BY. A FORESTER

Trees planted for shade or ornament require care after planting, says Colonel Page S. Bunker, State Forester. Too often the money, time and effort employed in carrying out the details of planting are partially lost due to later neglect of the growing tree.

The soil about a young newly planted tree should be kept cultivated and free from weeds for a distance of two or three feet from the trunk of the tree. It is desirable that the cultivation be done as soon after a rain as is feasible. A small amount of artificial fertilizer is also of material benefit.

The objection is sometimes raised that shade trees planted adjacent to agricultural operations will draw heavily on the soil fertility and moisture of the entire field. As a matter of fact, the area affected by the drawing power of the roots is only approximately equal to the spread of the crown of the tree. Cultivation, fertilizer and water accorded the tree when required need therefore be only within this area.

Collins Chapel News

Last Friday Union Grove motored down here for a spelling match. There were twenty-six on each side. Both teachers gave out the words. One would give out a while and then the other one. Collins Chapel was victorious. This makes the second time Collins Chapel has been victorious over Union Grove. The last one standing up on Union Grove's side was Winnie Kate Robinson. There were four standing on Collins Chapel's side. They were Edna Gore, Ruby Willis, Ruth Collins and Pleasant Wright.

There was a ball game after the spelling match. Union Grove was victorious.

The following are the ones who appeared on the honor roll for the month of February:

Junior III—Edna Gore.

Junior II—Huston Littleton, Ruby Willis and Lera Burnett.

Junior I—Alice Connell, Francis Gore, Lottis Bean and Preston Mims.

Sixth Grade—Margaret Bean, Vera Burnett and James Smith.

Fifth Grade—Horace Bean, Warren Benson, Jack Benson and Lessie Davis.

Fourth Grade—George Smith, Geraldine Hubbard, Gennett Benson.

Third Grade—Helen Willis, Elon Fields, Wyndal Murrah, Chester Davis and James Smith.

First Grade—Helen Hubbard, Sarah Nell Littleton, Elouise Littleton, Eason Maddox, Leora Patterson, Wilton Maddox, Calvin Mims, and Euall Hilyer.

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Billingsley News

The Sunday School convention which was held at the Baptist church here Sunday afternoon was well attended, ten schools being represented. An interesting program was rendered. A special feature was the address of Miss Mary Ellen Caver, a returned missionary from Africa.

Mrs. Willis Lawrence of Eoline spent the week end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar.

Miss Lila Green visited relatives at Jacksonville, Ala., the past week end.

Miss Anne Turk spent the week end in Montgomery as the guest of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Apperson of Jones attended the S. S. Convention here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. T. W. Willis, T. H. Willis, Hadye Beth and Dorothy Willis of Jones were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar Sunday.

The Baptist Woman's Missionary Society is observing the Week of Prayer for Home Missions. Programs are given at the church each afternoon during the week.

Next week the Study Courses will be held. At three o'clock each afternoon the W. M. S. will have their class, at 6:45 the classes for Junior and Senior B. Y. P. U. also a class for Sunday school, then following these a sermon at eight o'clock each evening. All who are interested are nvited to join this Study Course Week.

Saturday evening, March 7th, 7:30 o'clock, a comedy will be staged at the Elementary school building here. This playlet, "The Podunk Limited," is being given jointly by the W. M. S. and Elementary school. You are invited to be present and share in the hearty laughs.

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Watch for your name, you may be invited by telephone or by mail, or through the Chilton County News. This is each day beginning next Sunday.

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EXPERTS GIVE VIEWS ON COTTON PRICES

F. W. Gist, agricultural statistician of the department of agriculture has released the opinions of 21 leaders of the cotton trade on what price cotton might be expected to bring this year for crops of varying sizes.

The following table represents the average judgment of these men, Gist said:

10 Million bales	16.50 Cents
11 Million bales	14.50 Cents
12 Million bales	12.50 Cents
13 Million bales	10.20 Cents
14 Million bales	8.45 Cents
15 Million bales	7.40 Cents

Gist said these estimates are much more optimistic than the judgment of the federal farm board and the economists of the United States Department of Agriculture. The latter authorities, he said, rather expect a graduated price two cents per pound lower if the varied sized crops materialize.

According to the two opinions if a crop of ten millions bales is grown this year the aggregate value would be $825,000,000 and $725,000,000 respectively.

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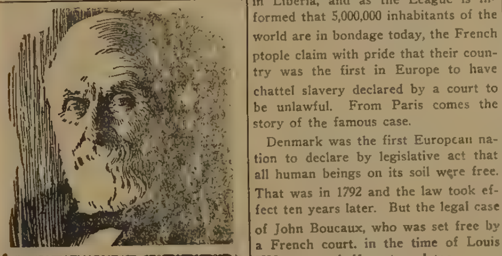

DR. CALDWELL'S THREE RULES

Dr. Caldwell watched the results of constipation for 47 years, and believed that no matter how careful people are of their health, diet and exercise, constipation will occur from time to time. Of next importance, then, is how to treat it when it comes. Dr. Caldwell always was in favor of getting as close to nature as possible, hence his remedy for constipation is a mild vegetable compound. It can not harm the most delicate system and is not habit forming.

The Doctor never did approve of drastic physics and purges. He did not believe they were good for human beings to put into their system. Use Syrup Pepsin for yourself and members of the family in constipation, biliousness, sour and crampy stomach, bad breath, no appetite, headaches, and to break up fevers and colds. Get a bottle today, at any drugstore and observe these three rules of health: Keep the head cool, the feet warm, the bowels open. For a free trial bottle, just write "Syrup Pepsin," Dept. BB, Monticello, Illinois.

Only Boy Scout Girl

Ethel Hornig, 16 year old high school student of Syracuse, N. Y., is said to be the first American girl to hold the paradox rank of "boy scout girl," the honor having been awarded by Troop 79, Boy Scouts of America, of that city.

A FAMOUS SLAVE CASE

As the United States prepares to cooperate with a League of Nations commission in abolishing vestiges of slavery in Liberia, and as the League is informed that 5,000,000 inhabitants of the world are in bondage today, the French ptople claim with pride that their country was the first in Europe to have chattel slavery declared by a court to be unlawful. From Paris comes the story of the famous case.

Denmark was the first European nation to declare by legislative act that all human beings on its soil were free. That was in 1792 and the law took effect ten years later. But the legal case of John Boucaux, who was set free by a French court. in the time of Louis XV came a half century later.

Boucaux had been brought to France from Martinique, in the West Indies, by a Monseiur de Verdelin, whom the negro served as a cook. Remarking finally that he was in a free country, Boucaux demanded wages. His master's reply was to have him put in the prison of the Chatelet, at Paris. Boucaux was liberated after three days, there being no law to fit his case, and he thereupon sued his master for ten years' arrears of wages.

Since he came from a French colony, the suit had to be heard by the judges of the Admiralty court, who were compelled to detain him nearly three months while they considered what their decision should be. It was a victory for Jean Boucaux, who was declared to have been "free from the moment he stepped on French soil and to be a free man from now on."

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Eastview News

Rev. A. C. Nelson accompanied by Rev. George Watson motored to Eclectic Saturday where he filled his regular appointment at Union and Watson Chapel churches.

Mr. J. W. Rushing and family were the all-day guests of Mrs. Sallie Streng and family Sunday.

Mrs. Minnie Nelson and children were the week end guests of her mother, Mrs. Ida Taylor, of Eclectic, Rt. 2.

Miss Catherine Strength spent Friday night with Miss Gulma Traywick.

Mrs. A. C. Nelson is still sick in bed. We hope to see her well again soon.

Rev. A. C. Nelson visited Mr. Jack Johnson of Mt. Creek, Route 2, Saturday. He reports Mr. Johnson to be very sick with flu and pneumonia. He is well known by the people around here, who wish to see him well again soon.

Miss Gulma Traywick spent Saturday night with Miss Catherine Strength.

Miss Sybil Ray was the guest of Miss Emma Dean Smith Saturday night.

We have sixty-six on roll in our Sunday school and there was thirty-seven present Sunday. There are others who need to attend Sunday school. We welcome them to meet with us.

Misses Ida Bell and Edith Dobbs were the Sunday dinner guests of Misses Gulma and Maudie Ree Traywick.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Henson, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mims, Mr. J. A. Dobbs, Miss Ida Bell Dobbs, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Smith, Mrs. Rob Morris, Mrs. Joe Lett, Mrs. Willie Williams, Mrs. Jimmie and Mrs. Jocie Williams visited Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson last week end.

There will be preaching here next Saturday, Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. C. L. Baker and family were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. Aaron Parker and family.

Mr. D. M. Jones and family were the all-day guests of Mr. Tom Traywick and family Sunday.

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BEST FOUND FIRST

Among the amazing developments of the last half century is the growth of the oil industry, which was an entirely insignificant enterprise fifty years ago.

The first commercial oil well was drilled near Titusville, Pa., in 1859, a small producer only 69 1-2 feet deep. This earliest well was relatively unimportant in comparison with the gushers of recent years, some of which reach a depth of more than a mile and a half, and have a daily output of more than a hundred thousand barrels.

At first crude oil was used principally in the manufacture of kerosene, the elements from which gasoline is now produced being discarded as worthless. But gradually a variety of useful products were developed, of which gasoline is now by far the most important.

A strange fact in connection with the development of the oil industry is that while hundreds of oil fields have been discovered, none have been found that equal in quality the product of the earliest Pennsylvania wells and those producing throughout the Pennsylvania grade area today.

Pennsylvania crude is peculiarly suitable for the manufacture of the highest grade of lubricating oil, and by reason of this fact, has always commanded the very highest market price. Even now, in the present period of overproduction. it brings from four to five times the price paid for the lowest grades found elsewhere.

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STORRS ADVISES LESS ACREAGE IN COTTON

Seth P. Storrs, commissioner of Agriculture and Industries, Friday issued a statement advocating a "very material" reduction in cotton acreage in Alabama this year.

"At least 1,250,000 bales of cotton were in storage and on farms in the State on January 1st of this year despite the fact that the State produced only 1,495,000 bales last year. This is an unanswerable reason why farmers of the State should reduce their cotton acreage this year," he said.

"Statistics compiled in the Warehouse and Gin Division of the Department of Agriculture show on January 1st this year 1,$26,000 bales of cotton were stored in wareshouses in Alabama under warehouse receipts. In addition a large quantity is in storage at Mobile Docks under bill of laden and an unknown quantity remains on the farms of the State."

Anthony Mierczjewski of New Britain, Conn., was ined $10 for re-enacting with his wife a moving picture scene in which the wife couldn't get along with her husband.

CHEVROLET

The New Chevrolet Special Sedan—Product of General Motors

Performance, too, proves Chevrolet the Great American Value

The new Chevrolet Six is a fine performer. It maintains high road speeds at a low, easy-working engine speed. Its 50-horsepower engine operates with unsurpassed economy. Six cylinders enable you to creep along, accelerate, climb hills, go fast—and do it all smoothly, quietly—with little shifting of gears. Step into a Chevrolet and drive. Let performance, too, prove Chevrolet the *Great American Value.*

New low prices—Roadster, $475; Sport Roadster, $495; Phaeton, $510; Standard Coupe, $535; Coach or Standard Five-Window Coupe, $545; Sport Coupe, $575; Five-Passenger Coupe, $595; Convertible Cabriolet, $615; Standard Sedan, $635; Special Sedan or Convertible Landau Phaeton, $650. Prices f. o. b. Flint, Mich. Special equipment extra. Low delivered prices and easy terms.

NEW CHEVROLET SIX
The Great American Value

See Your Dealer Below

Polk Brothers Motor Co., Inc.
Chevrolet Sales & Service - - Clanton, Ala.

ALSO DEALERS IN CHEVROLET SIX-CYLINDER TRUCKS, $355 to $695, f. o. b. Flint, Michigan

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County. Circuit Court In Equity No. 900.

Melna Dekle, Complainant, vs. George Leo Dekle, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Melna Dekle that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said George Leo Dekle to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 21st day of March, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 13th day of February, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
2-19-4tc Register.

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ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

In the matter of the estate of Clyde Henley, Deceased.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Ala., in Equity.

In the matter of the petition for a final settlement of the administration of Mattie Henley, administratrix of said estate.

To Whom It May Concern, Take Notice:

You are hereby notified that the Register of said Court will execute a decree of reference in the above cause rendered on the 16 day of February, 1931, at his office in Clanton, Alabama, on the 11th day of March, 1931, at which time and place you can appear if you think proper.

Witness my hand, this the 18th day of February, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
2-19-3tc Register.

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Read our advertising—It will pay you.

Rather-un Usual

J. D. Ryon of Towanda, Pa., shot and killed himself when his wife refused to leave her bed at 3 a. m. to listen to a radio program.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blossom of Brockport, N. Y., have announced that the 22nd Blossom, a 9-pound son, has just been added to the family bouquet.

Mrs. Laura Muckermann of St. Louis obtained a divorce because her husband called her "shanty Irish."

The three negroes who got only 4 cents in the holdup of a store in Newark, N. J., were sentenced to a total of 12 years in prison.

Edward Tomon of Meridian, Conn., who escaped from jail twice only to be recaptured, finally walked into the detective bureau because he thought the door was an exit.

Arrested after a chase by police and patrons of a restaurant which he had held up, obtaining $4.75, George Russell of Hartford, Conn., told police he would "rather go to state prison than to the poorhouse."

When Rev. William C. Sister of Macon, Ga., discovered thieves had stolen a heater from his church he advertised for them to return and get the heater door and other attachments.

James Eller of Covington, Ind., has asked for an annulment of his recent marriage charging that his wife has a habit of knocking him out of bed onto the floor and that she misuses his pension money.

Phone One-One-One
or Write

The James Sign Shop
Clanton, Alabama

Outdoor
Painted Display
Advertising

Proving That It Pays To Advertise

Said the puddle duck to the little white hen:
"I've not sold an egg since I don't know when:
"Yet I feel quite sure that the eggs I lay
Are as good as a hen's any old day."

Said the little white hen to the puddle duck:
"The whole fault lies with your salesmanship.
You produce your eggs and without a quack
To your swimming pool you waddle back.

I tell the world to let it know
So I cackle around for an hour or so;
There's a great demand for the eggs I lay,
For I make my advertising pay."

We often "razz" the man who toots his own horn, but when we buck up against a heardboiled business world, if we don't toot our own horn, who'll toot it for us. In other words the man you are competing with isn't going to advertise for you. Nor is anyone else for that matter. We must make our own "ballahoo," or else see the customer follows the man who is.

Just like the little white hen, we see it every day. When some small business has told the world about what it has for sale, and has found a buyer, The waddling old duck reminds us of some of our large business houses, with a large stock but few sales. The old duck is content to lay the egg, then waddle back to the pond, lounge around all day, and then wonder why no one comes to get the egg. If you lay your merchandise on the counter, then go to the back of your place of business and light the old pipe and wait for a customer—you may wait a long, long time. Tell the world what you have to offer and the world will come and buy. If you doubt it, give it a trial.

J. B. ATKINSON
Attorney-At-Law
Office Over Robinson Department Store
Clanton, Alabama

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Read Our Advertising

THE CHILTON COUNTY NEWS

Democracy, For The Right, Always

Published every Thursday at Clanton, Alabama in the interest of Clanton and the entire Chilton County

BILLY SMITH ______ **Editor and Publisher**
Vernie Teel ______ **Associate**

Entered in the postoffice of Clanton, Alabama, as second class matter under the Act of Congress of March, 1897.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

One Year ______ $1.50
Six Months ______ .75

Let's Keep Boosting

The News fired its big gun last week when it mailed out its big 40-page Booster Edition. Approximately 3,000 pounds of paper were used, and through this edition Chilton County and its numerous advantages were advertised far and near. It was with a feeling of sincere satisfaction that the News staff mailed out the last copies last Thursday morning. Glad because the extra hours of labor on this Booster Edition were ended, and far more than that, a feeling of deep gratification that so many of the people of the county had given, without stint, their wholehearted cooperation in this endeavor. We were made to feel that the gloom and depressing spirit so talked about at this time, has only a small grip on the people of our progressive county.

But, "Rome was not built in a day" and our task is not done. In our Booster Edition, we mentioned many of the outstanding advantages that Chilton County offers to its citizens, and to the outside world. We gave credit to numerous prominent citizens of our county, who have aided in the progress of their community and their county. But not in forty pages—nor in a hundred—could we tell of all the things of merit which surround us, nor of all the men and women who have sacrificed and labored to produce the development which we now enjoy. It behooves all of us as individuals and as groups to think deeply of the good things of our county, and of the opportunities for advancement and development which are ours for the taking. In a material way we can go far in making still better use of our resources. And in our churches, schools and civic enterprises, we have much progress ahead which we may well look forward to as a challenge to our energy and ingenuity.

We sincerely thank those who helped us to put over our Booster Edition in such a fine way, and though we lay no claim to perfection, we believe some good has been accomplished. But to keep on making progress as the years slip behind us, we must keep on boosting and working, and go forward each day in whatever task is our responsibility.

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High Resolve

"That I shall put aside every mistake; all false steps; all worries, all hatreds and follies and jealousies; forget all disappointments and heart breaks of the past year, and put all that has hitherto handicapped me, out of my life forever.

"That this year I shall stand four square to the world. I will be as fair with the man at the other end of the sale as with myself. I will be clean in my thought, honest, earnest, true.

"That I shall seek to better my best, to top my last success, to improve and fit myself to do the biggest thing possible and make this a red-letter year. Thereby I will lift my life to the level of my highest gift—to be somebody with all my might. To make myself the man I ought to be, and can be, shall be my daily aim.

"I shall be kind and considerate, genuine, courteous, true—lending a helping hand wherever possible.

"Manhood can outweigh all wealth, overtop all titles, and is greater than a career. Whatever happens, this year I shall endeavor to be a man."—By John J. Fisher in Inland Printer.

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How It Goes With The Country Newspaper Man

One of the peculiar things about the so-called "hard times," as we view the situation is that the local country newspaper is supposed to stand out squarely and firmly for the optimistic view, and must publish columns and more columns of stimulating matter whilst some of the business houses, which are sometimes good advertisers and good boosters in good times, cease their advertising and some of them stand in the front door of their places wearing a downcast look and greeting everyone with a word of woe. As a general thing these succeed in destroying effectively and completely all the possible good the continued and never-ceasing boosting of the home-town newspapers might accomplish.

The country newspaperman goes the rounds each week, hears the hard times talk of his local merchants, hitches his pants up another notch, returns to the office with about enough advertising for an ordinary church festival, grins at his helper in the back of the place, says that things are going to get better and proceeds to dig up evidence to support his statement. He ransacks the daily papers that come to his desk on an advertising exchange arrangement, finds an item here and there from this or that "big dog," amplifies it with a scare-head that hasn't been used recently, grins feebly again, puts the old sheet to press with about half enough business to meet a curtailed payroll. At the end of the week, he pays off the helper if possible (the latter being only a beginner, is an optimist), hitches up his pants again and goes home to tell his wife (who is an old-timer as an optimist) that things are beginning to pick up.

The following Monday, the editor starts out afresh, and finds that some of the folks loafing around the corner drugstore read about good times, but that the local merchant either didn't read it or didn't believe it, or both. He gets the usual cold shoulder and sad look, and he hitches up his pants and draws up his belt two notches.

But he never complains, never knocks, never loses his spirit of optimism—why?

Well, that is the only thing he possesses that is worth holding onto. He has nursed it in adversity, petted it in prosperity, massaged it through misfortune, argued for it in the face of every conceivable rebuff, until he can't change his mind.

He continues to believe things will come out o. k. And they will!—Cleburne News.

"ROUND TOWN"
---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

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> "If we do our best; if we do not magnify trifling troubles; if we look resolutely, I will not say at the bright side of things, but at things as they really are; if we avail ourselves of the manifold blessings which surround us, we can not but feel that life is indeed a glorious inheritance."
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> —John Lubbock.

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And yet, those persons who try to do their best; those who do not magnify trifling troubles, and look at things in a broad way at all times, trying to make people feel that life is indeed a glorious inheritance, get it in the neck quite often, so I have learned not so long ago.

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Perhaps, you would say that I should practice what I preach. Did it ever seem to you that I do?

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This word, "Luck" is something that means a lot to many people. Some have good luck and some have bad luck. Dan Webster gives the meaning of the word, in detail. But Luck is simply all the trains you were able to catch on time, all the appointments you were able to meet on time, the money you have been able to save, the long nights you have devoted to work, and the hardships and privations you have not hesitated to endure. Or, is it really Luck, after all? Isn't it just a matter of being competent and there with the goods?

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Somebody ought to start a campaign, contest, or whatever is necessary, in order to find out what people of Chilton do,—dunk or crumble their cornbread in potlikker. Since the nation-wide controversy over that subject has started, I have tried it both ways. To dunk or crumble, that is the question. Of course, I believe that it is proper to dunk your doughnuts, but am inclined to believe that one shuld crumble their cornbread in potlikker. Would like to hear from some of my readers on the subject: To dunk or crumble.

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Folks, don't worry. Things are going to pick up next year. Already I have noticed an unusual smile of satisfaction on several faces of old maids. And, too, you bachelors will no doubt have a pleasant and rushing year of it in 1932, saying nothing of the handsome young men who may have to watch their words under the spell of the moon, soft lights and music next year. 1932 is Leap Year.

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It is the little things in Life that count. We all, just humans, never fail to notice the little things. And true, it doesn't take but just two or three of the "little things" to disillusion us, where once we admired.

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Once heard a woman who said the other day that there is no reason nor excuse nowadays for a woman to appear and not be perfectly manicured, coiffered, facialed, and et cetera beauty aided. And, no doubt she is right—there isn't any reason, unless there may be a shortage of that item sometimes referred to as "wherewithal." But in my opinion, there are very few things more pleasing than a well groomed look for men and women.

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"It's front that does it." I heard that statement not so long ago from a distinguished gentleman whom I had the pleasure of dining with in a palatial dining room. I had asked him why a certain man in question had put across a certain worthwhile deal, with such ease and that was the reply he gave me without hesitation. Just another pointer that it pays to look your best. And to look your best does not mean that one must spend a small fortune in clothes and other items, neither does it mean that one must go to the larger cities to purchase their clothes. In Clanton we have stores that carry in stock some of the most widely known makes, and at all times, the latest in styles. As far as the price is concerned, there is no question about that. The Clanton stores have the lowest, and too, one must consider that they are trading with their friends—merchants who are interested in the town, and in you. Look at your hat. Look at your shoes. Look at your clothes. If they don't suit you, and you are able, then call on one of our merchants and get properly outfitted, at a very small cost.

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Week before last, I told you I would see you last week in full bloom. Well, I bloomed out all right, but the editor bloomed me back in again. But I did appear in part of that swell edition, and had a great message, so I thought. Was talking to the editor the other day about that edition, and he said so far as he could ascertain at present, it was a success, but that he would like to hear any comment from anyone on it, whether pro or con.

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Was in one of our fine barber shops the other night and found out that fish stories are already starting out. Noticed several varieties of flowers in bloom too, and that brought on the reminder that Spring will soon be upon us. Hance Alred and Doc Neighbors have a supply of "Liars License" on hand, and I might suggest that those intending to do any amount of fishing, should see one of these men and get prepared for the season, soon to open.

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Was thinking back over old times the other day and wondered about the little boys who used to make bean flips, and other gadgets out of the flat springs from his mother's corsets. I couldn't at the moment determine whether the little boys are no more, or vice versa.

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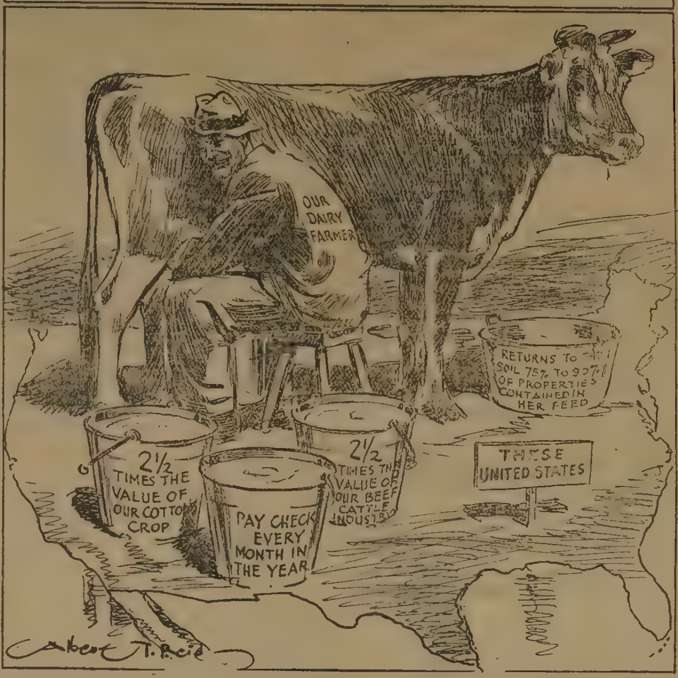
Haven't heard so much about the dance last Friday night. The paragraph above, and the thought of the dance, made me think of a thought that occurred to me not so long ago, after seeing several of the youngsters, both boys and girls, stepping out and pairing off, dating, etc. At the rate the generations are going, doing bigger things with younger bodies and minds, it might reach the point to where girls will be born with dresses and high heel shoes on, and boys with long pants on. What's next?

ON THE MAP *By Albert T. Reid*


OUR DAIRY FARMER
RETURNS TO SOIL 75% TO 90% OF PROPERTIES CONTAINED IN HER FEED
THESE UNITED STATES
2½ TIMES THE VALUE OF OUR COTTON CROP
PAY CHECK EVERY MONTH IN THE YEAR
2½ TIMES THE VALUE OF OUR BEEF CATTLE INDUSTRY
Albert T. Reid

THEY SAY
IT'S HAPPENING
IN WASHINGTON
From the Bureau of Publicity, Democratic National Committee, Washington, D. C.

Hoover's Lincoln Speech in Conflict With Speakers Record in White House, Says Baltimore Sun

Washington, March 2.—Commenting upon President Hoover's Lincoln's birthday address, the Baltimore Sun says that a collection of "principles," such as enunciated by the President, "gains most of its practical significance by application to concrete cases. When the President's speech is subjected to this test, one must conclude that he has acquired a quite new intellectual outlook during recent weeks, that his memory is a bit hazy, and that he construes his record in the White House in a most extraordinary way."

The Sun quotes from Mr. Hoover's Lincoln Day speech:

The moment the responsibilities of any community, particularly in economic and social questions, are shifted from any part of the nation to Washington, then that community has subjected itself to a remote bureaucracy with its minimum of understanding and sympathy. . . . Victory over this depression and over other difficulties will be won by the resolution of our people to fight their own battles in their communities by stimulating their ingenuity to solve their own problems. . . . "

"Clear-cut doctrine!" says the Sun. "But how does it look when applied to Mr. Hoover's major works since entering the White House?"

The paper cites the Federal Farm Board Act and the Smoot-Hawley Tariff law as the outstanding enactments of the Hoover Administration, and says "He does not appear to have been impressed by the dangers of having agrarian ingenuity sapped by Federal control. He did indicate a concern about the danger of having his plan get overweighted with bureaucracy, for, in urging its adoption, he told Congress 'No governmental agency should engage in buying and selling and price-fixing of products, for such courses can only lead to bureaucracy and domination.' But they were words, mere words. A Farm Board, entirely of Mr. Hoover's choosing, has engaged on prodigous scale in 'buying and selling and price-fixing of products,' and he has not been heard to make the tiniest peep of complaint or criticism."

Concerning the tariff act, the Sun says:

"Here, instead of attempting to stimulate the ingenuity of our producers, the President has buttressed them against a tiny fringe of foreign competition, by mandate from Washington that is administered by one of the most far-flung of bureaucracies."

It compares his former position on drought relief, which it says "shows him in the forefront of the practical proponents of that paternalistic Federal Government which he scores in his Lincoln's birthday speech.

"Placed against the broader background of his record in the White House to date," the paper concludes, "Mr. Hoover's speech represents a remarkable conflict between birthday oration preachments and practical performance."

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Democrats to Elect President in 1932 if They Hold States Won in 1930, "Victory May" Shows

Washington, March 2.—A "Victory Map" with a compilation of figures showing that the Democratic Party will win the next Presidential election, if it holds the ground won in the 1930 election, will be submitted to the Democratic National Committee at its meeting on March 5, according to the New York Evening World.

The map and figures show that the Democrats had a majority of more than 1,000,000 votes in 1930; that they carried twenty-three states which have an electoral vote of 284 as compared with 247 in the twenty-five States carried by the Republicans. If the Democrats can hold these States in 1932, they will have a majority of 37 in the electoral college.

The Evening World article states that "the new combination which gave the Democrats their victory last November is a more natural arrangement of the States behind a Democratic candidate than that which re-elected Wilson in 1916."

In confirmation of this, the Evening World adds that "of the thirteen states outside the solid South carried by the Democrats last November, all except Indiana and Missouri elected a Democratic Governor, a Democratic Senator or both.

The twenty-three States carried by the Democrats in 1930 were:

Alabama, Arizona. Arkansas, Florida. Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia and West Virginia.

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Result of Next Election Depends on Young Voters, Chairman Shouse Tells Oklahoma Young Democrats

Washington, March 2.—"The result of the next Presidential election will depend upon the young voters," Jouett Shouse, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Democratic National Committee, told members of the State League of Young Democrats of Oklahoma at their state convention at Muskogee recently. He cited statistics to indicate that every two years between 1920 and 1928 approximately 1,500,000 new voters became eligible, increasing with the ratio of population.

Mr. Shouse told of the tendency of the younger element f the electorate to take charge of affairs, and said: "This is as it should be, and I am glad to see organizations such as yours here in Oklahoma being formed by Democrats in all sections of the country; first, to educate the new voters, and second, to enlist their interest in the duty that they owe to take an active part in the political affairs of the nation.

Chairman Shouse stressed the necessity of organization. Referring to the 1930 elections, he declared, "We could not have had the sweeping, nation-wide victory we achieved if there had not been fifteen months of careful preparation in the way of education and organization to precede it. He called upon the party to avoid the mistakes of the past and return to the fundamental principles upon which the party was founded and which had made it great.

The speaker reviewed the failures and mistakes of the Hoover administration, and declared that that administration was incompetent to deal with the present economic crisis. He recalled Mr. Hoover's promise to abolish poverty and his assertion that the economic policies of the Republican party were the best guarantee of a job; his failure to issue a word of warning against the then impending stock market crash; his request t corporations to maintain their payrolls and his personal orders under which the personnel of the postal sevice was cut down, and the general inability or refusal of the administration to meet the situation.

Chairman Shouse declared that he was in sympathy with Democratic Senate Leader Robinson in his position that food must be provided for human beings as well as work animals in the drought states.

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Editor Cites Figures to Show That Depression Nears End

(Continued From Front Page)

of experience to bring us back to normalcy, about July, 1931.

Sentiment Better

As to where we will go from here and how we will get there, he lays down the following predicate: Sentiment is better, business men having resolved at last to fight for business and are out after business; there is plenty of idle money, and long term money, the crux of the situation, is getting cheaper; retail stocks are exhausted, and all sorts of things are being worn out, with replacement buying beginning; consumer purchasing power will be better, and bargains becoming tempting with previous installment buying largely cleared up.

Finally, of high importance, Federal Reserve banks give evidence of intention to liberalize their policy. He sums up the following conclusions: Business will improve during the first quarter of 1931 (his speech was made in January); March, April, May should show an upturn plain to anyone; business should turn upward again in the Fall, taper off at the year-end, and in the Spring of 1932 should be above normal.

He admits this sounds glib, casual, offhand, and is quickly and simply said—a one-man guess to make his hearers feel good. But he admits it is the result of endless computations, bales of statistics, acres of charts, intensive study of economic history, survey of scres of industries, dozens of interviews reoprts from scouts in this country and agents in Europe, not necessary to trot out here, without mercy for his audience and respect for their intelligence.

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Dr. Raymond Calloway of New York was in Clanton the past week, having been called here on account of the death of his uncle in Florida.

"Odorless & Tasteless Castor Oil" Just received 5c and 25c sizes. Clanton Drug Co.

To The Public

• The undersigned Barber Shops of Clanton announce this week a reduction in the price of haircuts, formerly at 35c. *Until Further Notice, Haircuts Will Be*

25 Cents

Sanitary Barber Shop
Headley & Wagoner

Serivce Barber Shop
Newt Gray

Exchange Barber Shop
"Dick" Bean

HIGH GRADE FRUIT TREES AND SHRUBBERY

Place your orders for high grade uit trees and shrubbery with T. W. ryan, Clanton, Alabama, representing e Concord Nurseries, of Concord, a. 1-15-tfc

MRS. NANCY SAMMONS, AGE 81, DIED LAST THURSDAY, 26TH

Mrs. Nancy Sammons, age 81, died at her home in the Mineral Springs Community last Thursday, February 26th. Funeral services were held on the following Friday morning at Pleasant Hill, with the Rev. Davis officiating. Interment followed in the Pleasant Hill cemetery, with Martin of Clanton in charge. The deceased was a pioneer of the Mineral Springs Community, and is survived by a number of relatives and a host of friends.

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W. S. Christian, of Maplesville, Rt. 2, was among the out-of-town visitors to Clanton last Monday.

LET US
Alemite - Wash
and
Polish Your Car
Woco Pep and Tiolene
Motor Oil
Your Patronage Always Appreciated.
Martin's
Woco-Pep Station
Clanton, Ala.

Get Your Hemstitching Done at Wingard Bros. — Work Guaranteed.

Some real bargains in used Phonographs, Clanton Drug Co., A good organ for sale too

PROGRAM
AT THE
Wadesonian
CLANTON, ALABAMA
"When they make 'em better, we'll show 'em"

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY—MARCH 4 and 5
George O'Brien and Myrna Loy In
"LAST of DUANES" --- All Talking
Fox News Reel

FRIDAY and SATURDAY—MARCH 6 and 7
"PARDON MY GUN" --- All Talking Western
Fox News Reel

MONDAY and TUESDAY—MARCH 9 and 10
Irene Dunn, Ken Murry and Louise Fazenda In
"LEATHRENECKING" --- All Talking

DIEF'S HAS GASOLINE DEMONSTRATION OF INTEREST ON PAN-AM

UniqueDemonstration Shows Virtues of New High Powered Fuel

A unique gasoline demonstration at Dief's Service Station, for the benefit of those among motorists who are skeptical of the virtues of the New Pan Am Ethyl Gasoline as compared to an ordinary fuel, the Pan American Petroleum Corporation provided a practical demonstration which was held Saturday at Dief's Service Station in the presence of a large and very interested gathering of people.

A unique device developed by General Motors Research Engineers as a means of measuring the efficiency obtained from the different types of gasoline was brought to Clanton through arrangements made by Dief's Service Station, local Pan Am dealers.

Mounted on the rear of an automobile for convenience in transportation, it consists of a single cylinder high compression motor to which is attached a number of instruments which indicate the variations in anti-knock value, power, and speed while the machine is in operation: viz: a special carburetor, an electric generator and a third device invented by Mr. Midgley to indicate anti-knock rating. This is attached to the combustion chamber of the motor and consists of a small steel tube at the end of which is located a steel diaphragm. This diaphragm has its position inside the combustion chamber of the motor. When fuel knock (or carbon knock) is developed the high pressure waves which are set up cause the diaphragm to vibrate and this in turn causes a steel pin to bounce up and down. One end of the pin then comes in contact with a form of electric switch which operates lights on the instrument board indicating the exact reaction of gasoline to high compression.

The extraordinary benefits to be derived from a gasoline containing Tetraethyl lead fluid is not yet generally recognized by the motoring public.

Few people realize that vast sums of money and years of engineering and chemical resarch have been devoted to the development of Tertaethyl lead fluid in order to bring it to its present state of utility and perfection.

The demonstration was in charge of Stanley Beck, lubrication engineer of the Pan American Petroleum Corporation of New York and it was successfully shown that from the use of this product we obtain (1) Complete elimination of "knock," (2) Added power on hills. (3) Faster pickup. (4) Lessened gear shifting. (5) Cooler motors. (6) All-round increased performance.

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WAPI Reinstates Convict Singers

Because of hundreds of letters from radio fans over Alabama the Convict Department has joined the Department of Agriculture and Industries to present 11 negro convict girls from Wetumpka prison in a number of spirituals during the Department broadcast between 12:30 and 1 p.m. over WAPI Birmingham, and WSFA, Montgomery.

The same girls appeared a few weeks ago and when their singing was discontinued radio fans from over the State immediately demanded their return.

H. H. Stewart head of the Convict Department has assured the cooperation of the Department in making it possible for these girls to continue if desired by the radio listeners.

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J. R. Holley of Clanton Route 6, was a pleasant caller at the News office Monday.

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There will shortly be some vacancies on the Farm Board to be filled by deserving citizens who are looking for trouble.

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We read of a check for $100,000 sent to the Red Cross. Desiring to remain anonymous, the donor omitted to sign the check.

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Dr. Murray Butler declares that there is no great man living today. And now our State Department may have to make another apology because a Butler was indiscreet.

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Chicago mayoralty candidates are calling one another liars and crooks. We hate to dispute the word of any of these prominent gentlemen.

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—Subscribe To The News—

Buy Fitch's Shampoo and Hair Tonics from Clanton Drug Co. You'll like them.

Isabella School News

Isabella Makes Plans for Field Day

Plans are being made for the field day Friday, the 13th. We are expecting to bring back some blue ribbons for the school.

Juniors Entertain Seniors

Last Friday night the Seniors were entertained on a treasure hunt sponsored by the Juniors. The hunt began at the school building and ended at the ole swimming hole beyond Mr. Walkers, when the treasure was found. They then returned to the school building. After they had played games for a while, they were served a picnic lunch which everyone enjoyed.

Mother, Daughter, Father and Son Banquet

Next Friday night there will be a banquet given by the F. F. A. boys and the Home Economics girls. The mothers and fathers of the boys and girls are cordially invited. We are also expecting the county superintendent and some of the state supervisors to be present.

Parent-Teachers Association

The P.-T. A. met on Monday night, March 2. A very good number of parents was present. Dr. Haskew of Clanton was the principal speaker for the evening. He talked on "There Is A Child Here." The talk was very interesting and everyone was benefited by it.

After the program and business meeting a social hour was enjoyed. Contests, music and a grand march attracted everyone. A dialogue by Louise Davenport and Sallie Joe Cox of the seventh grade was splendid, while everyone enjoyed little Annie Laura Calfee's reading and Evelyn Lecroy's solo. Lorene Lecroy gave a very effective pantomine on "The Star Spangled Banner."

Refreshments were served to the largest group of parents ever attending P.-T. A.

The meetings are held regularly on Tuesday night after the first Sunday of each month. All parents are urged to attend these meetings.

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M. E. CHURCH BASKETEERS DEFEATED MOUNT PLEASANT

The Basket ball team of the local Methodist Church met and successfully turned back the assaults of a strong and fast Mt. Pleasant Junior High School five on the local court here last Saturday night. The game was well played throughout with the church five holding a slight edge over their opponents. The Mt. Pleasant five overcame a lead of 10-3 in the second half and tied the score with the Clanton team 16-16. In the last minutes of the game two goals were rung by the church team netting them the victory. Curtis Traywick was high point man for Mt. Pleasant, scoring 11 of his team's 16

The line-up was as follows:

Clanton M. E. Church: F. Busby, forward, scored 4 points; James Arnold, forward. scored 5 points; Frank McMurray, center, scored 8 points; Tom Tiffin, guard; L. Richardson, guard, scored 2 points.

Mt. Pleasant: C. Traywick, forward, scored 11 points; T. Burnette, forward, H. Littlejohn, center, scored 5 points; Cecil Traywick, guard; H. Parker, guard.

Immediately following the game between Mt. Pleasant and the church teams a game was held between the church players and a team composed of players from Concord and Thomas Jr. High, in which the church team won by a one-sided score of 17 to 3.

Plenty of strings and small musical instrument supplies now at Clanton Drug Co., G. W. Moore.

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Percy Henson of Billingsley, Route 2, was among the visitors to Clanton last Monday. Mr. Henson stayed over Monday night to attend the American Legion meeting here.

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Miss Ruth Sessions had as her guest last Saturday, Miss Mittie Sprott, of Alabama College, Montevallo.

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Mrs. J. E. Barrett of Verbena and daughter, were in Clanton shopping last Saturday.

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With Each Purchase of 5 Gallons of Gasoline Next Saturday, We Will Give FREE, one-half Gallon of Motor Oil. If you don't Need the Oil Saturday, then Buy Your Gas and Get the Oil Later. Don't Forget

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West End Grocery
WEST END, CLANTON

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

A treat will be in store for the children next Sunday at ten-thirty. The Sunday school meets at 9:45, and then the big assembly in the auditorium of the church following the lesson. Men and women, boys and girls, come to Sunday school.

During the month of March the pastor is going to preach sermons that are revivalistic in nature, and we feel that you will enjoy these warm messages out of the soul. Between the Fifth Sunday in March and the First Sunday in April, we plan to have our week of revival effort. Put this meeting into your plan and into your prayers.

If you are rich or poor, alike you will have to die. We are anxious to help you in your preparation for that important time. If you want a preacher to attend your funeral when you die, you had better attend church while you live. Let the March wind blow your excuses for not going to church into the Atlantic ocean, and come on and act like you know that you should act. We have a warm welcome for you.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and relatives for their help and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our daughter. We thank you for the beautiful floral offerings. We also thank Dr. Hayes and Mr. Martin, undertaker, for their splendid service. May God's richest blessings rest on each and everyone.

—Horace L. Aldridge and Family.

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Hon. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinsn and children motored to Vincent Sunday afternoon.

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Miss Gertie Fiquette had as her guest for the past several days, Miss Juanita Crawford, popular young lady of Montgomery.

Flower Lovers—buy "Bloom-aid" the plant food for flowers, vegetables, shrubs, A product of Virginia-Carolina Chemical Corp., and Guaranteed. Clanton Drug Co., only 50c for 5 pounds.

Marriage Licenses

Following are marriage licenses issued from the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County during the month of February, 1931:

F. M. Caton and Miss Jessie Mae Driver.

Julius O. Popwell and Lelia Ellison.

W. H. Tatum and Miss Lillian Hardy.

Phillip Thornton and Lovis Nance.

Willie D. Watts and Louise Milton.

Sam Cleckler and Gladys Williamson.

Otis Baker and Miss Elizabeth Moates.

E. D. Hall and Pauline Bean.

G. J. Grenzbock and Mrs. Lillian G. Grenzbock.

Raymond Smith and Alpha Beane.

W. C. Brainbridge and Claudie M. Smith.

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Lunch Shoppe
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Save 70 to 75 per cent in the dollar at
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(J. C. Jones Store) Clanton, Ala., near Dief's Service Station. 20c Gingham, going at 5c per yard; all 50c piece goods going at 15c yard; All $1.00 piece goods going at 25c per yard; Ladies Shoes 39c—75c and 98c Pair. The prices of every article is cut in the same way as quoted above. Come to see us and see what we have to sell.

I am still exchanging merchandise for corn, peas, syrup, chickens, eggs, meat and lard. Also I have for sale the long staple varieties of cotton seed D P. L. and Cooks 1627 for planting.

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APRICOTS, I. G. A. Beautiful Tree Ripened Fruit Large Can 25c
CALIFORNIA PRUNES I. G. A. Fancy 2 1-Lb. Pkgs. 25c
COFFEE "I" Blend Lb. Pkg. 35c
"G" Blend 'Always Fresh' Lb. Pkg. 28c
"A"- Blend Lb. Pkg. 23c
SALT, I. G. A. Plain or Iodized 2 Round Pkgs. 15c
GARDEN SPINACH I. G. A. 2 Tall Cans 25c
PALMOLIVE Beads, for washing fine fabrics. Toy balloon free Package 10c
IRISH POTATOES No. 1 Rurals 5 Pounds 15c
GREEN CABBAGE Firm Heads Pound 4c
PERSIAN DATES I. G. A. Unpitted 2 Pkgs. 25c
PICNIC HAMS Sunlight Shankless Pound 16c
ICEBERG LETTUCE Large Heads Each 9c
SOAP CHIPS I. G. A. 2 Pkgs. For 15c
BUTTER Sunlight Finest Creamery Pound 34c
SLICED BACON Sunlight Rindless Pound 28c
FLOUR I. G. A. Plain or Self Rising 24-LB. BAGS $1
FLOUR Duchess Self Rising or Columbia Plain 24-LB. BAGS 80c

CULVER & JONES, Clanton, Ala.
CLANTON CASH STORE, Clanton, Alabama
GULLEDGE BROTHERS, Verbena, Alabama
T. J. HENDERSON, Mt. Creek, Alabama
MAPLESVILLE CASH STORE, Maplesville, Ala.

Independent Grocers' Alliance

Alabama Butter Is Found Better

The sting of being inferior to butter produced in other states was removed from Alabama butter at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, by Joel J. Winjker, butter specialist of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, in connection with the short course in dairy manufacturing, of which A. D. Burke, professor of dairying at Auburn, was in charge.

Twenty samples were scored; ten came from Alabama creameries and ten from outside the State, many of them being in the Middle-West. The lowest score on Alabama butter was 87 and the highest 90.5. The lowest on butter from outside the State was 86 and the highest 89.5. Although Alabama butter was found to be better, Mr. Winjker said that butter from other states is being sold in Alabama for five cents a pound more than butter produced by Alabama manufacturers.

He explained that the butter which came from other states was a good as the Alabama butter when manufactured but that it deterioriated in shipment after being removed from storage. He insisted, therefore, that Alabama butter should be preferred even at a price above that for butter manufactured elsewhere.

Mr. Winjker insisted that in addition to producing good butter from Alabama cows, creameries of the State are surrounded by conditions favorable to dairying. He said that Alabama can continue with her developments by taking advantage of opportunities within the State and following practices for successful dairying.

Sardis Items

Mr. E. P. Deason of Birmingham spent last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Deason.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sansom and family spent Sunday afternoon with their daughter, Mrs. Meddie Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Headley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dud Headley.

Mrs. Lula Ratliff, Mrs. Lucien Klinner, Mrs. Zelph Ratliff visited Mrs. Zora Headley Sunday afternoon. She is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Williams visited his brother, Mr. Joe Williams of New Cedron community, who is ill with pneumonia.

Mr. Lacy Ratliff spent Saturday night with Mr. Carlos and T. J. Ratliff.

Miss Ethel Gentry and Miss Williard Davis and Mr. Green Thomas spent last week end with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorb Sims spent Sunday with his mother.

Mr. Garland Deason spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. Earnest Scott.

Mr. Homer Ratliff was rushed Saturday to a doctor with hemorrhage of the head, but is better.

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When Jacob Ganz of [illegible] Mass., discovered that his automobile was ablaze, he hopped into the driver's seat, drove to the nearest fire station and had the flames extinguished.

Fairview News

The many friends of Mr. M. F. Wagner will be glad to know that he is much improved.

Little Edwin Culp is slowly improving. She has been sick for fifteen weeks with pneumonia and abscess.

Mr. and Mrs. James Roper and family from Spigener spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cox Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hannon Owen and children, Messrs. J. W. and J. T. Cox, Osmond Culp, Miss Fannie Lee LeCroy spent a few enjoyable hours with Mr. and Mrs. V. C. McKee Saturday night listening in on the radio. All reported a nice time.

Miss Mildred Durbin spent the week end with Miss Glyender Oden of the Isabella community.

Miss Tempie Durbin went home Sunday after spending some time with her friends of this community. Her home is in Tuscaloosa.

Mrs. Ruth Durbin, Misses Ruby and Louise Cox were the guests of Inez McKee Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Giles spent Sunday afternoon with their mother, Mrs. Ratliff, of the Antioch community.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billingsley spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Clem Billingsley of the Shiloh community Sunday.

Mr. Marvin Lowery was a welcome visitor to this community Sunday afternoon.

Misses Pauline and Myrtle and Edna Durbin, Mr. Woodrow Durbin attended services at Pleasant Grove Sunday night.

Mr. Woodrow Durbin spent Saturday night with Wilson Atkinson.

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WAR WIDOWS OF 1812

Ten women are still on the pension rolls as a result of the War of 1812, according to a report from Washington. Nine are widows of veterans and one is a daughter. Ages of the widows range from 71 to 90 years, while the daughter is 73. Their pensions average $48 a month. They are:

Arminia Anderson, Cedar Grove, Ga.; Marion Clark, Iowa City, Iowa; Mary Coleman, Claudeville, Va.; Lydia Graham, Brushy Run, Va.; Mary Isgrigg, Cincinnati, Ohio; Caroline King, East Aurora, N. Y.; Emma Mann, Greenbrush, Mass.; Mary Williams, Philadelphia, Pa.; Elizabeth Huron, Indianapolis, In.; widows, and Esther Morgan, Independence, Ore., daughter.

Thus Uncle Sam is not quite finished paying for a war that ended more than 116 years ago. Actual veterans were on the pension roll more than 90 years after that war, the last one, Hiram Cronk of Ava, N. Y., having died in 1905 at the age of 105.

It is extremely probable that pensions on account of the World War will continue to be paid a hundred years from now, reaching a total of no telling how many billions of dollars in the meantime.

"BURSTING HEADACHES" Dizzy Spells

Mrs. Cora Moshier, of 601 North New Orleans Ave., Brinkley, Ark., writes:

"I was so constipated until I was just sick. I could not stand to take strong medicine, so I decided I would take Black-Draught, and I found it to be all right.

"I would have such dizzy spells, and such bursting headaches, until I could hardly go. But after taking a few doses of Black-Draught, I would feel just fine. It is a good medicine, and I recommend it to all who suffer as I did. It is very easy to recommend a medicine that has done as much for me as Black-Draught has done."

THEDFORD'S Black-Draught For CONSTIPATION, INDIGESTION, BILIOUSNESS

WOMEN who need a tonic should take CARDUI. Used over 50 years.

MAIN STREET Looks at BROADWAY

Poor But Proud—

If you have to be poor, be poor in style.

That is the attitude of some of New York's neediest needy. Police, distributing clothing to those in want, say that many of them turn up their noses at clothes that aren't stylish. People in dire need examine the clothing they are offered with critical care. If it does not meet with their ideas of style, they reject it outright or make the excuse that they will return later.

At an East Side distributing station, they tried to give away several pairs of women's high-laced shoes. In practically all cases, women refused them, even though the shoes they had on were shabby and worn.

Blood Money—

The shedding of blood for cold, hard cash is quite a business. 170,000 was paid out in this city last year for 3,056 transfusions.

The health commissioner has established a bureau for the central registration of blood donors. It issues licenses from the health department to those who pass the required tests. Professional donors now carry pass books which they must show before they can give transfusions for a fee.

The move is an effort to eliminate malpractices which have caused serious accidents. Medical authorities say that there have been instances where unscrupulous agencies, operating solely for profit, have spread communicable diseases by the use of blood from unhealthy persons.

It is estimated that there are between 5,000 and 8,000 professional blood donors in New York.

At Dawning—

If you are one of those who get up early enough to hear the radio program "On the 8:15," (cries of "Early! That's almost noon, my boy.") you will be interested (I'm an optimist, all right) to know that the Landt Trio and White have received a scroll of honorary membership in the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen. This was awarded for the realism of the program's train effects.

Big and Clean—

In some sections of the city, where buildings are not modernized, there are public bath-houses for the convenience of those who wish to use them.

A customer nearly caused the attendant to fall into the pool when he handed him a check for $1,000, saying that the money was to go to the city in payment for its generosity in letting him use soap and towels. The attendant found the check payable. He refused to cash it, however, for further investigation disclosed that the donor, in addition to his startling generosity, also had the habit of trying to jump off of bridges.

Authorities sent the check back to the bank and put the grateful bather in an observation ward.

To Market, To Market—

Two young men connected with the New York Stock Exchange ought to be able to cause a run (broken field variety) on the market any time, if they remember their past training.

Both of them are football stars. One is "Red" Cagle, former captain of the Army team, the other, John Law, captain of the Notre Dame Eleven of 1929. Cagle is reported to be earning his bread as a telephone clerk and Law's duties are said to be of a similar nature.

That at least proves that all college graduates don't become bond salesmen.

Tant-a-ra Dept.—

Speaking of sound effects, the latest thing in the radio studios is a keyboard which controls the sounding of automobile horns. The new instrumental creation, composed of 36 horns, each one tuned to one of 36 notes in a scale of three octaves, is played by fingering a row of buttons, all of which are like the horn buttons on the steering wheels of traffic going automobiles.

W. E. K.

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UNCLE SAM SAYS

Hiawatha, Ottawa, and Marquette are the names selected to identify three national forests created recently in Michigan.

Last year, for the first time in at least ten years, the farm population of the country increased instead of decreasing.

A Federal trapper has been working at one of the western air mail landing fields killing badgers that were digging holes and endangering landings.

Reed canary grass is a promising new forage grass for the North Central States.

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That new compass which points to diamonds and gold should be helpful to [illegible] club ladies.

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Those who decry vocal training are reminded that a singer won a hog calling contest in Illinois.

The Legislature and Its Grist

By Bob Vail

There has been little serious talk about state politics during the present session of the Alabama Legislature, though one occasionally hears some senator bring forth the name of Lieutenant Governor Hugh D. Merrill for governor or some member of the house mention Speak Alf. Tunstall for the same position. Both presiding officers have strong following or would have if they showed desire for the governorship. Another name occasionally heard is that of Senator Chas. McDowell of Barbour, who ran so well in 1926.

In his quiet way, Senator John E. Delmey of Colbert County, gets as much fun out of the legislative job as any other member of either house. This is his fifth term, though he has heretofore served in the house; in 1900, 1903, 1923 and 1927. For six years he was probate judge of his county; though he gets more kick out of the antics of noisy lobbyists and legislators than he did out of the more profitable office of judge of probate.

Wililam Charles Warren, senator from Tuscaloosa for the second indeterminate sentence used to be a school teacher and still appears sometimes to be teaching a class, even when he addresses the senate. He learned how to be a farmer at the Seventh District Agricultural school located at Albertville, how to be a lawyer at the University of Alabama and how to be a deep sea fisherman in the Gulf waters of Baldwin county.

Most everybody thought that seaport legislation was completed for the present session when the house and senate passed the bill restoring to the pilots their old status, independent of the docks commission, but now Representative J. Morgan Burns, of Dallas county, has revived discussion of amending the seaport act which was believed to be laid to rest when the Givhan bill was put to sleep in committee by request of its author.

Despite the administration's opposition to recess committees, a number have been proposed. One of the first resolutions offered was one by Senator Craft to create a recess committee to look into transportation subjects, then Senator Brown developed a plan to look into the school book situation, while Senator Kelley, Representative Kelly, Senator Riddle and a few others would like to take the Alabama Power Company to pieces in recess and see what makes the wheels go 'round, and a port inspection committee is proposed All recess proposals that cost money have been opposed by friends of the administration on the score of ecenomy.

Girard is well represented in the State Legislature. That little east Alabama town has four citizens in that body. The line dividing Lee and Russell Counties goes through the town of Girard. Each of these counties has two representatives and all of those representatives — Messrs. Smith and Gullat of Lee and Clayton and Wallace of Russell—live in Girard. Only Birmingham and Montgomery can match that.

The program adopted for adjournment differs from that at first planned. This current section of the present session will adjourn this week. The House will re-assemble March 31st and rush through the remaining days on its calendar. Up to Tuesday of this week eighteen Legislative days had been consumed. The limit is fifty. As the administration forces are said to desire final adjournment at the earliest possible date, it is expected that some hard work will be indulged in by the members.

Representative Kelly of Conecuh is a small town merchant and farmer. He lives at Repton, Ala. Consequently he is vitally interested in rural problems. Chief among these is that of education and Representative Kelly is studying and planning in connection with this subject.

Chairman Beebe of the House Committee on Commerce and Common Carriers piloted another of the famous "Bus Bills"—No. 53, regulating common carriers—safely through the House last week.

Cartoons by Spang in the Advertiser showing the members of the legislature how they appear to a real artist are a daily source of amusement while the solons are in session. The members who are stung by Spang's sharp pencil come in for a good deal of kidding from those who have been or are about to be stung by the same instrument But it's all in fun.

The most observing old boys at the press desk observe that the only legislators who come back are those who vote against dog tax laws and for good roads!

Mobile has a divided delegation in the legislature. Senator Craft and Representative Taylor and Sossaman can usually be found in the same boat on local measures, but Representative E. J. Grove does not join with his colleagues in certain matters of Mobile county legislation. The house generally decides with the majority in such cases.

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My Best Girl

BY

KATHLEEN NORRIS

TENTH INSTALLMENT

Maggie Johnson, whose father is a letter-carrier, her mother a lazy woman who has "seen better days," and her sister a bootlegger's sweetheart who works in a beuaty parlor, is stock girl in the "Mack" stores, the Five-and-Ten of San Francisco. A boy whom she knows only as "Joe Grant," but who is really Joseph Grant MacKenzie Merrill, son of the owner of the "Mack," is learning the business by starting at the bottom. He doesn't like the job until he meets Maggie. And neither of them realizes that they are falling in love with each other, at first. Joe is impressed, however, by Maggie's intelligence and goodheartedness, and gives her advice on the subject nearest her heart, how to live the ideal life. She makes a suggestion for a better way of selling certain lines. He tells his father, as if it were his own idea, greatly pleasing the old man. He finds that the girls he used to know don't interest him as much as Maggie does, and when Maggie discloses her love in a burst of jealousy, he relaizes that he loves her, too.

Joe is afraid that if Maggie finds out who he really is she will not have anything more to do with him. So he pretends that it is some other fellow's car when he takes her home in his big yellow roadster. And on the way they talk, at last, about marriage.

Joe that night reveals to his father for the first time that he has been working in the store under an assumed name, and tells him about Maggie.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"I thought you—that night Flint was here——"

"It was a girl who suggested that," Joe said. "One of the girls in the Mack. A kid—reallv. She's only seventeen. She'll be eighteen tomorrow."

"How d'you happen to know that?"

"She told me. I took her home tonight and she happened to mention it."

A silence. Then George Merrill said slowly: "I see."

"See what?"

"What's been making the change in you, Joe. It was a girl was it?"

"I'm not in love with her, if that's what you mean. She's only a kid."

"She likes you, eh?" the older man asked.

"Well, she's only a kid."

"How far've you gone, Joe?"

"Oh, nothing!" he said vexedly, "'ve talked to her—she's a kid who's determined to make the best of herself."

"She's awfully pretty."

"Your mother—and I myself, too," George Merrill said, afte ra moment, "have always rather hoped that you and Millicent Russell would give us a wedding, one of these days. She's a fine little girl—seems to be different from the rest."

"The trouble is," Joe began slowly.

"That she's in love with you," his father finished mildly.

Joe gave an abashed, youthful laugh. "She thinks you are merely another clerk among all the clerks, does she?"

"She never dreams anything else!"

"Engaged, Joe?"

"Well, no. And yet, yes, in a way we are. You know how girls are, dad?"

"She's a pretty common little thing, eh?"

"Well——" No, he couldn't say that Maggie was common. Joe groped for words. "Not exactly that, Dad. But—but you see she thinks I'm like all the others—just one of the boys down there, the sort of man she would naturally."

Perhaps the shrewd eyes watching him saw more than he dreamed.

But if he saw this, George Merrill made no sign.

"If she knew who I was—who I am," Joe floundered on. "it might break her all up. She's no gold-digger—she wouldn't know how to marry a rich man—it'd scare her."

"I want to get out of this without hurting Maggie!"

"You're quite sure that you don't want to marry this girl, Joe? Oh, I don't mean immediately—I don't mean now. But she could be sent to a fine school for a year or two, travel, maybe. Of course, Millicent Russell is a straight little girl."

"Listen, Dad, I don't want to say anything against Millicent, but beside Maggie—Millicent is a drunken little moron——"

"Steady, my boy! Steady!" George Merrill interrupted. "Why, Joe, you must be halfway in love with this Maggie."

"Well, I'm not," Joe responded shortly. "But she's a fine little girl, and she—she seems to be reaching out for everything that is fine, just as these other girls reach out for everything that's rotten! She doesn't know what they know—she wouldn't understand their jokes——"

"H'm!" ejaculated Merrill senior in a somewhat perolexed, dissatisfied tone. And at the time nothing more was said.

On Sunday morning, however, just a few minutes before twelve, George Merrill met his son in the upper hallway of the family mansion and noted that he was dressed for golf.

"Got out of your engagement, eh?"

"Yep. Sweeney was going into town for mother, and I asked him to send a note to—Niss Johnson, with flowers."

"Well—I guess you're wise!"

"I hope so!" Joe said unconvincedly.

He played four holes, played the fifth—ashort one, and suddenly turned back to the clubhouse. It took him fifteen minutes at the telephone to locate his mother's chauffeur.

"Sweeney. This is Joe Merrill speaking. Sweeney, did you get those flowers to that young lady?"

"They went right out."

"I see. Thanks."

And he hung up the receiver, feeling flat.

She probably had them by now. Poor little disappointed kid!

Damn it, it made him feel hot and uncomfortable, and like a skunk.

Maggie, doing the Johnson dinner dishes, and perhaps shedding surreptitious tears into the sink.

Joe had an inspiration. The intelligent thing to do, the honest thing to do, was to go to her and say, "Now, look here, Maggie——"

Rushing cityward in his car a few minutes later, he soon reached the Johnsons' dilapidated cottage.

Maggie came to the door herself—everyone else was out.

"Pop volunteered for special delivery today—it's Valentine Day," Maggie said. "Liz was off with her beau, and Ma had to go to a funeral at one. So I had a real good chance to make the kitchen ideal."

"You certainly did that one little thing," Joe said admiringly.

"And what did you get for your birthday, Maggie?"

"Nobody remembered it but Pop," Maggie said lifelessly.

"But you got my flowers. You aren't mad at me, are you, Maggie?" he asked suddenly.

"Oh, no, Joe. Why would I be? I wouldn't have any right to be mad at you," Maggie said, adding the last phrase as if to herself.

"You seem sort of—stiff," Joe said.

"Here's what it is, Joe," Maggie said. "I just happened—when I got your note—to see your side of it, Joe, I know you like me but I know you don't love me. I hope we'll always be friends. But—" she stopped short—"but—this part of it—isn't easy for me, Joe," she finished.

"What made you change this way—from last night, when we sat in the car and talked?" he temporized gruffly.

"I think kinder realizing that you were—saying more than you meant, Joe!" she answered simply.

She was delicious, small, confidential, brave in her first battle with hurt and humiliation. Joe felt ashamed and bewildered.

"Did you know they were thinking of trying out your automat idea for the buttons and pins and tacks and so on, Maggie?" Joe asked.

"I don't believe it!" she said scoffingly.

"It's true. What would you do, Maggie, with—say, twenty thousand dollars?"

"With—with what?"

"With twenty thousand dollars for all your rights in that idea?"

"Joe, I'd sell my rights in that idea for twenty-five cents, if you ask me!"

"Yes, but you couldn't do that. They seem to feel it's a new idea and a darned good one, and my father—" he floundered, grew red, and saved himself by a hair—"my father thought it was a pretty good idea, too; I was talking to him about it," he said.

She had noticed nothing amiss. Her eyes were dreamv, happy.

"Joe, do you and your father talk about things?" she asked, as if she liked the picture.

"Not much. But lately we have been, more," he answered truthfully.

Her eyes were flashing, and the beautiful little face that had been so pale when he entered was shining with its loveliest radiance now.

Suddenly—suddenly she was in his arms.

"Joe—don't!"

"Maggie—you belong to me. We love each other!"

Instantly the little arms went about him, tightened, the small head, with its crown of gold, was pressed, with the little loving, jerking digs of a child's head, against his heart. Joe kissed the top of her head and the rosy ear that a curving filament of gold hair left free, kissed the eyes that were flooded again with tears, and the sweet fresh mouth that was ready, now to return his kisses.

And to Ma was first announced the engagement of marriage between Mary Margaret Petheridge Johnson, spinster, and Joseph Grant.

In his mother's dressing room, before dinner, he had told his parents the whole story frankly.

Mrs. Merrill took the successive shocks heroically. Her son, working in one of the Stores? Joseph Merrill a stock clerk? And in love with one of the humblest of his co-workers?

All this had been before dinner. Now it was late at night, and Joe, coming in quietly from a dinner and cards with some of the members of his own set, found himself summoned to his mother's room again.

She was in bed.

"Sit down, dear. Sit here on the edge of the bed, if you like," she said comfortably, "I've been thinking of your affair all evening."

"Dad tells me that some man named Baker or Bradley was going to Japan for the firm next Saturday," she began again.

"Oh, Brewer, you mean?"

"Brewer. Well, Brewer isn't going. In fact, he's leaving the Stores, I believe. What I suggested was, that you go for the firm to Japan. It would mean a very sensible chance to wait a little, to get a new eprspective on this engagement and this girl, and Dad's idea was that it would be a very easy way to break off your present relationship with the Stores."

"Now, Joe, why not get your passports, and take up Brewer's tickets—in less than six days, you'd be at sea, and have time to think all this out, and get your mind cleared about it all. Tell your Mary Margaret that you are being sent away by the firm—she's very young, and if—when you come back, you both feel the same way, there'll be plenty of time to make plans then."

"You see, Joe, marriage is more than falling in love. You want to be proud of your wife, as the years go by. A girl who belongs to an entirely different class of society not only makes her husband unhappy—makes him the butt of ridicule and pity for his friends, but she herself is bitterly unhappy, too. She doesn't know how to amuse herself, she has no resources. . . ."

It went on for a long while. And for a long while he listened. Then she said, more lightly:

"Now run along to bed, dear. We've had enough of this for one day. But to-morrow—think it over. It's late, Joe. Get to bed quickly and go right to sleep, dear."

He obeyed her as far as getting to bed was concerned.

But sleep was a different matter.

Then it was Monday again, and there was a pleasant fresh bustle of girls busv in the Mack.

The front door and the side door were propped wide open, and fresh damp air blew through the place that would be hot and close and jaded so soon. Joe, on the mezzanine floor, stopped up there for a minute and stood looking down at the confusion and activitiy of the store.

And presently, with an odd, sharp twist to his heart, he saw Maggie.

He had rather dreaded meeting her today, after yesterday. But, unexpectedly, he wanted to talk to her now—be near her, assure himself that this little willing slave of a whole hurried scene was in a special sense his property.

And presently, running upstairs, she nodded to him joyfully.

"Hello, Joe! Say, Joe——" And her smallness and sweetness and her absurd little-girl seriousness were beside him.

"Hello, Mary Margaret! How's the world with you this morning?"

"Happy, huh?"

"I guess I've got enough to make me happy," she said soberly.

"You aren't scared of thirty-five a week?"

"I'm not scared of anything. I wish—I wish they would fire you, Joe!"

"Fire me!" he repeated.

"Joe—to show you how much—I like you!" she faltered. "If you came home to me some night, fired, and if we didn't have a cent——"

Joe could not speak, his own eyes were wet.

"Maggie!" The call was rising into a chorus downstairs. "Maggie Johnson! What'd you do with them all-linen monogrammed handkerchiefs? Maggie! Hustle and get me about a half box of them red hatchets and cherry trees—at the candy counter!"

And in anther second she had fled down the stairs.

Serious days, these for Joseph Grant MacKenzie Merrill

For he had got in the habit of talking confidentially to his father.

"She loves you, does she Joe?"

"Sure she does."

"And she's straight and pretty and intelligent?"

"She's quicksilver."

"It would be hard for you to go to Japan next Saturday, Joe, and leave her behind?"

"Oh, no. She's only eighteen—just eighteen." Joe paused.

"You haven't thought of marrying her and taking her to Japan with you, Joe?"

Joe looked at his father.

"I merely suggest it. I don't want you to miss—anything good, my boy."

"We could postpone your sailing for a boat or two—no use rushing things. Then you two get away, and your mother—and your wife's family—can reconcile themselves to the idea by degrees."

"Wife's family!" The boy repeated the phrase in an undertone.

"It doesn't frighten you, Joe?"

"Not—you don't know her!—but not when it's Maggie."

Joe took Maggie to lunch the next day. The firm wanted him to go on a trip," he told her, and she must go along. She had to have her picture taken, and they'd have to be married And after twenty-three minutes in seventh heaven, they jumped into taxi, went up to the City Hall, and got a marriage license.

"They wanted me to start tomorrow, Maggie!"

"Tomorrow!"

"But now we're going to put it off a couple of weeks, so that you and I can combine the trip with our honeymoon."

Maggie and Joe, both finding themselves drawn for the Friday night shift, whispered a rapturous plan for dinner together late that evening, when their work should be over. at eight.

Joe's aristocratic mother called him to the telephone at about five o'clock. She and his father were coming into town tonight, she said, to stay at the St. Paul, and see him off tomorrow, and they wanted to know if he would like anybody else invited to an informal little good-bye dinner?"

"When you say 'good-bye to everyone'; you mean to my girl, too, Mother?"

"My dear—I only meant that it is a separation, and things will be different when you come back, and however sweet and charming your girl, as you call her, may be, if your feelings had changed. . . ."

There had been more of this. Joe had presently interrupted it unsympathetically:

"You'll be at the St. Paul, Mother?"

"Yes, dear. And we'll take a room for you there."

"Thanks. Well, I'll tell you who I'd like to bring to dinner, Mother. I'd like to bring Maggie."

I want you and Dad to meet her. My plans have changed slightly. I may not sail tomorrow. Anyway. I want you to meet her."

He could hear panic behind her carefully cheerful tone.

"Certainly bring her, Joe. Under those circumstances, perhaps I'd better not ask anybody else."

Joe had seized upon this instantly:

"How do you mean 'under those circumstances'?"

But his mother had been too smart for him.

"Merely, dear, that your father and I would like an opportunity to really know her a little."

"I want you to meet my mother and father, Mary Margaret," he told her, as they toiled to and fro with crates and trays of merchandise. "They want us to have dinner with them tonight."

"Honest, Joe?"

"They're living at a hotel now," he said.

"Joe, where is your father and mother's hotel?"

"It's right on the square opposite the new bank building."

"Oh, right near the St. Paul?"

"It is the St. Paul."

She eyed him incredulously, amusedly.

"Yes, it is! Now you tell another."

Joe, within a few hundred feet now of its august doorway, felt a first prick of misgiving.

"Joe, you're kidding!"

"No, I'm not darling. This is just a restaurant, like any other, and you'll find the food isn't as good as your own cooking—The young lady will leave her coat, too, please. Lebeau, Mr. Merrill's table, please."

They were in the hands of the bowing, obsequious headwaiter. Maggie did not hold Joe's hand, but she kept her frightened little person close in the shadow of his as they entered the warmth and intimacy and beauty of the Legend Room.

White tables, at all of which were diners, brilliant big lights far overhead, and little lights on the tables, women whose shoulders were bare and whose hair was moulded into close caps of curls, jewels nd voices and perfumes and flowers and soft music—it was all a wild whirl to her stunned senses. Her shabby little shoes, her plain little gown moved beside Joe blindly. She heard him say: "My mother, Maggie." She saw a steel-bright, handsome face looking at her under beautiful scallops of feathered hair set with a jewelled aigrette. She murmured: "Pleased to meet ju," and sank dizzily into a seat.

Mrs. Merrill's handsome eyes flashed with a malicious satisfaction She had hoped, in her somewhat twisted conception of motherly loyalty, that Joe's girl would not make much of a showing tonight. But she had hardly dared hope for a conquest quite so overwhelming and immediate.

"We took the liberty of ordering Miss Johnson," she said smoothly, although perhaps etiquette might have hinted that we wait!"

Joe eyed his mother—shut his jaw hard. But Maggie looked up, and he saw with a sort of delighted terror that she had been angered into self-control

"I thought you knew," she said clearly, "that I don't know anything about etiquette! Are you—" she pursued even, turning to Joe's father—"are you G. J. Merrill of the Stores?"

"I am, my dear," said George Merrill kindly, feeling sorry for the bewildered little thing.

Maggie grew very white and sat back slightly in her chair.

"Joe never told me—I didn't know it," she said in a lifeless little voice.

"But now that you do know it—and I ought to have told you long ago, and I'm a fool!" Joe said quickly, uncomfortably, "—it doesn't make one scrap of difference, does it?"

She raised her eyes to his, there was a second of silence.

"Not at all," she answered them, quietly.

(To be continued next week)

NOTICE

The Commissioners Court requests bids for parties to furnish paint and put two coats on the Potts House. Written bids to be filed with L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate, on or before 10 o'clock A. M., March 9th, 1931.

The Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

This the 3rd day of March, 1931.

L. H. REYNOLDS,

Judge of Probate.

New Cedron News

Our preaching was splendid our last preaching day. Bro. Carroll delivered a fine message. We invite everybody to come again

We are very sorry to know that Mr Joe Wililams is on the sick list this week.

Miss Ila Mae Cox spent Saturday night with Miss Marie Penton

Misses Rena and Ressie Devaughn visited their aunt and family Sunday afternoon

Mrs. Wess Williams and daughter from Sardis spent a few enjoyable hours Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Devaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Baker spent a few enjoyable hours Saturday night with Mr. J. C. Terrell and family.

Mr. Porter Williams and Delene Owens were the guests of Miss Olleen Terrell Saturday night

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cox were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Whitt Brown Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cox visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Weldon Saturday night and Sunday.

Olleen and Loverne Terrell were the dinner guests of Misses Ruby and Wilodean Collins Sunday.

Miss Delene Owens was the dinner guest of Miss Vera Cox Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Terrell were the dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Litt Cox, Mrs. Minnie Devaughn, Lela Devaughn, and Mr. and Mrs. George Owens spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Baker.

Miss Delene Owens spent Saturday night with Mrs. Agnes Baker and family.

Louverne Terrell spent Saturday with Lela Devaughn.

Mr. Richard Adams was the guest of Miss Ruby Collins Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughie Wililams visited his mother, Mrs. Liza Williams, of the Bethsalem community Saturday night.

Mr. Arthur and Mr. T. L. Williams spent a few enjoyable hours with Mr. John Collins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Penton were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Collins Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ora Watwood of Auburn is spending this week with her aunt, Miss Nannie Bones. who has been on the sick list for several weeks, and is still in bed.

Mr. and Mr. Hughie Wililams, Mrs. Liza Jane Williams, Miss Agnes Askins, Miss Alice Williams, Mr. Willie Bowman were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Terrell and family Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Agnes Baker spent Thursday night with Mr. Litt Cox and family.

—A READER.

Isabella School News

The Utopian literary society met on Thursday, February 26. The meeting was called to order by the president and business was attended to. After business matters were disposed of, the following program was given

Song: No. 25

Devotional, by Louise Cox

Prayer, by Mr. Griffin.

Song, No. 104.

Roll call and reading of minutes by Secretary.

Alabama's Fish and Wild Life, by Secretary.

A Quarrel, by Louise Davenport and Sallie Jo Cox.

The Value of Character, by Bennie Cadle.

Doctor Cup Up, by Hannon Owen and Parnell Ratliff.

Random Shots, by Orville Wright.

Lord Old Sweet Song, by Thelma Giles, Lucille Gaydon, Ruth Roebuck, Myrle Busby, Ruth Williams, Jewel Williams and Winford Suite.

How to Attract new Birds, by Wilbert Conway

How Birds Helped Win the War, by Braxton Lecroy.

Report of critic.

Announcements.

Adjournment.

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NOTICE

Street Taxes in the Town of Clanton for the year, 1931, have been reduced to $3.50, and must be paid before April 1, 1931. Otherwise citations will be issued to report to work out said tax on streets of Clanton.

March 3, 1931.

J. LEE SMITH,
Mayor.

C. H. PIPES, Clerk.

Baptist Men Will Meet In Birmingham, Ala.

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Baptist Convention, will speak on the night of the 17th.

On the 18th, which will be Wednesday, Dr. Truett of Dallas, Texas, Dr. Eugene Sallee of the Foreign Mission Board of Richmond, Va., and Miss Mallory, Corresponding Secretary of the Woman's Missionary Union of the Southern States, will deliver addresses.

Dr. Truett will tell of his trip to South America last summer. It is expected that pastors and laymen, and many elect ladies from all over the state, will go in large parties to attend these meetings. The county papers will, no doubt, be glad to give wide publicity to this meeting on March 17th, at ten o'clock A. M., till the evening of the 18th, which will be so delightful and profitable to all who attend.

DALLAS CO. OFFICIALS VISIT CHILTON CO. ON ROAD STUDY

Chilton County received a visit this week from the members of the Board of Revenue of Dallas County. These gentlemen came to this county for the purpose of studying the methods here of road building. Those in the visiting party were J. A. Minter, Tyler, Ala., R. M. Rountree, Selma, Ala., G. C. Blanton, Selma, Ala., F. W. Moseley, Orrville, Ala.

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TIFFIN-KLINNER FURNITURE CO.
New Location—Fox Building South Of The Court House
Clanton, Alabama

Plans For County Play Day Are Completed

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stanzas of America The Beautiful followed by the Pledge to the Flag.

III. Each school send its one representative in the spelling contest to the auditorium.

IV. Games and Stunts—

1. First Grade and Second Grade:
   a. Charlie Over the Water.
   b. Catch of Fish.
   c Ducks Fly.
   d. Partner Tag.
2. Third Grade and Fourth Grade:
   a. Freight Train Tag.
   b. Hill Dill.
   c. Corner Dodge Ball.
   d. Arch Goal Relay.
3. Fifth Grade and Sixth Grade:
   a. Progressive Dodge Ball.
   b. Circle Relay.
   c. Catch and Pull Tug of War.
   d. Barley Break.

(Miss Garrison, State Department of Physical Education, will select games to be played. Let every school be ready for all games.)

NOTE:—The Feature Numbers will be announced at intervals during the morning. The schools to give feature numbers are listed in the order of their appearance on the stage.

1. Isabella boys, 2. Verbena; 3. Isabella girls; 4. Jemison; 5. County High School.

V. LUNCH HOUR 12:00—1:00.

VI. Athletic Events—

(Girls will occupy the south side of the playground and boys will occupy the north side.)

Program for Girls' Events

1. Hoop Race: 8 from each group representing each school (Misses Cofield and Wible in charge).
2. Standing Broad Jump: 1 from each group representing each school (Mrs. Reynolds and B. C. Griffin in charge).
3. Potato Race: 8 from each group representing each school. Each school furnishes potatoes or bean bags (Misses Wible and Cofield in charge).
4. 50 Yard Dash: 1 from each group representing each school (Mrs. Reynolds and B. C. Griffin in charge).
5. Distance Throw: 1 from each group representing each school (Misses Wible and Cofield in charge).
6. Chariot Race: 4 from each group representing each school (Mrs. Reynolds and B. C. Griffin in charge).
7. Sack Race: 1 from each group representing each school (Misses Cofield and Wible in charge).
8. Dodge Ball: 25 from each group representing each school (Mrs. Reynolds and B. C. Griffin in charge).

Events for Boys

1. Running high jump.
2. Running broad jump.
3. Standing broad jump.
4. Standing high jump.
5. 100 yard dash.
6. Football kick.
7. Relay race (4).
8. Three-legged race.
9. Sack race.
10. Greasy Pole Climb.

Banners:—Each school must supply two sticks (broom handles) or other sticks the same length, on which the school banners will be carried in the parade. After the parade the sticks with the banner will be placed in front of the home area of each school.

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Concord-Billingsley

We had a very commendable Sunday School lesson Sunday morning and the strvice was well attended, especially with little folks. We are always glad to see the little folks come out to Sunday school. We invite all the little folks and older ones, too, who are in reach and do not attend school elsewhere to come and join us for we need your help.

And also the Christian Endeavor program was very good. Our topic was, "What Jesus Teaches About God." It was a very interesting subject to study about.

Misses Connie and Sallie Shaw were the Sunday afternoon guests of Miss Bessie Williams.

Miss Jettie Williams dined with Miss Virginia Little Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Grimes and daughter, Evelyn, and Mrs. Erie Carter and daughter, Ruth Dell, of Maplesville, took dinner at the home of Mrs. W. W. Williams Monday of this week.

Mrs. Willie Tindall visited friends in Pletcher, Ala., last Sunday.

Mrs. Neatie Bangs of Birmingham spent some time here visiting relatives the first part of last week.

Mr. Tom Carter of Birmingham was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams Sunday morning.

Mr. Alfonza Shaw was the guest of Mr. Charles Foshee Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams and children spent Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

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LAY DAM SCOUTS HAVE INTERESTING PROGRAMS

Friday night, February 20th, the Boy Scouts of Lay Dam had their regular troop meeting.

Starting February 8th, and ending February 14th, we celebrated Boy Scouts Anniversary Week. On Feb. 8th we listened in to the Boy Scouts program and had a discussion of the following program of the week: Monday, Feb. 9th, we had a wiener roast and enjoyed it wonderfully. Feb. 10th we went to church and heard a sermon on Boy Scouts. Feb. 11th, we celebrated Edison's birthday. Feb. 12, was Lincoln's birthday and of course we couldn't miss that and the last one of all was Friday, Feb. 13th, which was Parent's Night, and we planned a hike for Saturday, but it was a bad day and we couldn't go. That ended up our joyous week.

Last Friday we went on with our regular meeting. Each patrol has planned to make a patrol den and also we are planning to make a summer camp.

—Scribe of Flying Eagle.

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HONOR ROLL CLANTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL

First Grade: Kathleen Armstrong, Marjorie Bullard, Jack Lowery, Clarie Marie Cooper, James Duke Heflin,.

Second Grade: Berniece Lowe, Ann Ross, Lillian Smith, Mary Wyatt, Norman Harris.

Third Grade: Kathleen Petty, Grace Ezell, Annie Cordelia Smith.

Four Grade: Mildred Maddox, Olive Rainer Elmore.

Special Mention List

First Grade: Walter Mims, Preston Mims, A. J. McKinnon, Charles Neighbors, Edna Blalock, Nina Flo Headley, Kathleen Thornton, Ray Cooper, Louise Eubanks, Wilbur Prince.

Second Grade: Lorene Bone, Buddie Popwell, Aubrey Teel.

Third Grade: Hester Littlefield, Irene Culver, Lamurle Deloach, Mary Frances Atkinson, Mary Louise Maddox, T. J. Rasberry.

Fourth Grade: Dorothy Carter, Peggy Page, Mary Reba Peyton, May Aniece Polk, Nell Rockett, Mary Culver.

Fifth Grade: Mary Dell Brown, Margaret McNair, Marie Benson, Marzelle Taylor, Willodean Teel, Elzie Sewell.

Sixth Grade, Mary Armstrong, Jane Neighbors, Edith Parrish.

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MOTHER OF HORSLEY WHITE DIED IN GEORGIA, RECENTLY

Mr. and Mrs. Horsley White and children left last Friday for Chipley, Ga., where they were called on account of the death of Mr. White's mother.

This bit of news will be received with deep regret by the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. White of this section. The News understands that the deceased had been seriously ill for some time.

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DAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. H. L. ALDRIDGE DIED FEB. 24TH

Helen Seline, the eighteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Aldridge, died at her home in the Mt. Pisgah community on Tuesday, February 24th, following a lingering illness.

Funeral services were held on the following Wednesday at Mt. Pisgah. Interment in the Mt. Pisgah cemetery with Martin in charge.

The best Sewing Machine oil in town, 15c. Clanton Drug Co. Good for Reels, Guns, etc.

G. M. WYATT HAS CHARGE OF THE WOCO STATION

Assumed Possession, Popular Filling Station On The First Of March

A business transaction which brought together a most prominent filling station operator and tire dealer and a popular filling station, was closed recently in Clanton when G. M. (Mun) Wyatt took over the Woco-Pep Station, located in the heart of town, just across from the courthouse on Sixth Street.

Mr. Wyatt took this station over on March 1, giving up the station formerly operated by him, on the highway, near the Ford Building, where Shell products were handled. Mr. Wyatt stated that he will continue to handle the Firestone line of tires and tubes, and carry on his tire and tube vulcanizing business in his new location.

The station will continue under the firm name of the Woco Station of Clanton, and Mr. Wyatt wishes to impress on the minds of the people his new location, just across the street from the courthouse. He will have as his assistants at the station, Reuben Wyatt and Jack Armstrong.

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STILL PAYING CENTRAL FEES OF PEOPLES TELEPHONE CO.

Some few are still paying up central fees to the Peoples Telephone Company. Up to the present there have been a total of 202 to pay their fees. Better service is being given this year than for the past several years, and there is nothing to prevent phoneholders getting good service all the time. Of course, there will naturally be interferences caused from one thing and another. But the minute that you realize something is wrong, you should locate the trouble. If it is something wrong with your phone or the line, fix it and don't wait for somebody else on the line to do it. And if you are positive the trouble is in Clanton, make your complaint to Mr. Giles or to T. E. Wyatt at The Union-Banner office, and every effort will be made to get it straightened out. Don't come up here and say that you have not got central in a month; but let your troubles be known at once, because we want you to get service all the time.

Now, if you have not paid your central fees, do so just as early as you possibly can. If you haven't paid, don't expect the company to tote you on thru the year for nothing. Be man enough to not ask for service over your own or anybody else's phone unless you have paid your fees. The company needs the money and you need the service.

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MT. PLEASANT SCHOOL WINS OVER CLANTON M. E. TEAM

On last Friday afternoon the boys basket ball team of the Clanton Methodist church went down to defeat at the hands of the Mt. Pleasant team, 19 to 4.

This game was more exciting and interesting than the one-sided score indicates, for it was fought in a clean, clear-cut manner, both teams displaying real sportsmanship.

The Methodist boys seemed unable to break the defense formed by the Pleasant boys as they were limited to one field goal. The other two points came by fouls.

Curtis Traywick flashed his usual goal-shooting ability for the winners by netting the ball for 13 points.

Parker and Cecil Traywick played a great defensive game at guard positions.

These two teams meet again on the Mt. Pleasant court next Friday evening March 6th, at 3:15.

The Clanton boys won over the Mt. Pleasant boys Saturday night in a very lively and hard fought game, 16 to 20. The scre was tied, 16-all, with one and one quarter minutes to go, but two long field goals by Busby and McMurray at this anxious moment of the game gave the church boys a 4-point margin.

The lights were somewhat confusing to the Mt. Pleasant boys as they were unable to pass the ball systematically without fumbling. Curtis Traywick was high point man for Mt. Pleasant. He looped the ball for 12 points.

Everyone is invited to see this game between these teams next Friday. Go and pull for your favorite.

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WALTER C. PATTERSON BURIED AT CHESTNUT CREEK SUNDAY

Funeral services for Walter C. Patterson, age 48, who died Saturday night at his home three miles south of Clanton, were held Sunday at Chestnut Creek, with the Rev. W. P. Lowery officiating. Interment followed in the Chestnut Creek cemetery, with Martin, undertakers, in charge.

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T. B. DeRamus, merchant of Verbena, was in Clanton Monday on business.

4-H Club Boys Plan Work For 1931

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Isabella School—Earle Thomas, Leader; James Deason, President; Clifford Manning, Vice-President; Homer Morgan, Secretary-Treasurer.

Other members of the club are John Griffin, Dave Griffin, Winford Lecroy, Melvin White, Sidney Griffin, Clifford Davenport, James Calfee, Dorman Williams, Harry Fox, Van Williams, Jimmie Ware, Walter Lecroy, Homer Lecroy, Elree Calfee, Andrew Jones, Renfro Oden, Robert Calfee, Berman Cadle, George DeShazo, Arlie Bone, Norwood Jones, Woodrow Morgan, Charles Griffin, Pierce Griffin, Crayton Deramus, Mitchell White and Thomas Lenoir.

Maplesville School—Leader to be selected later; Lindsey McAfee, President; Jesse Hayes, Vice-President; Thurston Batson, Secretary-Treasurer.

Other members of the club are Edward Hayes, Horace Wallace, Calvin Smith, Tommie Williams, Bartie Smith, Howard Smitherman, Billy Smitherman, Henry Smitherman, Thomas Elliott, Monroe Hayes, Van Potts, H. M. Nix, Jr., Frank Brown, Raymond Oden, Louis McGee, C. V. Smith, Joe Latham, J. E. Wallace, Jr., Melton Wallace, Hershal Shanks, Clarence Dennis, Willard Hicks, Clifford Bowden, J. C. Latham, Charles Shoults, Tommie Headley and Charles Parnell.

Stanton School—A. B. Jones, Leader; Jack Jones, President; Woodrow Jones, Vice-President; Merritt Walker, Secretary-Treasurer.

Other members of the club are Ben Bearden, Buck Burnett, John Harris, Melvin Carter, Pettus Carter, Plato Chambers, Cecil Walker, Ernest Harris and Wilton Grover.

Mr. Stapp did not visit Fairview community, but found seven or eight Fairview community boys attending school at Isabella. Upon suggestion of Mr. Stapp, these boys went into session and elected officers and deferred electing the adult leader until they could meet with the other boys of their community. Marvin Durbin was elected President; Cecil McKee, Vice-President and Delus Culp, Secretary-Treasurer. Other members of the Fairview club are Winston Culp, Alton Culp, Clint Billingsley, J. P. Poole, O. T. Scott, Morris Keen, Carlos Owen, Baxter Popwell, Julius Mullins, Woodrow Durbin, Warren Keen, John Nelson and S. L. Broadhead, Jr.

We have been informed that Fairview Club was the only club organized with officers last year. Mr. Stapp states that the splendid work done by this club is largely responsible for the plan to organize communities all over the county this year.

Mr. Stapp is offering a silver cup with the name of the officers of the club engraved thereon to the club doing the best all-round 4-H club work this year. Mr. Stapp expects to visit as many other school communities in the county as he can within the next three weeks and help the boys set up their community organization. The boys are selecting various projects, among which are cotton, corn, three pigs, litter of pigs, purebred Jersey calves and grade beef calves, garden and poultry.

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Mrs. Lela Duke Died At Randolph, Ala.

Mrs. Lela Duke, age 64, died last Wednesday at her home at Randolph. Burial was at Randolph Thursday afternoon in charge of Mell Martin. The funeral was conducted by Rev. Buford Lawrence.

Mrs. Duke was the wife of G. Twig Duke, who died in 1908. She is survived by five sons, G. W., G. T., F. W., and F. B. Duke, of Selma, and F. N. Duke of Randolph; three daughters, Mrs. W. P. Wright, of Birmingham, Mrs. C. M. Miller of Birmingham and Mrs. Grady Heflin of Clanton.

She has one sister, Mrs. J. T. Reese, of Prattville.

Mrs. Duke was well known in Clanton, where she had been a frequent visitor at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Heflin. Several of her friends and acquaintances from here attended the funeral at Randolph last Thursday afternoon.

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WADESONIAN HAS GOOD PROGRAM FOR WEEK MARCH 4-10

The management of the Wadesonian Theatre is announcing a very good program for the coming week, beginning March 5. Tonight they present George O'Brien and Myrna Loy in "The Last of the Duanes," as the feature. Friday and Saturday, an all-talking, new brand of Western picture, "Pardon my Gun," as the feature, and for Monday and Tuesday, March 9 and 10, Irene Dunam, Ken Murray and Louise Fazenda in "Leathernecking." A complete program of the Wadesonian's pictures each week appears in the News.

"Ferrac Almost Like A Miracle" Says McQueen

President of Rumbley Brothers Endorses Nature's Own Prescription

Hardly a day passes but what some new and outstanding accomplishment of Ferrac, nature's wonderful prescription unchanged by man, comes to light. How its strengthening, invigorating, health-giving ingredients go to the very root of ailments that have previously baffled all medicines and treatments tried. Read the statement recently made by Capt. Wm. A. McQueen, Greenville, Ala.

"I want to go on record as saying that for chronic stomach troubles and indigestion I don't believe there is anything that will even approach Ferrac. I was in a hospital in Montgomery for eight weeks for an operation, and when the operation was over, nausea set in that it seemed impossible to control and I actually thought I'd die from it —and so did everybody else. When everything at hand in the hospital had been exhausted, I sent to Greenville for a bottle of Ferrac, and as wonderful as it may seem, after the fourth dose my nausea had entirely ceased and I was actually eating and enjoying he meals to the astonishment of everyone in the hospital. I have known Ferrac to be tried in many different ailments and never yet have I ever heard that it failed to bring relief."

This marvelous natural compound is on sale at All drug stores, or if the druggist cannot supply it, send $1.00 to the Greenville Products Co., Greenville, Alabama. adv.

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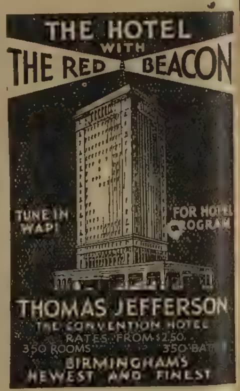

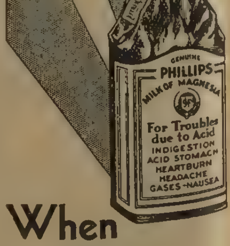

When PAIN Comes

WHAT many people call indigestion very often means excess acid in the stomach. The stomach nerves have been over-stimulated, and food sours. The corrective is an alkali, which quickly neutralizes acids. And the best alkali known to medical science is Phillips Milk of Magnesia.

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MEETING HERE ON MARCH 19 OF IMPORTANCE

Visitors From Selma To Be The Guests of Kiwanis Club On Highway Subject

A meeting has been called for Thursday, March 19th, in Clanton, at the courthouse for the purpose of organizing an association to promote the early paving of the highway connecting Selma and Clanton. This meeting will also be in the interest of the paving of the road running along the points of the Georgia Line, Anniston, Talladega, Columbiana, Calera, Clanton, Maplesville, Plantersville, Selma and Mobile, one of the most important route through this section of the state.

The meeting is scheduled to be held at ten-thirty o'clock Thursday morning, March 19th. Following this meeting at the courthouse, all visitors will be entertained by the Clanton Kiwanis Club at noon for luncheon.

Much interest is being shown in this project and it is expected a large crowd will be in attendance at the meeting next Thursday. An invitation to all those who are interested in this work, has been sent out, to be present at the meeting. Many visitors from Selma, Maplesville, and other points along the route are expected to be in Clanton on that day, it was stated.

The paving of this road will be of great benefit to Clanton, and other towns in Chilton County.

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W. J. Patrick of Billingsley, Ala., was in Clanton Saturday.

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New Chevrolet Stolen From Polk Brothers

Monday morning of this week, the Polk Brothers Motor Company was one car less in their show rooms, and it was not a sale, nor a gift that caused the shortage. Someone entered the building during the night and simply drove the car, a new Chevrolet coach, ut the front door, and also carried with them approximately forty dollars in cash, taken from the safe.

According to the information given the News, the burglar entered the building by breaking a small glass from a window, and unlatching the window, made his entrance. Before leaving, the safe was opened and rifled of the money, and the car stolen, the front door of the show room being opened from the inside. It was also stated that supply of tools belonging to an employee was taken.

The discovery was not made until Monday morning when employees came to work. Police of Tuscaloosa notified Polk Brothers that they had found the car, parked on a street there, abandoned. It was sent for Tuesday afternoon, and it was stated the car was not damaged.

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Oliver Manning, a student at Auburn, spent the past week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Manning, in the Mulberry community.

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F. D. Nix, of Maplesville, Ala., was in Clanton Tuesday attending to business matters.

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M. Lande, prominent merchant of lanton, made a business trip to Montgomery Tuesday.

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Ex-Convict To Speak At Baptist Church

Alvern S. Allen, for fifteen years a convict, will speak to the young people of our town Sunday night at 7:30 at the Baptist church. He was converted while in prison and is now giving his life in lecturing to our college and high school students. He comes highly recommended by Dr. Snavely of Birmingham Southern, and Dr. Harry Clark of Judson, and many of the leading pastors over the South. From the recommendations, the pastor would urge everyone who can to hear him.

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THORSBY P.-T. A. WILL SERVE CHICKEN DINNERS SATURDAY

The announcement was made this week that the Parent-Teachers Association of Thorsby, Alabama will serve chicken dinners next Saturday in the lower story of the Masonic Building in Thorsby at eleven o'clock. Plates will be sold at 25 cents each, the proceeds of this to go toward paying for the new pump at the Thorsby Junior High School.

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SIXTH ANNUAL SIGN WEEK IS IN PROGRESS

James Sign Shop Of Clanton Is Taking Active Part In Large Program

The Sixth Annual National Sign Week is being observed all over the United States this week, from March 9 to March 14th. The James Sign Shop of Clanton, known the state over for its splendid work, is taking a most active part in the program for Alabama, which is being most effectively carried out in Birmingham.

Frank P. James, proprietor, of the James Sign Shop, has been in Birmingham for several days at intervals, assisting in the arranging of displays, that are occupying three large display windows in the building of the Birmingham Electric Company, located on First Avenue, and 21st Street, North.

Clanton is most attractively represented in the display in one of the large windows in the Magic City, the material for which was furnished by the James Sign Shop. This shop was awarded one of the coveted prizes for appearance of displays of signs and such work in the celebration of last year, and will no doubt be honored again this year as their work is receiving numerous favorable comments from various sources.

Elsewhere in this issue of the News will be found a large ad from The James Sign Shop calling attention to the Sixth Annual National Sign Week. They are working in cooperation with the Birmingham Associated Sign Contractors. Those people from this section will receive a treat, if while in Birmingham during this week, they will go to see the attractive window displays as stated above. Coupled with the advertising being given this observance, there are sixty street cars in Birmingham carrying special signs calling attention to the annual sign week. Read the ad from the local sign shop in this issue.

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EDUCATIONAL QUARTERS ARE BEING PUT IN FINE SHAPE

Carpenters and painters have been very busy this week doing some fine work on the old Potts Home, next to the courthouse which now houses the Educational System of Chilton County.

The educational work was transferred to this building so as to enable the workers to have more room, as the former location was somewhat crowded.

Carpenters are repairing the place, putting in new windows, etc., while painters are doing some good work on the outside giving the biulding a fresh coat of paint. The office of the County Welfare Superintendent is also located in this building and many favorable comments are being heard on the change.

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Dr. Arthur Johnson left last Tuesday for Jacksonville, Fla., where he will spend several days.

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C. H. Patterson, of Verbena, Rt. 1, was a visitor to Clanton last Friday on business. While in town Mr. Patterson called at the News office and had his name added to the growing list of subscribers there.

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Come to Play Day, Friday, this week.

Entire County Looking Forward To Play Day

Local Post American Legion And Boy Scouts To Take Part In Parade Tomorrow Morning; Thousands Are Expected Here Friday

Through the energetic efforts of the county school officials and the cooperation of the entire teaching staff of Chilton County, there will be one of the best days we have ever had in this county on Friday of this week. Patrons and children alike are looking forward to the day of educational exhibits, the county spelling bee, and complete enjoyment in organized play. Some of the interesting features of the day are the greasy pole climb for the boys and the sack race for girls and boys. That will interest and be a treat to the most pessimistic onlookers.

The parade from the high school thru town led by the local post of the American Legion promises to be a feature of the day according to Prof. L. C. Warr of the Chilton County high school who heads the Parade Committee.

Coach T. H. Walker, head of the athletic events committee, will be busy this week with the help of C. C. H. S. students marking off the athletic field in Clanton for the convenience of Chilton County schools and each school will have a definite part in play day.

The committee on exhibits, of which Miss Thomas of Clanton Grammar school is chairman, is hard at work with the problem of labelling each space for exhibits, and designing directions for each school, to display its work.

According to Prof. I. J. Quinn, principal of the Clanton Grammar School and Chairman of the Play Day Activities, the day will be completely filled with interesting instructive and constructive events.

School publicity men and newspaper folks are expected and each performance will be observed and credited with it's merits, and passed on by due authority to those unfortunates that will not be able to attend.

The interest is at white heat at the different schools and according to reports, each student from each school is looking forward with eager enthusiasm to the promising eventful day.

According to the school census 6,000 students are expected to gather at the Chilton County High School for the Red-Letter Day in school progress.

Teachers should and must bring their exhibits Thursday afternoon to the County High School in order that the exhibits committee will have time to space their exhibits.

Miss Jessie B. Garrison of the State Department of Education will direct the elementary games to be played through the day, assisted by the Elementary Supervisor, Miss Madge Scarborough and chosen aids.

Everyone is optimistic about the success of Field Day and according to some of the teachers they are looking forward to and comparing the tentative Gala Festival with the early civilized Roman lust for enjoyment stating that all is well if the bell rings and the drum beats.

EX-SERVICE MEN TO MEET FRIDAY NIGHT

Judson Snead of Talladega To Explain Matters of Interest To Legionnaires

Commander Joe Calloway, of Chilton County Post, American Legion, announces that a meeting of great importance to ex-soldiers will be held at the courthouse in Clanton Friday night of this week at eight o'clock. Every ex-soldier in Chilton County, whether he is a member of the American Legion or not, is urged to come.

Mr. Judson Snead, of Talladega, has been designated by the Alabama Legion headquarters to come here and explain to the ex-service men some important matters concerning adjusted compensation loans, disability allowances, and war risk insurance.

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Representative Percy Pitts will go to Centerville Friday night of this week to speak at a meeting of the ex-service men of Bibb County.

ATTENDANCE RATINGS FOR CO. SCHOOLS

Chicago Sales Company Gives Prizes For Attendance For January

The Chicago Sales Company is the donor of the attendance prizes for the month of January, to the Jemison Senior High School, Cooper Junior High School and the Mitchell Dam Elementary School.

Attendance ratings for Chilton County Schools, January, 1931.

Junior High Grades

1. Cooper: J. L. Wilson, prin., 23 on roll; per cent attendance 95.80.
2. Chilton Co. High: L.C. Warr, princ., 123 on roll; per cent. at. 95.50.
3. Maplesville: E. E. Owen, prin., 49 on roll, percent at. .... 95.23.
4. Thorsby: W. T. Bean, prin., 45 on roll, percent at. .... 94.13.
5. Mt. Pleasant: R. B. Johnson, prin., 55 on roll, percent at. .... 93.87.

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Well Known Cotton Buyer Tells of Condition Of Chilton County Cotton in Letter To Agent

George C. Polk, widely known in this section as a cotton buyer with his brother, W. M. Polk, Sr., tells something of the condition of the cotton raised in Chilton County, from the opinions of several boards for the grading of cotton. Apparently the farmers of Chilton County need to forget about raising cotton for awhile until they see fit to improve the staple, and get busy raising something for other markets, not quite so flooded. Following is the letter from Mr. Polk, to County Agent Stapp:

Mr. C. E. Stapp,
Clanton, Ala.,
Dear Sir:

The time is drawing near when the farmers will begin to plant cotton seed, so we think now is the time for you to increase your efforts to encourage the farmers of this county to plant a better variety of seed than they have been planting in the past.

As you are no doubt aware, Chilton County grown cotton has a very poor reputation with the mills account of it being so very short in staple. In fact some of the large mills will not buy any Chilton County cotton at any price on account of the staple.

Just the other day a cotton shipper told me he shipped a carload of Chilton county cotton to one of our largest Alabama mills and that when the cotton reached the mil land they opened the car door and saw from the tags that it came from Chilton County that they closed the doors and refused the entire shipment without even looking at it.

Naturally when our cotton has a reputation like that, we can not expect to get the best market price for it, and the only way we can improve our market is to get the county as a whole to plant a variety of seed that will produce full 7-8" to 1" staple, and then when they do that and the shippers and mills see that we are raising full 7-8" to 1" cotton they will compete for it and we will get a much better price.

We note from cotton journals that there is a great falling off in consumption of American grown cottons as compared with foreign growths. This is because we have let our staple run down until it is no better than the foreign growths and the foreign growths

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New Market Opens Soon In Canton

Much activitiy was going on in the grocery side of the Clanton Cash Store this week, due to the installation of a modern cooling refrigerator and show cases to be used in the meat market which is being added to this store.

O. B. DeLoach stated to a representative of the News that by Saturday they hoped to be ready to serve their customers with meats of all kinds. Heretofore the grocery department of the Clanton Cash Store has been confined strictly to groceries, but will now be in position to furnish the choicest of meats, both local and Western, according to Mr. DeLoach.

The new equipment which is being installed is of the latest type, insuring sanitation at all times. It was also stated that Eli Moatts. a well known market man of this county will have charge of the new market. Mr. Moatt's experience in this line will assure the people of this section some real service, now that he is again back in his former role. A formal opening day for the new market will be announced later Mr. DeLoach stated.

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SCHOOL TERMS DISCUSSED IN THIS COUNTY

Board To Meet With Teachers This Week to Discuss Problem of Term

Information gathered from the office of the Superintendent of Education of Chilton County this week that the County Board of Education will be called to meet sometime this week for the purpose of a discussion of the problem of the seemingly inevitable short school term for Chilton County schools now facing them.

Teachers of the county will also be called to meet with the Board of Education on this important subject, it was also stated, to decide what steps can be made to continue the school terms for the usual full number of months.

Many persons are of the opinion that something will occur by which Chilton County will be able to continue their schools this year for the full term, while others are skeptical over the situation. As far as finances needed to carry on the school term, are concerned, there is grave danger of the schools being discontinued right away, it was learned this week. as the balance now in the treasury for this purpose is very small, and there seems to be no indications of more finance coming in right away, that is, a sufficient amount to pay salaries of the teachers.

The money borrowed by the state has already been used to pay salaries of teachers in the county, according to information given the News, and the amount set out for school purposes by the state from poll tax in this county for the year 1930-31 is only $1765.50, an amount which is said to be one of the lowest known from this source in Chilton County in several years. This being due to the fact that this is not an election year.

Apparently there are only two alternatives. One is that the teachers of the county, through their generosity, will agree to teach the full term out, and receive their compensation when it will be possible to pay them, and the other is for the schools to close immediately, it was learned at the educational offices here this week. A general concensus of opinion states that the teachers of the county will agree on the former.

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ISABELLA SENIOR CLASS TO PUBLISH UNIQUE NEWSPAPER

Copy for one of the most unique newspapers ever published in this county was brought to the News office Tuesday from the Senior Class of the Isabella High School, and work on printing it will start immediately.

This newspaper compiled by the students of the Isabella school will be of four pages, and not quite as large as the regular newspapers. Stories carried in it were taken from the story of "Silas Marner" which they have been studying in English Class, under the direction of Miss Bonnie Clyde Griffin.

The name of "The Raveloe Herald" has been given the paper and only one publication will be made. The students of the Senior Class of the Isabella High School, and Miss Griffin are to be congratulated on publishing the paper. It will speak well of the school and those pupils taking part in it.

Come to Play Day, March 1[illegible] 1931.

SHORT WORK IS MADE OF TWO FIRES HERE

Homes of Clay Marcus and H. Nelson Slightly Damaged By Fire Recently

The Volunteer Fire Department of Clanton received two calls here during the past few days, and made short work of both cases. The first call came Sunday morning at 9:30, when the home of Clay Marcus was endangered by fire said to have originated near a hot water tank in the kitchen. The second call came Monday about noon at the home of H. Nelson, just west of the Wilson Hotel.

The Marcus fire is believed to have been one of the quickest ever extinguished by the firemen. Fire Chief Loren Smith stated that it was estimated that within three minutes after the alarm was turned in, the fire was practically extinguished. Damage to fixtures in the home was estimated at one hundred dollars, and damage to the building at $250, according to Chief Loren Smith.

The Nelson fire did not amount to much. Fortunately two of the firemen were near the home when the alarm was given and only a short time was used in extinguishing the blaze. Damage was estimated at $25, it was stated. Apparently, a fire in Clanton, regardless of the hour, has very little chance to do a great deal of damage, with the fire department on the job with their modern truck and equipment, provided the alarm is given before the flames have gained too much headway. The firemen are to be commended for their splendid organization

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C. C. H. S. Undergraduate Play On March 20th

"The Wild Oats Boy," a comedy drama in three acts, will be presented on Friday night, March 20, in the Chilton County High School Auditorium. We expect this play to be one of the best ever given in this auditorium.

Characters for the play and the parts for each player are as follows: Eloyse Jones plays the part of Aunt Anne, housekeeper in Uncle George's house; Sally Mahan as Della, the maid; Jane Roberts as Judy, Uncle George's adopted daughter; Herman Harris as Danny Murphy, the cook, "maybe"; Charlsie Pyron plays, Pat Gilden, a friend of Judy's; Ethel Mae Jones as Eve Martin, another of Judy's friends; James Arnold, a cousin from New York is Jake Peters; Prue, the country cousin, is played by Frances Maddox, and her pestiferous son, Trouty, is played by Ottis Miller; Chuck, the ex-prizefighter, is played by Leroy Martin; Seth, the Uncle from Maine, is played by Joe VanDerveer, and Uncle George's darkey servant is played by J. P. Jones. Eddie, "The Wild Oats Boy," is played by Erle Ellis. He must be in bed every night by 8:00 o'clock in order to get his uncle's will of $50,000. Will he get the money? Be there and see.

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CALF CLUB BOYS WILL MEET IN CLANTON THURSDAY, 19TH

Announcement was made from the office of the County Agent that the Calf Club boys of Chilton County will meet at that office on Thursday, March 19th, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

C. M. Ling of Auburn, and a specialist on this work will be in Clanton for that day to attend the meeting of the boys and will no doubt give some information that will be worthwhile to hear. All the boys interested in this work are urged to be at the meeting next Thursday at the office of the County Agent in Clanton.

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POLK BROS. OFFERING REAL BARGAINS IN USED CARS

The Polk Brothers Motor Company are this week offering some mighty attractive prices on good used cars, according to an ad appearing elsewhere in this issue.

It is stated by the company, who are also well known Chevrolet dealers, that they believe the prices they have placed on used cars for their Spring Used Car Sale, are among the lowest, if not the lowest, they have ever offered the people of this section, and it would probably be advisable to those contemplating purchasing a used car to read the ad in this issue of the News.

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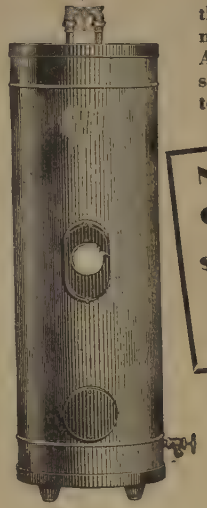
Miss Ruth Sessions had as her guest during the past week end Miss Mittie Sprott, a student at Alabama College, Montevallo.



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$20 TRADE IN for YOUR OLD HEATER

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"SERVING FARM—FACTORY—FIRESIDE"

IN MEMORY OF E. WILLIS TAYLOR

Whereas God in His infinite wisdom has seen fit to remove from us our beloved one. Elbert Willis Taylor, age 35 years and one month. He was taken from us Friday, Feb. 13, at noon. Gone to dwell with God eternally. Funeral services were held in the Clayton St Baptist church at Montgomery on Feb. 14, at ten o'clock with Bro. F. M. Barnes in charge, with interment in the Chestnut Creek cemetery at Coopers, Ala.

He was married to Miss Nan Robinson eleven years ago. To this union one little girl came to brighten the home, age ten years. He was faithful to God and his work here, giving his life to Him at an early age. His pastor said he often talked with him about his faith in Christ. He was always at Sunday school and prayer services. He taught a class of boys He has left budded roses to bloom He ministered to the sick, visiting the hospital often, and always with a cheerful word.

Dear husband, and father, we miss your presence, your voice is still, your chair is vacant. We are so lonely without you. Dear son, we miss you. You were so true to us. We miss you, dear brother. Oh, how we will miss you here, yet we know you live. We know you have laid down the cross and taken the crown. You will know no sorrow. We meekly bow in humble submission to the Father's will and we realize that our loss is His gain.

A man who was a kind and loving father, gentle and loving in his dealings with, not only his loved ones, but with all whom he came in contact. A man whom you always knew where to place on every moral, religious, social or political issue. A man abounding in the work of the Lord and exemplary in his deportment. A man who bore his suffering bravely to the end, having fought a good fight and finished his cares.

Softly his hands are folded at rest—
  The hands and the heart that have rendered their best.
Gently his hands have planted the seeds,
  That petaled their fulness in generous deeds;
Blossoming deep where memory lends
  Beauty and fragrance that ever ascends.
Softly his soul has traveled alone
  The valley of shadows so dark and unknown.
Softly his hands are folded at rest,
  While his soul with a smile that has ever caressed
The friends of his heart—
  There's a smile on his face—
Smiling at friends with a wistful regret
  The friends of his heart, there's a smile on his face.
Stalwart and brave was his generous heart,
  Smiling at friends whom death never can part,
For love is eternal and royalits role,
  Purple its garments and white is its soul.

Left to mourn him: His wife and daughter, Annie Myra, father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tayolr, four sisters, Mrs. E. D. Hand, Clanton, Ala., Mrs. A. L. Taylor, Clanton, Ala., Mrs. Ira Smith, Haleyville, Ala., Miss Lucille Taylor, Coopers, Ala., three brothers, A. J. Taylor, Coopers, Ala., B. L. Taylor, Coopers, Ala., and L. Roy Taylor, Montgomery, Ala., and a host of friends and relatives

—One Who Loved Him.

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Czar of Baseball

Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis snapped at Clearwater, Fla. on the first day of the Brooklyn Robins' spring training. Spring is here!

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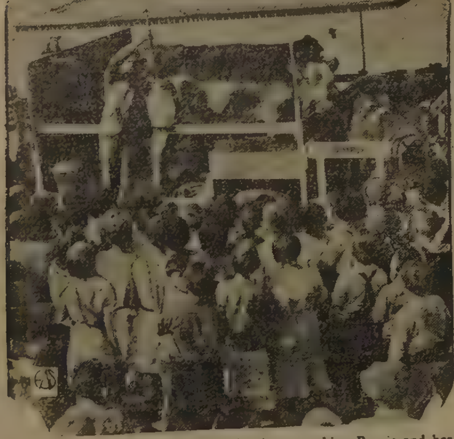

Los Angeles Board of Education is now taking Bossie and her [illegible] for a [illegible]—a ride around to all the schools in the city—and all because a recent survey disclosed that there were thousands of city [illegible] children who had never seen a cow—a calf or a churn. The caravan is shown here at its first stop.

MAIN STREET Looks at BROADWAY

Missing Little Misses—

From the hubbub at the disappearance and finding in New York of a missing heiress of a nearby city, comes the report of the Girls' Service League of America that 120 missing girls are yet to be located.

The director of the league says that in spite of the interest caused by this affair, this is an off season for runaways. Only 8 girls were docketed as such in the records of the association during January. Other years, the number has reached 18 for that month. Stories of breadlines and unemployment here are believed responsible for the decrease.

Sweet Sixteen—

The most popular time for running away from home is March, with its promise of warmer weather and the chances to hitch-hike. The second most popular month is September, before the opening of school. Sixteen is the average age. Next to New York City itself, most girls come from Pennsylvania. One girl has run away from a small mill town there three times.

Few runaways tell the truth about themselves, investigators say. They usually spin fantastic stories about the brutality of their parents, some claiming that their mothers are dead and that their fathers are either dead, drunken or abusive. Not many come to the league directly. It is when they find out for themselves that New York's streets are not paved with gold that they ask where to go for help. A surprising number ask taxi drivers for advice.

Fiery Words—

If the men under the new deputy fire chief, John J. McElligott, want to express strong emotion when they burn their fingers they must limit themselves to "shucks" and "durn." In extreme cases they may say "heck" and "jimminy crickets," but nothing stronger.

That is the chief's order, and he has over six feet of brawn to enforce it. He has never been known to fire a man for a few "natural expressions," but his men know that he doesn't approve of "cuss words," so they hold themselves down pretty well when he is within earshot.

He is a family man and a devout church member, and doesn't consider swearing a qualification for fire-fighting. He ought to know for he's been doing it for 24 years.

Silent Tribute—

Where applause for her skill and daring had echoed time and again, a throng at Madison Square Garden bowed their heads in silent tribute to Lillian Leitzel, the beloved aerial artist recently killed by a fall from a trapeze in Copenhagen.

The house was darkened as a spotlight played upon a white rope, the symbol of her art, which was slowly lowered from the roof. When the rope stopped moving, Joe Humphries, famous prize-fight announcer, pronounced the words, "To the memory of Lillian Leitzel. God rest her soul."

As the rope was drawn slowly up, a drum corps played the "long roll" which was always sounded at the finale of her act. Then the band played "Nearer, My God, To Thee," the lights flashed on, and the ceremony was over.

Auto Suggestion—

A problem before the city right now is what to do with 124 automobiles that nobody, not even their owners, seem to want.

The orphan autos are parked out on the Department of Street Cleaning pier, where they were towed when police had them removed from the streets for violation of parking laws. The owners could have reclaimed them by paying a fine of $10, but neither the money nor the owners have appeared.

The sanatation commissioner wants the pier, but he doesn't want the cars. He's willing to sell them or even push them into the East River, but he isn't sure if that's the proper thing to do in a case like this.

Any auto-suggestions?

W. E. K.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRI. RADIO PROGRAM, MARCH 23-28

Changes in the agricultural outlook for 1931—brought about by recent knowledge of the intentions of farmers to plant crops, will be summarized by agricultural economists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, who will speak in the monthly land grant college radio program of the National Farm and Home Hour on Saturday, March 28.

Land grant colleges join with the Department of Agriculture to take the agricultural outlook information to farmers in their States. The January and February land grant college programs were devoted to announcing the outlook and to explaining the method of getting local information. This program will conclude the series of three monthly broacasts on this topic. Music for the land grant college program in March will be provided by the Iowa State College Glee Club.

The Department of Agriculture and Farm Board programs of the week will include, for the board, the final broadcast of Chris L. Christensen, secretary of the board, before his resigantion from the board to become Dean of the Wisconsin College of Agriculture, and for the department, addresses on such widely diverse topics as land utilization and honey plants.

The complete program for the week follows:

Monday, March 23—"Farm Science News of the Week," by Morse Salisbury, chief of Radio Service; "Making Land Pay Its Way," by H. N. Wheeler, chief forest lecturer, Forest Service.

Tuesday, March 24—"The Garden Calendar," by W. R. Beattie, horticulturist, Bureau of Plant Industry; "Where Honey Comes From," by J. I. Hambleton, apiculturist, Bureau of Entomology.

Wednesday, March 25—"Weather and Crops," by Morse Salisbury, chief of Radio Service; "March Wheat Markets," by G. A. Collier economist, Bureau of Agricultura Economics.

Thursday, March 26—"The Household Calendar," Mrs. Rowena Schmidt Carpenter, home economist, Bureau of Home Economics; "March Dairy Markets," L. M. Davis, economist, Bureau of Agricultural Economics; "Dairy Experimental Results," by T. E. Woodward, dairy husbandman, Bureau of Dairy Industry.

Friday, March 27—"The Farm Business Library," by M. S. Eisenhower, Director of Information; "The Week with the Farm Board," by Edgar Markham, assistant to the chairman, Federal Farm Board; "Progress in Cooperative Marketing," by Chris L. Christensen, secretary, Federal Farm Board.

Saturday, March 28—Land Grant College Program—Including discussion of modifications in 1931 agricultural outlook by members of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics.

The National Farm and Home Hour is broadcast from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Eastern Standard Time; 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Central Standard Time; and 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Mountain Standard Time.

The following stations will broadcast the National Farm and Home Hour programs:

WJZ, New York; WJR, Detroit; KWK, St. Louis; KSTP, St. Paul; WRVA, Richmond; WJAX, Jacksonville; WHAS, Louisville; WMC, Memphis; WJDX, Jackson; KVOO, Tulsa; KPRC, Houston; WKY, Oklahoma City; WRC, Washington; WDAF, Kansas City; WBZ, Springfield; WBZA, Boston; WHAM, Rochester; KYW, Chicago; WREN, Lawrence; WEBC, Superior-Duluth; WIOD, Miami Beach; WSM, Nashville; WSB, Atlanta; WSMB, New Orleans; WFAA-WBAP, Dalas-Fort Worth; WOAI, San Antonio; WOW, Omaha; KDKA, Pittsburgh; WAPI, Birmingham; KTHS, Hot Springs; KFAB, Lincoln; WLW, Cincinnati; WPTF, Raleigh; WBAL, Baltimore; WHO, Des Moines; WOC, Davenport; KOA, Denver; WFLA, Clearwater; WSUN, St. Petersburg.

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NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court In Equity No. 900.
Melna Dekle, Complainant, vs. George Leo Dekle, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Melna Dekle that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said George Leo Dekle to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 21st day of March, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 13th day of February, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
2-19-4tc Register.

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

Last Sunday was a bad day for church attendance, but we were delighted with our congregations. Our services were good. Our church was warm. Our people seemed happy. Let's try and make next Sunday better in every way.

Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Parents take your children and bring them to Sunday school. Are you raising your children for the chain gang Of course not. Then you had better see to it that they are in Sunday school

The pastor preaches at 11 A. M. and at 7:30 P. M. We want to ask that you be in your place. There is always one absent when you are not there

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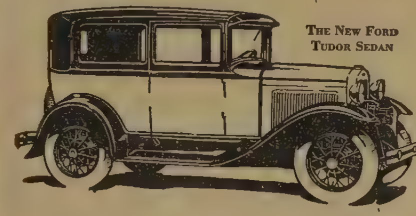

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Sardis News

Last Saturday and Sunday were our regular preaching days here, but our pastor couldn't be with us to fill his appointment. We feel sure that he was hindered from some cause. Brother J. D. Deason delivered a splendid message on Saturday, and Brother Lars Headley on Sunday.

Our Sunday school is progressing nicely. We have on roll 78 members. We invite everybody to come and be with us every Sunday and bring some one with you.

The G. A. girls and Sunbeams had a picnic Saturday afternoon. It was enjoyed by everyone present. Hot chocolate and cake were served.

There was preaching at Mr. Dud Headley's Sunday afternoon by Brother Lars Headley.

The W. M. U. had a quilting in the church on Wednesday of last week and quilted two quilts. It will be announced later to whom they will be given.

Next Sunday is our regular singing evening and we cordially invite everybody to come and be with us, and bring someone with you.

—A Subscriber.

WOOD ALCOHOL DANGER

Federal regulation of the sale of Methanol—wood alcohol— is proposed in a bill introduced in the Senate by Senator Bingham of Connecticut and in the House by Representative Goss of the same state.

These companion bills provide "that wood alcohol shall not be used in any article of food or drink, or in any medicinal or toilet preparation, or in any radiator anti-freeze compound," or sold for any purpose, except under a special permit from the Commisisoner of Industrial Alcohol

The bills also provide that all containers in which wood alcohol is sold have labels containing the words "Deadly Poison; Wood Alcohol" in red letters at least one half inch high, with the customary skull and crossbones used on poison labels, also in red. There must also be the following warning in letters at least one-eighth of an inch high:

"Warning: Wood alcohol is extremely poisonous and may cause blindness or death if it enters the body thru the mouth, by skin absorption or by inhalation of vapors."

According to its author, the bill is intended to prevent flooding the country with wood alcohol or methanol anti-freeze compound, which is said to have already caused more than 400 deaths and countless cases of blindness.

Many of the best medical and scientific minds agree that such legislative action, both state and national should be enacted, but other hundreds of deaths and cases of blindness may occur before the necessary restrictions on

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My Best Girl

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KATHLEEN NORRIS

ELEVENTH INSTALLMENT

Maggie Johnson, whose father is a letter-carrier, her mother a lazy woman who has "seen better days," and her sister, a bootlegger's sweetheart who works in a beauty parlor, is stock girl in the "Mack" stores, the Five-and Ten of San Francisco. A boy whom she knows only as "Joe Grant," but who is really Joseph Grant MacKenzie Merrill, son of the owner of the Mack is learning the business by starting at the bottom. He doesn't like the job until he meets Maggie. And neither of them relaizes that they are falling in love with each other, at first. Joe is impressed, however, by Maggie's intelligence and goodheartedness, and gives her advice on the subject nearest her heart, how to live the ideal life. She makes a suggestion for a better way of selling certain lines. He tells his father, as if it were his own idea, greatly pleasing the old man. He finds that the girls he used to know don't interest him as much as Maggie does, and when Maggie discloses her love in a burst of jealously, he realizes that he loves her, too.

Joe is afraid that if Maggie finds out who he really is she will not have anything more to do with him. So he pretends that it is some other fellow's car when he takes her home in his big yellow roadster. And on the way they talk, at last, about marriage.

Joe that night reveals to his father for the first time that he has been working in the store under an assumed name, and tells him about Maggie.

Joe's mother has him invite Maggie to a fine dinner party at a fashionable restaurant. There Maggie gets her first intimation that he is something besides a boy in the store.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

Quiet! He had never seen her so quiet. She had conquered her first suffocating rush of shyness, she was sitting erect now, and when he or his mother or father spoke, she answered.

Her look told him that he had betrayed her, delivered her, bound and helpless, to her enemies. "I trusted you—I loved you when you were a shabby, dirty errand clerk, beside me in a cheap store," said Maggie's eyes, "and all the time you were my empolyer's son, ready to make fun of me, ready to shame me—when your moment came!"

She helped herself, awkwardly, unfamiliarly, to food, when it was presented at her left elbow on the big platters. But he noted with a real pang of shame and concern that she hardly touched it.

"Would you ask the help if I could have some more water?" she said once. And Mrs. Merrill said quite audibly, if in an aside, "Oh, priceless "

Joe looked down, his face dark.

"Mother——" he murmured, choking.

A faint smile touched the older woman's painted mouth, and she said graciously: "I beg pardon?"

"Water to Miss Johnson," Mrs. Merrill said, annoyed. It was the waiter's business to see that the guest's glass was filled, but Mrs. Merrill felt illogically irritated with the guest who had to call attention to the omission.

"And a fork, please," Maggie added. She said it so low, with such embarrassment, that nobody heard it.

"And a fork please," Maggie repeated, audibly [illegible]

"A [illegible] dish," she said, clearing her throat. "And a fork—while you're up."

"While you're up " Mrs. Merrill's lips twitched, as if unwillingly. Her sardonic, triumphant glance, as it met Joe's wretched, defiant gaze, expressed a certain reluctance to laugh at his unfortunate little humble friend, but an inability to resist the tremendous temptation.

In such a situation as this to-night she could score. Not very clever, not really a gentlewoman, she was still enough of each to snub and suppress Maggie Johnson. She enjoyed the chance. To feel herself this girl's superior, to cut her easily and carelessly in a bored, beautiful, cultivated voice gave Lillian Merrill real satisfaction.

She had been, as a girl, of that miserable and superfluous class known as shabby genteel.

At twenty-five, Lillian was sharp, eager, beuatiful, hungry. She fell upon George Merrill with avidity; he was a commoner, but he was rich.

He was the first real man she had ever met, and to her own surprise and confusion she had come to like him very much, to feel a strange loyalty and admiration for the commoner. His indifference to her family's ideals and opinions was—well, simply breathtaking

In the more than twenty years of their marriage, George Merrill had changed her somewhat. He was a good, simple fellow, amazed at his own success, proud of his wife, adoring his boy.

It was at about this time, when by her brightened eyes and nervous voice, and by the two scarlet spots that blazed in her cheeks, Maggie began to show the effects of the surprise and the strain, that George Merrill suddenly took a hand in the conversation.

He had been an almost silent spectator, so far watching his wife and his son shrewdly, sending an occasional glance toward the girl.

"You work in the Stores, Miss Johnson?"

"In number seven—on Eighth. Yes, sir."

"How long have you been there? You don't look old enough to have been there very long?"

The kind, deliberate voice steadied her. She berathed easier, looked him in the eye.

"I'm eighteen. I went in nearly four years ago, when I finished Grammar. My father and mother had—considerable trouble."

"Your father's living, then?"

"My father's a postman."

George Merrill flushed with genuine concern; he had been trying to put her at her ease.

"Well" he said pleasantly, "I think I owe that store a debt of gratitude. My son, Joe, here, seems to have gotten a lot more out of it than he ever did out of college "

Maggie looked at him unemotionally.

"He didn't do very well there, for a while," she admitted quietly, "but now he is doing very well—good—" she changed it again, under her breath—"very well. They all like him."

"I'm proud to hear it," George Merrill said thankfully.

"Maggie," Joe began at this point uncomfortably, "thought that I was the dumbest thing she had ever gotten hold of(didn't you Maggie? She gave me my first start."

"I didn't know who he was," she explained, with a patient glance at his mother.

Something happened to Mrs. Merrill in that second.

"You had no idea who Joe was?"

"Nobody did," said Maggie.

"What did you call yourself, Joe?" his mother asked.

"Joe Grant."

There was an interruption. A dance had ended, and a girl and young man came up to the Merrill's table. Joe and his father stood up, and a waiter pulled up another chair, and the girl—perfumed and rouged and beautifully gowned—sat down negligently and easily and was introduced to Maggie Johnson. Miss Millicent Russell studied the other girl comfortably, insolently, as she talked.

"Joe, I hear you're going to Japan?"

"I may go."

"May go? Why, I thought—" said Millicent innocently, turning to Mrs. Merrill—"I thought you said something of a little good-bye dinner tonight, Mrs. Merrill? I thought he was going tomorrow?"

The color drained from Maggie's face. Mrs. Merrill laughed uneasily as she said:

"Well, I think it is practically settled, isn't it, Joe?"

Millicent, her bright, mischievous eyes reading all their faces, changed the subject tactfully and presently went on her way. Then Maggie, in the little pause that followed the other girl's chattering and laughing good-byes, said steadily:

"I'm going to ask you will you excuse me and let me go home now, Mrs. Merrill. I oughtn't to have come—I know that. But I didn't understand You and his father have been pretty well worried about me, maybe. But it was because I thought Joe was a poor boy—and that, if he loved her, he'd be glad to marry a girl as poor as me!—Don't speak to me, Joe. I'm done with you—to-night. I never would have come here, ma'am," she added, to Mrs. Merrill, "I never would have given you any worry—if I had known. We were working together, only this afternoon, and he asked me would I meet his folks—" She faltered for a second, went on. "I thought maybe you and Mr. Grant were like us—I thought it'd be some little place like we have. I might have known, I might have known Joe wasn't like the rest of us!"

"He'll go to Japan tomorrow," said Maggie, looking Joe full in the face, "and that's right—that's what he ought to do. And I promise you—I promise you that I'll never see him again!"

"I don't think he meant to hurt you, Miss Johnson," Mrs. Merrill said.

"That's all right," she said in a cold, nervous voice. I guess he didn't know how it would strike me. Will you please excuse me if I go home now?"

"Wait just a minute, won't you—Maggie?" George Merrill said.

And in his turn he laid an arresting hand upon her arm.

The voice, grave and sympathetic and distressed, shook her, as did the touch, and the somewhat haltingly pronounced name. For the first time, she showed signs of a break.

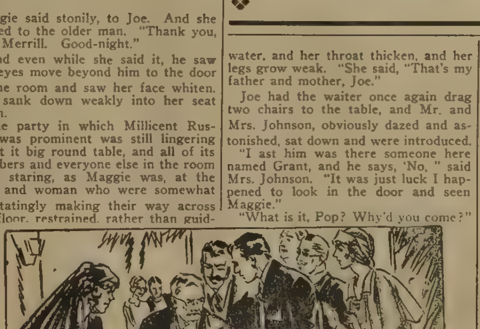
"Maggie," Joe said pleadingly, "you know what we had planned—you know I never meant to hurt you."

"I think, dear, that Miss Johnson feels nervous and tired, and your deceiving her about your name and who you are has upset her. I wouldn't say anything more about this just now, Joe."

"You don't have to come with me," Maggie said stonily, to Joe. And she turned to the older man. "Thank you, Mr. Merrill. Good-night."

And even while she said it, he saw her eyes move beyond him to the door of the room and saw her face whiten. She sank down weakly into her seat again.

The party in which Millicent Russell was prominent was still lingering about it big round table, and all of its members and everyone else in the room were staring, as Maggie was, at the man and woman who were somewhat hestitatingly making their way across the floor, restrained, rather than guided, by the scandalized headwaiter.



It was all like a horrible dream to Maggie, exhausted, confused, and wearied almost beyond bearing this fresh blow. The approaching couple were her father, diffident and bashful and frightened, and her mother, agitated and bold.

Pop's shabbly old suit, baggy and limp, Pop's searching rabbit eyes and bowed meek little shoulders, looked doubly pitiful here, and Ma, with the black veil falling impressively from the hat she had evidently assumed in great haste and the dark hair in untidy strings beneath it, and the voluminous black cape she wore to funerals bellying about her like a sail, was the target for all eyes: [illegible]

Maggie felt her mouth fill with salt water, and her throat thicken, and her legs grow weak. "She said, "That's my father and mother, Joe."

Joe had the waiter once again drag two chairs to the table, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, obviously dazed and astonished, sat down and were introduced.

"I ast him was there someone here named Grant, and he says, 'No, " said Mrs. Johnson. "It was just luck I happened to look in the door and seen Maggie."

"What is it, Pop? Why'd you come?"

"Maggie, a cop just come to the house," her mother said abruptly. "That feller 'Lizabeth runs with has been arrested, and she's at the night court. Pop and me didn't know what to do! I give you my word that nothing like this has ever happened in our family before," Mrs. Johnson said, genteely, yet in a tone of shame, to Mrs. Merrill.

"What's the charge?" George Merrill asked sharply.

"They say they was speedin'," elucidated Maggie's mother, 'an' Chess—my daughter's friend [illegible] named Chess Rivers—had some hootch in the car."

"You'll want some money!" George Merrill said suddenly "How much have you?"

"It happens that I ain't got [illegible] than a quarter," Len Johnson said, in his reedy, troubled little voice.

"But we reely couldn't take it from you," Ma added. "I s'pose young folks will be young folks," she said to Mrs. Merrill, "and it ain't as if Liz had been stealing or anything like that. But I thought I would drop where I stood when that cop walked in. I'm not accustomed to having my daughter get into any trouble——"

"Ma," Maggie said. And Joe's father noted that she only touched the older woman on the arm. But her mother immediately began a sort of rotary curtesying in farewell.

"Maggie—Maggie—why do you go—why do you mix yourself up in this?" Joe said wretchedly and incoherently, trying to draw her aside, catching her by the arm.

Maggie was on her feet now, shepherding her father and mother away

(Continued next week)

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Profiting Through Service

When merchants build new stores, add additional sales space, install new fixtures, improve their show windows, augment their sales forces, replenish their stocks with the best and newest, it is for the public. Of course they are in business for the purpose of making a living, but to make that living they must first give service, so their first objective is always "to serve and please."

"Fair exchange is no robbery" is a business phrase which has been handed down from generation to generation and now seems to have acquired immortality. The laborer exchanges his labor for his wage. The capitalist exchanges his money for his interest. The manufacturer exchanges his products for his cost of production plus profit, the professional man exchanges his services for his fees or his salary, the store keeper exchanges his goods for cost plus service charge. Everybody is in business for himself by being in business for somebody else. Like the public official, the merchant is in business for society and therefore every member of that society is his employer, his boss.

One of the compensations of business is that public recognition and appreciation come to none sooner than to the business man who really serves. A flourishing trade is synonymous with public trust and confidence. Service must ever precede success in business.

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You farmers better forget about cotton for awhile, and plan to raise something that will bring you more money. It will be sometime before the flooded cotton markets will clear up again. Cotton dropped in price again recently. That means there is still too much of it.

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If you think that George, or John or Joe, is going to cut his acreage, and you will plant a big crop of cotton, well, you are all wrong. Because George, John and Joe think the same thing about you, and first thing you know, you'll all be planting too much cotton again this year, and it'll drop in price so low it really won't be funny this time.

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A Serious Problem

The financial problem now faced by the railroads of the country is becoming really serious, because of increasing competition by the automobile, the motor bus, the airplane, pipe lines and government barge lines.

This is a matter which should be of concern, not only to railroad executives, but to the public as well, because anything which tends to cripple the efficiency of our present excellent railway system can not fail to adversely affect our national progress and prosperity.

In addition to being deprived of traffic sorely needed, as a result of the competition mentioned, the railroads are also handicapped by a heavy tax burden and government regulation to a degree which is often oppressive. They pay three hundred and seventy-five millions annually in taxes, yet hungry government departments and bureaus clamor for more.

How long the roads can continue to operate efficiently under all these handicaps is a serious question. The prospect of a bankrupt national transportation system is not a pleasing one for either the railroads or the public. But the recent Seaboard receivership and the financial plight of several other roads indicate that such a situation is threatened if present conditions can not be relieved in some way.

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If any of the people in Chilton ever have occasion to visit Alexander City, you will find a cordial welcome awaiting you at the office of the Alexander City Outlook, and you should meet Mr. E. C. Hall, the editor of that newspaper.

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Variation Is Spice

One may travel up and down a city and find no two houses exactly alike unless they be members of a row of dwellings.

The different makes and models of automobiles number into the hundreds.

Women insist that their dresses, coats and hats be exclusive, but neither will two men be found in identical habiliment.

What is true of houses, automobiles and clothes is also true of breakfast foods, furniture, shoes and virtually all of man's possessions.

The reason is obvious. No two people have identical tastes. That which one finds attractive repels another. The person whose discernment you criticise probably thinks even less of yours.

Life would be a monotonous existence but for this conflict of tastes. Nothing bores like uniformity. What interest would the world hold for humanity if every house was built alike, if the choice of the ten million was good enough for the world, if the wardrobe of the modern woman had as little variation as Eve's, if what one wanted everybody wanted?

If all humanity was of the same opinion on all things, the free-for-all argument would be as extinct as the Roc, but why live if you can't argue?

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The columns of the News are open to those who wish to express themselves through this newspaper by writing a letter to the editor on seasonable subjects. Names of writers and dates must be included and letters limited to 400 words. Address them to "The Voice of the Public" in care of the News.

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We read once of a merchant who advertised only once in his home-town newspaper. That was when the Sheriff sold him out.

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

> "Seach thy own heart; what paineth
> thee in others in thyself may be."
> —J. G. Whittier.

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J. G. put forth a very, very good thought when he turned the above one loose. That thought would be a real good topic for a sermon, in my opinion, because contected with it are many many things pertaining to the faults of the majority of us humans.

And now the people of Clanton are beginning to receive invitations daily to dine with Matt's Lunch Shoppe, where they will be served in the best of style, so says Mr. Matt Ware, the high mogul of that place. Your name may be drawn any day, and if you will watch a little white card on the right hand window of Matt's you will see each day who is invited to be their guests. And, too, each Thursday in C. G. N., there is a special invitation to some one to dine with Matt's on the following Sunday as special guests. Just another way Matt has of showing the people how good the food is served at his place.

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And again, this week, I throw bouquets at our volunteer firemen. Two fires were recorded here in the past few days. Only small ones, but large fires begin with small ones. The boys showed some action that was action at the fire at Clay Marcus' home. Three minutes were all used in getting to the fire and having it out, so they tell me, and at the Nelson home fire, I understand that the truck and men were there even before the alarm ceased, making short work of that. Fine bunch of boys, if you ask me, and if my house ever catches fire, I know it won't amount to much, when "Our Boys" get wind of it.

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For recreation, I hear the Mayor and Councilmen have given the firemen a swell pool table to pass away leisure hours in friendly games of pool, and they have moved their meeting place to the office that was formerly used by the City Clerk. Members only are allowed inside its doors, unless special permission is granted. Loren Smith is making a very capable Fire Chief, and the cooperation given him by the other fifteen volunteers is commendable.

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The Clanton Cash Store is doing some spreading out so I see by C. G. N. on the front page this week. Putting in a modern meat department, equipped with new cooling system with display cases and all. Mr. Obie DeLoach said that they would be ready to furnish fresh meats, Western and local, by Saturday of this week, and would announce their formal opening day later. I understand they have something special planned for that day. Mr. Eli Moatts will put forth his very experienced efforts in operating this meat department for the Clanton Cash Store. A good market with a good marketeer, eh what?

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Was talking to the editor the other night and he appeared extremely pleased about something. After hanging around a while, through curiosity, I found he was busy looking over a stack of letters the News has been receiving from almost everywhere, congratulating the county and town and the News on that Booster Edition. Without a doubt, it went over in a big way, and the outside world has opened its eyes to Chilton County now, judging from some of the letters about it that the ed let me read. That was one time, the ed was in a good humor toward me, and I took advantage of it, too.

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And still, I hear some folks round town saying that business is on the bum, in spite of what some of the merchants have told me that they have noticed an increase in sales lately, and in spite of the fact that there is something being continually built in Clanton. Now up on the highway, near Bill's Garage, there is something new going on. Tiffin-Klinner Furniture Company had to move to large quarters. Clanton Cash Store is spreading out. A new filling station went up in West End lately. Another will probably be built in town soon. The county is putting the new home of the Educational Department in excellent condition, and on top of that the News, I see, has increased its floor space a bit, saying nothing of the many various jobs being done on repairing round town. And, too, I might say that the News published the largest issue two weeks ago, that I've seen in a long time. Does that sound like times are hard. I should smile and say No.

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But, gosh darn it all, things look bright as the dickens on one side and about that time I turn around and hear a wail from someone else. Now it is the schools that are causing some uneasiness. Of course I'm not blessed or otherwise, with any children, but yet I have that civic pride that goes to cause school troubles to hurt. There is plenty of food for thought on that subject, and I understand someone in Clanton has been giving it that thought too. I have a bit of faith in our Board, and they are to meet sometime this week for a special called conference, along with the teachers of the county. I'm waiting and praying that something good will come from that meeting. I wish I was capable of writing something about the school teachers of Chilton County. They are due worlds of credit, more than the majority of the people give them.

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The "Back Yard"

In Europe, they call the space in the rear of a house, the "garden," and they raise lovely flowers there. In America they dump their tin cans there. Many families that used to raise flowers and vegetables there are now too busy stepping on the gas.

American travellers are laughed at in Europe, when they refer to such spots as "back yards." It seems to those folks to stamp these rear spaces as dumping areas, where anything goes.

We have too many back yards in Clanton, and not enough gardens. You can find physical health, as the nice spring weather comes on, in the active work of transforming a mussy spot into a scene of charm. Also you help tell the world that we have a fine residence town. Instead of traveling many miles, and spending a wad of money to find beauty in faraway scenes, why not produce it at your doorstep?

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Coosa County and Chilton County are becoming almost related. We will be really closer, so far as time is concerned in the Spring than we have been in past months. The new road ought to be in fine condition then.

MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

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And it came to pass that a certain Bullfrog found for himself a puddle hole in the midst of the swamp. He hopped about this pond with joy, thinking that he was forever fixed. The spring drifted into summer, and one day the frog observed that his pond was growing dry. Every day there was a little less water for him to enjoy. He decided that the thing for him to do was to sit at the water's edge and croak every day because his pond was going dry. There he sat and croaked, and croaked. Not a hundred yards away there was a big lake of water, but this frog preferred to fill the air with his lamentations. How like some folks was this frog. They see that they have nothing and they croak, "Hard Times." We wonder why they do not bestir themselves, and produce something. When will people learn not to help the fellow who is doing nothing but sit down and croak?

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The trees in front of the Court House have been trimmed. Not long since I passed a home where the lady of the house was out in her front yard trimming the rose bushes. She told me that the bushes would do much better when they were properly pruned. I am wondering if the people of Chilton County will not decide to give themselves a thorough trimming. Take the pruning knife of God's Word, and begin a close pruning of your life. There are many things in your character that need to be clipped off. Do not be afraid to cut to the quick. Break up those old ugly habits that have sapped your very life, and give room for new buds and new growth.

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I met a man on the streets of Clanton. He gave me to understand that he lived in the country, but he often visited in our little city. That is the way many of our church members are doing. Of them it can be truly said, "They live in the world, and they visit the church." They feel that they are a stranger to the ideals of Zion. They have their source of conduct in the ways of the world. Their very life is the life of sin. How much better it would be for folks to live in the church. We should have our habitation in the church, and from her we should learn our ways of living.

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A wealthy man sat by the casket of a daughter who had died. His business friend sat by his side. Suddenly the sorrowing man began to talk. Said he to his friend, "You and I have been living side by side for many years. We have worked hard during the week, and we have spent our Sundays motoring and in pleasure. We have made our clubs and our banking business first. Now my son has disgraced me and my daughter is dead. I tell you, my friend, there is only one place in this world to bring up a family, and that is in the Christian church." After saying this the poor fellow wept his sad bosom empty. Life was so empty to him and there was a hurt in his heart that would not heal. I want some of you Chilton county people to listen to me—there is no place in this world for you to bring up your family that is better than in the church of the living God. Better take your family and get linked up with the church.

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Not many days ago I saw some boys gathering about a picture that was on the brick wall of a store. They were pointing out something on the picture. After they were gone I walked there to see for myself, and I can not write the expression that some vulgar mind had written there with his pencil. Of course I blotted it out. If there is a vulgar picture in a magazine it will attract our boys like filth will attract flies. We need some good strong laws, and we need them enforced, that will take the corrupt from before the public. Woe be unto any man or woman who will be a distributing center for the vulgar. Anyone who does this is doing more to destroy ideals and morality than the man who runs an open saloon.

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MRS. PRINCILLA SMITH DIED LAST THURSDAY, MARCH 5TH

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Mrs. Princilla Smith, age 32, died at her home in the Liberty Hill community, west of Clanton last Thursday, March 5th, following a very short illness. She is the wife of Leon T. Smith.

Funeral services for the deceased and her deceased infant were held jointly on the following Friday at Liberty Hill, with the Rev. Homer Carroll, officiating. The infant son, who died Thursday also, near the time of the death of its mother, was buried in the same casket. Interment took place in the Liberty Hill cemetery with Martin of Clanton in charge. Mrs. Smith was the daughter of Jim Castleberry of Verbena, Alabama.

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Come to Play Day, March 13, 1931.

Cotton Buyer Tells Of Chilton County Cotton

(Continued From Front Page)

are offered much cheaper than ours on account of much cheaper labor and production costs.

So if we expect to regain our export trade, naturally we will have to produce better staple than the foreign growths.

To prove to you how short our staple really is, on one shipment of 100 bales straight gin run cotton that we made to one of our largest mills last fall, they received the cotton as being 9 bales of 7-8", 35 bales 13-16" and 56 bals 3-4" cotton. Naturally this mill finding our cotton to be of such poor staple withdrew from this market and therefore lessened our potential market just that much.

On another occasion we sent 24 samples straight run cotton to the Cotton States Arbitration Board of Atlanta to be officially stapled and they only passed 4 bales as being 7-8" staple.

As you are aware cotton under 7-8" staple is generally selling at a discount of 1c under the price of 7-8" staple.

Some think that the shippers and mills have now quit stapling the cotton, but this is a mistake for in all cases where they did not staple the cotton, it was because it was bought on a cheap basis and allowance was made in the price to allow for certain percent of short cotton.

If you see fit and think it will help the cause any, you may have this letter published.

Yours very truly,
—Polk Brothers,
By Geo. C. Polk.

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DEATH OF LITTLE ELOISE HOLLEY

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After a brief illness the spirit of little Eloise Holley passed away on Monday morning, February 16.

The patient was carried to a Clanton infirmary where she underwent an operation for abscessed lung, while there death relieved her of her pain.

The body of little Eloise was brought home, where it lay, surrounded by friends and loved ones until removal to its final resting place at Mt. Pisgah on Wednesday morning, February 17, at eleven o'clock. Funeral services were conducted by J. F. Limbrick.

She was the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Holley. She leaves to mourn after her, a father, mother, one sister and two brothers.

Weep not, dear ones, for we know she is at rest.

—One Who Loved Her.

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Robertsdale— Construction to start in near future on bridge across east prong of Fish River, near this place.

Montgomery— Construction to start some time in near future on new $5,000,000 capitol building.

Sylacauga — Mrs. Necie Neighbors took over ownership of Franklin House on Broadway.

Florence—Local post office to be painted.

Week Remains To Pay Income Taxes

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Many Persons, Corporations, Have Failed to File Returns, Warning

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Final day for filing federal income tax reports is only a short time off and still a large number of individuals and corporations have not made returns, it is said at the internal revenue collector's office.

On account of March 15, final date fixed by law, falling on Sunday this year, an extra day will be allowed, but all returns must be in by the close of March 16.

Subject To Penalty

Returns not made before expiration of the date fixed by law will be subjected to a penalty of 25 per cent.

The rate this year will be 1 1-2 per cent for individuals, instead of 1 per cent which was the schedule for 1930 payments.

Heads of families are entitled to $3,500 exemption and single persons $1,500, and net incomes of these amounts, or gross incomes of $5,000 or more, must be reported, the income tax act provides.

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Bethsalem News

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Our Sunday school is progresisng nicely. We invite everyone to come to Sunday school every Sunday. We need your help.

Messrs. Lonnie Norrell and Cecil Allen, Misses Idise Warren and Pat Allen were the Sunday afternoon guests of Miss Agnes Askins.

The musical entertainment at the home of Miss Claudy Mae Spigener's Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mr. Willie Smith was a welcome visitor in this community Saturday evening.

Mrs. J. B. Boyd of Enterprise community spent Thursday night with her daughter, Mrs. Morris Bowles.

Miss Bell Weldon spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Wilkins.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Askins and children, McHarold and Agnes, visited Mrs T. H. Williams Saturday evening.

Mr. Charlie Donahue of Talladega called on Miss Peggy Williams Sunday afternoon.

Next Saturday and Sunday are our regular preaching days. Everyone has a cordial invitation to come.

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FERTILIZER TAG SALES ARE GREATLY REDUCED

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Fertilizer tag sales in Alabama to March 1st this year amounts to 77,200 tons as compared to 174,000 tons to the same date last year reports Seth P. Storrs, commissioner of Agriculture and Industries. This is a decrease of 96,800 tons or 55 per cent, compared with a year ago.

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Florala—Florala Jewelry Store moved to building formerly occupied by Candy Kitchen, next to W. G. Matthews Co

PROGRAM
AT THE
Wadesonian
CLANTON, ALABAMA
"When they make 'em better, we'll show 'em"

MONDAY and TUESDAY—March 16th and 17th
Jeanette MacDonald & Reginald Denny In
"OH, FOR A MAN" --- All Talking
Comedy --- All Talking

FRIDAY and SATURDAY—March 13th and 14th
Wally Wales and Buzz Barton In
"BREED OF WEST" - All Talking Western
Comedy, Talking --- News Reel Sound

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY—March 11th and 12th
Gerald DuMaurier, Edna Best, Mabel Poulton In
"ESCAPE" --- All Talking
Comedy --- All Talking

! HIGH SCHOOL NEWS !

Below will be found a list of first and second honor students for February. The names that appear below are those who were present every day, and for first honors, made a general average of 90%, and for second honors made a general average of 80%. All made an average of 90% in deportment and general attitude towards school work.

Junior One, First Honor: Harriett Esco, Lois Foshee, Sarah Green, Mary Courtney Jones, Mae Vinson.

Junior One, Second Honors: Celia Gerald, Evelyn Poe, Elizabeth Lawrence, Eloise Rasberry, Ruth Gowan.

Junior Two, First Honors: Roselle Gentry, Alice Petty, Ethel Wilkerson.

Second Honors, Junior Two: Grace Plyler, Helen Roberts, Dollie Bell Harris, Priscilla Johnson, Wade Alford.

Junior Three, Second Honors: Mary Charles Cox, Helen Moore, Nell Neighbors, Hilda Hart, Frances Rasberry, James Dennis.

Senior One, First Honors: Margaret Johnston.

Senior One, Second Honors: Pearl Vinson, Faye Petty, Lois Miller, Floy DeVaughn, Iver Rowell, Dorothy Sessions.

Senior Two, First Honors: Esther Lee Dennis, Eloise Jones, Ethel Mae Jones, Allie Pearl Kelley, Ruth Elayne Maddox, Sallie Mahan, Elizabeth Stanley, Herman Harris.

Senior Two, Second Honors: Mary Nell Jones, Willie Maude Kelley, Mary Frank Smith, Frances Maddox, Chralsie Pyron, J. C. Massey, Raymond Taylor, Earl Ellis.

Senior Three Class, First Honors: Mary Heard, and Homer Carroll.

Senior Three, Second Honors: Frank McMurray, Paul Cox, Ora DeVaughn.

Opportunity For Sportsmanship Field Day

Friday, March 13, is Chilton County's great play day. Hundreds of boys and girls will be collected on the high school campus. The eyes of the county will be watching in order to determine which school will display the best sportsmanship. It is for the students of Chilton County High School to set the examples for their guests. Many of our students have volunteered to assist in promoting this educational exhibit. If this spirit continues we will be insured of a successful day. We want Chilton County High to come through this test having made use of every opportunity to show courtesy and general good will and fellowship to all our visitors.

Senior Two Class Presents "Wild Oats Boy" March 20

"The Wild Oats Boy," is a delightful comedy-drama full of "pep" and rich in humor. The plot is based on the actions of a wild young fellow named Eddie. The question is: Will Eddie come through the test laid down in his uncle's will, or will someone else inherit the $50,000?

The characters will produce spontaneous laughter with their humorous speech and actions. No one should miss hearing Trouts "idees" and seeing the masculine impersonation of the Irish woman. Come. March 20, 8:00 P. M. High School Auditorium.

Home Economics Department Extends Thanks for Materials Donated By People of Clanton

We, the girls of the home economics department, wish to extend our most hearty appreciation to the mothers who donated the many useful things for cooking purposes in our school. They have made our cooking classes possible for the rest of the year. We will begin regular cooking in the next few days. We are studying the principles involved in cooking at present. We have just completed our courses in clothing and have a fashion show in chapel. The dresses were made by the home economics and by the girls themselves. The show was repeated at the meeting of the P.-T. A. last Tuesday afternoon.

Splendid Progress Being Made By The High School Orchestra

Our school is proud of the activities Miss Burns has aroused among our pupils in developing a high school orchestra. A public program was given at the chapel period last Tuesday, in which splendid numbers were offered. The public is cordially invited to be with us Tuesday at 10:15 to enjoy our programs. The orchestra is to play at the Kiwanis Club luncheon at 12:30, March 26.

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CIRCLE NUMBER 5 MET WITH MRS. V. J. GRAGG, MONDAY

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Circle Number Five, of the Clanton Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. V. J. Gragg on last Monday afternoon, with a very interesting program carired out.

The devotional was led by Mrs. W. J. Billingsley. The subject for the afternoon meeting was "Forgotten Americans," and was carried out in an impressive manner. Following this program, a short business session was held by the Circle, for the purpose of forming plans for the following two weeks. There were ten members present.

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Police officials at Irvington, N. J., recently booked Roland Skeleton on a loitering charge on complaint of Miss Nettie Coffin who told them since she had declined his attentions he had been appearing regularly at her home trying to see her.

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Come to Play Day, March 13, 1931.

Isabella School News

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The regular meeting of the F. F. A. was held Wednesday, March 4th. The chapter voted on the application of Parnell Ratliff. After the program, which consisted of two talks, "How To Select Good Laying Hens," by Luther Mims, and "Improvement of the Farm," by R. C. Veazey, the chapter completed the plans for the Father, Son, Mother and daughter banquet, which was held Friday night, March 6th.

A very large crowd attended the banquet. The tables were very attractive. Plates were prepared for one hundred and thirty-one. The Home Economics girls had charge of the food planning and preparation. The crowd assembled in a classroom of the school building and marched into the home economics department by a march played on the piano by Miss Betty Baldwin. Thanks were returned by Rev. Buford Lawrence. Marvin Durbin, president of the F. F. A. acted as toastmaster. He presided splendidly. The first thing on program was "My Home Project" by Glynder Oden. R. C. Veazey played the F. F. A. son on a harmonica. "Accomplishments of the Home Economics Department" by Dorothy Manning. Future Farmer's Creed, by Morris Keen. Duet, "Old Folks at Home" by Elsie Conway and Clara Mae Calfee. Both departments were very much pleased to have Mr. R. E. Commack and Supt. Lawrence present. They both made very good talks. Short talks were made by Mr. Howard Oden, Mr. J. D. Griffin, Mr. Earle Thomas and Miss Cora Bell Maddox. Other distinguished visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Watwood and Oliver Manning of Auburn. The latter is our ex-president of Isabella chapter and is ex-secretary of the state F. F. A. Everybody enjoyed the program.

The F. F. A. boys and Home Economics girls are very much pleased with the outcome of the banquet. It brings the parents closer to their children in their work at school. It kindles the child's desire to do better and greater work.

If all schools had these two departments added to them it would develop the ambition of many boys and girls for life's work. It would increase the interest of the parents in the child's work. It would inspire the boys and girls to do better work, and take more responsibility upon themselves. Because theer will surely come a time when these boys and girls will have to carry on the work that their fathers and mothers are doing now. They will have to take life's work on their own shoulders and carry it on. It will show them the importance of being prepared.

Evening School

An evening school is being taught at Isabella by Miss Maddox for the benefit of the women of this community and surrounding communities. This evening school is on "Home Making Education." The women chose the food unit for their course. All the women are interested in learning how to plan, prepare and serve meals. The balanced diet is being stressed, also labor-saving devices, saving of steps in the kitchen. A great deal of interest is being shown by the women's regular attendance on meeting nights. The school is held in the Home Economics Department from 7:00 o'clock to 9:30 o'clock on Monday and Thursday nights. An attendance of thirty-five women has marked our highest attendance on some nights. A great deal of fun and recreation is derived from the meetings as well as trying to practice the principles given at each lesson.

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MT. PLEASANT WINS OVER THORSBY INSTITUTE 12 TO 8

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The Mt. Pleasant Junior High school basketball team hung up another victory last Tuesday evening by defeating the swift Thorsby Institute quintet 12 to 8.

Littlejohn, the husky center for Mt. Pleasant, led his team mates in scoring by netting the ball for eight points; Curtis Traywick rung up the other four points by virtue of two nifty shots from the field. The Thorsby boys displayed some swift clever passing, but were unsuccessful in making their shots count.

The game was played with a strong west wind blowing over the court, and the first half was played in a light cold drizzling rain, all of which showed its effect upon the players of both teams.

This was Mt. Pleasant's seventh win this season out of thirteen games played.

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Mrs. Pauline Dotzaner was granted a divorce by a Chicago judge after she had testified that her husband beat her every morning saying that it was the custom "in the old country."

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—Subscribe To The News—

Nelson Parrish and Bill Rhodes of Auburn spent the week end in Clanton with friends and relatives.

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Arthur Littlejohn of Birmingham spent some time the early part of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Littlejohn.

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Miss Edna Cofield, a member of the local high school faculty, spent the past week end in Jacksonville, as the guest of her sister.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Bids will be received by the Board of County Commissioners of Chilton County, March 30th, 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M., in remodeling and furnishing cell work for Chilton County Jail.

Plans may be had from the architect, Frank Lockwood, 119 Adams Avenue, Montgomery, Ala. Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check for $500.00 made payable to Judge L. H. Reynolds, Chairman. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids or award any part of the said contract.

Work will be awarded in two parts as follows:
Building, remodeling and addition, containing plumbing and heating.
All Jail cell work and fixtures.
Each contractor may bid on the whole if he so desires.

This the 10th day of March, 1931.

3-12-3t L. H. REYNOLDS, Judge of Probate.

IT'S YOUR DUTY
And Our Business
To Help "Brighten Up" The Town
March 9th To 14th
National Sign Week
TELL THE WORLD WITH SIGNS
The James Sign Shop
Clanton, Alabama
You Are Invited
To inspect our display all this week in cooperation with The Birmingham Sign Contractors in Birmingham Electric Co., display windows at First Avenue and 21st Street, North, Birmingham, Alabama

A WARNING
by your Fertilizer Dealer
No. 3
in a Series appearing in this newspaper

THIS is no year to take chances. If you are tempted to use "any old" fertilizer because it costs less, *don't do it!* Most of all, your crops need nitrogen—natural nitrogen—and that means Chilean Nitrate.
I've arranged for a big supply of Chilean Nitrate in new 100 lb. bags. It's cheaper than it has been for years. Better get your order in now, so you won't be sorry later on.

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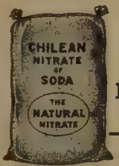

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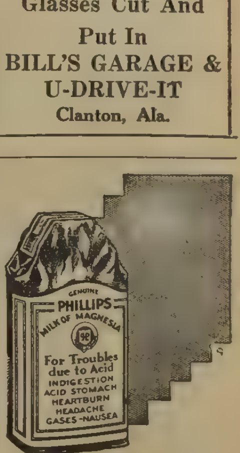

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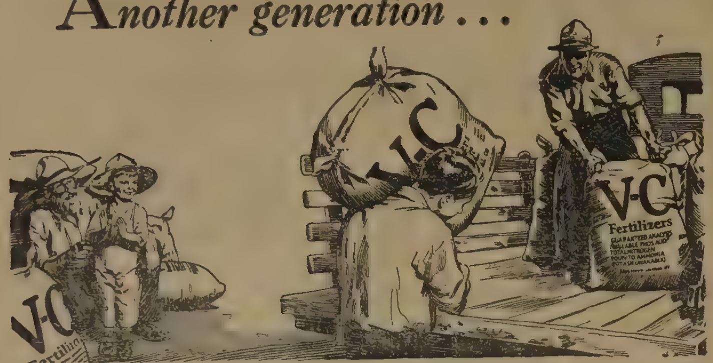

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***"When properly organized, farming should be the most stable industry in the world."*
—Chairman Legge of Federal Farm Board.**

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"The fertilizer industry has been going through a gradual but distinct evolution. There has been an increasing use of inorganic materials, a tendency toward the elimination of low grades, and an increased use of synthetic salts. These changes are fundamental. The fertilizer industry is becoming a chemical industry."—*Arthur M. Hyde, Secretary of Agriculture.*

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High yields usually cost less per unit to produce.—The Fertilizer Review.

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An annual business of over a million dollars each is done by more than 200 farmer-owned cooperative associations, according to Arthur M. Hyde, Secretary of Agriculture.

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There is often an opportunity to choose between materials that are very different in drilling qualities. It will pay well to choose the fertilizer that can be distributed best.—*U. S. Dept. of Agriculture.*

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Trouble comes when the crop costs more to produce than it brings when sold. The grower can't dictate selling price, but he can control cost of production. The growing cost of ten bales of cotton, for instance, grown on ten acres of good land with V-C fertilizers, is less than the growing cost of ten bales of cotton grown on twenty acres. And the same truth applies to any other crop.

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"That tightwad wouldn't lend me two dollars! Would you believe there was such a miser in the world?"

"Oh, my, yes! Why, I'm just that mean, myself!"—*Exchange.*

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On four acres, J. C. Boswell, Atkinson, N. C., raised 4,400 pounds of tobacco that sold for $1,286. Mr. Boswell used V-C Lion Brand 8-3-5. From five other acres he gathered 2,080 pounds of cotton, with V-C Fish Mixture 8-3-3. "I also made plenty of feed crops for my family and my stock," says Mr. Boswell. "And my fertilizer bill was $182.45."

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RAT DAMAGE ENORMOUS

Damage by rats to produce and property amounts to 200 million dollars annually in the United States, according to an estimate by the secretary of agriculture of North Dakota, who recommends the waging of a constant and relentless campaign against this pest.

Measures recommended include the keeping of waste food and garbage in covered containers until destroyed: preventing accumulations of trash and refuse; making corn cribs and granaries rat-proof, and adopting any means whereby the supply of rat food may be reduced.

Among the means for destroying rats and most effective is poisoning, for which purpose government experts recommend powdered barium carbonate, which is inexpensive and has the added advantage of being odorless and tasteless. therefore more readily eaten by the rodents when it is applied to their bait. Care must be taken, of course, that it is not placed in the way of children or domestic animals. When poison can not be used, trapping is suggested as the next best method to be employed.

In addition to the property destruction they cause, rats tend to spread disease, and from every standpoint they are an unmitigated nuisance. A nation-wide rat extermination campaign might be considered as an aid to unemployment relief.

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Isabella School News

The Epicurean literary society met on Thursday, March 5. The meeting was called to order by the President and business was attended to. After business matters were disposed of the following program was given:

Song: No. 26.
Devotional: by Maxine Oden.
Prayer: by Miss Maddox.
Song: No. 25.
Roll call and reading of minutes: by secretary.
History of Swanee River: by Ruth Oden.
What the Negro Has Contributed to Literature: by Bazoleen Williams.
Poem: by Gertie Mae Owen.
Reading: by Carolyn Calfee.
Song: by Clara Mae Calfee and Elsie Conoway.
Jokes: by Crayton Deramus.
Poem: by Miss Griffin.
Report of critic.
Announcements.
Adjournment.

IN MEMORY

On the night of February 24, 1931, the grim reaper, death, took from our midst our beloved daughter and sister, Helen, aged 18 years. She had been a constant sufferer for the past ten years with heart trouble. She was confined to her bed a great part of the time. Despite her suffering she was always cheerful and ready with her bright smile to give her family courage. Her death was not unexpected, still we had hoped to keep her for a few years more. Her death adds only one more to the earth's countless millions who have gone down into the tomb.

We have God's promise, all that are in the grave shall hear the voice of "The Son of Man" and come forth. Then shall be fulfilled the promise, O, death, where is thy sting? O, grave where is thy victory?

When we see a precious blossom
That we tendered with such care
Rudely taken from our bosom,
How our aching hearts despair.
Round its little grave we linger
'Til the setting sun is low,
Feeling all our hopes have perished
With the flower we cherished so.

Yes, they sleep, but not forever,
In the lone and silent grave.
Blessed promise, they shall waken!
Jesus died the lost to save
In the dawning of the morning
When this troubled night is o'er
All these buds in beauty blooming
Will rejoice to see once more.

—Mr. and Mrs. Horace L. Aldridge and Children.

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"I certainly suffered with stomach trouble before I started Ferrac. I couldn't eat anything hardly without dreading the misery I knew would follow. I lost weight; was terribly nervous; slept poorly and was so weak and rundown that I felt like I couldn't stand it much longer. As no medicines I tried seemed to do me any lasting good, I decided to leave off drugs entirely and try Ferrac, and what blessed relief came to me I have gained about 12 pounds; have a perfectly wonderful appetite without a trace of my old stomach trouble and my whole system is built up and strengthened. I hardly know I have any nerves now and I sleep like a tired child. I will always thank the day I started this wonderful Ferrac."

Ferrac is on sale in all good drug stores, or if your druggist can not supply you send $1.00 to the Greenville Products Co., Greenville, Ala.—adv.

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"The Plant Man"

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Notice To Poultrymen

The Poultry Department at Auburn, in recent communication with County Agent Stapp, has asked him to call to poultrymen's attention the value of sanitary porches for baby chicks.

Mr. Stapp advises that sanitary porches built ten feet wide by the length of the brooder house, floored with 1-4 inch hardware cloth and walled up and covered with 1-inch poultry netting, and same placed in front of brooder house so that the floor of the porch is of the same elevation as that of the brooder house, will give the chicks plenty range and keep them off the ground until they are ten to twelve weeks of age.

After chicks are ten to twelve weeks of age they are very resistant to cocidiosis and other diseases and parasites. Mr. Stapp advises that good sanitary porches can be built for a small amount of money and if properly built can be stored for use from year to year.

POULTRYMEN SHOULD BUY CHICKS OF HIGHEST QUALITY

Breeding this year will account above all other factors, if the poultry-raiser is to make a success of his business. Only good flocks will be able to show a profit, authorities are advising poultrymen of the United States. Flocks of inferior poultry are going to be driven hard during the next few months to bring a profit.

The reason for this is that the poultry business has hit the doldrums of low prices. During the last few years, eggs and poultry commanded such good prices that almost any flock cared for with any degree of intelligence would produce an annual profit. But now the picture has changed, temporarily.

Poultry-raisers and farmers who keep flocks as a side-line are being warned to steer clear of the trap of cheap chicks, purchased with low price as the deciding consideration. If it was ever business suicide to buy the cheapest instead of the best, it is this year, say leaders in the industry.

Instead, poultrymen should plan to buy chicks of the highest quality, rather than low-priced ones, of doubtful ancestry. It will be much more profitable and satisfactory next fall to own a fine flock of high quality pullets, bred in the purple. Every pullet of breeding and quality can be depended upon to deliver a profit during the coming fall and winter.

To insure profitable flocks, composed of birds bred for quality, and also to make certain fair business dealings, leading hatcheries of the United States are operating together under the slogan "Hatchery Chicks for Greater Profits." They are making it possible for the poultryman and farmer to raise a uniform flock, all birds being of the same age and breed and of known quality. The result is greater convenience, safety, certainty and economy and a sure profit at the end of the season.

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The general public does not seem to realize, or fully appreciate, that the railroads are *not earning* what their investment calls for, or even what the law of the land *permits* them to earn.

Under this law they may earn 5¾ percent on the value of their property (there is no "guarantee"), but for the past ten years they have never reached this in any single year, and the average for these years has been only slightly above four percent—a return entirely inadequate for a vital industry. This has resulted notwithstanding the railroads have reduced their expenses by 22.7 percent.

Among the causes for this shortage have been reductions in freight rates (amounting to 15.6 percent) and a decline in traffic due to competing forms of transportation—pipe lines, waterways, highways—which are either subsidized by governmental aid or are not tied down by the same degree of restrictions as to regulation, supervision and taxation that the railroads are.

The public is entitled to the form of transportation it prefers, but that preference should be expressed only after all conditions are considered. At present the conditions are grossly inequitable.

The Railroads Must Earn To Spend

The railroads, because of their large investments, their important payrolls, their heavy purchases, their enormous taxes, and their indispensible part in the development and progress of this country, have some claim to public patronage if they can give satisfactory service—which they are doing. They have a right to equal and fair treatment. They have a right to urge that competitors in the public transportation business shall not be unduly favored. They have a right to ask for equal conditions in the field of competition. This they *are* asking for—and nothing more.

You can help them by traveling and shipping by train, and by insisting that they be given fair and just treatment.

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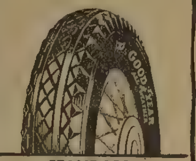
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News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Meade and little daughter, Helen Louise, spent Tuesday in Montgomery.

Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald and Miss Odie Lee Arthur spent the week end in Birmingham visiting Mrs. Gerald's daughter, Mrs. Leonard Moody

Mrs. H. O. Bean has returned from Birmingham where she spent the past two weeks with her daughter, Mrs Lloyd Maddox, who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Hayes and baby girl were the spend-the-night guests of Mrs. Hester Ann Merchant

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jones of Clanton spent the week end with Mr Jones' parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. W Jones.

The guests of Mrs. A. F. O'Barr Sunday were Misses Mary Faulkner and Lexie Kirkpatrick, Mr. and Mrs Joe Hill, Mrs. Mildred Drake and Mr Draper, all of Birmingham.

Mr. Wilbur Maddox of Pate's Chapel spent Saturday night with Mrs. Hester Ann Merchant

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parrish of Mitchell Dam visited Mr. Fayette Vines Sunday

Little Miss Margaret Ward is confined to her home, as she is a victim of a bad cold.

Mr. William Each of Montgomery is spending this week at home.

Mr. Harry Chamberlain of Chattanooga, Tenn., was the guest of Miss Edna Lee Wilder Sunday

The Thorsby Parent-Teachers will serve chicken dinners Saturday, Mar. 14, at in the lower story of the Masonic building at eleven o'clock. The price of a plate will be 25c. The proceeds of this dinner will go toward paying for the new pump at the Junior High School.

Miss Alta Each carried her Sunday school class on a weiner roast last Friday afternoon. Games were played. A very enjoyable time was reported.

Mr. Willie Scott of Montgomery was home for the week end.

The revival meeting at the Congregational church is progressing nicely. Rev. Jas. A. Davenport of Daisy, Tenn., who is conducting these meetings, is delivering some very impressive and worthwhile sermons. Everyone is urged to come and hear him. Morning services at ten o'clock, evening services at seven o'clock.

Mrs. Mack Gray and Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway were joint hostesses to a surprise party given in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Rick Franklin at the home of Mrs. Mack Gray. The home was beautifully decorated in carnations and jonquils. Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames R. R. Franklin, Lee Pate, S. C. Wood, Grover Bice, Loren Smith, of Clanton, Flem Higgins of Clanton, Joe Higgins of Clanton, Marcus Polk of Clanton, Rida Taylor of Clanton, Spurgeon Calloway, Mack Gray and Miss Frances Wilson.

High score was won by Mrs. R. R. Franklin. Consolation prize was won by Mrs. Flem Higgins. Mrs. Franklin was presented with several lovely birthday gifts.

Mr. George Grover of Speigner spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray last week.

Mr. M. A. Carlton of Dadeville was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Frank Thompson, Monday.

Mr. Geo. Grover, Dr. S. C. Wood, and Mr. Mack Gray spent Friday fishing at Lock 12.

Mrs. B. F. Franklin is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin and little daughter, Peggy Mims, Mr. B. F. Franklin and daughter, Dorothy Vaughn, spent Sunday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray spent Sunday in Speigner.

Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood entertained at two tables of bridge on Saturday evening, the following: Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pate, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray won high score.

Mrs. H. L. Walker and Mrs Lee Pate motored to Deatsville Monday.

Mrs. Marion Smith spent the week end in Livingston visiting her husband.

Mr. Fred Boyd spent the week end with Mr. Ralph Ray of Helena.

The basketball team of Thorsby Institute played the team of the 15th Avenue Baptist church So. Saturday evening. The T. I. boys walked away with the victory.

The faculty of Thorsby Institute with several of the alumni will present a play entitled, "Clarence," at the auditorium of the Institute on Saturday evening, March 21.

The annual young peoples Christian Life Conference will begin Friday, April 3, and continue throughout the week end. Details of the program will be made known later.

Misses Ella Howard and Helen Diefenderfer of Clanton entertained the members of the Junior class of Thorsby Institute at their birthday party on last Saturday evening, March 7, at the home of Miss Diefenderfer. The home was charmingly decorated in carnations. Stunts and tricks were enjoyed. Refreshments were served to the following: Mr. V. H. Sutlive, Junior class teacher, Misses Camilla Mae McCollum, Odelel and Evie Lee Rowe, Olene Hybrate, Louise Gentry, Mildred Jeffers, Conradine Pate, Ruby Connatser, Ella Howard, Helen Diefenderfer and Messrs. Ralph aPte, T. A. McCollum, Dan Long, and Bill Gray

Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison Collins had a scare Monday night at their home when it caught on fire. The damage was not serious. Mrs. Collins was worse owing to the excitement.

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KIDS AID RED CROSS

Successful efforts of a group of eight children in Elizabeth, N. J., to raise money for the Red Cross were rewarded by a letter of congratulation from President Hoover a few days ago, in reply to one from Anne Warner-Burnham, 10-year-old leader of the group who wrote:

My Dear Mr. Hoover

I am writing to tell you about a play we gave for the benefit of the Red Cross, because I think you may tell other children about it. If lots of kids everywhere give plays they can get lots of money to help the poor people who need food and clothing. They do not need to be very old to do it, because I am only ten. Marilyn Whitlock, Ann Whittemore, Jane Kessler, Ann Cary, Ann McGregory, Robinson and Christine Mackey, who were in the play too, are all about ten. We gave a Punch and Judy show and movies, but the movies didn't work. We sold lemonade and fudge. We charged 2 cents admission and made $6.31. We gave the money to the American Red Cross chapter in Elizabeth.

Yours truly,
Anne Warner Burnham.

Such actions on the part of children can not be too strongly encouraged, not only because of the immediate benefits to those who are helped, but also for their value in developing a humane and chartiable spirit in the young people themselves

And if the present call of the unfortunate shall serve to foster such a spirit among both old and young, it will again illustrate Shakespeare's line, "sweet are the uses of adversity."

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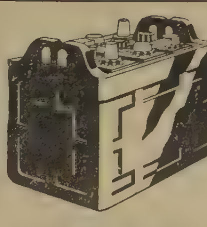
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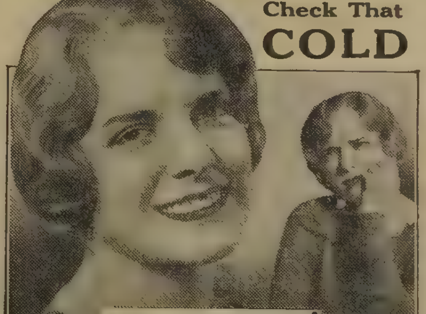
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The Legislature and Its Grist

By Bob Vail

Representative Burns Parker who looks quite ably after the interests of Cleburne County in the State Legislature, is being widely heralded as a candidate for Congress from the revamped Fifth District in the 1932 campaign. Mr. Parker is one of the most popular men in the Lower House of the Alabama General Assembly, and is looked upon as not only one of the best debaters, but the wag of the House. Well versed in parliamentary procedure, and well informed on political subjects, he exerts considerable force in that body. Mr. Parker is a militant Democrat and made speeches in behalf of the party in both 1928 and 1930, in many sections of Alabama. His speeches left no doubt as to where he stood on the issues of the day. He is a lawyer and has served as solicitor. Mr. Parker is well equipped to serve Alabama in the Halls of Congress.

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Representative Kelly, of Talladega, has introduced a bill to establish a civil service system for state employees which its advocates claim will make fitness for the position instead of political pull the basic qualification for appointment to certain minor positions under the state government. The selections to skilled positions would be made by a bureau of personnel in event the bill becomes a law.

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Resolutions of sympathy were adopted by the Senate and House upon the death of the mother of Representative Edward J. Grove, of Mobile, which sad event occurred Sunday morning. Senator John Craft was the author of the resolutions which were unanimously adopted.

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Mr. Beebe, of Baldwin, has achieved much fame throughout the state thru his successful efforts to regulate bus and truck transportation companies in the state. His bills as amended will not interefere with the farmer in the movement of his crops with manufacturers in the transportation of their products over the highways.

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Members of the legislature will have three weeks in which to go home and think over what they have done and failed to do. They will hear what their people have to say and then come back to finish out the full session of fifty legislative days. All of the revenue and appropriation bills are yet to be considered.

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A bill by Representative Glover would prohibit Sunday fishing in his county and citizens of Elmore and Montgomery counties are protesting that this would interfere with the most innocent form of Sunday amusement that they know anything about.

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Speaker Alf Tunstall frequently calls R. J. Goode, of Wilcox, to the chair when he wishes to get down out of the high chair and stretch his legs or smoke a cigarette. Mr. Goode presides with tact and dignity. The same can also be said of T. Sidney Frazer, of Bullock, Mr. St. John of Cullman and several others who might be named.

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Smoking in the house and senate is prohibited, though the doorkeepers automatically make exceptions in favor of the pipes of Mr. Culver and Mr. Beebe. To separate these representatives from their pipes would be a violation of the constitutional provision against cruel and unusual punishments.

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Governor Miller signed the pilots bill Wednesday and restores to the Mobile bar pilots the rights and privileges they have enjoyed for a hundred years. With this out of the way it was thought the fight on the state docks commission would cease, though it is rumored at the capital that another bill similar to the Warren-Givhan bill, aimed at General Sibert, will be offered after the March recess. The compress interests are said to be satisfied with the recent compromise, though it did not go far enough to suit some of the other communities that joined in the original protest against the present docks management.

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Representative Wallace of Russell County is a Scotch Presbyterian—so Scotchy that when he talks the burrs drop from his syllables, like leaves in autumn. His colleague and inseparable pal, Repreesntative Clayton, the fashion plate of the House, may do a turn in kilts yet, if the genial Scotchman has his way about it. Hoot Mon! Dress him up, Sandy!

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Representative Amzi Barber, the amazing bachelor from Jefferson County, whose marriage bill—requiring five days notice before the issuance of a marriage license—was defeated in the House last week, left Friday for a trip to the Pacific Coast to make a study of air fields in connection with pending legislation affecting aeronautics.

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OLD FLOWER RECLAIMED IN VERBENA, ALA.

Mrs. Lila Sheppard Restoring Beauty To Grounds Of Old Verbena Home

As one passes through Verbena, Alabama on the Birmingham-Montgomery Highway, going south, they will have their eyes attracted to the left, just after passing through the town, by an old home, on a rise, with large oak trees shading it, and a small summer house at the foot of the hill in the foreground. Then still more in the foreground they will see a flower garden, neatly and attractively arranged.

This flower garden is the work done under the direction of Mrs. Lila W. Sheppard, who resides in the stately old home mentioned above and carrying the name of Hill Crest. Mrs. Sheppard is endeavoring to make that nest of flowers as much the same as it was something like thirty odd years ago, by her mother. Mrs. Sheppard was kind enough to send the News a poem for publication in regard to her flower garden. It is as follows:

While seated in the flower garden on a rock.
I had a most delightful shock
As my eyes slowly strayed across the ditch.
The sight I beheld would any eye bewitch
In a loamy mound, all billowy white
Was something I had looked for, with all my might.
Spirea, my mother planted, thirty years ago.
And. Oh! She did love it so!
First to bloom in the early spring.
Such a dainty, sweet, pretty thing.
If it could weep, I am sure it would shed tears
At the trouble it has had, all of these years.
Trying its best to keep alive,
Where honeysuckle, bramboo, and wisteria thrive.
Bulbs, I found in profusion, everywhere.
They blossomed away, and seemed not to care.
The roses stayed where they were planted,
Making for the birds a wilderness, enchanted.
The Tiger lily was rightly named,
All other plants in its path were maimed.
It even dared to cross the road,
Have given them away, by the load.
In the midst of this dear old flower garden I have a dove-cote for rent,
And when it is filled with bluebirds,
Then my heart will be content.
—Mrs. Lila W. Sheppard.

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Again the unreliability of circumstantial evidence has been demonstrated. Suspicious officers arrested Henry Glover of St. Paul, Va., who was carrying a leading suitcase. An investigation disclosed that the dripping liquid was juice from a cracked jar of sauerkraut.

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We believe that we have the largest, best and cleanest stock of good dependable used cars in Central Alabama. We expect to sell every one of these cars during this HUGE SPRING USED CAR SALE which lasts all of this month, and in order to do this we are offering the cars at extremely low prices. Look over our stock before buying. We have 40 cars to select from. We list below a few of our best bargains.

Chevrolet Cabriolet Six
Bring in your old car and trade it in on this modern six cylinder Chevrolet. You will be surprised to see such a high grade value that we offer in this at only $350

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Here's one of our best buys Looks and runs like new. The owner of this one got enthusiastic about the new six and made us a proposition that will enable us to offer you this at .. $200

Chevrolet Sedan 1928
New in appearance, mechanically perfect; fully equipped; priced exceptionally low; upholstery very clean. Must be seen to be appreciated. See this car today, it wont be here long at $225

Chevrolet Coach 1928
The best four cylinder car ever built. In good mechanical condition. Must be sold. If you are looking for a bargain, here it is $185

Chevrolet Touring 1928
Very low mileage; clean as a pin. Mechanically perfect. Must be seen to be be appreciated $185

Chevrolet Six Truck With Cab
Here's a truck with new tires all around and good as new. Let us prove to you that we have the best truck bargain in town at $350

Chevrolet Truck with 4 Speed
Here's a truck in exceptionally good condition with two new tires. It can be handled at low down payment and easy terms . $175

Dodge Sedan 1928
Here's a bigger car at small cost. If you have use for this type of a car you'll buy it just as soon as you look it over $175

Whippett Coach 1929
We invite you to compare the price and quality of this car with other dealers' prices. Let us demonstrate to you without any obligations whatever $175

Whippett Sedan Delivery 1929
Here's one of our best bargains. It's in perfect mechanical condition and good rubber. Just the car for hauling berries and other light farm products $175

Model A Roadster Delivery 1929
Here's a light truck at a bargain. It has closed cab and steel box. You simply will be amazed at this value in a light truck. It's going for $135

Ford 2 Door Sedan 1927
Here's an exceptionally good sedan. The original owner babied it. It's perfect in every respect and low mileage $150

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Here's a Coupe that we have cut the price to the limit. You will be amazed at the value in this job when you see it. It's going for only $100

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Eastview News

Mr. J. C. Johnson died on Tuesday, March the 3rd, at 7:10 a.m. The death angel visited the home of Mr. J. C. Johnson of Mt. Creek, Route 2, and took away the father from the home. He had been sick a few days with flu and pneumonia, when it pleased God to say unto him, Well done, thou good and faithful servant, enter into the joys of thy Lord.

Mr. Johnson was 66 years of age. He has been deacon of Union Congregational church for forty years, and has been Sunday school superintendent almost as long. He was a faithful member of the church, and was loved by all who knew him. He was driving an Elmore county school bus when he was taken sick and the high school at Lightwood closed for two days when he died, in honor of him. He had lived all his life in the community where he died. It is our loss, but Heaven's gain.

He leaves to mourn his loss one brother. Mr. Tobe Johnson, of Elmore Station, one sister, Mrs. Ola Heath, of Atlanta, Ga., a loving wife, one son, Mr. Ellis Johnson, of Mt. Creek, Rt. 2, three daughters, Mrs. Lillie Esco and Mrs. Ada Guy, of Mt. Creek, Rt. 2, and Mrs. Bula Wilson, of Spiegner, and a host of relatives and friends. He was laid to rest at Union church with McMorris, of Wetumpka in charge of the body. Rev. A. C. Nelson officiated. He was assisted by Rev. Heath, Rev. E. W. Butler, Rev. J. E. Each, Rev. Thomas and Rev. George Watson.

The Lord gave, and the Lord hath taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord, for we know if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved we have a building of God, an house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

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Mr. J. A. Dobbs and family were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Henson.

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Mr. Drue Nelson was the Sunday dinner guest of Mr. Otis Coggins.

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There will be a working at the church Wednesday, March 18, for the purpose of cleaning off and plowing the three acres of land which is to be cultivated by the church and community, for the purpose of paying church expenses. Also to scrub the floor of the church and put in some mising window panes. Everybody is invited to come and help.

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Mrs. A. C. Nelson is stil lon the sick list, but is reported to be improving some.

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We had a good Christian Endeavor service Sunday night. The topic was, What Is the Church Miss Emmadean Smith conducted the service. Mrs. Lola Nelson read a home mission story.

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Two of Mr. O. G. Price's children are sick with pneumonia. They are reported to be better this week.

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Mrs. S. P. Smith visited Mrs. A. C. Nelson Sunday evening.

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Our Sunday school is still growing we received one new member for the Bible class last Sunday. Everybody come back and bring someone with you.

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"And the spirit and the bride say come, and let him that heareth say come, and let him that is athirst come." —Rev. 22:17.

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Come to Sunday school next Sunday.

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Not only gilt-edged but gold-edged was the collateral put up by an aged negress of Thomasville, Ga., recently. Applying at the bank for a loan of $5, she was told that she must have an endorser or furnish other security. Returning to the bank later, she brought from home a $10 gold piece, which the bank accepted as security for the desired $5 loan.

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When a man of Buffalo. N. Y., proved in court that he knew all the stanzas of "America" he won the court's consideration by getting a suspended sentence on an intoxication charge.

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Come to Play Day, March 13, 1931.

HOME-MAKING EDUCATION IN THE JEMISON HIGH SCHOOL

By Miss Leacy Newell, Teacher of Home Economics

The evolution of Home-Making Education is as interesting as the evolution of the scientific inventions of today. When the work was first put into the schools, only cooking and sewing were taught, that is, just the preparation of food and the fundamentals of sewing. Later the course was known as Domestic Science, and as the work grew and more phases of home making were added, it was given the name of Home Economics. The field has broadened, and today it includes all phases of home making. It is this home making course that Jemison High School offers its pupils.

Three years of Home Economics are offered to the students. The chief purpose of the first years' work is the personal development of the high school girl and the solving of her personal problems. This instruction is given in units on Personal Relationships, House, Clothing and Foods.

The second years work is based on the interest, ideals and skill developed during the first year. Family living and art applied to home and clothing are emphasized. The units offered this year are Health of the Family, Foods, Family Relationships, Applied Art, and Clothing.

The third year instruction given in the other two years is made use of with emphasis on organization and management problems of home making. The units are Home Management, Child Development, House, Clothing and Foods.

School instruction produces small results unless practical application is made. Home Economics has been criticized because the girls did not put into operation at home the knowledge that they were supposed to have gained at school.

It is through the home project work that interest in home work is stimulated. In this phase, a minimum of 90 hours is required of every girl taking vocational Home Making Education. One-half unit of credit may be given on the home project provided the girl does one hundred and fifty hours of high grade work, and that includes three phases of Home Economics in their projects. A girl must also be in good scholastic standing before she is allowed this extra credit in home work. Home projects help the teacher and the student. The teacher finds out if she is teaching material that may be used by the girl and the girl finds out how well she is understanding school instruction, and whether or not she is able to use it at home.

Last year (1929-'30) Jemison High School won first and second honors in home economic project work in the contest held at Alabama College, Montevallo, Alabama. The girls winning these honors for the school were Cuba Littleton and Doris Dennis.

Rooms and equipment are very important factors in teaching Home Making. Jemison High School has three rooms set apart for this purpose. One is used for a clothing laboratory; the second is the dining room; and the third is the foods laboratory. These rooms should be as attratcive, sanitary and convenient as possible. The foods laboratory is divided into unit kitchens. Each unit kitchen is equipped as a single kitchen in order that the girls may become experienced in preparing and serving food under as nearly the same conditions as she would at home.

Jemison High School began to equip their dining room last year. At present it has only a table, eight chairs, a minimum amount of china and community plate. The girls in the House classes have stained and waxed the dining room floor and have made curtains for the windows.

All students are interested in improving the entire department. In the future, they hope to add a buffet and serving table to the dining room suite, and to get a picture, rugs and wall hangings to enhance the beauty of the room.

The department has a library of 35 volumes and five monthly magazines related to different phases of the work are subscribed to by the department.

In connection with this school work the teacher of Home Economics teaches an Evening School in an adjoining community to the adult ladies. Adult classes consist of fifteen lessons on some phase of Home Economics. This year the class was taught in Pleasant Grove community. Twenty-three girls and ladies enrolled for the course. Lessons were taught in foods and Home Improvement.

Below are some stories related to Home Economics work as told by the girls:

IMPROVEMENT THROUGH PROJECT WORK

One of the most interesting features of a school girl's life is the probability of having a Home Economics Course. It is one that not only enables her to become better acquainted with the social and economic problems of every day life, but helps her in such a way whereas she will be better prepared to solve them, provided they should ever come her way.

This year quite a bit of interest and enthusiasm has been created in our school due to the fact that so many of the girls are doing home project work. This is a phase of Home Economics that may be considered as most outstanding for it is said that if skill is to be developed or a habit acquired, wheat we learn must be practiced in some place other than the inside of the school room. Quite a number of criticisms have previously been made regarding this fact, but, today, I think Home Economics has indeed proven itself to be a desirable and satisfactory course.

My projects for this year deal with Health, Home Improvement and Food. Two of these I have already completed, while the third, I'm just beginning. My object for home improvement was to repaint and re-arrange the furniture in my kitchen. To think of it one might consider it an easy task, but the style of furniture with which I had to deal, dates back to the time when my grandmother first began housekeeping. The stove was a large wood range. A non-painted safe answered for a cabinet. The linoleum on the floor had a worn, dirty appearance for the time of its attractiveness was a thing of the past. In rearranging the furniture, I substituted for the wood range an oil stove, and succeeded in making a rather attractive cabinet out of the safe. The color scheme that I used in painting was light cream and green. The linoleum, I painted green, bordered with cream, the safe, cream, lined inside with green, and the stove cream and green. I also painted the table cream and green, and I'm using light washable curtains, which harmonize with the color of the furniture.

For my mother and me the result of this work has been exceedingly great. It not only saves much time and labor, but has supplied us with a kitchen we will not feel ashamed of.

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NEW MEMORIAL STAMPS

Three new memorial stamps hav been either issued or authorized by th Post Office Department this year, an about a score of applications for other have been filed. The three will commemorate the services of General Pulaski, the 50th anniversary of the Re Cross and the surrender of Lord Cornwallis 150 years ago.

Next year it is planned to issue l memorial stamps in conection with th celebration of the 200th aniversary o Washington's birth, and the coining o a silver quarter bearing his likeness i also proposed.

If the event commemorated is c sidered of sufficient importance, th issue of such stamps is generally looke upon with favor by the department. a many thousands of such stamps ar gathered by collectors and never use so that Uncle Sam makes money by th transaction.

The collecting fad is also encourage and a special bureau is maintained i Washington to assist collectors in obtaining stamps desired.

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As an incident of a talk in behalf o the Red Cross at Austin, Texas, Wi Rogers joked at the expense of notables, as usual. Of Chief Justice Hugh he said: "If he would only consent run for President, come down here a travel with me from town to town, a let me shave him so people could s what he looks like, I could elect him

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Temperance, not teetotalism, is th motto of Captain Boney Ridley, 8 year-old North Carolina mountaine according to a news dispatch whi quotes him thus: "It is true that in m youth I would drink a bit, but for th last 15 years I have been tapering do until now I notice that if I drink a pint at one time it has a tendenc go to my head."

Franklin's Life And Activities Are Recalled And Reviewed

As Philosopher, Scientist, Statesman, Author and Patriot, Franklin's Achievements Were Hailed Throughout The World

Next to George Washington, Benjamin Franklin was the best known American of the 18th Century. He was renowned wherever civilized men gathered, in the circles of philosophy, science and politics as one of the foremost men of his time. His personality was so delightful that everyone who met him was charmed. His versatility seems to have known no bounds, but it was through his sound judgment, common sense and clear thinking that he was able to attain his striking success. So great and varied are his achievements that only a comprehensive work could do justice to his many accomplishments.

This great hero of the Revolutionary War and warm friend of Washington, was born in Boston, on January 17, 1706. The 225th anniversary of Franklin's birth is the occasion for a statement from the Division of Information and Publication of the George Washington Bicentennial Commission which pays tribute to the memory of the great American and calls upon all his countrymen to honor him. The service that Franklin rendered to his country during the struggle for liberty is invaluable. The aid which he obtained from France insured to the United States the lasting benefits of the victories which Washington won on the battlefield. In fact, if Franklin had not been able to persuade the French to come to the assistance of the colonies, perhaps Yorktown never would have taken place.

When young Benjamin was eight years old his father sent him to a grammar school and later to a somewhat technical institution in Boston where he learned arithmetic. This was the extent of the boy's schooling, for when he was ten his father set him to making candles. This was so distasteful to the lad that the elder Franklin became apprehensive lest he run away to sea. To forestall anything of this sort Benjamin was apprenticed to his half brother, James, who was a printer. Here his mind developed rapidly. At his brother's shop be came in contact with the liberal element of Boston and from his reading of Locke, Bunyan, Plutarch, Defoe and Mather he imbibed a broadening philsophy. "The New England Courant," published by James and Benjamin, was called the "first sensational newspaper in America."

But trouble was brewing, and, in 1723, the 17 year old Benjamin quarrelled with his brother and went to Philadelphia. Everyone is familiar with the story of Franklin's entrance into that city which has been pictured in school books to the great amusement of many young readers. As he walked down the street eating from a loaf of bread carried under his arm he must have presented an appearance far from suggestive of the famous man he was destined to become.

Obtaining employment in the Quaker City, Franklin soon attracted the attention of William Keith, the Governor of Pennsylvania, who persuaded him to go to London to study and to purchase equipment for a printing office. Keith promised the boy letters of introduction and credit, but when Franklin arrived in London he found that the Governor had not kept his word. Almost penniless and without friends in that city, his condition was acute, but he soon obtained employment and made many friends. One of these was a wealthy Quaker merchant named Denham who offered the youth a position in a store he was opening in Philadelphia. Accordingly, Franklin returned to that city in 1726 after having spent nearly two years in London. Within a short time Denham died, and Franklin found himself out of a job, but this may have been a good thing for the youth because his next step was an important one.

In 1728 Franklin established a printing house with Hugh Meredith, and in ten years made it the most successful business of its kind in America. At this time he also purchased the Pennsylvasia Gazette, a moribund newspaper which under his management gained a one of the most prominent papers in the country. Soon afterward he began to publish his famous "Poor Richard's Almanac" containing the pithy maxims which retain their popularity to this day, and from which he made his fortune. He also became public printer of Pennsylvania, which added to his prestige, and in 1730 he married Deborah Read with whom he had fallen in love some years before.

Durign the next twenty years Franklin's popularity and activity steadily increased. He organized and became prominent in the Leatherapron Club, which he called the Junto and in which he learned the essentials of leadership. He organized the first fire company in Philadelphia, founded the American Philosophical Society, became postmaster of Philadelphia, invented a stove, acquired interests in several of the Continental colonies and in Jamaica and became clerk of the Pennsylvania assembly.

In 1745 he began to experiment with a Leyden jar sent to him from England and his investigations in this field led to the discovery which made him famous as a scientist. Every schoolboy is familiar with Franklin's experiments with a kite and key by which he made the identiifcation of lightning and electricity, and which he was the first to prove. He also framed the theory of two kinds of electricity which he called negative and positive—a theory that still holds. With the lightning rod which he invented, he was able to overcome to some extent the devastating effects of lightning, and this made him the best known scientist of th day.

In the Pennsylvania assembly, he had been prominent in the fight to obtain taxes from the proprietary interests of the Penns, and in 1757 he was sent to England to lay the case before the throne. Here he was received cordially by his old friends and he made many new ones. After five years he returned to the colonies only to be sent back to England to protest the imposition of the Stamp Act. He was called to testify in a famous examination before the House of Commons in which his tact and ability was largely responsible in having the obnoxious act repealed. He became the best known American in Europe and was popular everywhere.

Franklin returned to America in time to attend the first Continental Congress as a delegate from Pennsylvania. As a member of that body he was appointed to the committee which drafted the Declaration of Independence. He was made postmaster general of the colonies, and soon afterward went to France to secure the aid of that nation. By the French he was received enthusiastically, and they regarded him as one of the four greatest men in all history. This popularity was so great that the British were irked by it, but it enabled him to obtain the much-needed money for the American treasury. When the war was over, he was called upon to act as one of the peace commissioners, and in framing the Treaty of Paris, Franklin's activities were most eminent and useful. In 1785 he returned to Philadelphia, but he had one more important service to perform for his country. This was his participation as a delegate from Pennsylvania, in the Constitutional Convention of 1787. He was then 81 years old and his age prevented him from taking part in the debates of that body. The influence he weilded in keeping the convention in order, however, is immeasurable.

On April 17, 1790, three years after he'd seen the government of his country firmly established, the life of Benjamin Franklin came to a close. Philosopher, statesman, philantropist, writer, patriot, and scientist, he was one of the most remarkable men of the age. He admired and loved Washington whose measure he seems to have accuartely taken, for in his will he wrote: "My fine crab-tree walking stick, with a gold head curiously wrought in the form of the cap of liberty, I give to my friend and the friend of mankind, General Washington. If it were a sceptre, he has merited it and would become it."

Hubert Farley
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OLD FOLKS SAY DR. CALDWELL WAS RIGHT

The basis of treating sickness has not changed since Dr. Caldwell left Medical College in 1875, nor since he placed on the market the laxative prescription he had used in his practice.

He treated constipation, biliousness, headaches, mental depression, indigestion, sour stomach and other indispositions entirely by means of simple vegetable laxatives, herbs and roots. These are still the basis of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a combination of senna and other mild herbs, with pepsin.

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Concord-Billingsley

On last Saturday night group one entertained group two by giving them a social. This was held at the home of Miss Virginia Little.

Several games and contests were enjoyed. After the games refreshments were served. Everyone present reported an enjoyable time.

Our Sunday school and Christian Endeavor seems to be growing a bit in attendance. We hope it will continue to grow in membership and interest.

Mrs. W. A. Williams and children returned home Sunday afternoon, after spending the past week in Selma with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. W. A. Kynard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cowart and little Lena Pearl Shaw of Coosa County spent the past week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw.

Miss Bessie Williams dined with Miss Allie Williams last Sunday

Mr. T. L. Williams and son, Porter, spent Saturday night at the home of their brother and uncle, Mr. W. W. Williams.

Mrs. W. A. Shaw and daughter, Connie, and Mrs. W. W. Williams and niece, Allie, spent Thursday afternoon of last week with Mrs. C. D. Foshee.

DON'T BUY SPECTACLES AND TINWARE TOGETHER

The things you can buy at the "five and ten" nowadays are simply wonderful. But Dr. Christmas Seal advises against picking out your own spectacles. Neither does he favor sending to a mail order house that guarantees a fit and offers wonderful values in genuine tortoise shell rims for $3.98. These supply houses may back up their guaranty so far as you know; but who is the judge of whether or not your eyes are fitted?

About nine in ten of those who do not wear spectacles in their youth have to take to them about age 45 because of a natural process of lessened elasticity in the crystalline lens of the eye. The people who guarantee glasses are taking a chance on that. But do you want to take a chance for the sake of a possible saving of five dollars. You expect to use your eyes half a lifetime yet. Go to an expert right in your home town or your county seat and make sure that the spectacles you buy are a genuine aid to your valuable eyes. Don't be content with "the best for the money," get the best that money can buy. Remember your eyes are the only eyes you will ever have.

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Wins Civic Award

Dr. Paul Phillippe Cret, University of Pennsylvania professor and a famous designer of war memorials, won this $10,000 Bok prize as the person contributing the greatest service to the advancement of his fellow men.

"INSIDE" INFORMATION

Sirups left over from cooking fruits and from canned fruits may be used to sweeten punch and other fruit drinks.

Try a mock duck when you want a palatable, inexpensive, baked meat. It's really a flank steak, stuffed with a bread crumb dressing, rolled, tied, and baked. Be sure to roll lengthwise so that in carving the meat is cut across the muscles.

The reason it is better for a child to learn to eat cereals and fruits without sugar is that many sweet foods spoil the appetite for other foods that are needed, and by adding sugar to everything a taste for sweet foods is needlessly developed. Any candy or sweet foods should be given sparingly at the end of a meal.

The oil in "dustless" cloths may be renewed by applying a few drops of kerosene or light lubricating oil on one corner, rolling the cloth, and letting it stand until the oil has spread evenly. Or add a little oil to the rinsing water after washing the duster. One tablespoon of kerosene or one half tablespoon of light lubricating oil to one quart of water gives good results.

French toast is a breakfast or luncheon dish, sure to be popular with the family. Beat 2 eggs and add from one-half to three-fourths cup of milk, and a little salt. Cut well-baked, exen-textured, rather dry bread into uniform slices about one-fourth of an inch thick. Dip these into the egg mixture, until well penetrated, drain, and fry at once in butter or good-flavored fat in a heavy smooth skillet. Use moderate heat and let the toast become golden brown before turning. Serve at once with bacon or with sirup or some other sweet.

FILING TAX EXEMPT ON DROUTH LOAN MORTGAGES

The Alabama Legislature has passed and Gov. Miller has signed a bill exempting farmers from paying privilege tax for filing the mortgages they give to obtain relief loans from the Federal Government.

Seth P. Storrs, commissioner of Agriculture and Industries and chairman of the Alabama Drouth Relief Committee, has mailed copies of the bill to probate judges, county agents, and chairmen of Drouth Relief Committees of the State. The bill reads:

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of Alabama: Section 1. That no filing tax as required by Section 4 1-2 of Act No 172, approved August 2, 1923, shall be required or collected for filing for record any mortgage given to secure a loan or money to drouth, flood or storm suffers made under any act of Congress of the United States.

14,000 Veterans Apply For Loans

Lieut. Col. Everett J. Jackson, head of the local Veterans' Bureau, said Monday that approximately 14,000 World War veterans in Alabama had applied for loans under the new compensation act, according to information he has received from the district office in Birmingham.

The large number of applications received from the start, it was said, will delay the receipt of checks for about two weeks to 20 days from the date of the application.

Checks coming to each veteran will average about $400. There are from 65,000 to 80,000 ex-service men in Alabama.

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MEN'S SILK SOX—Men's 25c Quality Fancy Silk Sox for	15c
LADIES' SHOES Never before have we been able to sell you such a Wonderful line of Ladies' Shoes for	$1.98
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36-INCH PRINTS—Good Quality of 36-Inch Prints at	10c
TURKISH TOWELS 25c Quality of Turkish Towels, Sizes 22 x 44; Heavy Quality for	15c
NEW SPRING HATS—Just Received 200 New Spring Hats — Special	98c
MEN'S SHOES—1 Lot of men's dress oxfords; All Sizes and going for only	$2.25

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The Smartest $5.00 Shoe made, at this Store. Ask to See Our New Modern Five Dollar Shoes.

LADIES' HOST—25c Quality Ladies' Ribbed Hose; All Colors	15c
LADIES' HOSE—$1.65 Quality ladies' full fashioned Hose; all colors and sizes for only	$1
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Ladies Coats, Spring Dresses

We have just received a new shipment of Spring Coats and Dresses, and believe they are the prettiest we have ever seen. You can't help buying one of these dresses for Easter. Priced from

$4.95 to $9.95

THE LEADER

MANAGER, M. LANDE
Clanton, Ala.

Mrs. Mamie C. Smith spent the past week end in Birmingham as the guest of her son, Paul C. Smith, and family.

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Miss Inez Patrick of Alabama College, Montevallo, spent the past week end with her parents in Billingsley.

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Come to Play Day, March 13, 1931.

Judge C. M. Mathews, Mayor of Bessemer, stopped over in Clanton last Monday to spend a while with N. J. Griffin, manager of the Clanton Service Station.

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Misses Betty Baldwin, Celia Cumbee, and Bonine Clyde Griffin members of the faculty of the Isabella High School, were in Clanton Tuesday shopping.

Save 70 to 75 per cent in the dollar at

W. Z. HODGES

(J. C. Jones Store) Clanton, Ala., near Dief's Service Station. 20c Gingham, going at 5c per yard; all 50c piece goods going at 15c yard; All $1.00 piece goods going at 25c per yard; Ladies Shoes 39c—75c and 98c Pair. The prices of every article is cut in the same way as quoted above. Come to see us and see what we have to sell.

I am still exchanging merchandise for corn, peas, syrup, chickens, eggs, meat and lard. Also I have for sale the long staple varieties of cotton seed D. P. L. and Cooks 1627 for planting.

Dudley Thompson Died Sunday Morn

B. D. (Dudley) Thompson, age 46, of Thorsby, died last Sunday, March 8, at the Woodlawn Hospital in Birmingham following an illness that had lasted for several weeks.

The deceased is well known thruout the entire county. He had been prominently connected with the lumber and planing mill business for a number of years, and was actively engaged in that line of business up until the time his health began to fail, sometime ago. He was born in Coosa County June 8, 1884, the son of J. J. and Mary Thompson. He was married to Miss Eliza Goodgame on May 10, 1904, and to that union was born three children who survive. They are Frank, Ethel and Sallye. He was a member of the Methodist Protestant church, having become a member in 1911 at Walnut Creek, in this county.

The body was brought to the Martin Funeral Home in Clanton where it was prepared for burial. Funeral services were held at the Thorsby Baptist church Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock with the Rev. J. E. Each officiating, assisted by the Rev. J. W. Jones and Rev. J. H. Limbrick of Billingsley. Interment followed in the Clanton Cemetery with Martin in charge, and with honors from the Woodmen of the World.

Surviving is the widow, one son and two daughters. Five brothers, J. A., J. T., H. F., H. L., and E. L. Thompson. Two sisters, Mrs. Katie Eiland and Mrs. O. L. Mims.

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EASTVIEW CHURCH WILL TAKE STEPS TO CULTIVATE LAND

In the Eastview news this week an item is carried stating that there will be a yard working at the church next Wednesday, March 18th. The three-acre lot of ground there will be cleared off and plowed, to be planted and cultivated by the church and community, for the purpose of paying church expenses. The floor of the church will also be scrubbed and broken window panes will be replaced. Everyone interested is invited and urged to come and assist in the work on that day.

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J. D. Conaway, J. L. Conaway and Wilbert Conaway of the Isabella community were in Clanton attending to business matters Monday.

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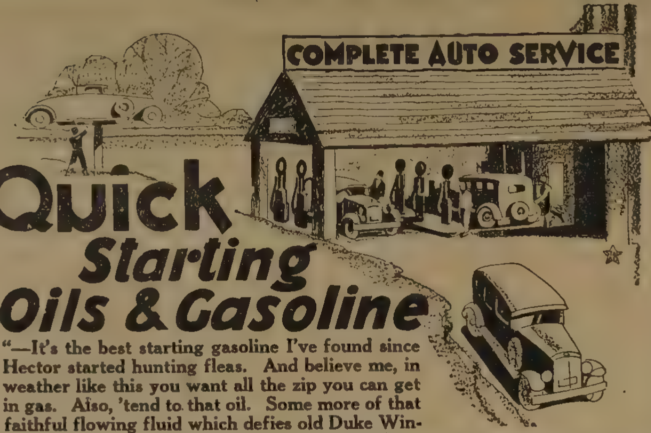

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Specials For This Week End

FLOUR	Split Silk 24 lb. bag	65c
	Per Barrel	$5.20
LARD	8 lb. pail Pure	93c
POTATOES	Irish, 5 pounds	10c
Cabbage,	2 pounds	5c
Onions	Red or Yellow 4 lbs.	10c
RICE	Best Grade 5 lbs.	25c
Salmon,	per can	10c
SOAP	Export 8 bars	25c
Bacon Squares,	per lb.	15c
Tobacco	Prince Albert 2 cans	25c
Tomatoes,	3 cans	25c
Picnic Hams,	per lb.	15c
Seed Potatoes,	per peck	50c
Dried Peaches,	lb.	10c
Beans	Colorado Red 5 lbs.	25c

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Sylacauga—Sylacauga Fertilizer Co. to start operations in plant here.

Opelika—Opelika Creamery installed new pasteurizing machinery.

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LARGEST TIRE IN WORLD WILL VISIT CHILTON

Dief's Service Station Brings Huge 12-Foot Goodyear Tire Here

The largest tire in the world is on its way to Clanton, and will be on exhibition in our city on Thursday, March 26th, and Friday, March 27, according to L. E. Diefenderfer, manager of Dief's Service Station, located at Clanton.

This huge tire will run on a regular schedule of visits in Chilton County, stopping first at the popular Howard's Garage in Verbena, Alabama, Goodyear dealers of that town. The tire will arrive at Howard's Garage at three o'clock next Thursday afternoon, and remain for something like an hour at that place. The Howard's Garage extends an invitation to the public to come to their place and see this huge tire, its first visit to Chilton County.

On March 27th, Friday, the tire will be seen at Jemison at W. H. Conway's, at eleven o'clock in the morning, remaining there for one-half hour. The next stop will be at the Thorsby Filling Station, in Thorsby at noon March 27th, and from there on to Maplesville where it will make a stop at the Nix Service Station at 1:45 p.m.

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Local Camp W. O. W. Elected Delegates

G. C. Harris and J. A. Maddox will represent the Clanton Camp of the Woodmen of the World at the Head Camp Convention to be held in Montgomery the latter part of this week, according to information given out last week.

The alternate delegates elected at a recent meeting of the local camp are W. B. Crowe and Ervin Wilson. It was also stated that Deputy Evan C. Evans is conducting a membership campaign in Chilton County now.

The officers of the Clanton Camp are W. B. Crowe, consul commander; G. T. Tippett, adviser; J. A. Maddox, banker; G. C. Harris, Clerk and financial secretary; Jesse C. Jones, escort; Ervin Wilson, watchman; James A. Baker, sentry. The managers are H. T. Pipes, W. H. Sartor and J. R. Mullins.

LEGIONNAIRES TO PLAN FOR ANNUAL OUTING

Interesting Meeting Held In Clanton Last Monday Night

Chilton County Post No. 6 of the American Legion met in a call meeting Friday night, March 13th. There was a large crowd present, and the local post was assigned Judson Sneed as speaker for the meeting, but by some cause unknown to the post, he failed to come. Legionnaire Prof. L. C. Warr made a fine address to the post. Also, Prof Earl Thomas of the Isabella High School made an excellent address. Prof. Thomas gave some good reasons why he was a Legionnaire and reviews of the war time days in France. War Risk Insurance was explained by the local Commander, Joe N. Calloway.

Good music was enjoyed by all present, furnished by Chasteen and Culp Brother's string band. They have been playing at these meetings for some time and are greatly appreciated by the members. The question of organizing a Ladies' Auxiliary in connection with the local post was brought up for discussion among the members. It is hoped to have that unit working in this county in the very near future. All ex-soldiers of the World War are requested to be at the next meeting, which will be the first Monday night in April. Plans of the Annual Fish Fry on that date, to be held some time in April, will be made. All citizens of Chilton County have a hearty welcome to meet with the local post. They are trying to cooperate with all just and honorable causes tending their help as far as possible to all to make this county, state and nation a better place in which to live. This reprot is from V. C. McKee, Post Adjt., Chilton County Post No. 6.

ROAD TO ROCKFORD IN GOOD CONDITION FOR AUTOS NOW

Latest reports on the new road going into Rockford, Goodwater, Sylacauga, Alexander City, and through to Atlanta, state that the Coosa County side is in good condition now, due to the fair weather during the past several weeks.

This new route makes the distance to points named above quite a short one. From Clanton, it is fifteen miles to the river on this road, nine miles of which is paved, the remaining six miles a fine gravel highway, with a modern motorized ferry connecting the Chilton side with the Coosa side, which is in good condition now, and will be until a heavy rainfall.

SIXTY FARMERS GO TO AUBURN LAST TUESDAY

Guests of Clanton Kiwanis Club Spend Day Looking Over Experiment Sta.

More than sixty Chilton County farmers went to Auburn Tuesday and spent the day looking over the Alabama Experiment Station and College of Agriculture. They were guests of Clanton Kiwanis Club, and were carried on the trip by members of the club in their automobiles.

The party pulled out from Clanton from seven to eight o'clock Tuesday morning and it was apparent from the start that it would be a day filled with good things for everybody.

The following is the list of farmers who went:

R. C. Burkhalter, Reuben Popwell, A. P. Vinson, Judge L. H. Reynolds, J. L. Burnett, S. E. Driver, Grover Jones, J. J. Johnson, L. E. Burkhalter, Charley Wilkins, E. L. Lenoir, J. W. Woolley, Jim Dunlap, Sam P. Collins, L. W. Allen, W. B. Crowe, Perry Gore, Volley Littleton, S. W. Littleton, Glenn Sessions, E. C. Cox, Sam Collins, J. D. Collins, O. R. Robinson, O. R. Mullins, R. E. Powell, H. S. Shaw, Gerald Hubbard, C. D. Duke, Walter Vinson, Green Retherford, Ed Miner, O. H. McDowell, E. H. Mims, E. H. Headley, Mitchell Devaughn, J. A. Culp, Jasper Robinson, J. L. Smith, Mr. Sorrell, Lake Thompson, Rudolph Moates, T. C. McSwain, Ellis Mims, Allen Posey, Charley Patterson, W. L. Popwell, B. F. Rasberry, J. W. Mims, Ralph Mims, Grady Taylor, Arthur Maddox, E. V. Mims, D. O. Manning, J. D. Griffin, H. R. Oden, W. J. Easterling, A. J. Lecroy, O. O. Calfee, A. D. Martin, J. D. Culp, J. N. Dennis, R M. Foshee, J. W. Hamilton, Ed Kelley, Henry Popwell.

Members of the Kiwanis Club who went were C. E. Stapp, Raymond Smith, Reedie Taylor, Frank Callen, Hance Alred, Sam Powers, John Hollis, Earle Thomas, Leonard Wililams, E. E. Upchurch, Renfroe Mullins, and W. M. Polk.

ONE RECEIVED FINE IN MAYOR'S COURT MONDAY MORNING

Amos Bean, of the Collins Chapel community appeared in Mayor's Court in Clanton last Monday morning on charges growing out of the Alabama Bad Check Law, and operating a motor vehicle without license, according to information this week. It was stated Bean was fined $10.00 and costs on the bad check charge and one dollar and costs on the license charge.

WILEY RAMSEY HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT HERE SUNDAY MORN

One of Clanton oldest residents was rushed to the Central Alabama Hospital in Clanton last Sunday morning as the result of an automobile accident which occurred at the intersection on the Birmingham highway near the Texaco Filling Station. Wiley Ramsey received several severe cuts on the head when struck by glass from the windshield of the car in which he was riding, said to have been driven by W. A. Kemp.

The Kemp car was attempting to cross the highway, returning from church, when a car, said to have been driven by a Mr. Bennette, manager of the Exchange Hotel in Montgomery, was also passing on the highway. The cars collided, throwing Mr. Ramsey, an aged citizen of Clanton, against the wind-shield. Martin's ambulance was summoned and the injured man carried to the hospital where his condition was reported as not being serious. Both cars were badly damaged.

CLANTON TO BE HOST TO CROWD TODAY

Meeting At Courthouse Expected to Bring Large Visiting Delegation Here

Clanton will be host today to a large number of visitors from various parts of the state when delegates from other towns will gather here to attend the road meeting to be held at the courthouse at ten-thirty o'clock this morning.

The purpose of this meeting is to organize an association to promote the early paving of the highway connecting Clanton with Selma, which roads also runs along the points of Anniston, Talladega, Columbiana, Calera, Maplesville, Plantersville, Selma and Mobile. a most important route in Alabama.

The interest in this meeting and its purpose appears to have reached the utmost peak, and a large delegation of business men and leaders from Selma, Maplesville, Columbiana and other towns interested in the work, is expected to arrive this morning to attend the meeting, to which everyone is invited.

The cities and counties interested in this matter, together with their civic organizations are working with all effort toward its success. Following the meeting at the courthouse, all visiting delegates to Clanton will be guests of the Clanton Kiwanis Club at luncheon at the Baptist church at 12:15 o'clock.

FIDDLERS TO CONVENE IN COUNTY SOON

Convention Scheduled, Marbury Tomorrow Nnight, Verbena On April 20

The fiddlers of this section of the country will now have plenty of opportunities to show their wares, according to some announcements given out this week. There will be a Fiddlers Convention at the Marbury-Mountain Creek school, in Marbury tomorrow night, beginning at seven-thirty o'clock.

Several prizes are to be awarded for the best selections. Sandwiches and drinks will be sold at the convention and everyone is invited to come. The convention is being put on under the auspices of the P.-T. A. of Marbury. This will be the first meeting to be held in the auditorium of the new school. One hundred new seats have been placed in the building. Remember the date and time above.

ANNUAL FIDDLERS' CONVENTION AT VERBENA, ALA.

The Tenth Annual Fiddlers' Convention to be held at Verbena, Alabama

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SCHOOLS IN THIS COUNTY TO CONTINUE

County Teachers Commended On Act of Unselfishness To Aid In Problem

The school teachers of Chilton County are receiving a hearty commendation for their most unselfish move in agreeing to teach school in this county for the remainder of the regular school term, although their salaries will probably be late in arriving.

At a meeting held at the high school in Clanton last Friday immediately following the activities of the Field Day here, all teachers in this county and the board of education were present. The purpose of the meeting was to put before the teachers the problem that was facing the county on a short school term on account of a lack of funds to carry on.

The meeting was short and brief, as the teachers in a most unselfish and hearty response declared they would continue to give their time and efforts as usual to the schools and complete the unexpired school term this year, in view of the fact that they will have to wait for their salaries for the rest of the term, which is something like two months. They stated unanimously to this agreement, saying they believed in the State and that it would meet its obligations without fail. They also went further to say that they had rather give their time, than to have the schools of this county closed and the children deprived of their rights.

CONTEST TO OPEN FOR A STORY ON TIRE

Dief's Offering 3 Prizes For Best Articles On World's Largest Tire

Due to the large amount of interest being taken in the coming visit to this county of the large Goodyear tire, said to be the largest in the world, Dief's Service Station has opened a contest for the best article written about the tire on its visit to Clanton.

This contest is open to students of the Chilton County High School only. First prize will be a new Goodyear Standard All-Weather tire, size 4.50x21. Second prize will be $2.50 in gold, and third prize a Goodyear inner tube. Articles must be in not later than Monday, March 30th, at noon, and are to be turned in at Dief's Service Station, local Goodyear dealers.

Judges have been appointed and the winners will be announced after the visit of the large tire to Clanton.

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Don't miss seeing "Aaron Slick from Punkin' Crick." A clean rural comedy in three acts at Union Point school on Saturday night, March 28, 1931. Admission Free.

PUTTING CHILTON ON THE MAP IN A BIG WAY BY BOOSTING

Letters, Telephone Calls, Personal Calls And Comments Over The Entire Country Tell Of Effects Of Booster Edition

That Chilton County is now more on the map than ever before since the Chilton County News published the special Chilton County Booster Edition February 26, is evidenced by the letters, telephone calls, and editorial comments from many parts of the United States, speaking extremely favorably on this county.

For the past three weeks, since the publication of the Booster Edition, the News has been receiving by various methods some of the most encouraging and favorable comments on Chilton County that it has ever received before. The News has been given the reputation of putting Chilton County over in a big way as far as advertising is concerned, for the county. The News has long ago realized that, Chilton County has some of the most outstanding possibilities of any county in Alabama, and it was the idea of telling the outside world of these facts, that the special Booster Edition was published.

It was estimated at the time of the publication that copies would go into every state in the union, and at this time, the News believes it can truthfully say that that has occurred.

From Steamboat Springs, Colorado comes the following comment addressed to the News: "A friend of mine who lives in Clanton, sent me a copy of your Chilton County News Booster Edition and if I may, I want to say that I have never seen such a live paper for a town the size of Clanton. I am interested in the South and especially so in Alabama. I have lived in Colorado all my life and of course know nothing about the South except that which I have been told and what I have read. If nothing prevents, I intend to make Alabama my future home."

From Piave, Miss., cames the following: "Am sending thanks for the copy of the special edition of the News. You can not know just how much I enjoyed reading it. Really made me homesick to see Thorsby and all the folks again. Think the News puts out a wonderful newspaper, and long to be back in Chil-

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CLANTON DEFEATED IN RECENT BOWLING TOURNAM'T, BLOCTON

Eleven of Clanton's expert bowlers motored to West Blocton last Thursday night to take part in a Bowling Tournament there against the West Blocton Bowlers.

The Clanton team was defeated by the Bloctonians by six games out of nine. Those taking part in the tournament from Clanton were Claude Reynolds, Eddie Wyatt, George Tippett. Clarence Easterling, M. B. Arant, Ernest Arant, Jack Nix, Spain, Curtis Giles, Ervin Williamson, Sidney Reynolds.

It was stated that West Blocton will return the contest, coming to Clanton tonight to play at the bowling alley near the Dixie Cafe.

THIRD HUSBAND IS VICTIM OF HIS THIRD WIFE

W. B. Harper Shot By Wife At His Home Near Mt. Creek Sunday

As the result of some domestic troubles, W. B. Harper, age 70 years, was shot and instantly killed by his wife at their home near Mountain Creek early last Sunday morning, according to information received here.

According to the story given the News, Harper had quarreled with his wife and was under the influence of liquor at the time, abusing a child in the home and threatening to "clean out the whole family." Harper is said to have started to get a gun, when Mrs. Harper secured a shotgun and shot him, the entire charge taking effect in his back, just between the shoulder blades, killing him instantly.

There was only one child, a boy, at home at the time, and he is said to have ran from the house when the father threatened the family. A coroner's inquest was held by Coroner J. Mell Martin and a verdict of justifiable homicide was rendered, according to the information. At the time of this writing, no charge has been placed against Mrs. Harper.

Funeral services for the victim of the quarrel were held Sunday afternoon at Mountain Creek. Harper had been married three times, as had Mrs. Harper.

EASTERN STAR REPEATS PLAY AT THORSBY, ALA.

By request of one of the circles of the Baptist church the P.-T. A. and many other people, the Eastern Star of Thorsby will repeat the play, "Two Days to Get Married" at the public school auditorium on Friday night, March 27 at eight o'clock. Admission will be 15 and 20 cents. The proceeds will be divided between the Eastern Star, the Baptist church, and the public school.

This play was given at Thorsby on February 14 and was received with much enthusiasm. This is probably one of as good plays as has ever been put on in the county. Come and see it. You will enjoy every act from beginning to the end.

W. T. BEAN.

MR. AND MRS. C. E. EVANS TO MAKE HOME IN CLANTON, ALA.

The people of Clanton are welcoming Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Evans and young son, who have recently moved to this place from Selma, Alabama. They will be located at the home of Mrs. J. C. Jones. Mr. Evans is connected prominently with Woodmen of the World.

WATT'S HAT & DRESS SHOPPE HAS ON PRE-EASTER SALE

Miss Callie Watts of the Watt's Hat & Dress Shoppe is announcing this week her pre-Easter sale of fine dresses and millinery. Elsewhere in this issue of the News will be found an ad from this popular concern, in which they have listed some prices in effect during their pre-Easter Sale.

SHERIFFS REPORT 4 ARRESTS DURING PAST WEEK END HERE

Information gathered by the News from the Sheriff's office here this week showed that four arrests had been made during the past several days up until Tuesday morning.

These arrests, names of the persons were not given out, were on charges of violating the prohibition law and on [illegible] checks, it was stated.

FIELD DAY HERE SUCCESSFUL IN EVERY DETAIL

Approximately 4,000 People See Program of Activities Of County Schools

Truly, last Friday was a red-letter day in the minds of the thousands of school children of Chilton County after having participated in the Field Day activities in Clanton that day. The day was declared by many as one of the most successful like it ever held in Chilton County.

The parade, composed of something like three thousand school children, headed by the Chilton County Post of the American Legion was spectacular in its size and colors. There were forty-nine schools of the county represented well in the program Friday.

Following the parade, which originated and ended at the high school here, the children were gathered in the large ball park, where the varied and interesting program took place for the remainder of the day.

The county-wide spelling contest took place in the high school auditorium with ____ spellers taking part to begin with. Soon all were turned down until the only ones left standing were the spellers representing Chilton County

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Miss Ruth Jones Wins Prize Of $500 In Cash

Miss Ruth Jones, local resident, recently won the Mennen Baby Oil Contest, put on by the makers of Mennen Baby Powder. The prize won by her, which was first prize, was $500. She received her check March 16, 1931.

Last summed during August as she was in Upchurch Drug Co., Dr. Upchurch told her about it and gave her a blank to fill out, not believing that she would enter. Miss Jones saw this opportunity to try for this prize and took it.

The contest, with prizes totalling $1,000, the first prize being $500, was open to anyone. The entrants were to write a letter on the use of this Mennen Baby Oil and give three names that were suitable to this oil, since it was just being manufactured, and no name had been given it. The best letter, on the use of this oil would win the first prize, the next best would win second prize and so on. The contest took place in New York City and the judges were leading doctors.

COMEDY-DRAMA TO BE STAGED FRIDAY NIGHT

"The Wild Oats Boy" Presented At High School By Local Characters

For the past several weeks, those who will take parts in the undergraduate play of the Chilton County High School, to be presented tomorrow night, have been going through their parts until now they are almost living their lines of the three-act comedy-drama, and those seeing it will no doubt acclaim it a success.

The name of the play, "The Wild Oats Boy," has a certain appeal to it alone, and the characters have been carefully picked for the various parts so that each would bring forth just the impression desired on the audience.

The play has been advertised and bids fair to bring a large crowd out to see it. Miss Margaret Kendrick, a member of the high school faculty, and competent in coaching such plays for high school students, has been drilling and coaching each one taking part, who in turn have been showing some real interest in the success of the presentation. Miss Kendrick has been assisted in the coaching by Miss Josephine Martin, another member of the school faculty.

The curtain is scheduled to go up at eight o'clock sharp. The part of the "Wild Oats Boy" is to be played by Erle Ellis, and the story around this young happy-go-lucky young man is amusing and yet serious at times, as in the story he has a chance to receive $50,000 from his uncle provided he is in bed not later than eight o'clock each night. Quite a number of amusing things can occur to a young man with that facing him, while he is the type who had rather be out at eight than in at eight.

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Chestnut Creek Church

Dear Editor:

Please allow me space in your paper to write a few words in regard to our B. Y. P. U. here.

As last week was a nation-wide study course week, our church, too, had the wonderful opportunity of having a study course that was very much needed and appreciated.

We wish to thank Mr. Cornelius Hand of Clanton very much for teaching the Senior Manual, also Miss Lucille Taylor for teaching the Intermediate, and Mrs. Hattie Jones for teaching the Junior Manual. There was forty who took the course. We are very sorry that a few of our members didn't take it. I'm sure they can't realize what they missed. We adopted the Standard in each Union and are working to be A-1 by the beginning of the quarter, first of April

After examinations Saturday night, and I wish to say here everybody made good grades, we left the church and went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Patterson where a lively social was enjoyed, and I'm sure I can speak for all, we really had a good time.

We were glad to have all visitors, especially our pastor, Rev. J. S. Hand and Rev. Ollie Hayes. We welcome you back to our B. Y. P. U.

We wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. Patterson for allowing us to have the social in their home.

R. V. JONES,
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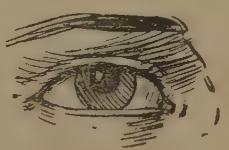

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A LETTER OF APPRECIATION

Editor Chilton County News:

Please allow me space in your valuable paper to express my appreciation to the people of Mt. Nebo community for their kind and faithful help, during the illness of my wife and children, who had measles and whooping cough together. These people didn't allow us to suffer for the want of attention, and by the help of the Lord, and the skillful and faithful work of Dr. J. P. Hayes, and the help of these good people, we are all able again to sit at the table together again, and sit around the family altar and hold family prayer again, without the loss of one, for which I am very thankful. And too, I want to say just one year ago, a cyclone came by this way, and completely destroyed the top of my large barn, and in less than forty-eight hours by the help of these good people, I had a better top on my barn than was destroyed, for which I was thankful. And just ten years ago, a cyclone came by this way and destroyed many things around the place, and I almost lost my life. But these good people helped me all they could, for which I was very thankful. I am not only thankful to these good people, but I am thankful to God. For it was by His help we are all here today, and I trust, and I believe the Lord will abundantly bless all of these people who came to our rescue, and the many who wanted to and could not. The Lord knows all of you by name, and I know He won't let you lose your reward. For He does many things for people, by people, and there is much that we all can do to the upbuilding of His cause and Kingdom around us if we will be willing to answer when He calls. Here am I send me. Let's not be discouraged when affliction and disaster comes our way, for he has said many are the afflictions of the righteous, but the Lord delivereth us out of them all, for the angel of the Lord encampeth around them that put their trust in Him and delivereth them. That is all we could ask of Him. Even though things go bad with us, we ought to be thankful they are not worse.

JOHN M. CULP.

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TOMMIE GLENN DIED AT HOME, MOUNTAIN CREEK

On February 17, 1931, just as the shades of night were falling, the spirit of Tommie Glenn slipped away to join the innumerable saints who have gone on before.

During the last years of his life he was in bad health and could not attend church as was his custom while in good health.

Funeral services were held on February 18, at New Harmony church. Rev. A. E. Trice conducted services.

He leaves to mourn his death four sisters, one brother, Miss Ellen Glenn, of Mt. Creek, Mrs. A. A. Culver, of Mt. Creek, Mrs. A. E. Trice of Clanton, Ala., Mrs. J. O. Culver of Birmingham, Ala., and one brother of Florida. He also leaves a host of relatives and friends.

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Mrs. L. C. Warr Hostess To Club.

The "As You Like It" club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. L. C. Warr at her home Thursday afternoon. The home was attractively decorated with spring flowers. Late in the afternoon a delicious salad course was served to the following: Mesdames D. W. Haskew, W. W. Fox, J. B. Atkinson, P. M. Pitts, G. C. Walker, D. C. Alred, W. E. Martin, Flem Higgins, M. A. Gore, L. H. Reynolds. The club will meet with Mrs. J. B. Atkinson for the next meeting, March 26th.

Mrs. Zeb Mims, Miss Gladys Williams and Raymond Mims, enjoyed a delightful motor trip to Rock Hill, S. C., the past week end.

Billy Scott of Montgomery was in Clanton Sunday.

Mrs. F. J. Callen and children, Billy and Ann, spent the past week end in Selma visiting relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Edgar motored to Birmingham Sunday and spent the day.

Mrs. Edith Leach of Birmingham is spending several days here as the guest of Mrs. P. D. Wilson.

Mrs. Broadhead Entertains Bridge Club.

On Wednesday afternoon of last week, Mrs. Grady Broadhead was hostess to her bridge club at her attractive home, which was pretty with jonquils and other spring flowers. The St. Patrick Day idea was carried out in the decorations and refreshments, a delicious and attractively prepared salad plate. Members enjoying the afternoon at this affair were:

Mesdames Hosea Downs, Eric Hart, J. P. Hayes, T. C. McSwain, J. Lee Smith, Omar Reynolds, Norman Roberts. Invited guests were Mrs. J. W. Hayes, Mrs. W. M. Wyatt, Miss Madelyn Orr, Miss Kathryn Hayes and Miss Bettie Mullins.

Mrs. R. D. Woodson, of Lay Dam, spent Monday in Clanton as the guest of Mrs. Lawrence F. Gerald.

Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Neighbors spent several days in Goodwater recently with relatives.

Mrs. Watts Moore Hostess To Bridge Club.

Mrs. J. Watts Moore was hostess on Wednesday afternoon of last week to the regular meeting of the bridge club. Spring flowers were used artistically in the decorating of the home for this occasion. After a very enjoyable series of games, a well prepared salad plate was served at refreshments to those present.

Those taking part in the interesting games were Mesdames Hance Alred, Frank Callen, L. F. Gerald, Hugh Simpson, Victor Heard, Arthur Johnson, Napoleon Johnson, Grady Reynolds, Julius Burnett, John Mullins, John Armstrong and Weaver. Mrs. Hance Alred won high score prize, and Mrs. John C. Page was tea guest of the afternoon.

Masked Bandits Rob Gas Station

Brewton, Ala., March 14. — Five masked bandits armed with sawed-off shotguns held up two men at a filling station on the Brewton-Andalusia Highway nine miles from here tonight, and, when no money was found in the place, ordered the proprietor, Walter Douglas, to go home and get the day's receipts.

His life threatened by the robbers, Douglas went to his home, a short distance away, and returned with approximately $25, which the holdup men took and fled.

S. J. Howard, Douglas's companion, was kicked about on the floor by the bandits when he made a remark that offended them.

Beyond stating that the five men were white and apparently experienced robbers, Howard and Douglas could not furnish a good description of the men. The sheriff's office was notified here and a search was started for the bandits.

Entering the filling station, the leader of the quintet demanded all the money, Douglas said. When Douglas replied that he had none a thorough search of the place was made.

Following the robbery, the five men escaped toward Andalusia in a small sedan, Douglas said.

J. B. ATKINSON
Attorney-At-Law
Office Over Robinson Department Store
Clanton, Alabama

Mrs. Rockett Hostess To Young Matron's Club.

Mrs. Dewey Rockett was hostess to the Young Matron's Sewing Club at her attractive home on Second Avenue on last Thursday afternoon. Lovely spring flowers were used in a most attractive manner throughout the home for the occasion and a delightful afternoon was spent by the members present, in sewing.

Late in the afternoon a delicious salad plate was served to the following: Mesdames Jack McMurray, Milton Smith, Joe Higgins, Loren Smith, Horsley White, Horace Jones, Irene Raspberry, Mrs. John D. Mullins and Mrs. Jimmie Taylor were invited guests of the club for the afternoon.

Mrs. Duncan and Mrs. Duke of Prattville were guests of their mother, Mrs. Glennie Phillips last Sunday.

The many friends of W. I. Mullins are glad to see him out again after being confined to his home with cold.

Mr. and Mrs. John DeRamus of Talladega spent the past week end here with relatives.

Elder and Mrs. A. B. Russell left Tuesday for Pensacola, Fla., where they will spend several days.

Circles Met At Baptist Church Last Monday Afternoon.

A very interesting program of Bible study was well attended at the Baptist church on last Monday afternoon by all Circles. The subject of the program was "Election."

Methodist Missionary Society Met At Church Monday.

The two circles of the Missionary society of the Clanton Methodist church met Monday afternoon at the church for their regular monthly business meeting. The meeting was opened by Mrs. D. W. Haskew, president of the society. Devotional was led by Mrs. L. E. Diefenderfer.

Some very entertaining readings were given by Miss Emma Sue Morris and Mrs. L. C. Warr. There were eleven members present and the meeting was very interesting and inspiring.

The Circles will meet again for a business meeting at the church on the third Monday in April. Circle Number One will meet next Monday afternoon at three-thirty o'clock at the home of Mrs. A. S. Prince, while Circle Number Two will meet with Mrs. Grady Broadhead at the same hour Monday.

Mrs. Allen of Knoxville spent the past week end here as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Rena Rembert.

Mrs. Glenn Boyd and daughter, Gypsy Ann, of Selma were guests of Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry in Clanton last week.

Mrs. Charlie Plier returned to her home in Clanton last week after a delightful visit to relatives in Birmingham.

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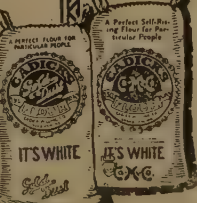
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! HIGH SCHOOL NEWS !

We are indeed glad to correct two errors that occurred in last week's honor roll students. The names of Joe Hall Johnson and Mabel Harris were omitted. Joe Hall made A's in all his courses, and Mabel made an average of A in al lher work. Joe Hall is in Junior One and Mabel is in Senior One.

County Field Day

We feel that our play day was a success in every respect. Everybody appeared to enjoy the occasion, and to get a great deal of good from it. Comments were made during the day that the largest crowd of school children were assembled that has ever been in Clanton. Due credit is due the officials who organized the various committees together for sponsoring the plays and games. We feel that this should be made an annual affair. A splendid school spirit can be built up over the entire county on occasions like last Friday.

Combination Truck Shed And Gymnasium For High School

Bids are now ready for the erection of a building sixty by eighty feet on the campus of Chilton County High School for the purpose of storing 20 of the 40 busses owned by the county during the summer months. During the winter, this building may be used for any purpose the school sees fit. We plan to make a splendid indoor basketball court out of it. A similar building is in the process of construction at Jemison where twenty other truck bodies will be stored. We plan to break dirt next week.

News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

The women of the Baptist Church will have their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, March 25th. Circle No. 1 in charge. The study will be "Forgotten Americans." A special invitation to all is extended.

Mrs. Susie Benson and daughter, Estell, spent Monday with Mrs. Annette Smith.

Mrs. Annette Smith and son, Lamar spent Sunday with her father and mother.

Dr. Horace Franklin spent the week end at the home of his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Franklin.

Mrs. Lena Higdon is staying with her mother until her condition is improved.

Miss Naemi Turnquist of Selma spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Foss and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Reagan motored to Bessemer Sunday afternoon.

Mr. W. H. Raybon returned home Monday after a few days visit with his son, Roy, in Birmingham.

Mr. Dan and Julia Ann Primm of Ensley visited their grandmother Primm here Sunday.

Miss Edna Raybon is spending the week with her cousins. Dan and Julia Ann Prim, in Ensley.

Mrs. H. F. Thompson is home again after spending a week in Clanton with her mother.

Miss Clyde Jones of Clanton visited Miss Mary Sue Robinson over the week end.

Mrs. John Childress, Billy and Mrs. B. L. Davenport motored to Montevallo Monday afternoon.

A number of young people gave Miss Loutishie Bean a surprise party Saturday night. Several games of Rook and Bridge were played.

Quite an enjoyable time was had by all. Those present were Misses Clara Hayes, Freeman Marcus, Edna Childress, Jessie and Lola Martin, and Willodean Bean. Messrs. Ted Hayes, Kenneth O'Barr, Herschell and Russell Hayes, Ronald Lucas, James Kincaid, and Lester Pate.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Maddox of Birmingham spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bean.

Mr. German Bean of Atlanta, Ga., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bean.

Mrs. Oscar Bean entertained with a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of four members of her family. Her father, Mr. John Hayes, and brother, Ted Hayes, also her husband and son, Mr. Oscar Bean, and German Bean. Those who enjoyed the hospitality were Mrs. Kennith O'Barr, Herschell Hayes, Russell Hayes, the honorees and family.

Mrs. Ann Eiland visited her granddaughter, Myrtle Maddox, over the week end.

Mr. R. A. Turner and son, Harris, with Rev. Ensminger of Birmingham attended the revival at the Congregational Church Thursday afternoon returning to Birmingham Friday morning.

Miss Frances Wilson is in Birmingham on business.

Mr. Jerome Wilson spent the week at home with his parents.

Mrs. F. R. Collins spent last Friday with her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson spent the week end with Mrs. Thornburgh, the latter's sister.

Mr. Clyde and Earl Meade spent Thursday in Birmingham.

Mrs. Jewel Peterson spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Ivy Meade.

Mr. Eugene Davenport and wife spent Saturday night with Mr. Wilbur Marcus and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Collins, Lola Mae Marcus, and Mildred Collins attended the singing at Collins Chapel Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Earl Collins has moved to Mrs. Leonard Hayes' house on Wisconsin Avenue.

Rev. Davenport left Thorsby Monday afternoon for his home in Robins, Tennessee.

The sewing circle met with Mrs. Chas. Howard Monday afternoon.

The union prayer meeting will be held at the Baptist church Wednesday night of this week.

Mr. Lester Pate of Elba is home at the present.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Pate of Wetumpka are visiting his parents, here in Thorsby.

Miss Brown Russell spent Sunday with Miss Romalee Pate.

Miss Winnie Boring had Sunday dinner with Miss Conradine Pate.

Mrs. Relious Franklin gave a rook party Saturday night. Those present were Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pate, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray, Mr. and Mrs. John Childress, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Franklin.

After a series of games were played a plate lunch was served. High score was won by Mrs. Lee Pate and Mr. John Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray spent Sunday in Prattville visiting her parents.

The Eastern Star will stage their play, "Two Days To Marry" for the benefit of the Baptist church and the Thorsby Junior High School Thursday night, March 26th. Everybody come.

The Whiteheads and Miss Hattie Davenport of Birmingham spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard entertained at dinner on Thursday Rev. and Mrs. Each, Rev. Davenport, Rev. and Mrs. Lowery, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Peterson and Mrs. Martha J. Primm.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard and Rev. Davenport spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Goddard of Liberty Hill community.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Peterson entertained at dinner on Wednesday Rev. and Mrs. Each, Rev. Davenport and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Peterson had as their dinner guests on Tuesday Rev. and Mrs. Each, Rev. Davenport and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard.

Mrs. Lee Carter is very sick at this writing.

Prof. Sumner Gerald and Miss Ruth Gerald spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. Hattie Gerald.

The P.-T. A. served a chicken dinner to the public on Saturday, March 14th, and cleared about $50.00.

The groceries collected by the pupils of the Thorsby Junior High School, the room getting the greatest amount of groceries was to be given a half holiday. Miss Ruth Martin's room won this contest. The room selling the greatest number of tickets for the chicken dinner was to be given a half holiday also. Miss Clara Vine' room won this contest, her pupils sold 77 tickets.

The P.-T. A. has bought shrubbery for the Junior High School grounds and the school boys are working the yards preparatory to setting it.

The Collins Chapel school and the Thorsby school have a spelling bee scheduled to be held at Thorsby some time soon.

Two of the Thorsby Junior High School pupils won honors in the field day athletic contests. Lena Barrett Williams won first place on the standing broad jump, and second place on the sack race and fifty yard dash. Albert Parrish won first honor on the running high jump.

Messrs. James Varnell, Horton Walker and Misses Edna Cofield and Ruth Sessions were guests of Miss Clara Vines Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Herbert Adams of Gadsden visited Miss Ruth Martin over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Franklin, Mr. Ben Gipson, and Mrs. Mack Gray went to Birmingham and brought Mrs. Mary Gipson home, who had underwent an operation.

Mrs. S. C. Wood, Mrs. Relious Franklin and Mrs. Mack Gray spent Thursday in Birmingham shopping.

Mrs. Ben Franklin is home. She is doing nicely since she came home Saturday.

Services at the Baptist church Sunday will be: Sunday school 9:45 a.m., preaching, 11:00 a.m. by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Jones.

7:30 p.m. "Songs in the Night" an evening with Fanny Crosby's Gospel hymns.

The story of the song will be given by the pastor and the choir and congregation will sing them.

The Queen Esther Sunday school class of the Congregational church entertained the Loyal Helpers with a hike and picnic supper on Saturday. Miss Jenkins is teacher of the Queen Esther class and Mr. Sutlive of the Loyal Helpers class. The Loyal Helpers had won in a contest so it fell to the lot of the girls to entertain them.

The faculty and a few of the alumni of Thorsby Institute will give a comedy entitled "Clarence" Saturday night of this week at eight o'clock. Everyone is urged to come and have a good laugh. Admission 15c for students and children and 25c for all others.

The first honor roll of Thorsby Institute is larger than usual. It has been decided this Semester to put the names on the honor rolls alphabetically rather than in the order of rank as it takes so much time to figure up the fraction of a difference. At the end of the year if an undergraduate scholarship is given at Commencement the exact rank will be figured.

THORSBY INSTITUTE HONOR ROLLS—4TH TERM

First: No grade below 85 per cent, general average of 90 per cent or above.

Charles Croker, Helen Diefenderfer, Edith Foss, Wilma Goodgame, Malcolm Lockhart, James Kincaid, Myradine Martin. Margaret Peterson, Carrie Smith, Raymond Sammons, Lois Thompson.

Second: No grade below 75 per cent, general average of 85 per cent or above.

Mable Bass, Byron Bean, Mary Louise Bates, Winnie Boring, Fred Boyd, Myrtis Cannington, Hal Broadhead, Carl Ekblad, Kathryn Foss, Dorothy Franklin, Verlon Goodgame, Ella Howard, Mayme Johnson, Olean Hybart, S. E. Maddox, Helen Lowery, Lola Martin, Mary Ruth Nix, Odell Rowe, Pheres Raybon, Brown Russell, Gerald Smith, Gladys Smith, Edna Lee Wilder, Eunice Williamson.

Third: Perfect Attendance:

John Adams, Mary Louise Bates, Brady Billingsley, Winnie Boring, Christina Bosworth, Cynthia Barr, Hilma Collins, Rubye Connatser, Charles Croker, Helen Diefenderfer, Christina Dopson, Fred Boyd, Juanita Each, Kathryn Foss, Hal Broadhead, Wilma Goodgame, Verlon Goodgame, Lawrence Gerald, Jr., Ella Howard, Olean Hybart, Mayme Johnson, Janie Lelley, Kathryn Lenoir, Malcolm Lockhart, Donald Long, Helen Lowery, Oliver Lyon, S. E. Maddox, Louise Maddox, Myradine Martin, Lola Martin, Albert Mims, Camilla McCallum, Geoge Nix, Mary Ruth Nix, T. A. McCallum, Jr., Conradine Pate.

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NOTICE

We want everyone interested in the cemetery at Cedar Grove to meet early as possible and finish cleaning it off. There was a large tree cut and fell on some of the graves and we need help to clean it up.

—Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

Let everyone who is not attending Sunday school elsewhere, meet with us at 9:45 next Sunday. Rev. D. W. Haskew will address the Men's Bible Class at that hour on the subject, "The use and the abuse of God's gifts."

Preaching at 11 A. M. by the pastor.

The Epworth League will have full charge of the night service Sunday night. The young people will give a pageant at that time that will not only be beautiful, but very instructive You will want to see this service of beauty and worship.

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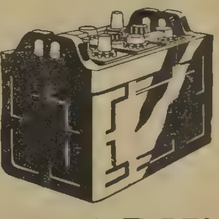

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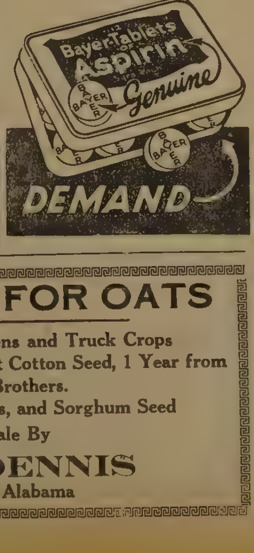

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GREED:

The following is an editorial published in the Meridian, Miss., Star, May 7, 1928:

The greatest curse of the age is greed. Everybody is trying to "do" somebody else. Everybody is trying to get ahead of the other fellow and so the great procession goes fighting, tearing, squirming—"and the devil take the hindmost." And none of us gets much.

Yet there is enough for all. Nature is generous. Earth through its various channels is pouring its riches into the lap of humanity—there is plenty for all and to spare. Yet we fight.

In the world of traffic, the exchange of staples and in the marts the unsceptered money kings hold sway. Greed, reaching for more than a fair share, robs industry. Greed partly to show its power has been known to cause panic, brutal, senseless and hideous.

In one section of the country crops are permitted to rot on the ground, because there is no market for them. Within easy reach of these, the squalid cries of hunger go unanswered. In Kansas the farmer burns corn for fuel; in the coal lands they are starving for bread. The farmer would be glad to exchange his corn for coal, but the railways place a prohibitive schedule of rates.

Speculation dips its hands into every bushel of wheat and even the standing grain. It is everywhere, its stamp is on all things. It grinds human lives and profits by the gist of blood.

It is all our greed. Only a few have obtained the upper hand. They have control. So the rest of us fight for the few grains monopoly leaves.

'Tis a sad state and we have yet to find a deliverer. But there is hope. Hope is cheap and there is plenty of it. But hope doesn't satisfy a hungry stomach. But it helps a little.

And long ago we learned to be satisfied with little.

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This Month Of March

March used to be the first month in the year, in the days when folk calculated the year's beginning from the day when the sun crosses the Equator on his journey northward. The Vernal Equinox occurs on the 21st of March, and from then on the days are longer than the nights until the third week in September. The old Anglo-Saxon name for March was "Lencten-monath," or lengthening month, because the days grow longer so rapidly.

In some parts of England and Scotland the last three days of March are called "the borrowing," the idea being that March has borrowed three days from April.

Wherever the world March, as the beginning of Spring, has been an important month in the religious ceremonials which are supposed to insure bountiful crops. The dead [illegible] to life again in March, and begins its cycle all over. There is sound logic in the old system of starting the year's reckoning with March, a custom which [illegible] not drop until 1699 and which persisted in [illegible] until 1752. In the Christian calendar the most [illegible] festival, Easter, celebrating the Resurrection, [illegible] from the Vernal Equinox; Easter Sunday [illegible] moon that follows the [illegible] festival thus com- [illegible]

[illegible] in March, [illegible]

Example

Every man has some power over others that is exercised without conscious effort on his part. It is a responsibility he can not dodge. If he is a strong man, others will strive to emulate his strength. If he is a weak man, others, in passing, will shudder at the thought of being like him. Both serve the noble cause of uplift.

In almost every group, organization or community there is one man who walks his chosen way without thought for the preferences, opinions and will of others. He is a strong man; original, dominant, cocksure. If he has looked the world over and decided against it; if it is his custom to attribute the worst possible motives to all men; if he is, in short, a cynic, those who come within his influence are almost certain to find themselves sneering at mankind and calling the world a failure.

But if this strong man is a conservative with a well-lined nest and a conviction that all who advocate change or a disturbing of dividends are dangerous cranks who should be jailed or deported, those who associate with him soon learn to use his pet phrases in denunciation of dreamers and to feel a certain awe of money in large piles.

Therefore, since it is a certainty that the average man, who lacks a dominating personality, will be remade after the image of the strong men within whose orbit he moves, why shouldn't he exercise what little discretion he has in the matter and attach himself to men who now are what he would like to be?

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As a matter of suggestion, we might say that you farmers would not be making a mistake if you look over your farm equipment now and see if you can't save some money by doing a little repairing.

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If you want to do a good turn for this newspaper, get your neighbor, or his neighbor to subscribe for it. They will not regret it.

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Mr. Merchant: You got to tell them, if you want to sell them.

"ROUND TOWN"
---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

" * * * and the worms crawled out
and the worms crawled in."

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Just what that saying above could pertain to in my thoughts this week, I have no idea. But, worms usually crawl in and out of those things that become more or less decomposed,—rotten, so to speak. It is all right for one to go about patting folks on the back for awhile, but the time comes when I feel like something ought to be said about some faults when they become so plain, that a person can't keep from noticing and even sometimes they become the gossip of the town. Now, I've been doing nicely for the past few weeks, just talking nice things about folks round town, and forgetting about some bad things that have been happening, and I've stood it about long enough, without busting loose and telling about it—in a nice way, however.

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The past week end brought with it some happenings in these parts that don't happen very often. A murder, two brothers fighting, and cutting, a fellow knocking another in the head, a woman throwing a fit on the highway about a man, and gossip about some misconduct of a couple of teachers. Phew—what scandal and gossip we do have sometimes. Gossip—"and the worms crawl out, etc."

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Truthfully, I'm glad that our teachers are not allowed to attend dances here. Dances are all right, I like them and think it's great. But, I can't put my O. K. on all the dances held, that I know of. Especially those where there are no restrictions except the one at the door, when you have to fork over a couple of dollars or so, to get you and the girl friend in. Dances—saloons on wheels—no regard for marriage vows—chasers galore—girls being shipped from college—bad whiskey—and a good time was had by all, provided they left their conscience at home.

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Sure, I think Clanton ought to have some dances, and often too. But again, how about some that are, what one would call "a real dance" like those they used to have up in the Woodmen Hall years ago. Them was the days—and a good time was had by all, even if they did bring along their conscience.

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Heard about a man the other day who is down on Clanton, so he says. He just cut loose with a big volley of criticism on the conduct here of the various classes of people. Bowling alleys—pool tables—hang-out places for small boys—criticism on things going on at night round town—what's the matter with the men governing the town?—whiskey just around the corner—no place to raise boys and girls. And on and on—poor fellow.

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But he didn't say a single word about the streets in the residential sections being in bad condition, just as bumpy as a alligator's back, and Clanton is to have a lot of out-of-town visitors here today. I sure have a hard time trying to make some folks see some things that are going wrong. Seems like they can't see any farther than that "dollar" that they think is stuck in front of them, and afraid they will lose it.

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Sorry folks, but this looks like it needs to be done—my telling you about it. Just some more of my infamous tips being given out in a friendly manner this week. Don't get sore with me for doing it, because it's for your benefit, just want to call your attention to some faults, and you'll admit I'm right, if you stop and think a minute.

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For awhile I noticed that both papers carried items from the Boy Scouts here, and they were interesting. Inquired about them from the editor, and he said he's been trying to get some Boy Scout Activities, but hasn't succeeded. On investigation I find there has been no activities. They meet regularly, call the roll, and the rest of the meeting is—well, boys, let's get to work and do some real Boy Scout work. You have a great running start with your organization, and let's keep running.

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And the Girl Scouts. What has become of them? Yes, I know they meet regularly. Girls, you got a great opportunity just like the Boy Scouts here. Wouldn't it be a great idea to have a contest between the Boy Scout Troop and the Girl Scout Troop of Clanton in attendance, achievements, etc. I know the leaders of these two troops are working hard in the behalf of the organizations, and they can't do it all alone. Clanton once had an eighteen-piece Boy Scout Band. That was years ago, so I'm informed, and why not now?

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Hats off to the teachers of Chilton County. We all owe them a debt of gratitude acording to an article on the front page of today's paper. Read it and smile.

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And now they say that the News is putting Chilton County on the map more than ever. Not bad for a bunch of newsboys used to hard knocks. Yes, there is a lot of good work going on in the News plant that folks don't know about. Modesty—bah. I'd tell the world about it. I've stuck around the News long enough to see information go shooting out about this fine county of ours, that looks good to me, and the ed just says nothing about it to anybody. Toot—toot—toot. Why not blow your own horn for awhile.

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They tell me that the fellow who is worthwhile is the one who, finds himself coming out at the little end of the horn, just simply appropriates the horn and blows it forevermore.

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It is about time for the talk of improving the fishing grounds and clubs of Chilton County. This item makes our place very attractive to visitors far and near.

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Much of the value of barnyard manure may be leached out if hauling to the field is delayed until after the Spring rains have come. Not only is valuable plant food lost, but the barnyards are made almost impassable for the cows.

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Abraham Lincoln once said that God must have loved the common people because he made so many of them. It is well that He does, for the President, Congress or the Republican party don't care much for them.

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The citizen of Clanton who invests no thought or effort in the improvement of his home town, can't expect his home town to return him any dividends of increased prosperity.

MORAL ECHOES
D. W. Haskew

A Chilton County minister had in his home a son who was not mean at heart, but who was just a normal boy, full of frolic and fun. One day this boy did something that the father did not approve, and he thought to impress the boy with a religious correction. He called him aside to the shade of a tree and there had prayer with his boy. While at prayer he asked that God would come down and make his son stop doing the thing of which he was charged. At that point the boy snickered. When the prayer was over the father ventured to ask, "Son, what made you snicker while I was praying?" The boy replied, "Cause Daddy, you were asking God to do something that you ought to do." That is like the prayers of many parents. They are praying that God will come down and make their children stop going to picture shows on Sunday, stop them from running around at night, stop them from using slang, stop them from missing Sunday school. We are prone to petition God to do many things that we should be doing ourselves. It is enough to make devils "Laugh out loud" when they see parents with young children going about whining about not being able to make their children do the things they should do. God is not going to do a thing for your children that you are expected to do for them.

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God sent a beautiful Sabbath and there was the call of the church bell for worship. The mother heard that call, but she said to her husband, "I am not going to church today. I am going to stay at home so that we can have a hot dinner." The husband yawned, and then he said, "Mary, if you are not going, I am not going either." They remained at home. Next Sunday going to church was not mentioned. A year passed and the young couple had formed the habit of non church going. Children came into that home, and they followed the example of their parents and an ungodly family was sent out into the world. It all came from the decision of that young mother to remain at home on the Sabbath that her little family might have a hot dinned. "A hot dinner" on Sunday has made a hot eternity for many lost spirits. It is far better to give the soul some good warm spiritual food on the Sabbath than it is to feed the stomach with steaming victuals.

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I heard a young matron say this week "The longer I live and the more I observe, the more I am persuaded that there is nothing that will take the place of the home for the training of children in the right ideals of living." This young woman said, "You may preach ever so hard and warn with the greatest earnestness, but the child will go back to its home to continue to do the things that it has been trained to do." The statement of this brilliant woman is sadly true. The things that have become a habit in the home, are the things that will be the habit when the home is left behind. Parents, you may not have much education, but you can have right ideals. Make your home the place where correct ideals are held before the children. Listen to me, the greatest pain in perdition is not going to be the fire that burns, but it is going to be the remorse that comes when a loved one will shake his bony finger in your face and say, "I would not have been here if you had not brought me here." I can not understand how parents can live without linking the family to the church in loyal living.

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Paul landed on the island of Melita and the crew from the broken ship started out to kindle a fire. Paul gathered some rubbish and carried it to the fire. Just as he was throwing his armful of sticks into the flames, a beastly serpent fastened its fangs into the finger of the Apostle. It was a poisonous reptile, and all who saw that Paul was snake bitten, looked for him to fall down dead. Paul was God's man, and he shooks the snake from his finger into the flames and no hurt came to him. You may be ever so careful in your handling of the things of this world, but if you do not watch, bad habits will cling to you. There is deadly poison in every bad habit formed. If you find that bad habits are fastening their fangs into your manner of living, you had better shake them off. If you will shake them from your way of living soon enough, they will not hurt you, but if you allow them to cling to you, the time is not far away when you will fall down morally dead. Shake off bad habits like you would shake off a snake that was clinging to your finger.

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Yes, we are all sorry for that fine little boy who was bitten by a mad dog in West Clanton last Friday. It was too bad that the little fellow had to be injured by the madness and poison of that canine, but let me tell you, there is something worse than the tooth of a mad dog. Thank God, the skill of the physician can make safe the bite of the mad dog. How many boys, how many girls, have gone out from home to become infected with the poison of sin. There is no human antitoxin for sin. Christ is the only Physician who can handle the poison of sin. The devil's mad dogs are out. Look out that you are not bitten.

Putting Chilton County On The Map by Boosting

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ton County again."

From Russellville, Ala.: "I have received and digested with interest your edition "Chilton County Booster Edition" which I think is one of the most complete and magnifying I have ever had the pleasure of reading, it is most interesting in eevry respect, and indeed a pleasure to see the growth of Clanton, Ala., my opinion is the growth of this city is due largely to men of character and ability such as yourself, as editor of the Chilton County News. It was with a deep sense of gratitude and appreciation I acknowledge receipt of this wonderful edition, and trust Clanton will continue to grow in the future as she has done in the past."

From Auburn, Ala.: "That was a dandy edition you published recently. I was especially impressed with the genuine spirit of cooperation in Clanton and in Chilton County as revealed by this issue. Congratulations to you and to the many others who worked with you."

From Pine Bluff, Arkansas: "It is with a great deal of pleasure that I write you in regard to the Booster Edition of your paper which I received the other day, and on which I wish to congratulate you and your staff to the fullest extent. It is very evident from the things shown in that issue that Clanton and Chilton County are certainly growing by leaps and bounds, and that fact was impressed on me after looking over the Booster Edition of your fine newspaper. In my opinion the people of Chilton County should feel proud to have such a newspaper in their midst, one that is so inclined as the News is, to boost for its county. I am looking forward to a visit to your section of the country."

From Portland, Oregon: "Although we have not had the pleasure of becoming acquainted with the editor of the News, nor his staff, we wish to take this opportunity to extend our heartiest congratulations to your newspaper and the people of your county on the extraordinary issue just received by this office, your Chilton County Booster Edition. If at any time any of our representatives have cause to travel your part of the United States, it will be a treat to them to visit Alabama and above all, Chilton County, of which we note Clanton is the county seat."

From Montgomery, Ala.: "The Chilton County News Booster Edition just out is worthy of a larger paper in its scope, coverage and news matter. That special edition is in keeping with the general editorial excellence of this enterprising weekly newspaper. It is certainly meant as an epitome of the activities of the town of Clanton and Chilton County."

From Birmingham, Ala.: "It has been our pleasure many times to pass thru your fine little city of Clanton, and now after receiving and digesting the contents of the Booster Edition recently printed by your outstanding newspaper we will take time in the future to linger awhile there. You can truthfully say, in our opinion, that the News has placed your county on the map, more than it has ever been, and when next in Clanton the writer shall take the privilege of calling in to see the editor of such a wide-awake and progressive newspaper."

From Denver, Colorado: "Allow me to extend heartiest congratulations to you and your fellow workers on the splendid edition you just published called the "Chilton County Booster Edition." Having some relatives in that section of the country, I was deeply interested and am now looking forward more than ever to my next visit to your county. Permit, me also, to extend congratulations on the general appearance of the edition, and its contents. I have never seen anything its equal. I noticed sometime ago in one of the daily papers an account of the Hanson award to you and your newspaper, and now can readily see why the award was so made."

Other comments, which we are unable to publish came from Chicago,, Atlanta, Birmingham, Charlotte, Winston-Salem, Atlanta, Chicago, Columbus, Miss., Birmingham, Ocean Springs, Miss., Montgomery, and it would be almost an impossibility to publish all the complimentary comments that came in to the News office over the telephone.

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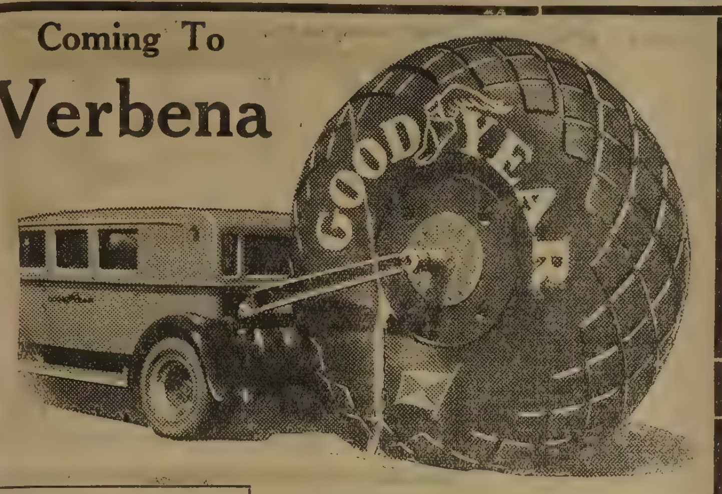

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Especially do we apreciate the faithful work of Doctors Arthur Johnson, Napoleon Johnson, and T. J. Marcus, and Miss Moon, the nurse;
—Mrs. McDaniel Wyatt and Children.

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Concord-Billingsley

Last Sunday was our regular preaching day. Bro. Headley brought to us a wonderful message, both Sunday morning and Sunday night. We had a large Sunday school class Sunday morning, and also the Christian Endeavor program was very interesting. Our topic was, "My Responsibilities to the Church."

The leader brought out plainly the ny different ways we can help our ch or our duty towards our church. veral visitors attended the services Sunday. We invite them to come again. e have ordered some song books and we hope to begin our Sunday afternoon singing again in the near future. We have not decided on what nday we will have our singing, but hope to attend to that in a short

ro. Headley took dinner at the home Ir. and Mrs. C. A. Surles Sunday iss Bessie Williams spent Sunday Miss Virginia Little.

Ir. T. L. Williams dined at the of the Shaw family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williams and ldren and Mrs. W. W. Williams and Olin, and niece, Allie, visited Mr. l Mrs. C. H. Herod of Haynes Sunday afternoon, who are the proud parents of a ten-pound son.

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ARTY FROM MAKE INTERESTNG VISIT TO GOODYEAR PLANT

Messrs. L. E. Diefenderfer, local oodyear tire dealer, J. E. Easterling, I. Lande, Ben Margolis, and H. T. ipes made a trip to Gadsden Tuesday this week. While there they visited e large Goodyear manufacturing plant ere. They were shown many cour- sies by officials of the plant and were onducted on a tour through the different units of the factory. They followed e crude rubber from the time it entred until it came out in the finished rm and saw each process as it took ace. They all reported the visit most lightful and valuable.

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McDaniel Wyatt

The death of McDaniel Wyatt Monday night brought to a close the earthly career of a man whose simple and beautiful life has been a blessing to everyone who had the good fortune to know him. The end came peacefully about eleven o'clock, after an illness of three weeks with pneumonia. As his loved ones stood beside his bed and watched his eyes close into eternal rest, it was as a sweet calm after the storm.

He had lived a life that had carried him through some rugged places, strenuously engaging the conflicts that came his way, and always maintaining a sweet spirit and cheerful disposition. His family and his intimate friends have ever been impressed by his unusual ability to see the bright side of every perplexing situation. He never failed to see the light of the sun shining behind every dark cloud of his life.

McDaniel Wyatt was 73 years of age He was born and reared in the Providence community,in Beat 16, where he lived until 31 years ago, when he moved to a farm about a mile east of Clanton. About six years ago he left his farm and moved to Clanton.

He was the oldest son of Francis Marion Wyatt, who died about 25 years ago, and Jane Popwell Wyatt, who died in 1929. Surviving him are his wife, Rebecca Ann (Parrish) Wyatt; five sons, Monroe, Will, Reuben, George and Mack Wyatt, all of Clanton; two daughters, Mrs. G. C. Armstrong and Mrs. W. B. Cox, of Clanton. One of his sons, John T. Wyatt, died in the United States Navy during the World War

Three sisters and three brothers survive him. They are Mrs. Dora Dupree of Montgomery; Mrs. J. J. Maddox, of Clanton; Mrs. W. W. Robinson of Providence; Reuben, Jim, and Tom Wyatt, all of Clanton.

Mell Martin had charge of the burial at Concord Tuesday afternoon. The funeral was conducted by Rev. G. G. Williams and Rev. S. J. Ezell.

For many years Mr. Wyatt had been a member of the Baptist church, first at Providence, and later at Concord, where his membership remained until his death. He was a devout Christian man. His first great purpose in life was to live right himself. Next to that he was interested in helping everybody else to live right. The Golden Rule was his plan of life. Noble men, loved and respected as he was, are the result of such purposes as he had in life.

The children of Clanton will miss him much. He was known and loved by many of them. To everyone he was "Grandpa." As they passed his home on the way to and from school, he took special interest in greeting them with some word of cheerfulness every day.

We who come after this good man well may stirve to emulate his noble example. No higher hope of reward could we have than that we might come to the end of our earthly ways with the peaceful benediction that was his, the crowning glory that awaits all who will take up their cross and follow humbly in the footsteps of Jesus.

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Those who have promised to give an acre to the school of Vermont are Mr. G. W. Sansom, Mr. W. W. Klinner, Mr. Enoch Hayes, give two acres, and furnish fertilizer, Mr. Sol Sansom give worth of acre in money. This is to raise enough money to build a larger building at Vermont.

—G. W. Ratliff, Trustee.

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HEY! BOYS! COME TO VERMONT AND LEARN TO PROPOSE

"Two Days To Marry." James Dare, a happy-go-lucky man of the world, is to come into possession of a huge fortune on his twenty-eighth birthday provided he is married by that time. By some chance this clause in the will is overlooked and is only discovered two days before the appointed birthday His lawyer agrees to fix matters up for him and he certainly is some fixer The comical situations which follow fast and furious are enough to amuse the coldest audience. Four males and three females; time of playing 2 1-2 hours. This play will be put on at Vermont schoolhouse on next Saturday night, March 21st, by the following: Simon P. Chas, as black as his race, Carson Williams, James J. Dare, a wifeless heir, Green Thomas, Ruford B. Sawyear, a timid lawyer, Charlie Sansom Emily Jane Pink, blacker than ink, Willard Davis, Sadie L. Boise, a widow by choice, Melda Sansom, Imogen McShane, the sweet young thing, Arie Ratliff, Walter M. Blair, a millionaire, Carlos Ratlifi

Everybody is cordially invited to come and bring someone with you. Admission 10 and 20 cents.

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IN MEMORY OF BERTHA LOU GRIFFITH

It was only a few days ago; we can
never forget the day;
When came the silent reaper, and took
our dear niece away.
Although unable to speak to us, and
could not even say good-bye;
We know her thoughts were with us,
when she was called to die.
We miss her, O! we miss her, for our
Savior called her away;
But we are praying to meet her in a
better world some day.
We know she is waiting, with our Savior on high;
She's there ready to greet us, where
there is no good-bye.
No more on earth we'll see her face;
her voice we'll hear no more;
But let us live to meet her, on that
bright and sunny shore.
We love our dear niece, no human
tongue can tell;
We said good-bye for a little while,
but we didn't say farewell.
She has gone and left us desolate, but
she is so glad and free;
All our tears would turn to smiles, if
her rapture we could see.
Oh! how loving, good and jolly, she
was every day by day;
All the sorrow that she gave us, was
because she went away.
She's not dead, just sweetly resting,
from her trials and troubles here;
But if we live as Jesus has taught us,
we will meet her over there.

—Her Aunt, Mrs. Carire Lee Nelson.

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S. S. Con. At Macedonia

Program of the Sunday School Convention at Macedonia Baptist Church March 22nd

2:00 P. M. Devotional, C. C. Conway.
2:10 Reports from Sunday Schools.
2:20 The Sunday School's Mission, by G. G. Williams.
2:40 The Sunday School's Needs, B. Lawrence.
3:00 The Superintendent's Part, by W. J. Billingsley.
3:20 General discussion.
3:30 Adjourn.

All churches north of Clanton are urged to be present. Don't forget the reports.

H. A. HARRIS, Pres.

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Bethsalem News

Our pastor, Rev. W. P. Lowery, delivered a very interesting sermon to a large and appreciative audience Sunday. His subject was, "Seeking the Lord."

Mrs. Biddy Billingsley is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scot and Mrs. W. P. Lowery of Thorsby were welcome visitors in this community Sunday.

Mis Peggy Williams spent Saturday night with Miss Agnes Askins.

Mr. and Mrs. George Moore visited Mr. and Mrs. Wash Bowles Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. McCrary were the dinenr guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wright Sunday.

Miss Lola May Gray spent Sunday with Miss Agnes Askins.

Mrs. John Jones and children of Indian Grave community attended preaching service at this place Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Altman Gray and Mr. Clyde Wilkins were guests of Miss Jettie Spigener Sunday.

Messrs. Johnnie Norrell, J. T. Rainwater and Miss Margaret Downs of Billingsley were Sunday afternoon guests of Miss Agnes Askins.

Mr. Monroe Askins and sister, Malda, of Montgomery were visitors in this community Sunday afternoon.

There will be a singing at this place next Sunday afternoon. We invite all lovers of music to come.

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Billingsley News

The Study Course at the Baptist church last week was in every way a success. Between seventy-five and a hundred participated in the different classes. The inspirational addresses of Dr. Ezell of Clanton, Dr. Harris of Prattville and Dr. Seymore of Fayette were indeed helpful and the music was directed by Rev. J. C. Hill of Clanton. It was voted at the close to make this an annual affair.

Mr. E. B. Mills was carried to the Central Alabama Hospital at Clanton Friday night for medical treatment.

Mrs. Mary Lou Wonder of Tuscaloosa is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar

Messrs. J. O. Simmons and Emmett Beadlescomb, spent the week end in Louin, Miss., visiting the parents of Mr. Simmons

Misses Mary Collier and Anne Turk pent the week end with their parents it Prattville and Autaugaville

Mr. A. G. Thompson of Bessemer was the guest Sunday of Mrs. W. A Gandy.

Miss Thelma Baxter is quite ill with flu.

Mrs. Willis Lawrence of Eoline spent the week end with Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar.

Miss Willie Jeanne Patrick returned Sunday to Montgomery to Massey's Business College after several days illness at home.

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WOMAN FOUND ON HIGHWAY CREATES EXCITEMENT HERE

Clanton's usual peaceful Sunday afternoon life was disturbed in the downtown section Sunday afternoon when the report was circulated that a strange woman had been found on the highway near Jemison and brought to Clanton in a semi-conscious condition.

According to the story given the News the woman was really found by passing motorists who stated she was apparently going into a fit. They brought her to Clanton, and Chief of Police carired her to the hospital where she refused for a while to talk. However, later a man, her companion, arrived on the scene and things were straightened out. Just another quarrel, so they say, and Clanton again went back to its peacefulness with comments here and there about the incident.

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Chickens And Eggs

Rhode Island Red Cockerels, eight weeks old from better than 200-egg hens, $1.00 each. Buy them now, ready for delivery April 10th. Eggs hatching from 211- to 283-egg hens, among them Auburn winner, 15 eggs for $1.00.—J. B. Downs, Clanton, Ala. 3-19-4tc

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HOME OF BILL DICKERSON BURNED EARLY SATURDAY

The home of Bill Dickerson, negro, in West End, burned early last Saturday morning. The alarm was sounded at two-fifteen o'clock, however, it was stated that the flames had consumed quite a bit of the home before the alarm was sounded in town.

The origin of the fire was not learned. Very little of the furnishings of the home were saved, as the house was burning to a large extent when the family awoke.

The volunteer firemen answered the call, and did some fine work in extinguishing the blaze before the entire house was destroyed, as well as protecting nearby homes. It was necessary to stretch practically the entire supply of hose carried by the truck to get water to the fire, as no fire plugs were nearby.

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Mt. Springs News

Miss Dora Brackin, Sunday School Extension Worker, is holding special services heer this week. The next meeting will be Thursday night. Everybody is invited to attend. She will be with us next Sunday in our Sunday school and give us a talk on Sunday school work.

There will be preaching here next Sunday at 11 a.m. by our pastor.

There has been a lot of sickness in our community, but some of them are reported to be improving.

If you find a welcome at Mt. Springs, tell others, if not tell us.

CHARLIE AND EVAN MIMS GO TO HOSPITAL FROM QUARREL

Charlie Mims and Evan Mims, brothers, were admitted to the hospital here the latter part of last week suffering from cuts and bruises received when they engaged in a scrape following a quarrel. Neither was seriously injured.

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SAMUEL MINTURN PECK PREFERS POET LAUREATE HONORS TO PRESIDENCY

Samuel Minturn Peck, of Tuscaloosa, Poet Laureate of Alabama, by action of the Legislature and Gov. Miller, would rather be Poet Laureate of his native State than to be president, he wrote the Governor Monday in a letter thanking the Chief Executive for appointing him.

In his letter which came to the Governor by special delivery and marked "personal" Mr. Peck said:

"I have received today my commission as first Poet Laureate of Alabama, with your Excellency's signature; permit me to thank you.

"I would rather be first Poet Laureate of my native State than be president of the United States of America.

"I receive with pride this great honor from your distinguished hands."

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"The modern farmer knows that the law of supply and demand has not yet been repealed."—Renick W. Dunlap, Asst. Secy. of Agriculture.

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You don't have to irrigate potatoes. Plant onions with them; the onions will make their eyes water.—Mixed Goods.

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Soil is the foundation of farming; soil is the sole source of income.—The Country Gentleman.

"In an era of low prices, a reduction in production cost may mean the difference between profit and loss." — *Arthur M. Hyde, Secretary of Agriculture.*

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W. D. Joyner, leading merchant of Rocky Mount, N. C., sold his first bag of V-C fertilizer about 31 years ago, and his sales of V-C have been growing ever since. "I furnish what my trade specifies," says Mr. Joyner. "This growth is proof of the merits of V-C."

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You can't control markets, but you can control Profit. You can grow *top quality* at *bottom cost* by using plenty of V-C fertilizer on every acre and by intensifying your whole crop on fewer acres. The difference between selling price and growing cost, between top hand and bottom hand—that's Profit! You can open this difference, you can move either hand or both, *you can control Profit*, with V-C fertilizer.

Fertilizer improves quality and therefore adds to the value of each bushel or bale or pound.—The Fertilizer Review.

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"The farmer should not work land that does not produce a high output for each hour of labor," says an authority. "He should obtain high crop yields by using fertilizers."

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It's not the size of the farm, but the brains of the man at the head of it, that spells the difference between success and failure. Skilled farmers are making good money farming little farms intensively, *making every acre pay*. Other skilled farmers are making good money managing enormous farms, *making every acre pay*.

Always be on the safe side by using enough fertilizer, as it is more dangerous to use too little than to use too much.—*A. and M. College, Mississippi.*

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J. H. Coppage of Hahira, Ga., planted 8½ acres of tobacco, used 1,000 pounds of V-C Tobacco Special 12-3-5 per acre, and gathered an average of 1,400 pounds of good leaf per acre, selling the crop for $2,745.

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"I just fixed it all up with a man to take my debts off my hands for $10,000."

"But where's the $10,000 coming from?"

"That's the first thing he's got to worry about."—*Exchange.*

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IN MEMORY OF MRS MAGGIE TYUS

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Mrs. Maggie Tyus, wife of Mr. A. J. (Bud) Tyus, of Clanton Route 3, died last Friday a.m. about seven o'clock at the family home and was buried at Mt. Pisgah church Saturday morning at eleven o'clock, Rev. J. H. Limbrick officiating.

Maggie was 45 years of age at the time of her death. She was the mother of eight children, all of whom are still living, and were at her bedside when the end came.

Mrs. Tyus, before her marriage, was Miss Maggie Culp, a sister of A. J. Culp, local merchant of near Clanton, and was born and reared in Chilton County.

She was married when a young girl and spent a most happy life and was active in community and religious affairs. She was a member of the Methodist Protestant church, having joined when quite young.

Mrs. Tyus is survived by her husband, A. J. Tyus, and the following children: Julius, Preston, Lewis, Newel, Willie, Bert, Mary and Bud, all of whom are still at home except [illegible] She leaves also a mother, Mrs. Culp, two brother, J. O. and A. J. Culp, two sister, Mrs. G. W. Mullins and Mrs. I. B. Yeargan, and a host of friends and loved ones.

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ATTENDANCE RATINGS FOR CO. SCHOOLS

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Moores Cafe Gives Attendance Prizes For Record In February

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Following are ratings of the schools of Chilton County on attendance, continued from last week's issue. The Chicago Sales Company gave the prizes for January, while Moore Cafe (J. E. Moore) is giving the prize for February to Jemison Senior High School, Chilton County High School and Mitchell Dam Elementary grades.

6. Stanton: Luther E. Little, prin., 43 on roll, percent at. 93.67.
7. Thomas Jr.: G.C. Weldon, prin., 37 on roll, percent at. 92.96
8. Verbena: W.E.G. Sutton, prin., 70 on roll, percent at. 92.61.
9. Enterprise: H. A. Harris, prin., 68 on roll, percent at. 90.89.
10. Baker: G. G. Williams, prin., 48 on roll, percent at. 90.47.
11. Collins Chapel, Zac Y. Appleton, princ., 33 on roll, percent at 88.88.
12. Jemison: J. A. Peterson, prin., 113 on roll, percent at. 87.97.
13. Concord: J. M. Parrish, prin., 38 on roll, percent at. 86.28.
14. Isabella: J. D. Griffin, prin., 65 on roll, percent at. 85.68.
15. Union Grove: Harlem G. Daniel, prin., 38 on roll, percent at. 81.89.

Number on roll, 848, percent at 91.05.

Senior High Grades

1. Jemison: J. A. Peterson, prin., 66 on roll, percent at. 98.32.
2. Maplesville: E. E. Owen, prin., 34 on roll, percent at. 96.39.
3. Chilton Co. High: L.C. Warr, prin., 231 on roll, percent at. 95.02.
4. Verbena: W.E.G. Sutton, prin., 41 on roll, percent at. 91.93.
5. Isabella: J. D. Griffin, prin., 36 on roll, percent at. 91.01.

Number on roll, 408; percent at. 94.53.

Elementary Grades

1. Mitchell Dam: Mrs. Irene Miller, prin., 16 on roll, 15 perfect in attendance, percentage 99.69.
2. Concord: O'Dell Perkins, prin., 33 on roll, 22 perfect in attendance, percentage 98.48.
3. Popwell: Mrs. J. F. Apperson, prin., 32 on roll, 17 perfect in attendance, percentage 95.04.
4. New Cedron: Nina Mae Harris, prin., 28 on roll, 16 perfect in attendance, percentage 93.89.
5. Adams: Mrs. Louise Chambers, prin., 13 on roll, 6 perfect in attendance, percentage 93.85.
6. Jackson Chapel: J. C. White, prin., 71 on roll, 14 perfect in attendance, percentage 92.75.
7. Stanton: Luther E. Little, prin., 189 on roll, 97 perfect in attendance, percentage 92.51.
8. Thomas Jr.: G.C. Weldon, prin., 156 on roll, 70 perfect in attendance, percentage 92.41.
9. Verbena: W. O. Bradley, prin., 236 on roll, 131 perfect in attendance, percentage 91.48.
10. Maplesville: E. E. Owen, prin., 159 on roll, 111 perfect in attendance, percentage 90.50.
11. Oak Grove: Lesta Cobb, prin., 35 on roll, 16 perfect in attendance, percentage 90.38.
12. Shiloh: H. L. Davis, prin., 50 roll, 10 perfect in attendance, percentage 89.97.
13. Thorsby: W. T. Bean, prin., 171 on roll, 75 perfect in attendance, percentage 89.92.
14. Pates Chapel: Mrs. J. S. McNeill, prin., 56 on roll, 17 perfect in attendance, percentage 89.75.
15. Flint Hill: Martha J. Mims, prin., 36 on roll, 9 perfect in attendance, percentage 89.74.
16. Morganville: Mrs. Marion McGalliard, prin., 31 on roll, 11 perfect in attendance, percentage 89.59.
17. Pilgrims Rest: Leila Belle Smith, prin., 22 on roll, 6 perfect in attendance, percentage 89.13.
18. Free Springs: Fraulein Lowery, prin., 2- on roll, 3 perfect in attendance, percentage 87.92.
19. Union Point: Jewel Minor, prin., 42 on roll, 14 perfect in attendance, percentage 87.38.
20. Mullins: Ruth H. Jones, prin., 32 on roll, 6 perfect in attendance, percentage 87.31.
21. Lay Dam: Lois Primm, prin., 28 on roll, 12 perfect in attendance, percentage 86.78.
22. Mt. Pleasant: R. B. Johnson, prin., 141 on roll, 101 prefect in attendance, percentage 86.67.
23. County Line: Ruth Mize, prin., 26 on roll, 16 perfect in attendance, percentage 86.60.
24. Clanton Grammar: I. J. Quinn, prin., 349 on roll, 139 perefect in attendance, percentage 86.35.
25. Isabella: J. D. Griffin, prin., 141 on roll, 44 perfect in attendance, percentage 86.27.
26. Jemison: J. A. Peterson, prin., 343 on roll, 223 perfect in attendance, percentage 86.15.
27. Providence: Irving P. Kennedy, prin., 56 on roll, 11 perfect in attendance, percentage 86.03.
28. Coopers: J. L. Wilson, prin., 140 on roll, 56 perfect in attendance, percentage 85.51.
29. Vermont: Green Thomas, prin. 122 on roll, 35 perfect in attendance, percentage 85.24.
30. Baker: G. G. Williams, prin., 141 on roll, 68 perfect in attendance, percentage 85.08.
31. Shoults: Willie Barnes. prin., 26 on roll, 10 perfect in attendance, percentage 84.97.
32. Enterprise: H. A. Harris, prin., 250 on roll, 90 perfect in attendance, percentage 84.61.
33. Mars Hill: J. S. McNeill, prin., 35 on roll, 9 perfect in attendance, percentage 84.28.
34. Culp: Fannie LeCroy, prin., 30 on roll, 8 perfect in attendance, percentage 84.12.
35. Collins Chapel: Z.Y. Appleton, prin., 125 on roll, 74 perfect in attendance, percentage 83.98.
36. Providence: Ivy Harrell, prin., 54 on roll, 5 perfect in attendance, percentage 82.15.
37. Pinedale: J. W. Moore, prin., 79 on roll, 16 perfect in attendance, percentage 81.65.
38. Concord: J. M. Parrish, prin., 148 on roll, 42 perfect in attendance, percentage 80.50.
39. Cross Roads: Mrs. G. Billingsley, prin., 29 on roll, 4 perfect in attendance, percentage 78.97.
40. Mineral Springs: J. E. Harrell, prin., 73 on roll, 18 perfect in attendance, percentage 78.73.
41. Corinth: Mrs. J. S. Ogletree, prin., 24 on roll, percentage of attendance 77.81.
42. Chestnut Grove: Alice Nolen, prin., 41 on roll, 6 perfect in attendance, percentage 77.72.
43. Freeman: Willie Littlejohn, prin., 78 on roll, 22 perfect in attendance, percentage 74.75.
44. New Harmony: Mrs. Pearl Williams, prin., 20 on roll, 5 perfect in attendance, percentage 74.00.
45. Minooka: Jessie Lee Price, prin., 35 on roll, 10 perfect in attendance, percentage 73.71.
46. Cane Creek: Simuel Mims, prin., 65 on roll, 9 perfect in attendance, percentage 65.50.
47. Smith: Murphy Bratton, prin., 37 on roll, 2 perfect in attendance, percentage 64.47.
48. Union Grove: Harlem Daniel, prin., 92 on roll, 32 perfect in attendance, percentage 56.80.
49. Fairview: Mrs. Zella Scott, prin., 24 on roll, 4 perfect in attendance, percentage 57.78.

Total number on roll, 4,180, perfect in attendance, 1,727, percentage of attendance 81.27.

FEBRUARY, 1931
Junior High Grades

1. Chilton Co. High: L. C. Warr, prin., 119 on roll, percentage 97.21
2. Verbena: W. E. G. Sutton, prin., 69 on roll, percentage 96.10
3. Cooper: J. L. Wilson, prin., 19 on roll, percentage 95.00
4. Thomas Jr. High: G.C. Weldon, prin., 37 on roll, percentage 94.54
5. Jemison: J. A. Peterson, prin., 106 on roll, percentage 93.71
6. Stanton Jr. High: Luther E. Little, prin., 42 on roll, percent. 93.65
7. Thorsby: W. T. Bean, prin., 44 on roll, percentage 92.67
8. Mt. Pleasant: R. B. Johnson, prin., 53 on roll, percentage 91.13
9. Enterprise: H. A. Harris, prin., 69 on roll, percentage 90.80
10. Collins Chapel: Z.Y. Appleton, prin., 35 on roll, percentage 88.23
11. Concord: J. M. Parrish, prin., 19 on roll, percentage 86.96
12. Union Grove: Harlem Daniel, prin., 37 on roll, percentage 86.55
13. Isabella: J. D. Griffin, prin., 78 on roll, percentage 86.44
14. Baker: G. G. Williams, prin., 43 on roll, percentage 81.44
15. Maplesville: E. E. Owen, prin., 41 on roll, percentage 42.80

Total number of students on roll 811, percentage of attendance 87.61.

Senior High Grades

1. Jemison: J. A. Peterson, prin., 62 on roll, percentage 97.18
2. Maplesville: E. E. Owen, prin., 34 on roll, percentage 95.24
3. Chilton County High, L. C. Warr, prin., 104 on roll, percent. 94.19
4. Isabella: J. D. Griffin, prin., 39 on roll, percentage 90.41
5. Verbena: W.E.G. Sutton, prin., 41 on roll, percentage 81.51

Total number enrolled, 280, percentage of attendance 91.70

Elementary Grades

1. Mitchell Dam: Mrs. Irene Miller, prin., 16 on roll, 15 perfect in attendance, percentage 99.84
2. County Line: Ruth Mize, prin., 25 on roll, 12 perfect in attendance, percentage 98.00
3. Pilgrims Rest: Leila Belle Smith, prin., 19 on roll, 8 perfect in attendance, percentage 97.50
4. New Cedron: Nina Mae Harris, prin., 29 on roll, 18 perfect in attendance, percentage 96.42
5. Lay Dam: Lois Primm, prin., 30 on roll, 21 perfect in attendance, percentage 95.99
6. Concord: O'Dell Perkins, prin., 30 on roll, 14 perfect in attendance, percentage 94.50
7. Popwell: Mrs. J. F. Apperson prin., 31 on roll, 15 perfect in attendance, percentage 93.83
8. Pates Chapel: Mrs. J. S. Mc-
in attendance, percentage 93.50
Neill, prin., 50 on roll, 22 perfect
9. Collins Chaple: Z. Y. Appleton, prin., 149 on roll, 75 perfect in attendance, percentage 92.39
10. Maplesville: E. E. Owen, prin., 163 on roll, 117 perfect in attendance, percentage 91.90
11. Jacksons Chapel: J. C. White. prin., 70 on roll, 43 perfect in attendance, percentage 91.62
12. Mars Hill: J. S. McNeill, prin., 35 on roll, 14 perfect in attendance, percentage 91.29
13. Adams: Mrs. Louise Chambers, prin., 13 on roll, percentage 91.15
14. Union Grove: Harlem Daniel, prin., 91 on roll, 52 perfect in attendance, percentage 90.34
15. Oak Grove: Lesta Cobb, prin., 34 on roll, 11 perfect in attendance, percentage 89.84
16. Stanton Jr.: Luther E. Little, prin., 187 on roll, 88 perfect in attendance, percentage 89.71
17. Mullins: Ruth Jones, prin., 28 on roll, 4 perfect in attendance, percentage 89.45
18. Verbena: W. E. G. Sutton, prin., 230 on roll, 137 perfect in attendance, percentage 89.39
19. Union Point: Jewel Minor, prin., 43 on roll, 22 perfect in attendance, percentage 89.18
20. Mt. Pleasant: R. B. Johnson, prin., 134 on roll, 87 perfect in attendance, percentage 88.41
21. Cooper: J. T. Wilson, prin., 130 on roll, 65 perfect in attendance, percentage 88.21
22. Shiloh: H. L. Davis, prin., 44 on roll, 8 perfect in attendance, percentage 87.96
23. Thomas Jr.: G. C. Weldon, prin., 160 on roll, 80 perfect in attendance, percentage 87.51
24. Thorsby Jr.: W. T. Bean. prin., 168 on roll, 82 perfect in attendance, percentage 86.95
25. Concord: J. M. Parrish, prin., 141 on roll, 60 perfect in attendance, percentage 86.94
26. Clanton Grammar: I. J. Quinn, prin., 344 on roll, 137 perfect in attendance, percentage 86.82
27. Morganville: Mrs. Marion McGalliard, prin., 22 on roll, 13 perfect in at., percentage 86.66
28. Flint Hill: Martha J. Mims, prin., 27 on roll, 11 perfect in attendance, percentage 86.62
29. Jemison: J. A. Peterson, prin., 331 on roll, 206 perfect in attendance, percentage 85.85
30. Providence: Ivy Harrell, prin., 49 on roll, 14 perfect in attendance, percentage 83.62
31. Shoults: Willie Barnes, prin., 22 on roll, 10 perfect in attendance, percentage 83.00
32. Enterprise: H. A. Harris, prin., 160 on roll, 106 perfect in attendance, percentage 82.96
33. Providence: Irvin P. Kennedy, prin., 48 on roll, 6 perfect in attendance, percentage 80.96
34. Cross Roads: Mrs. Georgia Billingsley, prin., 29 on roll, 4 perfect in attendance, percentage 80.80
35. Vermont: Green Thomas, prin., 117 on roll, 19 perfect in attendance, percentage 80.31
36. Mineral Springs: J. E. Harrell, prin., 68 on roll, 19 perfect in attendance, percentage 80.17
37. Chestnut Grove: Alice C. Nolen, prin., 39 on roll, 5 perfect in attendance, percentage 78.61
38. Pinedale: J. W. Moore, prin., 77 on roll, 18 perfect in attendance, percentage 77.18
39. Cane Creek: Simuel Mims, prin., 60 on roll, 7 perfect in attendance, percentage 76.41
40. Baker: G. G. Williams, prin., 125 on roll, 44 perfect in attendance, percentage 74.82
41. Minooka: Jessie Lee Price, prin., 33 on roll, 6 perfect in attendance, percentage 72.19
42. Isabella: J. D. Griffin, prin., 142 on roll, 46 perfect in attendance, percentage 70.81
43. Freeman: Willie Littlejohn, prin., 77 on roll, 12 perfect in attendance, percentage 70.64
44. Fairview: Mrs. Zella Scott, prin., 24 on roll, 6 perfect in attendance, percentage 70.00
45. Culp: Fannie LeCroy, prin., 24 on roll, 1 perfect in attendance, percentage 67.91
46. Free Springs: Mrs. Fraulein Lowery, prin., 20 on roll, percentage of attendance 67.71
47. New Harmony: Mrs. Louis Williams, prin., 20 on roll, 6 perfect in attendance, percentage 63.66
48. Corinth: Mrs. J. S. Ogletree, prin., 24 on roll, percentage of attendance 57.72
49. Smith: Murphy Bratton, prin., 36 on roll, 4 perfect in attendance, percentage 41.16

Total number on roll 3969, perfect in attendance 1,770, percentage 93.4

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Mrs. David Morton of Chicago testified in her divorce suit that although her husband was a florist the only flowers he sent to her were the "left-over corsages that he couldn't sell."

Mrs. Ethel Theobald of Bournemouth, Eng., a nurse convicted of defrauding her patients, was characterized in court as "the worst liar in the world."

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My Best Girl

BY KATHLEEN NORRIS

TWELFTH INSTALLMENT

Maggie Johnson, daughter of a letter carrier, as a stock girl in The Mack a San Francisco Five-and-Ten, falls in love with "Joe Grant," who also works there. His real name is Jospeh Grant MacKenzie Merrill, son of the owner of the store. He wants to learn the business from the bottom. Because he fears that Maggie will be frightened by his wealth and social position, he does not reveal his true identity, even when he proposes to her.

Joe finally tells his father about Maggie. She is invited to a dinner at a fashionable restaurant, where she discovers that Joe is not a poor young man at all. She thinks that she has been deliberately tricked. She starts to leave in mortification when she sees her poorly dressed father and dowdy mother coming toward the dinner party.

They explain that Maggie's sister, Liz, is at night court with her friend, who has been arrested for speeding.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"You'll say nothing and you'll do nothing," she said, in a voice that silenced all five of her hearers. "You've done enough, Joe Grant. We aren't—your sort. We don't belong—here, in a room like this. And we do belong—together. I'm not much—you've been laughing at me all this time, and I guess anyone who understood what was going on would laugh at me!—but I wouldn't be anything, I wouldn't have a right even to try to be ideal—if I wouldn't stick to my own folks! I don't care—" Her eyes were blazing, her level pitiless voice bored through him—"I don't care," said Maggie, trembling, "what you think of us! My father and mother belong to me, and my sister does, and I'm as glad, Joe," she ended passionately, tears spilling from her eyes now, but her mouth steady, "I'm as glad to be done with you as you are with me!" She turned to Mr. Merrill who had sat with a fan of bills open in his fingers, watching her with a sort of berathless concentration. It was almost as if he were afraid that she would not dare say what she was so rapidly and furiously saying, and as if he liked to hear her.

She took three of the bills, folded them, shut them into her flat worn purse.

"That's thirty," she said to him with a nod. "I owe you thirty. Thank you. It won't be more than that. Don't—" and, with a glance of utter contempt toward Joe, she dropped her voice to onifdence—a confidence that George Merrill, under the circumstances, found nfinitely touching, between his humbest little employee and himself— "Don't et Joe follow us, Mr. Merrill," said laggie. "I mean it. I'm never going o see him again. I'm done!"

Blindly, swiftly, hugging her father ightly to her on one side, holding her nother's hand tight on the other, Mag- went with them from the room. he reclaimed her shabby coat, and hey three went through the foyer of he big hotel and out into the cool evning darkness together. Magige sig-

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lled a taxicab, and they all got in.

w, it's all right, Ma," she said, a breathless, light voice. "We'll get z out, and she'll stop running with hess after this night's work, you'll e and may pick up someone who's orth something."

"Oh, dearie, I feel so awful that Ma nd me follered you! But I'm afraid ou'll feel bad, Maggie," her father ltered.

The nightmare went on and on. They ere in a horrible smelly wide place of nches and spittoons and harsh lights, d her mother was crying noisily, and op, pale and disheveled and very quiet, s asking her, for God's sake, to stop. aggie was pleading with a clerk, askg him to hurry a certain case, and odnaturedly enough, he did hurry it d almost immediately a little door the right opened, and 'Lizabeth and ess Rivers and another girl and man me out.

The instant she saw her daring, pret-, independent sister frightened and arful and white-faced, Maggie's heart emed to turn liqdid, and she ran oss the courtroom and held out her arms, and 'Lizabeth caught her, and they cried together. And when the Judge looked down over his desk, disapproving of this confusion, Maggie, with her face wet and her lips trembling and her little arm linked tight in 'Lizabeth's, was looking imploringly up. A policeman, ranging the prisoners, told Maggie to go back and sit down, but Maggie only burst out more imploringly:

"Oh, please—please let my sister come home! She's never run with this kind of man before—she isn't like you think—my father and mother'll die if my sister has to go to jail."

Somebody rapped, and Maggie was silent, and the murmuring and glancing at papers went on between the Judge and the clerk. And then, quite suddenly, His Honor looked down again at Maggie, unsmilingly but very kindly, and Chess had to pay one hundred dollars' bail, and nobody else had to pay anything at all, and the charge against Elizabeth Johnson was dismissed.

Dismissed!

They were blundering toward the hall and street, between the almost empty brown wood benches, and the hinged brown wood gates, and the spittoons, under the harsh lights, when suddenly Joe Grant—only he wasn't Joe Grant any more!—came hurriedly in, with an important-looking sergeant of police, and came up to them.

"Everything all right?" Joe said anxiously and quickly, looking keenly at Maggie.

"Thank you, yes. It was a mistake. We're just goin' home."

"Quite a fam'ly party," said Chess Rivers sneeringly, coming up.

And then the nightmare began again—Maggie could never remember exactly how. 'Lizabeth turned on Chess and told him that never as long as she lived would she go out again with a man who was a bootlegger, and blamed it on the girls who went with him, and Chess said something quick and ugly about the Johnsons not being able to put on airs with Maggie Johnson running around the way she did with a millionaire—Chess had recognized Joe that very first day, at the cottage, because he used to see Joe at the boxing matches.

Then Chess was lying on the dirty marble floor, with blood on his cheek, and Joe was looking quite tall and calm and proud, but a little breathless, with two policemen holding him. And as Chess, still shouting, got to his feet, Joe jerked loose and sent him spinning again, and that time the policemen gripped Joe again and walked him away, and a third policeman began to shove Chess roughly out of the room. The clerk took the Johnsons out thru a big greasy swinging door, and they were in the dark street again.

All a nightmare. All a nightmare. And yet, as the endless night wore by, she began to be afraid she would never wake up.

They got home, somehow—partly walking, partly in a street car. And they sat in the kitchen, and Maggie made tea.

"Maggie, for goodness' sake, how did you feel when you learned that your friend was really Joe Merrill? I never will get that straight," said Liz.

"Oh, all right."

"Maggie, if you get him we're fixed for life," Liz said eagerly.

"I won't," she assured her sister.

"Maggie—why do you act so funny about it? As far as my shaming you to-night goes, why, I didn't do anything that all the girls of his crowd aren't doing every day!" Liz pleaded eagerly. "And if he makes that an excuse for breaking his engagement—"

"I'll sue him," said Ma heavily. "Here in this kitchen he sat, last Sunday afternoon, and tole me with his own mouth——"

"You don't have to sue him!" Liz said. "He's crazy about her. Isn't he, Maggie?"

"I wasn't listening, Ma. I'm sorry, Liz, but I'm going to bed."

"I'm going to sit up with Ma," said 'Lizabeth. Their topic was good for several more hours of exclamation, analysis, and debate.

Mrs. Johnson and her oldest daughter slept late the next morning. They reached the kitchen together at about ten o'clock, having had not more than five hours of rest, and began at once on the leisurely breakfast that Maggie, as usual had left ready to heat. There were cups on the table, and coffee in the pot, and bread was sliced; there was a fat little bottle of cream, and Maggie had left half the mixture of an omelette waiting in a yellow bowl.

'Lizabeth was the one who first found time to pick up the newspaper, and her involuntarily horrified, "Oh, God!" caused her mother, startled, to join her at the stove. They read it together.

It was all there. Joseph Merrill's picture on the front page, was embellished, in a rococo border, with a sketch representing two silhouetted youths fighting in a courtroom, with horrified women fleeing in every direction.

"It'll just about kill Maggie!" said 'Lizabeth, aghast.

"Go on readin', Liz."

"'. . . young Merrill, who, as far as could be ascertained, has been masquerading, since his departure from college, as a day loborer, and who, according to reports, has acquired an enviable acquaintance with the city's underworld, was detained without bail and spent the night in the city jail. At an early hour this morning, efforts to reach his father at the country place at Elmingdale were met with the continued on page four column three . . .'" 'Lizabeth read rapidly.

And suddenly, in their midst, was Pop. He had come home for his early Saturday lunch; he was as shocked as themselves.

"Where's Maggie?" he asked apprehensively. "Did she see the paper?"

"She's at the store, of course," Ma answered disapprovingly.

"The store was closed to-day. They are puttin' in the automat. She must—" Pa said vaguely—"she must of went out!"

"Maggie wouldn't never do anything—des'prit—" 'Lizabeth was beginning, when Maggie herself came in.

She came in quietly, through the kitchen door, and stood looking at them as if she were surprised to find them all together. Her plain little new suit was brushed and trim—the homespun upon which Maggie's heart had been set for weeks before she really dared to spend the necessary dollars on it. Her cheeks were red, but her beautiful eyes looked tired and were set in delicate shadows.

"Fevven's stakes, where've you been? You had Ma and me worried," 'Lizabeth said.

"Well," Maggie explained quietly, "I went to see Mrs. Merrill."

"What'j' do that for?" demanded the mother.

"There was something I wanted to talk to her about, Ma," Maggie said wearily.

"What?" The question was shot, like a bullet.

"Joe," the girl said simply. And she sat down at the table and leaned her forehead wearily on her hand.

"You never had the gall to do that, Maggie Johnson," 'Lizabeth whispered, impressed.

"Oh, yes, I did. I told her where Joe was, and they sent over to the jail, and Joe came in while I was there. And him and his fath r and mother and me talked it all over."

"Maggie!" It was the older sister. "Don't he like you any more?"

"He says he loves me," she said dully.

"Oh, Maggie—fevven's sakes! Joe Merrill!"

"And because he loves me," Maggie said deliberately, "he's going to sail this morning for Japan. He sees that he'd only hurt me and make it harder here."

Her shamed, hopeless voice died away.

"So I guess I'd better do these dishes," she said.

"He'll forget you before he's past the Heads!" her mother predicted in the awful silence that followed.

"You can't depend on them rich people, dearie," her father, sorrowful and sympathetic, said timidly.

"Maggie, they just got him to say he'd do that so's to break it off!" 'Lizabeth said indignantly.

Maggie looked at them all apathetically. "I know all that. I know he loves me now, but that they're going to kill it, if they can. I know his ship pulls out in twenty minutes and that I'll never see him again," she said simply. "But—" she glanced from one to the other—"with things here like they are," she said, "and Ma like she is, and Pa like he is, and you like you are, Liz—what can I do? I've worked, I've tried to make myself look good, and I've gone to night school, and I've lived the ideal life—but it doesn't seem to work, for me. If Joe had been what I thought he was, we could have climbed up together. But he wasn't, and I guess his mother's right—I guess the time is coming when he'll think of me as only a girl he knew whose mother wasn't very strong, and whose father was a postman, and whose sister ran with a bootlegger that got us all pretty nearly into jail!"

She did not cry, she spoke evenly and gently, almost without expression. But at the finish she reached up suddenly to the shelf above the sink, and snatched from its position the ideal leaflet, with its cryptic mesasge: "The way to begin living the ideal life is—to begin."

Maggie looked at it a minute, and her face worked oddly. Then, quite quietly and composedly, she tore it into tiny scraps and fluttered them into the wet sink. And after that she walked slowly from the room, and they heard her bedroom door close behind her.

(continued next week)

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A collie dog owned by Arthur Rowan of Boston sat for three days outside the jail, refusing to eat while his master was imprisoned for speeding.

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Barber John Cartelano of Hartford, Conn., who claims he never took a tip in 24 years of clipping and shaving, says: "My patrons can buy my services but not my self respect."

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A door key which Chris Peterson of Moscow, Ind., lost while plowing three years ago, was found recently when he dug up a carrot which had grown thru the ring handle of the key.

Attention! Missionary Societies Of Unity And Chilton County Ass'ns.

The State W. M. U. Convention will meet in Montgomery March 24, 25 and 26. Every society is entitled to two delegates, and one additional, for each twenty-five members of the society. The Leaders of all Junior organizations may be delegates and the Associational officers.

A conference of Associational officers will be held on Tuesday, 25th, beginning at 2:30 o'clock. The regular sessions begin Tuesday night, with the Young People's Program. All meetings will be held at the First Baptist Church.

Delegates will be given bed and breakfast. Those desiring this accommodation should send their names to Mrs. N. J. Bell, 724 South Perry St., Montgomery, Ala.

Special recognition wil lbe given all persons whose names are "Margaret" if as much as two dollars per name is sent in to the Margaret Fund Chairman, Mrs. T. W. Hannon, 431 S. McDonough St., Montgomery. If your church has a Margaret send in her name and two dolalrs. She will be honored and the money will be used to educate the children of our missionaries.

Let me urge everyone who possibly can to attend this Convention. It will be of great value to you. A wonderful program has been prepared. The convention will never be closer to you, for only our larger cities can care for it. Get up car and truck loads, go for one day, Wednesday or Thursday, if you can not go and stay all the time. I am especially anxious to have Unity and Chilton represented.

—Mrs. S. J. Ezell, Supt. of Unity W. M. U.

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A LETTER IN MEMORY OF MRS. A. J. TYUS

On the 13th day of the present month death came to the home of Mr. A. J. Tyus and claimed as its victim his wife, Mrs. Maggie Tyus. The age of the deceased was 45 years, 4 months and 16 days. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Culp. She leaves to mourn her going a husband, A. J. Tyus, seven sons, Julius, Preston, Lewis, Nuel, Bert, Willie and Ben; one daughter, Mary Elizabeth; a mother, Mrs. C. M. Culp, two brothers, A. J. and J. O. Culp; two sister, Mrs. G. W. Mullins and Mrs. I. B. Yeargan, besides a host of relatives and friends.

She was a member of the Mt. Pisgah church, joining early in life, and holding steadfastly to her profession. She will be missed in the church and in the community. But most of all in the home where the husband will be lonely, and the hearts of the children will be yearning for mother's presence and mother love, with only the pleasant thoughts of the past reflecting in their minds.

Mr. Tyus has the sincere sympathy of the many friends of the family, and we commend them to God, who alone can comfort them in their sad bereavement.

A FRIEND.

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When prohibition officers seized a $50,000 illicit still in New York the owner claimed he was only making a little stuff for his family who had the flu.

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Mrs. Thomas Blundell of St. Louis committed suicide the day after her marriage because she was unable to pay the baker for her wedding cake.

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Rev. J. A. Sutherland of Rushdon, Eng., rebuked members of his congregation for betting as to which usher would finish collecting the offertory first.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Whereas, default was made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage, executed on the 10th day of March, 1927, by W. S. Peeples and wife, Lue Peeples, to A. Latham, which mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 229 of Mortgages, at Page 213, and which mortgage was to secure an indebtedness of One Hundred and Forty Two and 78-100 Dollars, ($142.78), which was evidenced by one prommisory waive note bearing even date with said mortgage, for said sum and due and payable on October 20, 1927, and which mortgage conveyed, as security for said indebtedness, the following described real estate, situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

"One block of land beginning at the Southeast corner of the Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty Three, Township Twenty Three, Range Thirteen, thence north to the corner of Y. O. Freeman's Lot, thence west to the Randolph and Jemison public road, tehnce in a Southwesterly direction along said road to the section line between section 22 and section 23, thence East to the point of beginning being in all three (3) acres, more or less, and known as the 'B. M. Gentry place'."

Now, therefore, the undersigned mortgagee, in said mortgage, will, on Monday, April 13, 1931, during the legal hours of sale, in front of the Courthouse door of Chilton County, Alabama, and in the town of Clanton, offer for sale to the highest and best bidder, for cash, the above described property conveyed in said mortgage for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by same, the expenses of the sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee, and the remainder of the proceeds of said sale, if any, to be turned over to the mortgagors as provided by law.

This the 14th day of March, 1931.

A. LATHAM, Mortgagee.

C. M. Laurendine, 505 Farley Bldg., Birmingham, Ala., Attorney for Mortgagee. 3-19-3tc

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Donald Gray was found exhausted in a trunk in a store in Cincinnati, where he had hidden for 48 hours planning to rob the jewelry department.

Field Day Here Is Successful

(Continued From Front Page)

High, Verbena High, Mount Pleasant, and Enterprise. Chilton High School was represented in a remarkable spelling way by Miss Nell Neighbors. Verbena was represented by Miss Edna DuBose. Mount Pleasant by Renfroe Price, and Enterprise by Miss Vivian Silas. These four champion school spellers stood the gaff of the steady flow of words pronounced by a most competent person, until Miss Neighbors was the first to misspell a word of the four. Then Miss Silas for Enterprise fell before the constant flow of adjectives, nouns, verbs, etc Miss DuBose for Verbena and Renfroe Price for Mount Pleasant remained and received in rapid fire, words taken from a difficult group, spelling them correctly until Price for Mount Pleasant met defeat with a complicated word hurled at him. Miss DuBose won the county championship for Verbena. These two spellers will go to Jacksonville to take part in the district contest to be held there in the near future.

Much credit for the succes of this Field Day is due to Buford Lawrence, superintendent of education, Mrs. C. E. Stapp, welfare superintendent, I. J Quinn, principal of the Clanton Grammar school, Prof. L. C. Warr, principal of the local high school, Miss Madge Scarborough, elementary supervisor, C E. Stapp, county agent, and others who gave their utniring efforts in the behalf of the program

The class rooms and hall of the high school were flanked on every wall by exhibits from thirty-three classes of county schools. These exhibits were made up from art work, needle work, from home economics classes, drawings of maps, and mechanical projects, drawings from biology classes, manual art pieces, pastry, writings, etc. The following schools had exhibits:

Clanton Grammar School: Art display. Hand paintings, drawings, writings. Fifth and Sixth grades had a most interesting and well arranged exhibit showing articles and products manufactured in and near Clanton, and an attractive arrangement of articles showing medieval methods of warfare.

Jemison Elementary School Needle work from girls class Art work. Geography studies, and an original book of poems.

Isabella Elementary Grades: Art and writings.

Thorsby Elementary Grades: Art work and geographic drawings.

Verbena Elementary Grades: Art work and geographic drawings.

Pates Chapel: A most attractive display in the hall of the building showing art work and drawings of geographic nature neatly arranged.

Mitchell Dam: Art work, drawings of various kinds, and a model of a modern home. Attractively arranged.

Enterprise Junior High: Showing art works and geographic drawings.

Chilton County High Junior Grades: A very attractive display of neat art work, mechanical drawings and geographic work.

Collins Chapel: A very niee arrangement of complicated drawings of mechanical nature. Art work and history of that community well written.

Jemison Junior High: Neatly arranged display of needle work from home economics class.

Mount Pleasant Junior High School: A display of art work, spelling, needlework, and geographic drawings.

Thorsby Junior High School: Art work and drawings of different natures.

Manual Arts Class, C. C. H. S.: A very wide and attractive display of many useful articles of furniture and handy materials showing competent instructing and attentive workmanship.

Biology Class, C. C. H. S. A most attractive exhibit showing drawings from this class on items of interest in their works. Drawings enlarged from actual size of subject.

Pinedale School: Art work and drawings.

Lay Dam School: Art and picture work

Pilgrims Rest: Art and other drawings.

Cross Roads: Art work and story writing.

Chestnut Grove: Art work and special lettering

Collins Chapel: Art work, writings, and neat wood work.

Union Grove: Geographical work, art work, and drawings of various natures.

Baker Junior High: Neatly arranged display of needlework, art work and drawings.

Concord Junior High: Attractive drawings, art work, maps.

Thomas Jr. High: Work on books, art work and writings.

Isabella Home Ec. Class: Some very fine needle work, dresses, and pastry.

Home Ec. Class C. C. H. S.: Dresses, and other work.

Jemison Home Ec. Class: Dresses, and other needle work.

Isabella Vocational Class: A well constructed miniature modern farm and farm home.

Verbena First Year Home Ec. Class: Dresses and other needle work.

Isabella Sr. High: Essays on various poems and papers. Letters.

During the day's activities the members of the Senior Class of the local high school operated stands, selling sandwiches and drinks for the benefit of the athletics at the high school.

Contests and races of various kinds were carried out for the boys and girls. The News was unable to secure the results on all the contests.

In the running broad jump for boys, Ratliff representing Isabella won with a measure of 17 feet and 12 inches. Glasscock for Jemison followed second with 17 feet, 11½ inches.

In the running high jump, McMurray for Clanton and Traywick for Mt. Pleasant tied with a jump of five feet and ten inches.

In the Junior contest, for boys under 110 pounds weight, the high jump was a tie between Hilton Crickett of Verbena and Horace Gray of Enterprise. In the broad jump Charles Retherford for Union Grove came in first, followed by Milton Hughes for Verbena, second.

One of the features of the Isabella Exhibit was a small newspaper, "The Raveloe Herald," published by the Senior I Class under the direction of Miss Bonnie Clyde Griffin.

RESULTS OF THE EVENTS FOR GIRLS

1. Hoop Race: Junior, Chilton County High; Senior, Verbena.
2. Broad Jump: Junior, Thorsby, Lena Barrett Williams; Senior, Maplesville.
3. Potato Race: Junior, Isabella; Senior, Jemison.
4. 50 Yard Dash: Junior, Jemison, Paul Benson; Senior, Maplesville, Geraldine Ratliff.
5. Distance Throw: Junior, Chilton County High, Nell Neighbors; Senior, Maplesville.
6. Chariot Race: Junior, Verbena; Senior, Maplesville.
7. Sack Race: Junior, Isabella, Winifred Suite; Senior, Isabella, Clara Mae Calfee.

EVENTS FOR BOYS

Junior Group

1. 100 Yard Dash: 1. Wilson Maddox, 112 lbs. 2. James Gandy, 122 lbs. 3. Melton Hughes, 103 lbs. (Melton Hughes won the race because the other boys were ruled ineligible because their weight would put them in the Senior Group).
2. Running High Jump: Verbena-Enterprise. Hilton Prickett from Verbena and Horace Gray from Enterprise tied.
3. Running Broad Jump: Union Grove, Charles Rutherford.

100 Yard Dash—Senior High Boys

Isabella, Parnell Ratliff, 1st.

C. C. H. S., Lester Duke, 2nd.

100 Yard Dash—Junior High Boys

Union Grove: Chas. Robinson, 3rd.

Football Kick—Senior High

Gulledge, Verbena, 40 yards.

Glass, Jemison, 36 yards.

Griffin, Isabella, 35.1 yards.

Busby, Clanton, 33.3 yards.

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Ed Goodgame was carried to the Central Alabama Hospital late Monday afternoon from an auto accident which occurred on the old Thorsby highway, just north of Clanton. Seems from the information gathered that Goodgame and T. E. Carlton were returning to town and missed the bridge that spans the small creek, their car running off the road and overturning. Latest reports stated that Goodgame is all right again, and Carlton was not injured.

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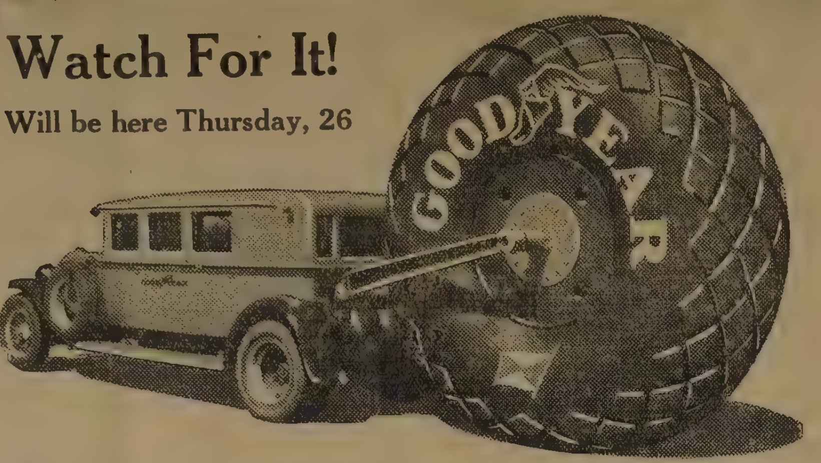

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30 x 3½	$4.39
29 x 4.40 (4.40-21)	$4.98
30 x 4.50 (4.50-21)	$5.69
28 x 4.75 (4.75-19)	$6.65

Mounted Free—Standard Lifetime Guarantee

It's 12 feet tall, 4 feet wide—a "regular" Goodyear All-Weather Tread Supertwist Cord tire, except for size. The inner tube alone weighs 125 pounds. Yet this giant of tiredom can be inflated in 45 minutes—it requires only 3 pounds of pressure.

It isn't merely a "stunt." Some day huge airships may land on tires of this size. Goodyear will be ready.

You can see the World's Biggest Tire at Dief's Service Station, March 26th and 27th.

GOODYEAR

All Sizes—All Types—All Prices

Special Trade-In Proposition on All-Weathers and Double Eagles!

Free!

Booklet giving full particulars about the World's Biggest Tire. Free to everyone who will call at our store.

Dief's Service Station

Phone 9114 and 79 Clanton, Alabama

Fiddlers To Convene In County Soon

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April 3, beginning at 7:30.

Many requests have come from fiddlers and others that this convention be held, and many have been the requests as to when it would "come off." In the past there have been capacity numbers of fiddlers and capacity houses. This year, hard times or not, the same is expected, as the additional prestige the Verbena conventions have gained from year to year have an added advertising force and this year the attraction promises to be even bigger and better than ever. Fiddlers had best be practicing away, as with added years to some who have competed in the past and the interest in fiddling pioneered in this section by Verbena has produced a much better class of music. Remember the date—Friday, April 3.

Further announcement will be made through the local papers next week, and posters will be distributed. Fiddlers, tell your friends. Friends, tell the fiddlers. Let's get ready to drive Old Man Depression and Poor Spirits from the country on the night of April 3. There is more good feeling and more good time in the music and mingling of fiddlers and folks on such occasions than "depression" can stand. So "good times are coming" they are just around the corner of April—and on the night of the third we will be at Verbena and help rout old depression. 1931 style prices will prevail for admission.

We Cordially
Invite
Mr. and Mrs. M. Lande
To Dine With Us
Sunday, March 22, 1931
As Our Guests.

THE DIXIE CAFE

Eastview News

The Death Angle visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Griffith and took away their loving little girl. Death came last Thursday at 10 a.m. after only a few hours of illness. Mr. Griffith and family lived two years here and are members of the Congregational church here. He moved to Birmingham last fall, where they are still living. The little girl was only about eight years old, when it pleased God to say to her, come up higher. Her body was brought to Eastview for burial. She was laid to rest Saturday at 10 a.m. Rev. George Watson officiated. He was assisted by Rev. A. C. Nelson. She leaves to mourn her loss a father and mother, five brothers and one sister, and a host of relatives and friends.

Miss Dora Brackin, Sunday school extension worker, who is spending this week with the Mt. Springs church, will be here Sunday night and give us a talk on Sunday School and Christian Endeavor work. Everybody is invited to attend.

Mr. J. A. Dobbs and Mr. Joe Dennis made a business trip to Clanton Saturday.

Mr. Abner Cox and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Nelson Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mims had for their guests Friday night Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Mims and Rev. A. C. Nelson and Mr. S. P. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rushing had for their Saturday dinner guest Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Henson and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rushing.

Rev. George Watson was the Saturday dinner guest of Mr. J. W. Nelson.

Don't forget to come to Sunday School next Sunday.

There will be a singing here next Sunday evening. Come and bring your song books.

Mrs. A. C. Nelson, who has been sick for a long time is able to sit up some this week.

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You should always read the advertisements of your merchants before you buy. You can save money by buying from them.

Largest Tire In World To Visit Chilton County

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That intense interest will be aroused is a foregone conclusion, as this gigantic tire, an outstanding curiosity, has been an awe-inspiring spectacle wherever it has been shown.

"This massive tire, which has traveled thousands of miles, visiting various sections of the United States and Canada, has been an object of wonderment. It measures twelve feet in height and four feet in width, and the total weight of the tire and yoke is 3,900 pounds, just a fraction under two tons," said Mr. Dief.

"This tire was built by the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company of Akron, O., in line with the company's policy of pioneering and research, through which have come many of the most important developments in the tire industry. The longer folks look at it the more interested they become.

"A well-known airplane manufacturer, while focussing his attention on the unique exhibit, remarked that the day was not far distant when planes of huge type would demand tires of the size of the one to be exhibited in our city.

"This great tire was not built in a day, or a week, or a month. Three months' time was required to construct the rubber giant, which is, except for size, an exact replica of the regular Goodyear All-Weather tread Supertwist Cord tire, the measurements being in exact ratio to measurements and manufacture of the regular size tire.

"Air? Yes, plenty of it is necessary for this mammoth casing. Forty-five minutes times is required for inflation to a pressure of three pounds.

"The tire is attached to a specially constructed bus by two shafts extending from the chassis."

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You should never buy from a catalog or a peddler until you first price the same article at your home stores.

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You can't send money away from home and then expect to sit and watch the home city grow. It won't.

Columbiana Town Marshal Wounde

Columbiana, Ala., March 16.—Jac White, town marshal, was shot ne Monday afternoon when, investigat ing officers said, he attempted to in tervene in an argument between Mi Catherine Fleming, welfare officer, a C. T. Mitchell.

White was taken to a Birmingha hospital where attendants said his co dition was not serious.

White had accompanied Miss Fle ing to Mitchell's home to notify hi to appear in Juvenile Court, office said. When White heard an arg ment inside the house, officers we told, he started in, but was met at th door by Mitchell, who fired at hi with a single barrel shotgun. Office said Mitchell admitted the shootin shortly after he was arrested and pla ed in the jail here Monday afterno

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A. C. Dowling Is Injured In Figh

A. C. Dowling, of the U. S. Na Hospital at Pensacola, was admitted Fitts Hill Hospital at 9:30 last nig suffering from injuries received in fist fight at a local hotel, according police.

H. Padgett, Mississippi salesman, w placed in jail under a blanket cha of suspicion in connection with t fight charged with having been Do ling's assailant.

Hospital attaches could not determ the condition of the injured man l night but admitted that he was ba cut and bruised about the face head. Police did not know how the tercation started, but said the r and furnishings of the hotel room w spattered with blood. Hotel emplo said the fight lasted several minute

Dowling was taken to the hospital a Leak's ambulance.

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Money sent away from home to build some other city and kills

In order for a city to grow a people to prosper, everyone must busy helping it grow.

A Newspaper For All The Family

CHILTON COUNTY NEWS

Published Every Thursday

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ROAD MEETING HERE THURSDAY WAS A SUCCESS

Many Prominent Delegates Here From Six Counties, And From Georgia

What was possibly one of the most representative meetings held in Clanton in some time was held at the courthouse last Thursday for the purpose of organizing an association to promote the early paving of an important highway route from the Georgia line, near Piedmont, Alabama that also runs thru Anniston, Columbiana, Calera, Clanton, Maplesville, Plantersville, Selma, and on to Mobile. A large part of this route through the state is already paved and steps are to be taken, according to this meeting, to get the remainder of the route paved.

The meeting was opened with an election for a temporary chairman and secretary. Judge L. H. Reynolds was named as temporary chairman with H. H. Frazier, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, Selma, as temporary secretary.

It was found that the following counties in Alabama were well represented at this meeting by men of high standing: Dallas, Shelby, Chilton, Talladega, and Calhoun, with representatives from Cedartown, Ga., which is just across the state line from Piedmont, Alabama. There were sixty-two visiting delegates from out of the county at the meeting.

John K. Davis, attorney of promi-

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Poultry Car Will Be Here All Day

Information from the office of the County Agent stated that a cooperative poultry car will be in Clanton today and remain for the entire day here, being the third poultry car of its kind of the season through this county. This car will also go on to Jemison tomorrow, Friday, and will be there in the morning only. Another car will be in Maplesville on Friday, March 27th, also in the morning only.

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AMON JONES AND MISS VELMA MIMS MARRIED LAST SATURDAY

Bringing together two well known families of this county took place last Saturday night, when Miss Velma Mims became the bride of Amon Jones. The ceremony was performed at the home of the Rev. J. W. Jones, pastor of the Thorsby Baptist church, in Thorsby, Ala., in the presence of a few intimate friends of the popular couple.

The bride is the attractive daughter of Mrs. Victoria Mims of Clanton and her friends over the county are countless. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jones of Clanton, and is connected with the Farmers Hardware Company of this place, and a graduate of the Chilton County High School. The News is delighted to join in with the many friends of this young couple in wishing them much happiness.

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COOPER SCHOOL DAMAGED BY FIRE THURSDAY AFTERNOON

The school building at Cooper, Alabama was damaged considerably last Thursday afternoon by fire. Origin of the blaze has not been determined according to information given the News. One corner of the wooden structure, near the library was almost consumed by the flames, it was stated. School had not been dismissed very long when the fire was discovered and several of the young men students did some fine work in extinguishing the flames before they could make any headway.

Jemison O. E. S. Will Give Manless Wedding

The Jemisonian Chapter No. 398, Order of The Eastern Star, will put on a "Manless" Wedding at the Jemison High School Auditorium on the night of April 3rd, according to an announcement sent to the News this week.

This presentation bids fair to be one that will bring forth laughs where none have appeared, but where possible. Those taking part in the wedding, where no man will be allowed, are of the members of the Jemisonian Chapter O. E. S. A complete list of characters will be carried in next week's issue of the News. Admission will be ten and twenty cents.

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CHILTON WON THIRD PLACE IN DIST. CONTEST

Miss Helen DuBose and Renfroe Price Represent Co. In Spelling Bee

Proving that Chilton County has some exceptionally fine spellers in its schools, Miss Helen DuBose, age 14, and a student of the Verbena High School, and Renfroe Price, age 15, of the Mount Pleasant school, took third place in the district spelling contest held last Saturday in Jacksonville, Ala., at the State Teachers College.

These two students named above were winners in the county-wide contest held at the high school on Field Day, March 13th. Those going to Jacksonville from this county to witness the district contest were the ones representing Chilton County in the contest, Miss Madge Scarborough, Miss Mae Wibel of Verbena and Robert B. Johnson, principal of the Mount Pleasant School. This party was entertained during their stay in Jacksonville, by the college.

One of the outstanding points shown in the representation of Chilton County by Miss DuBose and Mr. Price was the fact that they were the only two from any one county who were able to stand up as long as they did, and they are to be highly congratulated on the splendid record they have made for themselves, and Chilton County is justly proud of them.

Anniston City School won first place in the contest, with Talladega County taking second place.

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NOTICE TO YOUNG MEN OF THE CLANTON METHODIST CHURCH

According to announcement of Elwin Gore, President of the Young Men's Bible Class of the Clanton Methodist church, there is to be a special meeting of this class next Sunday morning, March 29, at 9:45 o'clock. All the young men who belong to this class or who are interested in it, are earnestly requested to be present at the appoinnted time, as matters of vital importance are to be discussed.

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RUFUS WHITE RECOVERING FROM SERIOUS GAS BURNS

Rufus White, of the White's Garage, Clanton is recovering from serious burns on his legs as the result of a bucket of gasoline catching fire at the garage recently, when he attempted to start a fire in a stove with the fluid.

He has been confined in the Central Alabama Hospital here for several days on account of the burns, and it was stated that he is expected to be able to return to his home sometime this week.

Special Musical Program by Well Known Artists To Be Heard at The Methodist Church Sunday

An announcement that will be received by no small amount of interest and pleasure was made this week when Mrs. Percy M. Pitts announced a special musical program at the Clanton Methodist Church for next Sunday night, March 29th.

Mrs. Pitts is sponsoring this program with two of Alabama's outstanding artists taking part. Alonzo Meek, eminent organist of Selma, who will be assisted by Mrs. Roderick Beddow, a popular and outstanding soloist of Birmingham, are to be present during this program.

The public has a most cordial invitation to come, and hear this program which will begin at 7:45 o'clock Sunday evening, and for which no charge will be made.

W. W. Williams of the Concord-Billingsley community was a visitor to Clanton last Monday.

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Misses Julia Ruth and Beverly Hester of Judson College, Marion, spent the past week end in Clanton with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hester.

1930 COTTON CROP LARGEST IN 15 YEARS

Total Of 22,507 Bales Ginned In Chilton County Shows Large Increase

There were 22,507 bales of cotton ginned in Chilton County from the 1930 crop as compared with 18,794 bales ginned from the 1929 crop, according to Robert J. Jones, of Clanton, who looks after the accounting of the number of bales ginned in this county. This shows an increase of three thousand, five hundred and thirty-three bales over the crop of 1929, and possibly one of the major reasons for the extremely low price of this product as is in evidence at this time, and should be a warning to the farmers in their plans for planting crops for 1931.

According to Mr. Jones, this figure of the number of bales ginned in this county from the crop of 1930 is the largest given out in the past fifteen years, during which time Mr. Jones has had charge of this work.

It could no doubt be said that the price of cotton at this time is perhaps the lowest experienced in quite a number of years also. Seems as the conditions are that the more cotton, the smaller the price.

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BIG GOODYEAR TIRE DELAYED FOR ONE DAY

Due to Some Kind of Trouble World's Largest Tire To Arrive Friday

The world's largest tire was scheduled to be in Chilton County today, stopping at the Howard's Garage at ten o'clock this morning, at Verbena, Alabama, and then on to Clanton, Thorsby and Jemison, and Maplesville, but due to some misfortune in schedules, the tire will not arrive as was stated in last week's issue of the News, according to the arrangements announced at that time by the Goodyear Company.

The tire was to arrive, according to the company's schedule, in Clanton this afternoon at 4:45 o'clock and remain until ten o'clock tomorrow morning. This schedule has been moved up one day, and the tire will arrive in Verbena at Howard's Garage at ten o'clock Friday morning and in Clanton at Dief's Service Station at 4:45 Friday afternoon and remain over until Saturday morning at ten o'clock.

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J. P. Sorenson, one of the prominent citizens of Thorsby, and known as one of Thorsby's settlers, was among the business visitors to Clanton last Saturday. While in town, Mr. Sorenson dropped in the News office for a short chat.

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Fiddlers Will Meet In Verbena, April 3

The Annual Fiddlers Convention of Verbena will be held there on April 3rd, at seven-thirty o'clock, according to an announcement given the News.

This convention of the music makers at Verbena has been looked forward to by those throughout this section and judging from all indications, it will be a great success.

This marks the Tenth Annual Fiddlers Convention to be held at Verbena, and all fiddlers are invited and urged to attend and make it a greater success than any held there before.

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EIGHT ARRESTS LISTED BY SHERIFF AND DEPUTIES HERE

According to the records of the Sheriff's office here, as given to the News this week, there had been eight arrests made during the past few days up to the time of this writing. Two were for petty larceny, one for violating the prohibition law, one for burglary and grand larceny, one for manufacturing liquor, one for driving an automobile while intoxicated, one for desertion and three for gaming.

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Mrs. Grady Heflin and children left Wednesday for Birmingham to spend several days with her sister, Mrs. McMillian.

4-H CLUBS TO GATHER HERE NEXT TUESDAY

All Four-H Club Boys In The County Expected Here for Annual Get-Together

The annual rally day for all the 4-H Club Boys of Chilton County will be held in Clanton next Tuesday. The meeting will be held at the Baptist Church, the program starting at 9:30 o'clock, and ending at 2 p.m.

Last year a little over 350 boys attended the rally day, and County Agent Stapp expects at least that many, and perhaps more to be here Tuesday. All club boys of the county have been notified of the plans for the meeting, and everyone of them is urged to come.

Mr. Stapp says he has not been able to perfect organizations of the boys in all communities. Boyes in those communities which have not been organized are urged to come to the rally just the same. Mr. Stapp will finish the organization in all communities on next Tuesday while the boys are here.

Following are the communities which have been organized and the officers of each of the clubs:

Enterprise—Chas. L. Winkins, Leader; William Wilkins, president; James Griffin vice president; Guy Silas, sec-

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COMING EVENTS TO BE SPONSORED BY KIWANIS

Series of Entertainments Will Be Given Under Auspices Of Local Service Club

The Kiwanis Club of Clanton announces a series of coming events in which some extraordinary amusement events will be offered to the public under the auspices of the Club.

The first of the series will be, "The Long Journey," Friday night of this week. This is a picture showing the work of the clinic for cripple children in Birmingham. It will be shown free at the Wadesonian Theatre, beginning at seven o'clock. The public is invited and urged to see this picture. After the cripple childrens picture the regular picture show program will be shown.

On April 13, 14, and 15 the Kiwanis Club will offer another great feature picture, "Just Imagine." This picture shows an imaginary description of the world fifty years from now. It has been seen by a number of Clanton people, and they declare it is the greatest wonder of the year.

On April 24th, the members of the Kiwanis Club will put on a negro minstrel at the County High School auditorium. This will be more fun than a barrel of monkeys.

"The Birth of a Nation," in a sound picture, is booked for a date sometime in May.

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Beauty Specialist Is In Clanton This Week

Those ladies of this section who are careful of the appearance of their complexions now have the opportunity to have their individual analysis of the skin made by one who is well up on her profession of skin analysis. This specialist, Miss Jeanne Chadwell, is now at the DeMabel's Beauty Shoppe in Clanton, and will be here all this week.

Miss Chadwell is from the Luzier Laboratories of Kansas City, Mo. She will examine the skin, show you the analysis of its needs, and from that chart will be prepared a special cream, or lotion to suit any individual. This method of beauty care, it was stated, is much more satisfactory than using a standard formula cream or lotion. The analysis is sent to the laboratories where the proper cream is prepared for the individual. Miss Chadwell is not demonstrating any particular make of beauty treatments, but is merely giving advice on the care, etc. Miss Mabel Howard and Miss Chadwell invite the ladies of this section to come and have this analysis made at no cost. Miss Chadwell will return at regular intervals to Clanton, to consult with those who take advantage of her advice.

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Mr. James Wade and Leo Alred made a business trip to Florida last week.

Jury Commission Is Named For Chilton

Governor B. M. Miller announced last week the members of the Jury Commission of Chilton County. These members are M. A. Gore, Clanton; Dr. N. S. Johnson, Clanton, and John W. Foshee, Maplesville, Alabama.

These men are widely known thruout this section, being prominent in the public and business life of this county for a number of years. Governor Miller shows great care in selecting the men for such offices and his selection for the members of the Chilton County Jury Commission proves without a doubt that he knew his men in this county as men fully capable of carrying on the duties of such commission in a most straightforward manner.

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NEWS WILL GIVE READERS STORY ON WORLD WAR

Gen. Pershing To Tell of His Experiences In Story To Begin In The News

Again the News takes a step forward and brings to the people of Chilton County and all its readers a story that the public has been eagerly waiting for. It is the actual story by General John J. Pershing, Commander-in-Chief of the A. E. F., telling of his experiences during the World War

After a silence of more than twelve years, General Pershing speaks. With amazing frankness he tells the straightforward story of the American Army's participation in the World War. In sincere directness and unadorned truth: in bearing upon widely controverted points and in force and importance of its disclosures, it is the most sensational story that has come out of the great conflict. The title of this story is "My Experiences in the World War."

It has been said that large metropolitan newspapers paid as high as $75,000.00 for this same story, and now the News is able to give it to its readers. If you are not a regular subscriber and get the News each week, then you should begin at once, and get this thrilling story of the World War, told by the man in command of the American Army, the man who saw the fight from beginning to end.

This story will begin in the News on April 9th, and run serially, each installment carrying with it, actual photographs of scenes and persons figuring in that great conflict between the nations. Be sure to get the first installment of this great narrative, and keep up with the experiences of General Pershing during the war.

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R. B. HARRISON PURCHASES HOTEL AT GUIN, ALABAMA

Information reached the News this week stating that Robert B. Harrison had purchased the Hulsey Hotel at Guin, Ala., and will take charge of the hostelry on April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison (Louise Orr) are to leave right away to make their home in Guin. The hotel will in the future be known as the Harrison, and is located on the Bankhead Highway and the Jefferson Highway. Mr. and Mrs. Harrison have been making their home in Clanton for some time, and their many friends here will regret losing this popular couple.

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Joe Hix of Maplesville, Ala., was in Clanton Tuesday attending to business matters.

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J. A. Crane of Pletcher, Alabama and a merchant of prominence in that section, was a business visitor to Clanton Tuesday morning.

CRIMINAL TERM COURT BEGINS HERE MONDAY

Large Number Cases Shown On Docket; Grand Jury Met This Week

The Criminal Term of the Circuit Court of Chilton County will convene here beginning next Monday, March 30th, with a large number of cases on docket for trial, with Honorable George F. Smoot presiding, and Hon. Winston Huddleston prosecuting for the state

The Grand Jury has been in session this week, and information stated that they would no doubt make their report today. Following are cases on docket for the Criminal Term of court for next week:

Monday, March 30, 1931

State vs. Alver Rucker, Grand Larceny.

State vs. Will Kennedy, Grand Larceny.

State vs. Thomas Stephens, Petit Larceny.

State vs. Joe Smith, Violating Prohibition Law

State vs. Ben Traywick, Non Support.

State vs. Wm. Virgil Brown, Manufacturing Whiskey

State vs. Mitch Bates, Violating Prohibition Law

State vs. Samuel Cook, Grand Larceny.

State vs. James Graham, Man Slaughter

State vs. Timothy Morris, Grand Larceny.

State vs. Robert Cleckler, Assault and Battery.

State vs. Victor Henley, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. N. L. Owens, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Arthur Mims, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Samuel Cook, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Dewey Price, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Delious Roper, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Lindsey Nicholson, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Sallie Belle Abercrombie, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Kermit Murphy, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Joe Smith et al, Defaulting Bond.

State vs. Tead Cassel, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Alf Strickland, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Burns Lowery, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Earl Benson, D. R. W.

State vs. Odis Cummings, D. R. W.

State vs. Dewey Cummings, D. R. W.

State vs. Earl Benson, Assault and Battery.

State vs. Fred Cummings, Assault and Battery.

State vs. Odis Cummings, Assault

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JIM WADE GETS IN HUGE ORDER OF CITRUS FRUITS

The Clanton Produce Company received a huge shipment of citrus fruits and cabbage last Monday when Jim Wade, manager of the produce company and Leo Alred returned from Lakeland, Fla., with a truck load of these items. Included in the shipment were 150 bushels of oranges, 40 bushels of grapefruit, 12 bushels of tangerines, and a ton and half of cabbage.

This shipment was placed in the large cold storage compartment of the produce company.

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W. B. Oliver, of Verbena, was in Clanton on business Tuesday afternoon.

More Fine Comments Come In Complimenting News And Chilton County on Booster Edition

Since last week, after publishing several of the comments coming in, in regard to the Booster Edition of the News, three more have arrived. One of these comes from New York City, one from Atlanta, Ga., and one from Cullman, Ala.

From Cullman, Ala.: "I just want to thank someone for the copy of the News Booster Edition which I received sometime ago, and now I know what a good newspaper is judging from that copy. There is nothing else to do but to congratulate you and Chilton County on that splendid issue."

From New York City: (This is from one who is known as Miss Roberta Curry to her numerous friends in Clanton): "A copy of the 'Booster Edition' of the News was duly received. The edition was an unqualified success, according to the opinion of your erstwhile Clanton friends who are here in New York.

"Such an issue would have been thoroughly adequate for a city much larger than yours. The various enterprises of that city were well presented, as well as the biographical sketches of Clanton's prominent citizens. My copy has been safely placed for reference

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Full Rows

V-C FERTILIZERS FILL EVERY ROW WITH PROFITS

V-C
fertilizers

"Grandpa was *right*..."

"GRANDPA was right about V-C," says the youngster just learning to check by *results*. And the youngster himself is right, for the V-C fertilizer of today is as dependable, as reliable, as trustworthy in every way as the V-C fertilizer of Grandpa's own boyhood—*it's got to be!* V-C's good name must be KEPT good.

Behind the results are their safeguards: years of successful experience in the making of fertilizers—laboratories that stay busy at the planning of *better* results—factories where watchful supervision insures accuracy in the finished goods—sales offices that are always ready for prompt and hearty service—and finally, our V-C agricultural service bureau, yours to command. These are the things that protect the results that the youngster checks . . . Grandpa WAS right about V-C!

"If a man fails to produce high crop yields, he fails in everything else," says a writer in The Country Gentleman.

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How can you get rid of crab grass? You can't. But you might sell the place.—*Mixed Goods.*

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There is little hope that prices for farm products can be pushed up. There is little hope that total production can be cut down. But there is a lot of hope that the unit cost of growing a bale or a bushel or a pound of yield can be lowered, and this will leave more room for profit. *V-C fertilizers help in the lowering of unit cost.*

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"Please give something for the Home for Old Women."
"Sure — take my mother-in-law."—*Exchange.*

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"When an unwieldy surplus burdens the market, the crop must sell for whatever the cheapest user will pay." —*Arthur M. Hyde, Secretary of Agriculture.*

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Over 3,000 industrial products—many of them from former waste—are now being manufactured from the yields of farming. And chemists are still at work to discover more uses.

***The right use of good fertilizers offers the best possibilities of any investment the farmer is ordinarily called upon to make.*—The Ohio Farmer.**

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Any manufacturer would go broke if he paid no attention to market demand and no attention to cost of production, but went ahead anyway, manufacturing the full capacity of his plant and shipping the whole output somewhere to be sold on the open market to the highest bidder. Of course he would go broke! *Who wouldn't?*

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***"Farm real estate is now a highly attractive investment."* — Renick W. Dunlap, Asst. Secy. of Agriculture.**

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"The banker, the time merchant, the fertilizer dealer and the farmer should cooperate in producing the best crop at the least cost. All these have a common interest and a common obligation."—*Governor Max Gardner of North Carolina.*

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R. H. Woodward has sold V-C fertilizers at Talladega, Ala., continuously since the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Corporation was organized. "And the tonnage has increased every year," says Mr. Woodward, who sees four reasons for the increase: uniformly high standard of V-C fertilizers, efficiency of the company's representatives, farmers' good will toward V-C, and confidence on his own part in the goods and in his customers.

***High yields per acre, economically obtained, form the basis of low-cost production.* — Alabama Experiment Station.**

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Thirty-one years ago W. D. Farrar became the V-C dealer at Canoe, Ala., and began using V-C fertilizers on his own farm. "Perfect satisfaction," Mr. Farrar reports, as to V-C on his own and his tenants' farms and on the farms of his many customers.

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In the great majority of cases the applications of fertilizers are too small to produce the maximum profit from their use. —U. S. Dept. of Agriculture.

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Using 1,000 pounds per acre of V-C Prolific Tobacco Grower, S. R. Moore of Pinetops, N. C., gathered 5,902 pounds from five acres and sold the crop for $2,014 —an average of 34 cents a pound.

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The practice of stinting in the use of fertilizers when crop prices are low seems to be the very opposite from economical. The only possibility of maintaining profits is by reducing costs. The increased yield per acre resulting from proper fertilization considerably more than offsets the cost of fertilizer.—*The Guaranty Survey.*

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The individual farmer can exercise little or no influence over crop prices, but he controls production costs—and costs affect profit just as directly as prices.— *The Guaranty Survey.*

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Hector Supply Co., Miami, Fla., has sold V-C fertilizers to the discriminating planters of the Miami district for 17 years or more, continuously and exclusively. "And our sales of V-C have increased each year," says H. H. Hector, president of the company. "Many satisfied growers in this territory have used V-C fertilizers ever since we started handling the line."

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If you scatter your crop, you scatter your profit. Don't scatter. Concentrate on the good acres, farm them well with plenty of V-C fertilizer, grow heavy yield at less cost. Use the other acres to grow everything else you need for living at home.

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"*We have noticed* that the farmer who uses V-C is the one who hauls the most cotton to the gin. We have one customer who made 12 bales of cotton on a one-horse crop, with V-C; and another who made 20 bales of cotton and 400 bushels of corn on a two-horse crop. The majority of our customers won't use anything but V-C."—*Winston Gin Co., Haleyville, Ala.*

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Countless worn-out fields remind us we should build our lands to stay; and, departing, leave behind us fields that have not washed away.
When our boys assume the mortgage on the land that's had our toil, they'll not have to ask the question, "Here's the farm, but where's the soil?"—*National Fertilizer Assn.*

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There's money in farming—but the men who make it are the men who farm good land right. With V-C fertilizer, for instance.

Demand V-C, insist on V-C, buy and use no other fertilizer but "old reliable" V-C.

V-C FERTILIZERS

Make your ground rich, start your profit there and grow it big, with V-C fertilizer.

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A BIG TRADE BATTLE

One of the most spectacular trade battles of 1931 will be waged among manufacturers of electric refrigerators, according to a business magazine, that discusses the intensive advertising and sales campaigns now under way or planned for the coming summer.

A million new units in American homes this year is the goal of a drive by a national association of electric companies, and all the leading manufacturers, as well as some newcomers in the field, are arranging sales and advertising schedules to obtain a share of the new business which is expected to be created.

Besides the campaign for more home refrigeration, the possibilities of extending commercial use of cooling equipment will be developed intensively. Water cooling systems for office buildings and industrial plants, automatic refrigeration for railroad cars, motor trucks, business houses and a variety of other uses are expected to swell the industry's total output enormously

All signs point to a hot battle over a cold proposition.

Snappy Stuff

When the stork made its first visit to the home of Christ Toffel of Chicago recently, the new father was so elated that he went out on his back porch and fired his revolver by way of celebration.

Mark Thorn of Los Angeles will have to undergo an operation, having swallowed his false teeth while asleep.

Society women of Paris are provid-

The accessories ordered for the marriage of Fred Dibble and Violet McLeod of Hamtramck, Mich., included one hall for ceremony, one-half mile of sausage, two orchestras, two justices of the peace, 10 barrels of sauerkraut, and countless cases of ginger ale.

ing their pet dogs with fur collars to wear when they go motoring.

During a wake at the home of Joseph Grigas of Brockton, Mass., two men attempted to steal a barrel of home brew from Grigas' cellar.

Billingsley News

Mr. W. T. Durden of Montgomery was the guest of his son, Mr. Bernard Durden, the past week end.

Miss Mary Collier spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Collier, of Prattville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Marlar and Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Nummy of Birmingham spent Sunday with relatives here. They having attended the funeral of Mr. Will Sims at Maplesville Sunday morning.

Rev. A. S. Bentley, Mr. James Bentley, Prof. R. E. Upton, Misses Louise Comer and Mollie Belle Ousley attended an Oratorical contest at Prattville Friday evening.

Mesdames Hattie Dickinson, J. C. Hughes, T. L. Patrick, W. J. Patrick, and H. C. Vinson are attending the State W. M. U. convention in Montgomery this week.

Miss Essie Hester, County Home Demonstration Agent, held her club meeting at the home of Mrs. E. H. Downs Friday afternoon. Ten members were present enjoying the program on Table Service and Labor-Saving Devices.

Mr. E. B. Mills returned Sunday from the Central Alabama Hospital at Clanton wheer he has been for treatment for several days.

The Royal Ambassador chapter will stage a play, "That Awful Night," at the Elementary school building Saturday night, March 28th. The actors are well prepared to entertain the audience. Everyone cordially invited to be present.

New Trial To Be Asked For Burns

Birmingham, Ala., March 24.—A new trial will be asked for E. J. Burns, who was given 25 years in the penitentiary by a jury in Judge H. P. Heflin's court for the slaying of Dr. W. H. Godwin, attorneys for the former real estate man declared Monday.

If the new trial is not granted the case will be appealed to the higher courts, counsel said.

The defense was given until April 4 to make their motion or file notice of appeal following announcement of the jury's verdict before Judge Heflin.

Burns, back in his cell at the county jail, where he has been confined since his arrest the day after the killing, January 6, refused to comment on the verdict.

Dr. Godwin was slain in a negro house in East Thomas, where he had been called by telephone, ostensibly to minister to a sick woman.

Charlie E. Burns, brother of E. J. Burns, and Clifford Ogletree, negro, also are under indictments in connection with the slaying.

UNEXPECTED FARM AID

Good news for American cotton farmers has recently come from an unexpected source. And it is from a most potent and authoritative source at that —the world's fashion headquarters—Paris.

An association of cotton manufacturers engaged in promoting a greater use of the South's fleecy staple has just issued a bulletin which contains the following:

"Paris is featuring cotton this season as never before. The French people, although they do not produce a single pound of cotton within their own country are nevertheless the greatest friends of the American cotton growers today.

"They recognize the inherent beauty and serviceability of our great product and lead the world in featuring cotton dresses. Following the lead of Paris, prominent dress manufacturers and department stores in America are also featuring cotton."

Continuing the statement declares that cotton has thus come to public attention as never before, having been modernized in new weaves, textures and designs.

So, with cotton again in style and recognized as the most durable of textile fabrics, certainly the well-dressed woman should not hesitate to wear it. Style shows featuring cotton are being organized in many cities, and the new and finer fabrics now available are receiving enthusiastic acceptance.

Thus it appears that the fashion authorities of Paris may prove to be a greater aid to the cotton farmers of the South than any of the other agencies which have been set up for their relief.

Alabama To Get Fund For Rivers

Notice from the War Department that $530,000 was made available by Congress for river and harbor maintenance and improvement work in the Montgomery district, including a major portion of Alabama, the Western arm of Florida and a part of Georgia, was received yesterday by Maj. R. A. Sherrer, U. S. district engineer.

The major appropriation, $200,000 will be expended on construction of an intercoastal canal between Pensacola Bay and Mobile Bay.

Other appropriations were: Apalachicola Bay, Florida, $22,500; Flint River, Georga, $48,500; Andrews Bay, Florida, $45,000; Narrows in Santa Rosa Sound, Florida, $3,500; Choctowhatchee River, Alabama and Florida, $11,000; Pensacola Harbor, Florida, $36,000; Alabama River, $154,000 and general contingent fund, $10,000.

Maj. Sherrer said the appropriations did not cover the entire fund to be expended in Alabama, as allotments for the Mobile and Chattanooga Districts were not available here.

The $154,000 appropriation for the Alabama River will be expended largely for contraction work a point 50 miles below Selma to the River's mouth. This work consists of building spur dykes perpendicular to the river bank, causing the stream to flow in a more narrow channel.

PENSION WARRANTS FOR CONFEDERATES MAILED OUT

Pension warrants totaling $373,380 for the quarter beginning April 1, were mailed out yesterday by State Auditor Brandon to the probate judges of the respective counties for distribution to the 5,070 pensioners whose names appear on the State's pension rolls.

Of these 985 are Confederate veterans, the remainder being widows of Confederate veterans. For the quarter now drawing to a close the amount disbursed in pensions was $385,605.

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SOME NEW BEVERAGES WITH GRAPEFRUIT AND ORANGES

By ROGER CRETAUX
Chef, The Roosevelt, New York City

MORE and more the orange is coming to be considered primarily a juice fruit, particularly desirable in the preparation of refreshing and healthful beverages. The grapefruit, too, is now coming to many tables in the form of juice, for breakfast eye-openers, or for luncheon and dinner cocktails. No doubt one reason for the popularity of juice is that breakfast is not a leisurely meal for most of us. An orange or a grapefruit can be drunk quicker than it can be eaten.

Roger Cretaux

Hasty breakfasts, of course, are never to be recommended, but one of the neatest and most nourishing quick breakfasts that can be suggested for the commuter, who measures his breakfast time in terms of seconds, is a combination of orange juice and raw egg beaten up, with a pinch of salt, and sweetened with sugar if desired.

To lend variety to citrus fruit beverages, particularly those served at luncheon, dinner, or more formal occasions, ice cream, honey, plain cream, maple syrup, coffee, sherbet, or eggs, may be used to enhance flavors or give more substance to the liquid. To retain the full flavor and subtle aroma of orange and grapefruit in citrus beverages, the juices should be extracted shortly before serving.

Orange Frost

Fill a tall glass one-fourth full of cracked ice. Pour over this orange juice to within one inch of top. Frost the top with a spoonful of stiffly beaten egg white. Sweeten slightly and flavor with lime or grapefruit juice.

Florida Fizz

Juice of 6 oranges
Juice of 1 grapefruit
1 cup of sugar
3 eggs

Beat the eggs well, add fruit juices in which the sugar has been thoroughly dissolved. Shake with one cup of shaved ice until well frapped. Fill glasses three-fourths full and fill to top with chilled ginger ale, or carbonated water. (Six portions).

Frosted Orange Juice

To a large glass two-thirds full of orange juice add a large spoonful of vanilla ice cream or orange ice. Stir until partially dissolved and serve immediately. Grapefruit juice may be substituted for orange juice. This suggests itself for an afternoon drink.

Honey Orangeade

Mix orange juice and honey thoroughly, using two tablespoons of honey for each serving. For each portion add one cupful of chilled water in which the thin paring of an orange has been boiled. Pour mixture over crushed ice and allow to stand for several minutes before serving.

Iced Coffee With Orange

To four cupfuls of fresh, cold coffee, add a liquid that was made by boiling together one cup of water, one cup of sugar, and the thin parings of one or two oranges. Immediately before serving add juice of one or two oranges and a half cupful of rich cream. Serve in tall glasses with finely crushed ice.

Orange Cream

Blend together one cup of orange juice and the well beaten yolk of one egg. Stir in one-fourth cup of cream, sweeten with sugar or honey, and serve at once. Chill if desired.

Citrus Punch

1 pint grapefruit juice
1 pint orange juice
2 oz. clear honey
3 pints light ginger ale
Whites of 3 eggs
½ cup grenadine

Blend fruit juices with honey and grenadine. When ready to serve add the beaten egg whites and beat thoroughly into the mixture. Then add the ginger ale.

My Best Girl

BY

KATHLEEN NORRIS

FINAL INSTALLMENT

They could hear the rending, grinding sound of Maggie sobbing bitterly, deeply, as a child sobs and as if her heart would break.

The three exchanged glances, and presently 'Lizabeth said slowly: "It seems like we have the worst luck of any fam'ly in this city."

Her mother took the theme up readily.

Pop, up to this point, had been silent, as Pop generally was.

Now, suddenly, he rose to his feet and dashed to the ground the striped tea cloth he had been using as a napkin.

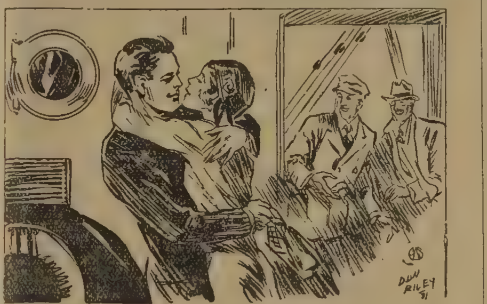
"Maggie!" he shouted.

Immediately she was in the kitchen.

"Maggie, we've had enough of this!" said Leonard Johnson, in a loud, authoritative voice. "I can't stand no more of it, and I ain't a-goin' to! You take that towel there and wash your eyes and fix your hair. And, Liz, you pack your sister some clothes! She's got seventeen minutes—if that clock's right—to catch the steamer, and she's goin' to catch it! She's goin' to get married on board to-day, or maybe in San Francisco or Los Angeles tomorrow or next day—you help her out there, Ma. Quick, now—while I 'phone for a taxi!"

"Len, are you crazy?" Ma began [illegible]. But Pop, crazy or not, was at least unafraid.

"You quit talking, Minnie," he said sharply, "and get up and stir yourself!" Pop said tenderly, solicitously, to Maggie, guiding her to the sink, switching on the cold water, the furious glare in his eyes as he looked at the other women in curious contrast to the gentleness of his voice when he addressed her. "In this envelope is my half-month's pay, dearie," he said.—"You kep your mouth closed, 'Lizabeth, till I give you leave to speak!" Pop interpolated fiercely— "and you can get yourself some clothes first place you stop. Hurry up there, Ma—the taxi's li'ble to get here any minute."



"Len—it seems like I'm going to faint," said Mrs. Johnson, pausing pathetically in the act of rushing Maggie's black silk dress and her new clothes into a suitcase and adding 'Lizabeth's best nightgown and the Chinese wrapper she herself had won at a fair.

"Well, you faint, then, but let-me get Maggie off first!" Len said briskly and heartlessly.

"Len, don't yell that way!" Ma said, weeping as she put on her black-veiled hat.

"And we ain't going to miss you, Maggie, and we ain't going to slump," Len interrupted the frightened chorus to say loudly. "Now, you come on out—put your gloves on in the taxi—we ain't got but fourteen minutes."

Laughing, crying, but always clinging tight to this newly found and amazing parent, Mary Margaret had only time to leave a hysterical good-bye with the dog, and the cat, and the beloved, despised, shabby kitchen, with its cooling coffee and congealing sausages and limp dish towels and greasy sink.

Then they were all four jammed into a taxi, and racketing through the Saturday morning streets, past the church, and the market, down the schoolhouse way—among the warehouses.

Their talk was incoherent—inconsequential—monosyllabic.

"Can he make it?"

"He says he doesn't know. Depends on the traffic on River Street."

"This ain't exactly an ideel weddin', dearie."

"Ah, don't, Pop, you'll make me cry!"

"Driver, we goin' to make it?"

"How much time have we—Lean forward there, Pop, and see can you see the clock at Rubenstein's?"

And then, down outside the big free-market, suddenly the agony of a halt.

An officer's imperative whistle and a blue-coated figure approaching.

But Ma, even though speechless, was not entirely without resources. She dismounted from the taxi, met the policeman, and as an interested little crowd gathered, and before that officer could speak, fainted from sheer emotion, heavily, into his arms.

"She's all right—go on," Pop said in an undertone.

Maggie sat back on the seat, holding Liz's hand, beginning to breathe again.

"Pop, can we make it?"

"We could, dearie, if nothing else happens," Pop was beginning doubtfully, when another whistle, this time a soothing long breath, as of relief, interrupted him, and the driver, muttering something unintelligible that sounded like a prayer, turned in to a curb, stopped the car, and uttered alone the single disgusted word, "Flat."

'Lizabeth Johnson had sprang from the machine, hailed another taxi, pushed her father and sister into it, and shouted feevrishly: "To the Allegria. Dock Seventeen. Quick, now! I'll stay here and pay this man, Pop," she said, hurrying them on. "Good-bye, Maggie darling, forgive me if I've been mean to you, and have a good time, and don't worry."

Then Maggie and her father were rushing on again; they had reached the piers at last, Pier Eleven, Pier Thirteen—still so far to go! And they could see the big clock saying that the hour had come and gone. It was three minutes past eleven.

Maggie turned deadly white, but she managed an agonized smile of reassurance for her father.

"That's all right, Pop. We did our best!"

"Maybe they didn't sail on the minute," said the new driver encouragingly. "I've seen 'em twenty minutes late!"

"Oh, go on, then—go on!" the girl said feverishly.

"I can't go no faster than this, lady!" the driver said, hurt. "There ain't many of these cars can jump over or under trucks, you know. You'd do better to take your little suitcase and run for it."

"Do that, Maggie!" said the newly authoritative and decisive man who was her father. "I'll stay with him, dear. Look out where you go—ah, God bless you, my darling!"

"God bless you—and thank you, Pop dearest!" she whispered.

Then Maggie was running—running like mad toward the big arched entrance that said, "Pier Seventeen." A baggage boy had caught her bag and coat, and was running along beside her.

"The Davenport Line, miss?"

"No—the Allegria!"

"Oh——" And his feet stopped, and hers, too, and they stared blankly at each other. "She's sailed, miss; she went out on time this morning," the boy said. "That's her—out there in the bay."

As in a dream, Maggie stood still, on the rough, splintery boards of the dock, and looked through the great arched opening, and saw the vessel, balanced like a beautiful great swan, not moving now, but far out o nthe blue water.

"The pilot's going to drop her any minute, now, miss. Ain't that a shame!" said the baggage boy sympathetically.

The girl did not stir. Her eyes were fixed on the Allegria, her hands clasped.

Somebody touched her arm, and she looked up and saw it was Joe's father. With him was Joe's mother; she had been crying, and his father's face looked grave, and his lashes were wet, too.

But Maggie did not cry. She gulped, and her wan little face twisted into a smile as she said simply:

"I was going with him. I couldn't—I couldn't bear it. But it seems— he's gone."

"You were going with him!" his father said, sharply.

"Here!" Where are the launches, boy?—Mayne's launches—they're somewhere around here! This girl and boy aren't going to be any use apart, Lilian," he said to his wife, smiling, yet blinking tears from his eyes. "Let 'em both go off to Japan and console each other!"

He was hurrying them along the dock and Maggie found her hands filled with big green bills from Joe's father, and found herself kissing him, and liking the firm, fatherly embrace, and—much more amazing!—received a perfumed, powdery, half-crying kiss from Joe's magnificent mother, too.

She was helped into a dancing little launch, the dirty surface of the water was bubbling close beside her. They were cleaving a straight track toward the big liner, and Maggie, leaning over toward it, was clapping her two hands over her head to attract its attention, to hold it one minute—one half minute more!

The pilot's tug was alongside, ready to cast off from the sheer great side of the steamer; a rope ladder dangled from the high steerage deck of the one, to curl loosely among the hatches and marlinspikes of the other.

An everyone who could find a place at the long rails, first cabin, tourist cabin, steerage alike, saw a launch racing out from the city, and a small girl standing bare-headed—in the launch, an aureole of gold blowing about her head and her hands clasped high above it, like the hands of a small martyr at the stake.

And suddenly, in their own ranks, on the steamer's decks, there was a corresponding commotion, and a tall, lean boy, with a desperate and anxious look upon his face, broke through them, ran down a companionway, and another companionway, to the break in the railing where the pilot's ladder hung, and shouted:

"Wait a minute, down there! I've got to go back! Don't take that ladder down—wait a minute!"

Then—so quickly that eevn during the whole voyage, with the blissful young bride and groom affording a reminder before their very eyes, some of the passengers couldn't remember in exactly what order it all occurred—then the flying launch had reached the pilot's tug, and the boy had descended the rope ladder, and the girl had sprung from the launch to the tug, and there was a double scream of "Maggie!" and "Joe!" and the two young things were in each other's arms, and crying—not but what everyone else was crying, too.

They stood on the rocking tug for whole minutes—minutes—minutes, and the world looked on, and laughed, and wiped its eyes, and they neither knew nor cared. And it was only when the great Allegria actually blew her whistle and the little tug blew hers that Joe put his arm about Mary Margaret Johnson and said, dazedly and happily, without moving his hungry eyes from her exquisite and radiant face:

"Come on, darling, we've got a lot to do—we've got to start to Japan, and get married, and have lunch, and talk, and everything!"

And then they negotiated the rope-and-plank ladder, and the passengers made an aisle across the deck for them.

"We're going to have a wedding, some time this afternoon," Joe said excitedly, and proudly and youthfully, to the lingering groups that simply couldn't disperse in the face of this fascinating drama and comedy in one. "And you're all invited!"

"Oh, thank you—thank you—thank you!" Maggie whispered.

And Joe showed her boats and ropes and writing rooms and dining rooms and a Japanese baby in the steerage and his own big cabin—their cabin, with its bath.

"You'll hear the bugle for lunch soon," he exulted, as the cool sweet ocean airs began to blow over the ship, and she careened slightly, and the color was whipped into Maggie's face, and the gulls and the city dropped farther behind—and farther behind—and farther behind. "You don't mind that rocking? You're a wonder! You're going to love it, at

"I shouldn't wonder if it's the ideal life, Joe," said Mary Margaret.

THE END

Eastview News

Rev. Lucy T. Ayers will preach here next Monday and Wednesday nights. Everybody is invited to come and hear Miss Ayers. The services will begin about seven o'clock. She will preach at Mt. Springs Tuesday and Thursday nights. She will conduct services during the day next week at Thorsby.

Miss Dora Brackin of Headland, Ala. visited our church last Sunday night and gave us an interesting talk on Sunday School and Christian Endeavor work. We hope that she will visit us again soon.

Mrs. Mamie Griffin spent last week end in Thorsby visiting her mother and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Thomas Moore of Thorsby visited the bride's mother, Mrs. Mamie Griffin, Monday.

Mrs. Minnie Nelson, who has been sick for several days is still sick in bed. We hope she will soon be well again.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Henson were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rushing.

Rev. A. C. Nelson motored to Mt. Springs last Sunday.

Mrs. Campbell and daughter, Ruby, and Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Henson, were the guests of Rev. A. C. Nelson and family Monday evening.

Some of our young people are planning to attend the Christian Life Conference at Thorsby April the 3rd, 4th and 5th.

Our pastor will preach at Mt. Creek Union church next Sunday at 11 a.m.

The church and community met last week and plowed the three acre plot of land that will be planted and cultivated in cotton to help pay church expenses.

Don't forget the services here next Monday and Wednesday nights.

Miss Dora Brackin was the guest of Mrs. A. C. Nelson Sunday night.

Calf Club News

On last Thursday, March 19th, 1931, the Calf Club boys of Chilton County assembled at the County Agent's Office. Mr. Ling, a livestock specialist from Auburn, was with us. The purpose of the meeting was to elect new officers of the club and to have Mr. Ling tell us more about the proper feeding of dairy cows and calves. First, we elected new officers as follows:

Clyde Popwell was re-elected President; James Dennis Vice-President; Osmond Glenn, Secretary-Treasurer; Quentin Kelly, Reporter; and E. J. Foshee, Yell Leader. Other members of the club who were present were Chester Messer, Morris Foshee, Howard Martin, Morris Popwell, Elbert Foshee, C. A. Foshee, J. P. Culp, and Odean DeLoach.

After the electing of officers, Mr. H. C. Armstrong, President of the City National Bank, Selma, Alabama, made a most interesting talk, also Mr. Cobb, Commissioner of Chilton County, made a brief but very interesting talk on the value of pure bred livestock We were then very glad to have Mr Ling give us wonderful advice on the proper feeding of dairy cows.

There being no further business we adjourned until the next meeting.

QUENTIN KELLY,
Reporter

WHALES CUT HOG DEMAND

It may sound strange, but it is nevertheless true that the growing whaling industry is having an adverse effect upon the demand for hogs. In several foreign countries whale oil is being used for making margarine, thereby reducing the market for American lard.

One large packing company reports that the production of whale oil has increased 300 per cent in the last four years, and now equals one-half of all the lard produced in the United States. This has been due to the discovery of a process whereby the fishy taste of whale oil may be removed, making it more palatable as human food.

To supply this vast quantity of oil, about 30,000 whales were killed last year, each yielding more than 100 barrels on an average, there being 400 pounds of oil to the barrel. In modern whaling the animals are killed by an explosive carried by a harpoon fired from a gun, and the carcass is reduced to oil, fertilizer and canned meat by a large ship on the spot equipped for the purpose. Whale meat is not very desirable for food, but on account of its cheapness it is used in some Oriental countries.

NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES

The combined circulation of daily newspapers printed each day in the United States is more than 40,000,000. More than 20 magazines have a circulation exceeding 1,000,000 copies per issue.

Employment was given to 133,797 people in publishing newspapers and periodicals during 1929, and they received $249,995,595. These figures are from the Government Census of Manufactures.

The amount paid for advertising in newspapers practically doubled in the ten years from 1919 to 1929. The sum paid out for advertising in daily newspapers and magazines the latter year was in excess of one bililon dollars.

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Town Of Clanton

TAX NOTICE

By order of City Council all City Taxes must be paid on or before March 31, 1931, or same will be ordered sold according to law.

FARMS' CORN SHORT 5 MILLION BUSHELS

Farm stocks of corn in Alabama are over 5,000,000 bushels short of the supply on hand the same date last year, reports F. W. Gist, State and Federal statistician who stated yesterday afternoon that the farm stocks on March 1, this year amounted to 11,507,000 bushels compared with 17,608,000 bushels on the same date last year and a five-year average of 19,681,000 bushels.

Regarding the farm stocks of corn in the United States, Gist said that there were 709,000,000 bushels March 1, compared with 987,000,000 bushels a year ago and a five-year average of 1,051,000,000 bushels.

BATTERY BROODERS

Many poultry raisers now use battery brooders. Both individual and long tiers of batteries are used. Some have heating devices—usually electricity or hot water. Others are kept in a heated room. These brooders are especially adapted for raising broilers for market but are also used for raising pullets. From 60 to 100 baby chicks are put in each compartment, and from one-fourth to one-third as many can be raised to broiler age there, the remainder being transferred to other brooders or put on range as the chicks grow. Battery brooders are usually of metal, with floors of 1½ inch hardware cloth or wire which permits the droppings to go through. The advantages claimed for battery brooders are less disease in rearing chicks, saving of brooder space, reduced labor costs, saving in fuel, and operation independent of the season of the year and weather conditions.

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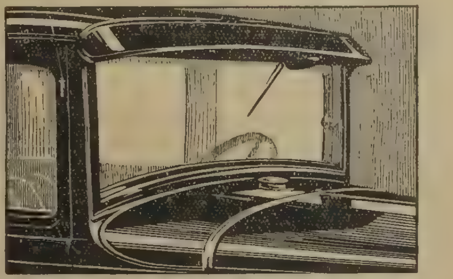

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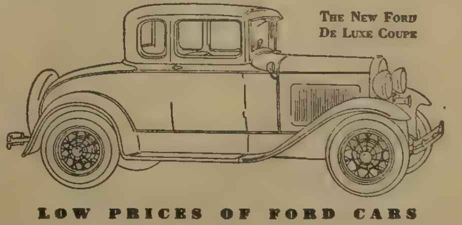
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Mt. Springs News

I wish to announce that Rev. Lucy T. Ayers, personal Evangelist, will preach at this place on Tuesday night, March 31, and Thursday night, April 2, at seven o'clock. Miss Margurite Davison, our State Young Peoples Worker, will also be here. And Miss Dora Brackin, our Sunday School Extension Worker, will be here on Thursday night, April 2. The time has been set for the organization of a Christian Endeavor Young Peoples Society, after the speaking of April 2. Everybody is invited to come to hear Rev. Ayers speak. All young people are invited to come and join our Christian Endeavor Society.

—A Member. Dink Heflin.

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ALA. FILLED C. M. T. C. QUOTA; THIRD STATE TO DO THIS

Major S. R. Tupper, U. S. Army, Birmingham, in charge of enrolment for the Citizens' Military Training Camps in Alabama, has been informed by the Commanding General of the Fourth Corps Area that Alabama filled its allotted quota on February 28th, being the third state in the union to enroll the designated number.

The Alabama boys and young men selected for these camps will receive four weeks training at an army post at the expense of the government.

Early enrollment has been stressed by Major Tupper to insure acceptance on account of the large number of applicants throughout the Fourth Corps Area, which consists of Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina and Florida. Only 4400 applicants can be accepted from the entire Corps Area. To date more than 1000 have been received from Alabama boys.

Major Tupper states that the unprecedented response this year was due to the assistance and cooperation of educators, public officials, the various county chairmen and their assistants and newspapers.

According to Major Tupper, vacancies still exist in a few counties and interested young men should get in touch with him immediately.

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We have received our Easter Literature and are beginning to plan our program. We hope to make our program as interesting as we possibly can.

Everybody come to Sunday school next Sunday morning at nine o'clock. Our regular time for Sunday school is ten o'clock, but we are going to have it early on account of the district conference which will be held at Pleasant Grove in order that those who wish to may attend as some of our members have a part on this program.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Owens and family of Fairview community were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. Y. Sims Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams and family visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Deason of Birmingham and Mr. J. D. Williams visited their sister, Mrs. O. Y. Sims, Saturday.

Mrs. J. P. Williams and daughters were the Wednesday evening guests of Mrs. W. W. Williams and family.

"FIT" THE HORSE

The farm horse should be "fitted" for spring work several weeks before heavy work actually begins. Gradually put the horse on a smaller ration of finer-quality hay early in the spring and start giving a light feed of grain three times daily. When light work commences, a 1400-pound horse should be getting daily about 14 pounds of grain together with 14 or 15 pounds of fine-quality hay. This gradual change from the coarse roughages which are fed in winter will prepare the horse to digest the 18 or 19 pounds of grain and 16 to 18 pounds of hay which he needs at heavy work such as disking or plowing. Changes in both kind and quality of feed should be gradual.

Ensemble Important Factor In Spring Styles

Stylist Forecasts Vogue For Darker Shades In Spring Fashions

WITH the coming of the Spring season many new and interesting models are being shown in women's shoes. Leonard A. Shea, a leading authority in this field, declares that the trend in women's wear for the Spring is toward plain-cut and definite lines, tracing back to the historic periods of the 19th century.

Mr. Shea, who is the stylist for the five hundred Thom McAn stores, and in close touch with style trends throughout the entire country, forecasts the predominance of black as an important note in Spring shoe fashions. Black, particularly in lightweight calf, with glossy finish and bright finish kid will be very popular. These shoes will not be plain but will be trimmed to some extent, the most favored trims being grey reptile and gun metal silk.

Another color that will predominate in women's clothes this Spring is blue. This will mean that blue footwear to match ensembles will be increasingly important. Admiralty and navy medium blue will be two of the favored shades. There will also be a strong trend toward swagger brown, worn as an attractive contrast to the blue ensemble.

As the warmer weather approaches, the beige family will come into its own probably slightly less strong than last year but still very popular. The mode seems to predict that beige costumes will call for matching or slightly matching footwear, as well as footwear in decided contrast, such as swagger brown.

As the season progresses white shoes will be much in evidence at the fashionable resorts. Spectator sport shoes will also increase in popularity, those with perforations completely through the shoe and those with underlay stitching effects being particularly popular.

An Early Spring Model. Note Sharp Contrasts.

On all these shoes white will be the outstanding base, but in all cases they will be trimmed. The outstanding trims will be white in grain leathers, black, brown and beige. In certain "high" styles, blue, green and red will also be seen.

As to types, the pump will lead in popularity, with ties fast gaining in favor and straps running a close third.

In the accompanying illustration a popular new Thom McAn Spring model is shown. It is a dainty narrow center-buckle strap, in the extremely smart new putty beige kid. It is trimmed with copper silk kid applique around the forepart and strap. Putty beige, it should be noted, is the leading color for harmonizing with the beige ensemble, or for a contrast with any ensemble in the light print group.

The ensemble being an ever present and important factor it is very essential that all parts of it properly blend or contrast, according to the individual taste, to complete the outstanding attractive picture of a 'lady in the vogue.' The woman of today considers herself as a style picture, with the base of the ensemble the picture worthy of attention, and the accessories such as the hat, bag, gloves and shoes as the frame.

It is interesting to note that men's shoes also are showing a refinement in line and pattern in keeping with the general Spring trend in styles. Generally speaking lasts are narrower and the English and custom types are coming into favor.

Men's shoes are generally becoming lighter in appearance. Some types known as light weights and feather weights, are being constructed of lighter materials. The patterns and decorations are showing signs of becoming more refined in that the alleged wild styles are being replaced with shoes of carefully balanced patterns. The perforations are smaller. They are based generally on grace of line rather than unusualness of line.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Bids will be received by the Board of County Commissioners of Chilton County, March 30th, 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M., in remodeling and furnishing cell work for Chilton County Jail.

Plans may be had from the architect, Frank Lockwood, 119 Adams Avenue, Montgomery, Ala. Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check for $500.00 made payable to Judge L. H. Reynolds, Chairman. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids or award any part of the said contract.

Work will be awarded in two parts as follows:

Building, remodeling and addition, containing plumbing and heating.

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Each contractor may bid on the whole if he so desires.

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Liberty Hill News

The many friends in this community of Mr. Emmett Varden are very sorry to hear of him being seriously ill. They all wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. G. L. Foshee and grandson, Marvin Lowery, are leaving Monday for Odenville to spend a few days with Mrs. Foshee's brother, Mr. John Oates.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Littlejohn spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Littlejohn.

Mr. and Mrs. Dolphus Baker announce the birth of a son.

Circle No. 1 of the W. M. S. met with Mrs. Esther Duke March 12. After the program light refreshments were served. Both circles of the W. M. S. are studying, "Home Mission Trails." After a thorough study has been made of the book each member will get a seal.

Our Sunday school is doing fine work. When the weather gets better we are expecting a larger attendance.

EVENTS OF HOLY WEEK

The most significant period of the Christian year is Holy Week, the week before Easter, beginning with Palm Sunday, which this year falls on March 29th.

Palm Sunday celebrates Christ's triumphal entry into Jerusalem and the strewing of palm branches in his path by the multitude.

Maundy Thursday commemorates the Last Supper and the washing of the disciples' feet; also Christ's agony in Gethsemane and his betrayal by Judas.

Good Friday represents the day of the crucifixion and is celebrated in Catholic and Anglican churches with great solemnity.

Easter Even is the name given to the entire day of twenty-four hours between Good Friday and Easter, a period for prayer and religious contemplation.

Easter Sunday, the most joyous day of the Christian calendar, commemorates the resurrection, and this year falls on April 5. In the early history of the church, Easter was observed on various dates by different bodies of Christians, but the Council of Nice in the year 325 fixed it as the first Sunday following the full moon occurring on or next after the vernal equinox, March 21.

Easter Sunday may come as early as March 22 or as late as April 25, and its date governs all ecclesiastical days from Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent, to Trinity Sunday, eight weeks after Easter.

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"INSIDE" INFORMATION

Leather furniture coverings look better and last longer if they are rubbed occasionally with castor oil. This restores to the leather the oil that gradually dries out. Rub the oil in well and wipe off any excess.

Remember that the table is a place for good comradeship with one's children and not for discipline or nagging. Take it for granted that the child will eat happily everything served to him, and be sure that he becomes acquainted with a variety of foods. Prepare and serve everything appetizingly and he is more likely to enjoy his food.

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TELEVISION PROGRESS

Those who expect to see the development of inexpensive and satisfactory television sets in the near future are probably doomed to disappointment, according to The Business Week, which states that many of the rumors concerning the new art are greatly exaggerated.

Engineers engaged in television experiments think it may be several years before practical sets for home use are produced. In fact, some important new inventions must be made before the goal is reached. Progress is being made only with respect to minor details, it is said.

Still, with a number of eminent scientists and inventors working on its problems, no one can tell what day some epochal discovery may hasten the development of television to a degree now only faintly hoped for.

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Budgeting Calories

by Jane Rogers

Fewer, Well-Seasoned Vegetable Dishes Replace Quantity Offerings of Grandmother's Day

THERE was a time, not so long ago at that, when the housewife felt it necessary that the principal meal of the day should always include three or four, or on special occasions even five, vegetable dishes.

Tables groaned under the weight of vegetables—potatoes, corn, beets, tomatoes and carrots—and the strange part is that everyone accepted this as a matter of course.

Today, the housewife with one eye cocked toward the family budget and a wealth of dietetic and culinary advice at her fingertips, has learned how to limit the vegetable courses to two or possibly three dishes, and still meet all the demands of health and appetite.

Science has taught her that it is possible to provide all the vitamins, calories and other food elements needed by active people without stuffing them until they resembled the proverbial Thanksgiving turkey.

But along with the reduction in the quantity of foods served has come an added responsibility for the quality of the dishes. The few vegetables should be served more attractively and with flavor more in mind, than were the four or five dishes of grandmother's day.

In France, methods of seasoning that give added zest to vegetable dishes have long been familiar to all experienced cooks and one of the seasoning agents most frequently used for this purpose is sugar. A small amount—just a dash—helps to restore the natural sweetness which the vegetables lose after being picked, and when two or more vegetables are cooked together it tends to blend their contrasting flavors.

A few housewives have long used a little sugar in cooking certain vegetables, but not until recently has its use been general with green vegetables as a whole.

The sugar has another value recognized by science, but not so widely known to housewives. It is a quickly assimilated energy food which becomes available for muscular use within a short time after it is eaten.

Thus, with this new trick of seasoning, not only is the flavor enhanced, but the food value of the dish as well.

News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

Next Saturday night at 7:30 the Helen Keller Literary Society of Thorsby Institute will give a program consisting of circus stunts and a debate on chain stores. Everyone is invited. Admission ten cents.

The Senior class members have their rings. The school has a standard ring designed by Miss Catherine Perry, a former teacher, who wrote the Alma Mater.

Monday at chapel Fred Boyd read his Senior essay. The title was "Aviation as a Career." Seniors are all required to write essays which are read at chapel except in the case of the two who have the honor of reading Commencement Day.

In spite of the weather there was a good attendance at the Thorsby Institute Faculty and Alumni play given Saturday night. The play was given again Monday night for the benefit of those kept away by bad weather Saturday. The play was a comedy by Booth Tarkington entitled "Clarence." The cast of characters is as follows: Mrs. Martin, Miss Agnes Leary; Mr. Wheeler, Mr. Earl Leary; Mrs. Wheeler, Miss Lillian McKee; Bobby Wheeler, Mr. Clyde King; Cora Wheeler, Miss Onita Klingelhoefer; Violet Pinny, Miss Odie Lee Arthur; Clarence, Mr. Rascoe Maddox; Della, Miss Frances Wilson; Dinwiddie, Mr. Cecil Each; Hubert Stem, Mr. Ronald Lucas.

Mr. Clinton Arthur and his friend Miss Mae Davis of Montgomery were visitors in Thorsby Saturday night.

Miss Frances Murphy and her friend Miss Acker of Birmingham were the week end guests of Thorsby Institute this week end.

Mrs. Frances Pate spent the past week end in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Townsend of Birmingham were in Thorsby Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Hall spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Meade.

Mr. C. A. Meade and Mr. A. E. Raegan spent Tuesday in Montgomery on business.

Mr. C. A. Meade and Mr. Carl Chambers, and Albert Pate spent Monday in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Maddox of Birmingham spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Robinson. Miss Erie Robinson returned with them Sunday afternoon to spend a week with them

Miss Dessie Robinson has accepted a position in the Dixie Cafe at Clanton. She took up her work Monday.

The Ladies Giuld will meet at the Dining Hall of Thorsby Institute on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Lois Leech spent Monday in Birmingham.

The P.-T. A. will meet Friday evening with Mrs. Spurgeon Williams.

The Sewing Circle met Monday afternoon with Mrs. J. O. Johnson.

Anyone who has any shrubbery that he or she would like to donate to the Thorsby Junior High School please give it to Mrs. G. F. Harper or Mrs. J. E. Each. The grounds about the school house are much improved with shrubbery which the patrons have so kindly and faithfully worked with.

Miss Margaret Butler and her friend Miss Rosana Purcell of Birmingham spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mrs. H. L. Walker has been on the sick list for the past week but is now improving.

The play, "Two Days to Marry," will be repeated at the Thorsby Public School auditorium on Friday night of this week, March 27th. Remember the date and be sure to attend.

Theer will be a Song Service at the Congregational Church and also an illuminated cross on Sunday evening, March 29, at 7:15. Everyone has a cordial invitation.

Mrs. J. W. Jones entertained several of her friends at a quilting party Friday afternoon. Delicious refreshments were served to the following guests: Mesdames Luncy Martin, Lela Martin, G. F. Harper, E. R. Piper, M. E. Willis, E. N. Bentley, J. E. Each and Jim Pate.

Mr. MacDonald Pearson is spending the first part of this week away on a fishing party.

The Baptist Sunday School will observe Missionary Sunday next Sunday. The program will be rendered after the Sunday School hour.

A Fanny Crosby service was rendered at the Baptist church last Sunday evening. The pastor, Rev. J. W. Jones, told the story of her life. Songs, composed by her were sung in appropriate interludes of the story of her life. The service was found to be something different and interesting. It was appreciated by all present.

Messrs. Sam Pate, M. Lockhart, G. F. Harper, W. P. Lowery and J. W. Jones attended the Missionary Rally at the First Baptist Church in Birmingham last Wednesday evening. Rev. Geo. W. Truett, evangelist of Texas, delivered a very interesting and helpful message. Those attending reported a very impressive service.

Mrs. W. J. Billingsley and Mrs. H. A. Harris of Clanton visited Mrs. J. W. Jones Sunday afternoon.

Mr. W. A. Jones and Miss Velma Mims of Clanton were joined in the holy wedlock of matrimony Saturday evening at the residence of Rev. J. W. Jones.

Mr. Archie Cleckler of Pates Chapel spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Hester Ann Merchant.

Mrs. Anna Phalin and son, Thomas and Mrs. Anna Kane of Tuscaloosa spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howard and daughters, Mable and Lucile, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Howard and Mrs. Ed Howard and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Howard.

Mrs. E. R. Piper's Sunday school class will have a birthday party at Mrs. C. M. Gray's Thursday evening at seven o'clock.

Mrs. Astro Wright and Miss Ruth Martin spent Saturday in Clanton shopping.

Messrs. Cecil and William Each and Misses Clara Vines and Juanita Connatser motored to Montgomery to a movie Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lankford of Birmingham spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Riley Pate.

Miss Ruth Gerald of Birmingham spent the week end at home.

Miss Ruth Martin and Mrs. Marion Smith were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Davenport.

Miss Naemi Turnquist of Selma spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. South of Birmingham spent the week end with Mrs. South's mother, Mrs. G. W. Freeman.

Mr. Sidney J. Davenport of Verbena spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson spent the week end in Dadeville visiting Mrs. Thompson's parents.

Mr. W. A. Collins attended the conference of the W. O. W. in Birmingham the latter part of the week.

Miss Louise Croker and mother and sister of Birmingham visited Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Piper.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman King of Birmingham weer the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

Mr. Mack Gray, Rick Franklin and Dr. S. C. Wood spent last Wednesday fishing.

Mr. Gresham Lowery is in Mobile for a week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin went to Clanton to a show Friday evening.

Mrs. Julius Smith and little son, Lamar, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Benson of Collins Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Smith and son, Lamar, took supper with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Gore Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Strain of Birmingham spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Moody of Birmingham spent the week end in Thorsby.

Miss Bertha Littleton of Birmingham spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Emmett Billingsley.

Mrs. Lillian Deason was absent Tuesday from school owing to the illness of her father. Miss Agnes Leary taught in her place.

Mr. Turner Gamble and Mr. Fletcher Ponder of Dadeville, Ala., were the guests of Misses Ethel and Sallye Thompson Sunday.

Mr. W. H. and R. H. Goodgame went to Birmingham Monday on business.

Mr. Luther Kendrick spent last week visiting in Birmingham.

Mrs. Charles Eiland and her daughter, Miss Marie Eiland, were visitors of Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Maddox spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Littlejohn.

Thorsby is having an epidemic of measles. The following are victims: Helen Lowery, Myradine Martin, Helen Merchant, Emily Cleckler, and Masters L. C. Lowery, G. W. Collins, W. A. Collins and Wellington Collins.

Mrs. Robert Carter has been confined to her home for the past three weeks because of illness

Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Maddox took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Maddox.

Mr. H. R. Maddox was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Maddox Thursday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Jenkins of LaGrange spent the week end with their daughter, Miss Helen C. Jenkins

Mr. V. H. Sutlive took the following home with him as his guests in Blakely, Ga.: Mr. Frank Wood, Mr. Ralph Pate, Mr. George Herbert Nix, and Mr. John Adams.

Mr. W. H. Wilson carried his son, H. Jerome, back to Jacksonville last Tuesday by way of Tuscaloosa, Birmingham, Gadsden, Anniston and Albertville. On his route home he stopped in Birmingham and brought home his daughter, Frances.

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Canton Boy Is Writer In Paper

In a small paper published by the students of the Southern Industrial Institute, at Camp Hill, Alabama, is carried an article appearing on the front page, by Grady Gillespie of Clanton, who is a student at that school. Grady has been showing some splendid work at the Institute, and will complete his course there this year. He is the son of Sheriff and Mrs. W. H. Gillespie, of Clanton. Following is the article as it appeared on the front page of the school paper:

TALLAPOOSA HALL

Up on the highest hill of the Southern campus, perhaps the highest hill in Camp Hill, stands the newest S. I. I. building, Tallapoosa Hall At the entrance of the building we can see, unfolding away to the west, almost the entire Southern campus from Ross Hall, right at hand, to Mr. Ward's home, the "Haunted House," and beyond this the forest, stretching away to the north and west. From the other side of the building we look upon the little city of Camp Hill. It is a splendid location.

The building itself is of red brick with stucco paneling. It is more of an English style than any other, it seems, but there are only two buildings built along the same line in this vicinity. One is in Georgia and the other here. The entrance is a square with arched doorways on the south and west sides, two doorways to the side. In the southwest corner is the cornestone, which was laid by former Governor Bibb Graves. The eastern side of the entrance leads into the beautiful auditorium and the northern side opens into the lower hall and classrooms.

The building contains seventeen large classrooms, nine on the first floor and eight on the second floor. Also there is Mr. Ward's office and an antique room upstairs while, over the entrance, there is the library. Above this is a tower from which the face of a large clock looks down upon us and chimes out the passing of each golden hour.

The auditorium will seat five hundred people comfortably and has a stage to present our plays in the very best manner. The roof is sixty feet high. All the building is, of course, heated by a modern steam plant

The whole building is very beautiful and leaves the impression of massive grandeur, commanding, as it does, a view of all the surrounding country.

This is my vision of the completed Tallapoosa Hall. We will indeed be fortunate to have such a building to work in.

—Grady Gillespie '31.

To keep flies away next summer swat their great-grandparents now.

One way to get unpleasant things out of one's system is to keep a secret diary.

It seems that the up-keep of a pretty face is about as expensive as that of a homely one.

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F—Full corn cribs and smokehouses make for independence on the farm.
A—Add sufficient livestock to the 1931 farm program to consume corn, grass and roughage produced on the farm.
R—Ready cash saves interest charges
M—May we use our intelligence and the information made available by the agricultural economists in planning major crop acreages for 1931.
T—Try to understand that we cannot continue to ignore the law of supply and demand.
O—Old customs are out of style in present day farming—get modern.

M—Man proposes, God disposes. Plan your farming operations to meet all conditions.
A—All you have to do is to build your soils, use good seed, modern methods and work like —— to make good yields.
K—Kill harmful insects and treat crop diseases that take undue toll.
E—Earn more by spending less.

A—All together for a long, strong pull to bring back Prosperity.

L—Landless men are a drawback to society. Inspire tenants to become long-time renters and owners.
I—Indifference to the welfare of our neighbors is bad business. We have suffered too much from bad business. Let's reform.
V—Vanished dollars—those that go west to pay for food and feed.
I—Independence from burdensome debt will leave us free to make our plans without undue interference.
N—No one is his own master when someone else can crack the whip over his back.
G—God made man free, not free to make himself a nuisance to others, but free to work out his own salvation in relation to the welfare of his neighbors.

—Agr. and Ind. Dept., A. C. L. R. R. Co.

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Soldiers' Bonus Money

The first effect of the distribution of several hundred million dollars among ex-soldiers, in the form of loans against their compensation certificates, will be felt by retail storekeepers in every line. More money in hand means more money spent. The effect will not be more noticeable in any one part of the country than in any other, but it will spread pretty evenly all over the United States.

Increased sales by retailers will compel the speedier replenishment of stocks, and thus will stimulate wholesale trade and, in turn, manufacturing. Just how much effect the Government financing, necessary to provide the funds for these bonus payments, will have upon the curtailment of credit for industrial expansion, remains to be seen. Secretary Mellon opposed the project because of the added burden upon taxpayers and the drain upon general credit facilities. It may not prove as serious as he anticipated.

In the meantime, one fact stands out clearly. The merchants who will gain the chief benefit from the increase in business through this new spending will be the one who are enterprising enough to keep up their stocks and courageous enough to tell the people of their communities about their wares, through intelligent advertising. There never was a situation, it seems to us, when advertising had such an opportunity to prove its value.

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Left Handed Progress

The United States might be compared to some would-be athlete, who has trained his left arm to feats of high prowess, but who has allowed his right arm to remain feeble and flabby.

Such a disparity exists between our progress in science and our progress in honesty and moral character. In science we have turned the world upside down. Our electricians tame the lightning and make it turn our wheels and lighten the toil of housewives. Our fliers ride the wings of the storm. Our business men talk across the oceans.

As respects character, where are we? Not so far ahead of our great-grandfathers. Graft and corruption fatten on politics, gangsters and gunmen terrorize cities, dirty frauds grasp the money of the poor.

Yet the people say they don't want preaching. They don't like to be told about their faults. Choose pleasant subjects, they say. But life's lessons have to be learned. The boy who won't study will probably spend his life digging ditches. Such digging is honorable work, but ambitious people look for work with more opportunity. The nation that won't learn to be honest and clean is attacked by a foe more menacing than any ironclads.

What this country needs is some influence that will make the fight for character and honesty seem as fascinating and romantic as the triumphs of science over dead matter.

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It is the great boon of such characters as Mr. Lincoln's that the re-unite what God has joined—in him was vindicated the greatness of real goodness, and the goodness of greatness.—Brooks.

"ROUND TOWN"

---*by Doug*

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

Folks, I came very near disappointing you this week, if you pardon my saying so. I had a sudden attack of the sickness commonly known as "belliakin," caused from not my own source, and had to get out of town suddenly on account of the heat, so to speak. I wrote the ed a letter telling him I wouldn't be back n time for this week's issue, but I did manage to slip back into town without too many people seeing me.

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My hat is off to the orchestra composed of students of the Chilton County High School. They certainly played well at the play Friday night, and I hear that they sure showed some real music at the Kiwanis Club last Thursday. Now that is what Clanton has been needing, and we ought to be proud of that school orchestra.

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Mr. Dief, Mr. Lande, J. E. Easterling, Alex Margolis and H. T. Pipes went up to Gadsden the other day and took a good look at the Goodyear plant there to see how the tires are made, and I'll bet our friend Mr. Lande uses Goodyear tires on his Buick, too.

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Now comes something folks that is going to stir up some interest round these parts, but I can't help it. Somebody took it upon themselves to write me a letter, send it special delivery and it got to me just in time for me to beg the ed to let me publish it this week. As a matter of explanation, I wrote a little squibb about dances last week, and too, you know I have been handing out some of my infamous tips in a nice, friendly way quite often. But, somebody took exception to my piece about dances, and called my hand at it so to speak, in a nice, respectable letter, so I'm doing what it sounded like they wished me to do this week—publish that letter, so here 'tis:

"Clanton, Ala., March 24, 1931.

"Editor "Round Town."
Chilton County News,
Clanton, Ala.

"Dear Sir:

"Your remarks in last weeks issue of the News with reference to the recent dances in Clanton are very misleading and a gross misrepresentation of the facts. Your statements will lead the people not attending to believe a drunken brawl was held with a bunch of immoral, indecent, liquor drinking reprobates attending and that all the laws of decency and honor were broken. I do not know the source of your information, but I do know that you have not attended any of the recent dances and therefore you did not get your information first hand. You might have been one of the crowd that congregates around the outside for the purpose of trying to find something to criticise and talk about. If any of the things you referred to happened they must have happened in this crowd for they did not happen in the crowd attending the dance. It might be possible that you have been talking to some street corner loafer who makes it his business to spread all of the gossip that originates among the brotherhood. However, you might have obtained your information you have lowered the standard of your newspaper to print such unfounded rumors and you have injured the character of every person who attended the dances.

"As a matter of facts these dances are attended by the most respectable people of Clanton, people who are high class ladies and gentlemen, people with as good morals as you have, people with as high ideals and standards of life as have, people who think as much of their character and reputation as you think of yours and yet you publish rumors and slurs which if you were called upon you could not begin to establish or prove as facts.

"I am sure that most of the people who go to the dances in Clanton consider you their friend, you mingle with them every day on the streets, in their places of business and in their homes and will venture that you will not accuse a single one of them of being guilty of the things that you have charged them with collectively. You have hidden behind your column and done something that you would not do if you did not think your identity was hidden. I wonder if you are man enough now to admit that you did not know what you were talking about, I wonder if you are man enough to correct your mistake in your next issue.

"What about this business of helping each other along this old road of life, how about a pat on the back instead of a kick. You have printed a lot of that kind of stuff but you have forgotten to practice it. We are all traveling the same way, so let's mark the slate clean next week. Let's admit we made a mistake and start all even again. You will feels lots better, we will feel lots better and the other people will have a better opinion of both of us.

B. Fair."

Boy, howdy. They kind of got me told, didn't they, or he or she? 'Sfunny how some folks take so many things for granted. Musta hit sorta low, below the belt, or something. I was about to forget the thing until I received that letter, bawling me out. I would suggest that the author of that letter read what I said about dances last week, again, and see just where they made a mistake, by taking exception. Anyway, I'll forgive them this time, and still be a good sport.

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You can just bet your life that I knew what I was talking about. I agree that those attending these dances are of high standing, and all my friends. Due to my having more respect for whatever young lady that is referred to in the letter, whoever she may be, I am not using that paragraph about her, because I did not refer to any particular one. Here is a reprint from last week's column, judge for yourself, dear readers. There are no mistakes to correct:

"Truthfully, I'm glad that our teachers are not allowed to attend dances here. Dances are all right, I like them and think it's great. But, I can't put my O. K. on all the dances held, that I know of. Especially those where there are no restrictions except the one at the door, when you have to fork over a couple of dollars or so, to get you and the girl friend in. Dances—saloons on wheels—no regard for marriage vows—chasers galore—girls being shipped from college—bad whiskey—and a good time was had by all, provided they left their conscience at home."

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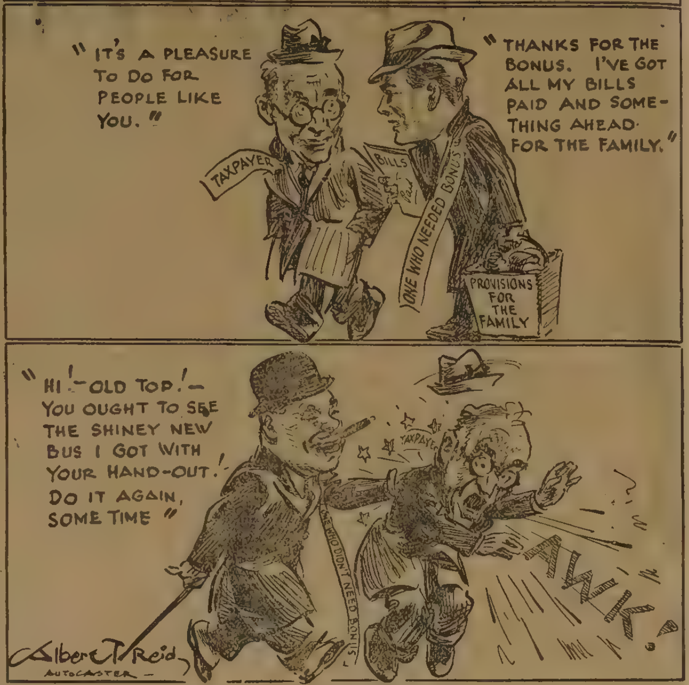
He who goes down into the battle of life giving a smile for every frown, a cherry word for every cross one, and lending a helping hand to the unfortunate, is, after all, the best of missionaries.—Anon.

Two Kinds of Bonus Beneficiaries By *Albert T. Reid*


"IT'S A PLEASURE TO DO FOR PEOPLE LIKE YOU."
TAXPAYER
BILLS Paid
ONE WHO NEEDED BONUS
"THANKS FOR THE BONUS. I'VE GOT ALL MY BILLS PAID AND SOMETHING AHEAD FOR THE FAMILY."
PROVISIONS FOR THE FAMILY
"HI!—OLD TOP!—YOU OUGHT TO SEE THE SHINEY NEW BUS I GOT WITH YOUR HAND-OUT. DO IT AGAIN, SOME TIME"
ONE WHO DIDN'T NEED BONUS
TAXPAYER
AWK!
Albert T. Reid
AUTOCASTER

Criminal Term of Court To Convene Next Mon.

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and Battery.

State vs. Dewey Cummings, Assault and Battery.

Tuesday, March 31, 1931

State vs. J. Foshee, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Marion Chandler, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Elmer Wallace, Public Drunkenness.

State vs. Tina Wallace, Public Drunkenness.

State vs. David Hall Arant, False Pretense.

State vs. Huey Lockhart, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Bud Parrish, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Wilson Judkins, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Stephen and Mary Pate, Assault and Battery.

State vs. Marion B. Francis, B. and G. L.

State vs. William Helton, Murder.

State vs. Clifton Barnett, B. and G.L.

State vs. Opel Morris, Grand Larceny.

State vs. John Henry, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Forrest Littleton, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Berry Rutland, Driving Motor Vehicle Intoxicated.

State vs. Cecil Willis, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. W. J. Carroll, Desertion.

State vs. Dixie Wilson, Bastardy.

State vs. Martin Wright, Assault with Weapon.

Wednesday, April 1, 1931

State vs. John Headley, Carrying Concealed Pistol.

State vs. J. C. Headley, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Jodie Wright, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. J. C. Skinner, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Russell Cooper, Assault and Battery.

State vs. Russell and Clarence Cooper, Assault and Battery.

State vs. Russell and Clarence Cooper, Assault and Battery.

State vs. Dock Gamble, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Pearl Deason Vickers, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Kent Minor, D. Auto while Intoxicated.

State vs. William Price, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Paul Webb, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Tom Stephens et al, Defaulting Bond.

State vs. Dock Coggins, Assault with Weapon.

State vs. Filmore Lockhart, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Gaddis Thornton, Reckless Driving.

State vs. Lonnie Gore, Petit Larceny.

State vs. Jack Nix, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Dedard Bolton, D. M. V. W. Intoxicated.

State vs. [illegible]n Queen, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Jack Nix, Public Drunkenness.

State vs. Walter Glass, Public Drunkenness.

State vs. John Queen, Public Drunkenness.

State vs. Raymond Johnson, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. Raymond Johnson, D. M. V. W. Intoxicated.

State vs. Dyer Schurter, D. R. W.

State vs. Ira Huff, D. R. W.

State vs. Gravor Hayes, Assault and Battery.

State vs. Nimrod Horton, Manufacturing Whiskey.

State vs. Paul Robinson, Grand Larceny.

State vs. Paul Robinson, Grand Larceny.

State vs. L. T. Ingram, D. R. W. P.

State vs. William McCarty, D. R. W.

State vs. Dock Horton, Manufacturing Whiskey.

State vs. Walter Traywick, A. and B. With a Weapon.

State vs. Walter Traywick, A. and B. with Weapon.

State vs. John Mims, Violating Prohibition Law.

State vs. John Houston, A. I. O. L.

State vs. Horace Busby et al, Defaulting Bond.

Road Meeting Here Thursday Was Success

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nence of Cedartown, acted as spokesman for that place. The mayor of Piedmont acted as one of the spokesmen for that town in the meeting. Judge Luther Lisle of Anniston also gave some good pointers on the proposed efforts of the organization. Judge Cage Head of Shelby County was one of the speakers, and W. W. Fox spoke for this county.

A committee was named by the meeting to suggest a name for the organization and nominate a president, secretary and treasurer, and directors. This committee named the following men for these places, and all were voted in, with the name of the organization to be the Anniston-Selma-Mobile Paved Highway Association, Judge L. H. Reynolds as president; H. H. Frazier of Selma, secretary-treasurer, with Chas. Varn, Geo. P. Haswell of Calhoun County; H. H. Thornton, H. F. McElderry of Talladega County; Judge Cage Head, P. O. Luck of Shelby County; W. W. Fox, Percy M. Pitts of Chilton County and Bruce K. Craig and Judge Vaughn of Dallas County as the Board of Directors.

The meeting began at ten o'clock Thursday morning and continued until noon when the entire gathering was entertained at luncheon by the Clanton Kiwanis Club, at the Baptist church. The student orchestra of the Chilton County High School rendered several selections at the luncheon, where 104 were present. Immediately following luncheon, the Board of Directors and president and secretary met for a conference.

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To some the big news of the month was the naval treaty; to others it was the outcome of Andy's breach of promise suit.

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We read that America has the finest Swiss cheese plant in the world. There is more raw material for the holes over here.

4-H Clubs Are To Gather Here for Rally

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retary-treasurer.

Verbena — Chas. Hughes, Leader; Chester Messer, presdent; Elbert Parish, vice president; Joe Gaines, secretary and treasurer.

Cooper—Joe Berry Jones, Leader; Kermit Connell, president; Jim Nelson, vice president.

Thomas—J. L. Smith, Leader; Newbern Jones, president; Lee Allen Miner, vice president; Osmond Glenn, secretary-treasurer.

Clanton (Calf Club)—Clyde Popwell, president, James Dennis, vice president; Osmond Glenn, secretary-treasurer; Quinton Kelly, reporter; E. J. Foshee, yell leader.

Baker — J. W. Hamilton, Leader; Willis Baker, president; Julius Foshee, vice president; Maurice Thornton, secretary; Earle Lowery, treasurer.

Isabella — Earle Thomas, Leader; James Deason, president; Clifford Manning, vice president; Homer Morgan, secretary-treasurer.

Fairview—Marvin Durbin, president; Cecil McKee, vice president; Delos Culp, secretary-treasurer.

Maplesville—Lindsey McAffee, president; Jesse J. Hayes, vice president; Thurston Batson, secretary-treasurer

Stanton—A. B. Jones, Leader; Jack Jones, president; Woodrow Jones, vice president; Merritt Walker, secretary-treasurer.

Concord—O. H. McDowell, Leader; Robert Lynch, president; Vergie Robinson, vice president; Howard Wyatt, secretary-treasurer; Revis Patterson, reporter; Frank Calloway, yell leader.

Collins Chapel—R. J. Jackson, Leader; Mat Hilyer, president; Lloyd Burnett, vice president; Gilbert Littleton, secretary-treasurer; Junior Collins, reporter; Vernon Mims, yell leader.

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More Comments Come In On News Booster Edition

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and some day, when I shall find the time, much of its material shall be arranged in a scrap-book.

Dr. Mullins and I extend our heartiest congratulations upon this splendid accomplishment which will go far toward reflecting the many virtues of Clanton on the outside world.

"Long live the Chilton County News and long live a progressively inclined editor, like yourself, to push it."

Yours very truly,
Mrs. Wm. L. Darnell.
New York City, March 16, 1931.

From Atlanta, Ga.: "I have seen several special editions of weekly newspapers, but your Booster Edition was at the highest in its efforts to tell the world of your fine county, and after reading through the copy I received, I came to the conclusion that Chilton County, Alabama, is indeed a fine part of the country. I extend heartiest congratulations."

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A famous orchestra conductor declares that many persons have good natural voices but no brains. In other words, many persons are crooners.

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We have just received a large line of glove silk underwear for ladies in panties, slips, vest and bloomers, all sizes and pastel shades — Special **$1**

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We have received our complete line of spring colors in all weights and prices in Gordon Hose. Prices in service weight and chiffon

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ALL SILK HOSE

A complete assortment of hose for Easter in all silk service weight and chiffon in new spring colors. Try our one dollar hose and save Sizes 8½ to 10

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Shaw-Ellison Wedding One Of Much Interest

A wedding around which was centered a great deal of interest was that of Miss Mildred Shaw and Mr. Ross Ellison, which took place at the home of the bride's parents Sunday afternoon, March 22, at three o'clock, in the presence of a large assemblage of friends and relatives.

The living room was a bower of lovely spring flowers. At the far end of the room was an improvised altar which was a beautiful setting for the bridal party. Against a background of ferns was a white trellis entwined with souther smilax and in the center was a huge bouquet of pink snap dragons. Flanked on each side were seven branche candelabra holding burning tapers. The pretty effect was completed with tall standards in which there was an artistic arrangement of snapdragons and plumossa fern. An isle leading from the entrance of the hall to the altar was formed with floor baskets holding large bouquets of pink snapdragons. Festooned from each basket was pink tulle tied in fluffy bows at intervals.

A program of nuptial music was furnished by Miss Emma Morris, Mrs. Grady Broadhead and Mrs. Barney Roberts. Miss Morris, who possesses a beautiful lyric soprano voice, sang "I Love You Truly."

To the strains of Loengrin's Wedding march played by Mrs. Roberts at the piano, and Mrs. Broadhead, violin, obligato, the bridal party entered. Dainty little Martha Higgins, dressed in a lovely pink georgette, carried an arm basket of pink sweet peas and scattered rose petals in the path of the bride.

The bride entered on the arm of the groom. She was becomingly gowned in a fashionable grey suit with which she wore a grey hat with a touch of blue and accessories to match. She carried a shower bouquet of Columbia roses, tied with pink tulle. Rev. D. W. Haskew performed the ceremony.

The bride and groom received the congratulations from the guests in the dining room where the bride's book was presided over by Miss Louise McSwain and Mrs. Horace Jones. Others assisting in entertaining the wedding guests were Miss Bernice Williams and Miss Clara Mae Popwell.

The bride is the lovely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Sanford Shaw of Clanton. She is a graduate of the Chilton County High School, and by her sweet personality, has won a host of friends throughout the county. She has taken an active part in church and social life of Clanton.

Mr. Ellison, the groom, is the son of the late John M. Ellison and Mrs. Victoria Ellison. He holds a responsible position with the Alabama Power Company at Lay Dam, where he has been for four years. He is held in high esteem by his many co-workers and by all who know him.

Wedding guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Mullins, Mrs. W. E. Holcombe, Mrs. R. C. Jones, Mrs. Geo. W. Borders, Miss Ruth Prince, Elsie Busby, Mrs. G. T. Evans, Mrs. J. F. Holcombe, Miss Ruth Sessions, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Haskew, Mrs. C. B. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Crit Jones, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Polk, Jr., Mrs. James McCraney, Jr.

Miss Clara Mae Popwell, Mrs. Grady Broadhead, Miss Louise McSwain, Miss Berniece Williams, Miss Ethyl Mae Jones, Mrs. R. B. Harrison, Mrs. Barney Roberts, Miss Emma Sue Morris, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Carter, Mrs. Horace Miller, Mrs. Bill Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Smitherman, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ellison and son, Frank, Misses Dorothy, Grace and Tootsie Carter, Miss Madelyn Orr, Mrs. Bob Jones, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Littleton, Mrs. Carrie Ray, Mrs. Victoria Ellison.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace C. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Burdette, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wyatt, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Reynolds, Mrs. Reuben Wyatt, Mrs. M. A. Gore, Velma Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Shaw, Miss Martha Higgins, and others.

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Circle Number Three Of M. E. Church Met Monday.

Mrs. A. S. Prince was hostess to the members of Circle Number Three of the Methodist church at her home on Second Avenue, last Monday afternoon at three-thirty o'clock.

The meeting was opened by a Scripture reading by Mrs. L. E. Diefenderfer. Mrs. G. T. Evans and Mrs. Florence Wilbanks read two interesting articles on Cajun Work, which was followed by the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting. Mrs. Clara Mullins was joint hostess, with eleven members taking part in this meeting.

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Miss Myrtle Broadhead of Birmingham, who has been visiting her brother, J. H. Broadhead, and her sister, Miss Cleo Broadhead at Maplesville, was rushed to the St. Vincents Hospital in Birmingham Monday night suffering from a sudden attack of illness. Latest reports stated that she is resting very well.

Mrs. McSwain Hostess at Miscellaneous Shower Honoring Miss Shaw.

Among the outstanding social events of the month was the shower given recently by Mrs. T. C. McSwain in honor of Miss Mildred Shaw, who became the bride of Mr. Ross Ellison Sunday, March 22nd.

The McSwain home was lovely in its decorations of early spring flowers. In the living room masses of narcissus were attractively arranged in silver baskets and bowls. Floor baskets held an artistic arrangement of peach blossoms.

The guests were met at the door by Miss Ruth Sessions and Miss Louise McSwain and were ushered to the receiving line where they were presented to Mrs. T. C. McSwain, Mrs. Shaw, Miss Mildred Shaw and Mrs. Victoria Ellison.

The guests were ushered to the bride's book by Mrs. Marcus Polk, Jr. Presiding over the bride's book was Mrs. Horace Jones. Mrs. Norman Roberts took the guests to the dining room wheer a profusion of cut flowers added to the attractiveness of the room.

The beautifully appointed tea table was centered with a huge silver basket of pink and white carnations arranged with graceful sprays of plumosa fern. Tall tapers in silver holders and dainty mints in silver comports completed the beautiful effect.

Serving at the tea table were Miss Clara Mae Popwell, Miss Bernice Williams, Miss Elsie Busby, and Miss Gladys Williams. Mrs. Reedie Taylor ushered the guests into the gift room, where hundreds of lovely gifts were displayed.

Music was furnished during the evening by Mrs. Barney Roberts, Mrs. Percy Pitts and Miss Nell Wells, piano and Miss Mary Foshee, Miss Madelyn Orr, Miss Emma Sue Morris and Mrs. C. N. Bradford, Jr., vocal. Mrs. Grady Broadhead gave several violin solos.

Guests at this delightful social affair were Miss Madelyn Orr, Mrs. L. H. Reynolds, Mrs. Percy M. Pitts, Mrs. Horace Miller, Mrs. Wallace Wood, Mrs. Oliver King, Miss Clara Mae Popwell, Miss Elsie Busby, Mrs. Bob Jones, Mrs. O. M. Carter, Mrs. D. W. Haskew, Mrs. Joe Higgins, Mrs. Milton Smith, Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway.

Mrs. M. C. Broadhead, Mrs. W. E. Martin, Mrs. R. W. Taylor, Mrs. Earl Gore, Mrs. Marion Gore, Mrs. L. E. Diefenderfer, Mrs. J. M. VanDerveer, Mrs. Barney Roberts, Miss Mary Louise Pack, Miss Emma Sue Morris, Miss Bess Thomas, Mrs. Warren Spigener, Mrs. Frank Callen, Mrs. Elzora Callen Alred, Mrs. Hugh Simpson, Mrs. Crit Jones, Mrs. C. B. Cox, Mrs. M. H. Marcus, Mrs. Grady Reynolds, Mrs. Mack Wyatt, Mrs. Norman Roberts, Mrs. R. J. Alexander, Mrs. Thos. R. Burdette, Mrs. Bowen Jones, Mrs. P. T. Hinkle, Mrs. W. J. Billingsley, Mrs. G. C. Walker, Mrs. W. M. Polk, Jr.

Mrs. T. E Wyatt, Miss Gladys Williams, Miss Louise McSwain, Mrs. G. T. Evans, Mrs. Victoria Ellison, Mrs. Reedie Taylor, Mrs. C. N. Bradford, Jr., Mrs. L. M. Poole, Mrs. J. Watts Moore, Mrs. A. C. Smith, Mrs. L. A. Calloway, Miss Grace Robinson, Mrs Ruth Holcombe, Mrs. Lois Mims, Miss Alma Allen, Mrs. Odis Miller, Mrs. T. C. McSwain, Mrs. Grady Broadhead, Miss Nell E. Wells, Miss Edna Cofield, Mrs. Agnes McNair, Miss Mildred Danforth, Mrs. T. J. Marcus.

Miss Ruth Prince, Miss Glennie Mims, Miss Ruth Sessions, Miss Lillian Thompson, Miss Maggie Rollins, Miss Annie Mae Foshee, Miss Marine Harris, Miss Flora Harris, Miss Berneice Williams, Miss Elizabeth McSwain, Miss Pauline Plyler, Mrs. Horace C. Jones, Mrs. James McCraney, Jr., Miss Frances McSwain, Mrs. H. S. Shaw, Miss Mary Foshee.

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Circle Number 5 Met With Mrs. Ressie Harris.

Circle No. 5 of the Baptist Church met with Mrs. Ressie Harris on last Monday afternoon. Devotional was led by the chairman, Mrs. W. J. Billingsley. Plans were made for the Kitchen Shower for the church next Monday afternoon. Other business was planned also. On April the 6th this circle will meet with Mrs. Flem Higgins.

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Mrs. Watts Moore, Charles, Helen and Mrs. Hugh Jones went to Montgomery last Thursday.

Mrs. P. D. Wilson, Mrs. Leach and Mr. and Mrs. Horsley White spent last Wednesday in Birmingham.

Mrs. Glennie Evans went to Auburn Tuesday to spend several days.

Rev. and Mrs. Haskew and Mrs. L C. Warr spent last Thursday in Birmingham.

Mrs. Clarence Parrish of Birmingham spent last week with relatives in Clanton.

Mrs. L. F. Gerald, Mrs. Lee Smith, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. Grady Broadhead, Hal and Lawrence, Jr., spent last Saturday in Birmingham.

Miss Elizabeth Davenport of Woman's College was the guest of Miss Kathryn Hayes last week end.

Party who went to Birmingham last Wednesday to hear Dr. Truatt were Rev. and Mrs. Ezell, Mrs. Upchurch, Miss Della Latham, Mrs. J. T. Ellis, Mrs. Hinkle, Mrs. J. P. Hayes, Mrs. J. R. Mullins.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parrish spent Sunday in Montgomery.

Miss Zonie McKinney has returned to Hillman Hospital where she is in training, after spending last week with home folks.

Mr. Grover Harris, Jr., of the University of Alabama spent last week end with his parents.

Mr. Charles Moore who is attending Vanderbilt College spent the spring holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Watts Moore.

Messrs. Ben Tyus and Sam Beach were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus.

Mr. Clyde Sims of Thorsby, who has been so critically ill in South Highland Infirmary since March 1, is much improved.

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Clanton — Tiffin-Klinner Furniture Co. of this city moved into rooms in Fox Building, located on Sixth Street.

Tuskegee — East Alabama Lumber Co. to resume operations at their plant near this place.

Auburn—Federal Post Office Department may consider plans for construction of new post office building here.

Excerpts From L & N Employes' Magazine

Six new mountain type locomotives have been received by the Louisville & Nashville Railroad from the Baldwin Locomotive Works and placed in passenger train service between Cincinnati, Ohio, and Etowah, Tenn. The engines are numbered 416 to 321 and represent the ultimate in modern locomotive design according to the L & N Employes' Magazine for March.

The first man to complete fifty years of continuous service with the L & N Railroad was Major James Geddes, superintendent, Nashville, Tenn., it is learned from the L & N Employes' Magazine for March. Mr. Geddes, a native of Scotland, began his L & N service on September 2, 1851, on the construction of the line from Louisville to Nashville, was later general agent at Bowling Green, Ky., and in 1872 was promoted to superintendent of the Nashville & Decatur Division of the L & N at Nashville.

On September 2, 1901, the day on which Major Geddes completed half a century with the road, the L & N arranged a banquet in his honor at the Union Station in Nashville. The guests included high officials of the company and distinguished persons from many walks of life. At the completion of the banquet a handsome silver service was presented to the Major by the L & N and he was notified that effective on that day he was appointed assistant to the general manager of the L & N system.

Major Geddes served the L & N for 13 years longer, until he died at the age of 86, on November 13, 1914. He was buried at Bowling Green, Ky.

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To My Friends

I wish to announce to the people that I am now with the

REID MOTOR CO.

Chevrolet Dealers

at Montevallo, Ala.

Would like for you to see me if you are interested in a trade.

---Luther Foshee.

"THE VALUE OF COUNTY PLAY DAY TO YOUR COMMUNITY"

By Hilda Hart
Member Junior III Civics Class of Chilton County High School

County Play Day is one of the important days in each county every year. It is looked forward to by all people and it brings excitement to the entire county.

The date for our Play Day was set at the beginning of early spring by the County Superintendent and the Board of Education. The program was carried out at the County High School on March 13th.

Each school in the county took part in all activities of the day, contributing one or more students to each game. Each school had an assigned place where the activities of that school were carried out. They were divided into two groups, one group of boys and the other group of girls. The boys and girls had separate programs.

The way in which pupils were selected for these activities was by try-outs. In each activity those who wanted to take part in them came out for the try-out. The one that proved to be the best player of that game was chosen to represent that school in that game.

County Play Day was important to this community because it brought all the people of the county together. Some people, who probably, had not been to the town before came on this day. It threw together the people of the county and the people of the town and therefore it brought about better cooperation to the county. This not only brought about better cooperation but in days to come it might prabably increase the trade.

County Play Day was also helpful to the students. It taught them useful activities that will be of great value to them in later life.

This also brought out a good example of fair play, the thing that should be taught every person in any activity of life. Fair play is one of the things that was stressed most on County Play Day and each school had an equal chance with the other schools.

Not only did County Play Day help the people of the town and county to cooperate, but it helped the schools to cooperate and caused a more friendly spirit between them. The teachers had the opportunity to meet the teachers of the other schools and therefore it made every person able to cooperate on that day.

County Play Day also helped to develop one of the important departments in our high schools, the department of Physical Education. It encouraged more play and exercise in our high schools. It also taught the students to take part in different activities and gave the Physical Education classes a good outline of play.

County Play Day will always be looked forward to by all people and will be one of the most important days in the county each year.

"THE VALUE OF A COUNTY PLAY DAY IN YOUR COMMUNITY"

By Joe Moore
Member Junior III Civics Class Chilton County High School

The definition of a County Play Day is when the different schools of each community in the county come together in a general meeting one day and try for different events in which only the student body takes part and tries to carry it out to the very last word.

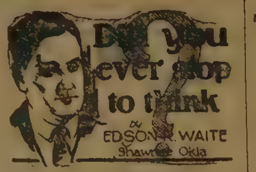
The County Play Day brings the schools and the school spirit closer together that day and makes the student feel that he is a part of that school. The students also take pride in the events that their school wins and try to feel the real sportsmanship in the games that they are playing and the part they are taking in them and also they not only think of themselves but the school as a whole and as one body. The body of a school is composed of the entire school and the pupils that day are in one body and are pulling together for their school to win.

The competition is perhaps one of the greatest things or the greatest goal that is trying to be reached on a Play Day. The diffeernt schools in the communities train their boys and girls for these different meets so they will be in the best condition to take off the prizes and the honor of beating the other teams and schools throughout the county.

Cooperation is another one of the chief problems in a Play Day. If the cooperation is not gotten and the program doesn't fuction right the day is not a success.

One of the most important of all the things on a Play Day is fair play or sportsmanship. The thing above all is to play clean. Unfair play just reveals the lower things in a student and demoralizes his character as well as his word. In fair play you must have a clean bunch of boys and girls as a clean team that meets these other teams. It is not altogether the honor of winning the prizes for the schools, but it is how you played the game, if you were square and on the level about it and not trying to cheat your opponent of a point.

Another one of the most important things about a Play Day is what it does to its community as a whole and the good will it will do the pupils. It will give the pupils a sportsmanship outlook as well as trying to win the game in a fair and square way.



Paul Porter, publisher of The Mangum (Okla.) Star, says:

That advertising is as essential to the progress and development of the average business enterprise in a period of depression as it is during normal eras.

In the smaller cities, merchants too often take the attitude that as volume declines the first overhead to be reduced is advertising. They feel that it is impossible to create a demand for their products. This erroneous assumption accounts for the present condition of many mercantile and business enterprises of other types.

Every well regulated and properly managed business should operate on a budget. Advertising should be proportioned to the volume of business and if additional sales effort is made through the proper advertising mediums, the merchant will find his volume more stable.

If every business enterprise in a community would expend a proper proportion of their volume of business for advertising, they would find the results surprising.

Too many of America's big and small business men are "Fair Weather" boys. When the clouds of depression hover about, they run for shelter to hibernate until the sun peeps out. Intelligence, aggressiveness and confidence will win the battle for those who have the 'Guts' to fight.

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A fireproof cargo pouch, made of asbestos, for air express and mail, recently underwent succesful tests.

Cyrus V. See of Hardin, Mo., has invented a "self lighting device" which announces to anglers in a brililant gleam of light that a fish has been hooked.

THE COMMUNITY AND ITS BANKS

By ROME C. STEPHENSON
President American Bankers Association

R. C. STEPHENSON

While upon the individual bankers there rests without qualification the direct responsibility for the prudent, honest conduct of their institutions, nevertheless the soundness of banking as a practical matter of fact is a community problem in which the public has a part to play as well as bankers and government officials charged with the supervision of banks.

In the first place, the assets of a bank, outside its government bonds, consist mainly of loans to business men and of investments in securities created by corporate enterprises. The deposits of a bank are not kept in the vaults as idle cash but are employed in these loans and investments to earn the money to pay the expenses of the bank so that it can render services to its customers and also pay them interest on such deposits as bear interest. If there were no such thing as unsound business men or enterprises there would be no such thing as unsound assets in a bank.

It is of course the unquestioned duty of the banker to choose only sound loans and investments, but the difficulty of such judgment, and human judgment is never infallible, is plainly increased in such times and under such conditions as we have been passing through, with many businesses not making expected earnings and therefore hampered in meeting their obligations. Unfortunately some investments and loans created by persons outside the banks which found their way into the banks in a relatively few instances have reflected the unwise business policies and conditions that became more than usually prevalent in our business activities and contributed to the difficulty of banking. The vast bulk of bank assets, however, are 100 per cent sound above all question.

"Hard Boiled" vs. "Easy" Banker

In another aspect the people of the community have a part to play in maintaining the soundness of their banks, and that is through the medium of patronage. The existence of a bank is dependent on public patronage. If only those banks were patronized in which the most careful policies were practiced and the most conscientious and able men in charge, it would go far toward maintaining the standards of banking. If business men in a community when refused loans by their banks for good and sufficient reasons because conditions are not favorable, thereupon withdraw their business to banks where less careful methods prevail, they clearly contribute to the creation of a less sound banking situation.

Also if, in the heat of competition, a banker offers higher interest rates or more free service to attract customers than the earnings of conservative banking justify, and is encouraged by the patronage of the public as against a more conservative bank, obviously the public is again playing a part in bringing about a less sound banking situation. It is an unfortunate fact that the banker who is strict, "hard boiled" if you please, is liable to be less popular than the "easy" banker, and by that same token the public itself has a voice in influencing the character of banking. Also it is the public in the end which pays the main part of the penalty if unfortunate results follow.

Still again the public can exert an influence in shaping the character of banking by supporting the purposes of bankers to maintain intelligent, independent, honest banking supervision by the public banking departments through insisting that this function of government shall be kept as free from political influence as the judiciary itself and shall be manned only by men of the highest ability and character.

In still another way can the people themselves contribute to maintaining the ability of their banks to meet their obligations, and this is by granting them the fullest possible confidence. As I said, the deposits are not kept as cash but are invested in loans and securities. Even the soundest assets of this type require some time to reconvert at full value into cash deposits. In many cases of bank troubles the only thing wrong with a bank was an unduly suspicious and apprehensive state of mind in its customers created by no act or condition of its own but by baseless rumors which sometimes led them to destroy the value of their own deposits by demanding them immediately, forcing a bank to sacrifice its assets and otherwise disrupt its financial operations.

Bankers Help

During the year 1930 the Bankers' Association of Langlade County, Wisconsin, worked out the finances for a cooperative milk plant, which entailed the raising of $100,000, and also sponsored an active 4-H-Club campaign that culminated in an "Achievement Day" program, in which upwards of 400 young people participated. The increase in the number interested in this work was 200 per cent over the past two year period.

THIS IS THE TIRE SCORING THE GREATEST GAINS among car owners and car manufacturers alike . . . THE BIG SWING IS TO U.S. TIRES! . . .

Prove it for yourself. Notice the number of cars around town on U.S. Tires. Notice how many of America's finest cars come equipped with U.S. Tires. You can't overlook these facts and you can't overlook the extra mileage, extra safety and extra beauty in these tires. Nor can you ignore the real savings at our present prices. Join the Big Swing.

PRICES

U. S. PEERLESS				TRUCK TIRES
4.40-21	$4.98	4.75-20	$6.75	30 x 5 8-ply. H.D. $19.95
4.50-20	$5.60	5.00-19	$6.98	32x6 10-ply, H.D. $[illegible]3.00
4.50-21	$5.69	5.00-20	$7.10	
4.75-19	$6.65	5.25-21	$8.57	

THORSBY GARAGE
E. N. BENTLEY, Proprietor Thorsby, Ala.

Beauty and Easter

A SHAMPOO, a wave, a manicure—all of these will contribute greatly to your confidence when you step forth Easter morning to greet spring. Easter and beauty go hand in hand. Most surely you want to look your best. Our personal service is unexcelled—and at prices consistently low. May we suggest it would be practical to phone for an appointment to avoid delay and waiting.

Special Permanent Wave $6.00

DeMabel's Beauty Shoppe
Phone 150 Clanton, Alabama

"Yum, Yum," said Fannie

BROADWAY has gone in for "sweet snacks" since a learned scientist discovered what a lot of energy could be obtained from a cookie or piece of candy. But leave it to Fannie Brice to find the shortest way to absorb her "energy." Yes, she's munching a lump of sugar.

That conference of independent Republicans and Democrats got a lot of front page space, and that, we surmise, was the principal object of the conference.

BAYER ASPIRIN is always SAFE
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UNLESS you see the name Bayer and the word genuine on the package as pictured above you can never be sure that you are taking the genuine Bayer Aspirin that thousands of physicians prescribe in their daily practice.

The name Bayer means genuine Aspirin. It is your guarantee of purity—your protection against some imitation Millions of users have proved it is safe

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No harmful after-effects follow its use It does not depress the heart.

Hors D'Oeuvres Jog Jaded Appetites

By ETIENNE ALLIO, Chef,
Hotel New Yorker, New York City

NOTHING can contribute more to assure the success of the meal, whether it be a formal or informal repast, than a hors d'oeuvre, skillfully prepared, of carefully selected ingredients to insure their freshness, and served in a manner to appeal to the eye as well as to the appetite.

CHEF ALLIO

Whether the hors d'oeuvre be hot or cold, its chief purpose is, of course, to act as an appetizer and this it can do as much by its appearance as by its taste, for there is a full measure of truth in the old saying, "The eye does half the eating." The portions should be small, merely large enough to stimulate the appetite, without any danger of dulling the diner's zest for the dishes that are to follow.

Vienna Hors d'Oeuvre—Simmer calves liver until very tender Chop fine and rub to a paste. To one cup of liver add one tablespoon melted butter, one-half teaspoon sugar, salt and pepper to taste, and enough thick tomato sauce to make the mixture of the right consistency to spread. Lightly toast strips of graham bread about four inches long and an inch and a quarter wide. Spread with the paste. Garnish with a border of chopped whites of hard-boiled egg and the riced yolk. Serve cold.

Clams in Nest (Individual)—Halve a grapefruit, remove the pulp, and fill with shaved ice. Place a small glass in the center for the sauce. Place five small clams on the half shell on the ice. For the sauce mix one tablespoon Worcestershire sauce, one tablespoon horseradish, one tablespoon vinegar, and one tablespoon tomato ketchup. Add two tablespoons lemon juice, one-half teaspoon sugar, one-fourth teaspoon tabasco, and one teaspoon salt. Chill by placing sauce in the glass a sufficient time before serving.

Southampton Hors d'Oeuvre—Scoop out the stem ends of six whole, firm tomatoes, leaving a cone-shaped cavity. Sprinkle with pepper, salt, and a little sugar. Fill with butter. Bake in a moderate oven until tender. Just before serving place the tomatoes on the individual plates and pour over each of them two tablespoons of hot cream seasoned with salt and pepper. Sprinkle with minced parsley and serve hot on thin toast strips.

! HIGH SCHOOL NEWS !

Dr. H. C. Bass of West End Baptist Church, Birmingham, to Preach Commencement Sermon, May 24, at The Baptist Church

It is of more than passing interest that we have been fortunate enough to secure the time and service of Dr. H. C. Bass, pastor West End Baptist Church, Birmingham, to deliver the Commencement sermon for the graduating class of Chilton County high school, 1931. The sermon will be preached at 11 o'clock, May 24, at the First Baptist church in this city.

Dr. Bass is a distinguished and learned gentleman whose services are always in demand, and it was only by applying early that the school is fortunate enough to get him for this occasion. He is well known generally over the State of Alabama, and particularly well known among the Baptists of the State, and his coming will be anticipated with much pleasure and interest.

Senior One Soils and Crops Class Start A Potato Project

The Senior One agriculture boys under the supervision of their teacher, J. B. Varnell, have started a very interesting and practical project, namely that of bedding sweet potatoes. The boys are looking forward to and hoping to realize enough in commensurable returns to finance a trip to A. P. I. at Auburn.

Each of the twenty boys have shared equally the expense and are keeping a record of their expenditures and also will keep a record of their receipts with the goal in view of an interesting and beneficial visit to our State Agricultural College. They will also share equally in the profits and are hopeful that the potato market will have been made better by their project.

C. C. H. S. Orchestra

Below will be found a list of the students who are members of the high school orchestra and the instrument played by each:

Violin: Jane Roberts, Helen Roberts, Miss Josephine Martin, Homer Carroll, Gladys Martin, Mrs. L. C. Warr.

Saxaphone: Leroy Martin, Eliza-Gragg, Joe Moore, Alex Hayes, John P. Lawrence.

Hawaiian Guitar: Mildred Tyus, Marie Frazier, U. L. Baker, Willie Maude Kelley, Lois Miller.

Banjo: Roberta Marcus, Evelyn Maddox, Miss Bernice Williams, Earl Ellis, Curtis Carter, Robert Sumner.

Trumpet: Joe Earl Gowan.

Accordion: Miss Nell E. Wells.

Bass Drum: J. C. Maddox.

Misses Annie Lou Burns and Grace Barlow of Selma are the directors.

PAGE, LINE AND PARAGRAPH

Eastern foresters are asking tobacco growers to exercise care in preparing tobacco plant beds. By burning on quiet days, extinguishing all coals, and keeping tools for fire fighting handy, the spread of damaging fires to woodlands may be avoided.

Dust the hen thoroughly with sodium fluoride before setting her to hatch [illegible] Some hens become so badly in[illegible]d with lice that they leave the [illegible]. To rid hens of lice, hold the fowls by the feet, head downward, and rub pinches of sodium fluoride well into the feathers, especially around the vent.

See that the dairy bull is well housed and gets exercise. Don't keep a bull in a small stall without exercise; it may ruin him as a breeder and make him vicious. A strongly built barn or shed, opening into a paddock or yard, is a practical shelter. A feeding alley in [illegible]t of the barn allows the bull to be [illegible] without anyone having to enter the [illegible]

The buyer of seed corn does well to consider the productiveness of a variety, its uniformity, and its adaptability to the soil and climate where it is to grow, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The varietal name may be of little importance because of the mixing of names by seed-corn dealers and the mixing of varieties through cross-pollination by the wind.

Coverings of rather heavy cloth laid directly over garden truck or other low-growing plants are effective protection against moderate frosts. Place the coverings over the plants early in the evening and remove them as soon after sunrise as possible. Tin cans or other metal coverings are not effective in protecting plants from frost damage, because such objects are good conductors of heat and moreover are too small to conserve the original warmth of the plants.

Lower production costs, a tendency toward improvement in market demand, and a greater degree of stability in general commodity prices are predicted for 1931 by the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Economics, in its agricultural outlook report. Outlook reports are prepared by the bureau to help farmers make plans for planting crops and breeding livestock in view of the market conditions that will probably exist when the crops and animals are ready for market. The Farm Outlook for 1931. Facts for Farmers, may be obtained by writing to the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., for Miscellaneous Publication 112-MP.

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GUARANTEED
Glasses Cut And
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GOLD DUST (Plain Flour) or CA-MI-CO (Self-Rising flour) require only 2 lbs. of lard for best results. Below is a table compiled by actual baking tests, shows saving by using GOLD DUST or CA-MI-CO.

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2 lbs. lard required to bake 24 lbs. at 12c	.24	8 lbs. lard required to bake 24 lbs. at 12c	.96
	$1.24		$1.46

By using our high patent Gold Dust and Ca-Mi-Co, you not only save money, but biscuits made with this folur are much more palatable, more wholesome, and more readily digested.

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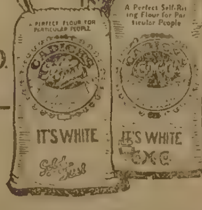
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GIVEN PROMPT ATTENTION
Your Patronage Will Be Appreciated

We See By The News That

H. R. Oden, prominent resident of the Isabella Community was in Clanton last Monday.

Francis Baldwin, who resides at "Edelweiss" in Mountain Creek, was among the visitors in Clanton Monday, and while in town, Mr. Baldwin was a caller at the News.

E. N. Shanks, druggist of Maplesville, Ala., was in Clanton Monday attending to business matters.

J. M. Nix of Thorsby was a Monday visitor to our city.

W. T. White, of the progressive Isabella Community was in Clanton last Monday.

Jim Clements, a resident of Jemison, Ala., was also among those in Clanton for awhile Monday.

F. A. Gulledge, of Verbena, was in Clanton Monday attending to business matters.

Andrew Jackson of the Collins Chapel community was a visitor last Monday in our city.

A. A. Jackson, merchant of Lomax, was a business visitor to Clanton Monday.

Tom Nix, a farmer residing in the Mulberry community, was paying Clanton a social visit last Monday.

Bob Williams, a booster of the Pleasant Grove community was seeing sights in Clanton Monday, and attending to business matters.

Joshua Johnson, from up near Thorsby, was down in Clanton Monday.

Bob Chapman another resident of the Pleasant Grove community was enjoying the fine weather for awhile in Clanton Monday.

T. W. Bryan spent Sunday in Thorsby visiting friends.

Miss Willie Jean Patrick of Billingsley was in Clanton shopping last Monday.

Span Jones of the Isabella community was another visitor in our city Monday.

Lee Jones from down near Jonestown, paid Clanton a visit Monday for awhile.

W. E. Gulledge, prominent merchant and business man of Verbena, was in Clanton Monday and was a pleasant caller at the News office.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Moore of the Bethsalem community were among the visitors to Clanton Monday, also.

Lon King, a resident of the Shiloh community was among those in Clanton Monday.

Alphus Moore of the Bethsalem community was attending to business matters in Clanton Monday.

Harlem Bean, of West Blocton, Ala was in Clanton last Monday.

Jim Bice of the Shiloh community was in Clanton Monday attending to business matters.

N. L. Martin of Thorsby was another prominent visitor in our city Monday.

Jim Hill, who resides on Billingsley Route 1, was also seen among those visiting in Clanton Monday.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF FIRST MEETING

No. 7004.

In the District Court of the United States for the Middle District of Alabama—In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Edward F. Grant, Bankrupt, Postoffice Mt. Creek, County Chilton, Alabama.

The aforesaid party having been adjudged a Bankrupt, under the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to Establish a Uniform System of Bankruptcy Throughout the United States," approved July 1st, 1898, meeting of the Creditors of said Bankrupt is called at the office of the undersigned Referee, in the United States Court House, Montgomery, Alabama, on the 2nd day of April next, at 10 o'clock A. M., to make proof of debts, and for the election of a Trustee, and such other matters as are necessary and required by the Act of Congress aforesaid.

Montgomery, Ala., March 18, 1931.

M. S. CARMICHAEL,
Referee.

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Clanton Methodist Church

We begin our revival meeting next Sunday morning at 11 A. M. We are inviting all of the people of Clanton and surrounding territory, regardless of denominational affiliation, to attend our services. We are expecting Dr. N. B. McLeod of Selma to arrive in the city and preach for us next Monday night. He will do the preaching during the week. Dr McLeod has few equals in the pulpit in the South, and his coming to Clanton is a rare treat. He is not sensational, but will lead you into deep thinking and holy living.

The morning services will be from ten thirty to eleven thirty, and the night services at 7:30. Leave home in time to reach the church on time.

We have several good song leaders in our church and in the other churches of the city, and we want to make the singing a special feature of the meeting.

Our Sunday school meets at 9:45 a.m. Preaching at 11 a.m. by the pastor.

The night service Sunday night will be a musical program under the direction of Mrs. Percy M. Pitts, and special artists from Selma and Birmingham. You will want to hear this special program of music.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Whereas, default was made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage, executed on the 10th day of March, 1927, by W. S. Peeples and wife, Lue Peeples, to A. Latham, which mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 229 of Mortgages, at Page 213, and which mortgage was to secure an indebtedness of One Hundred and Forty Two and 78/100 Dollars, ($142.78), which was evidenced by one promissory waive note bearing even date with said mortgage, for said sum and due and payable on October 20, 1927 and which mortgage conveyed as security for said indebtedness the following described real estate situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to wit:

One block of land beginning at the Southeast corner of the Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty Three, Township Twenty Three, Range Thirteen, thence north to the corner of Y. O. Freeman's Lot, thence west to the Randolph and Jemison public road, tehnce in a Southwesterly direction along said road to the section line between section 22 and section 23 thence East to the point of beginning being in all three (3) acres, more or less, and known as the 'B. M. Gentry place'."

Now, therefore, the undersigned mortgagee in said mortgage, will on Monday, April 13, 1931, during the legal hours of sale, in front of the Courthouse door of Chilton County, Alabama, and in the town of Clanton, offer for sale to the highest and best bidder, for cash, the above described property conveyed in said mortgage for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by same, the expenses of the sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee, and the remainder of the proceeds of said sale, if any, to be turned over to the mortgagors as provided by law.

This the 14th day of March, 1931.

A. LATHAM, Mortgagee.

C. M. Laurendine, 503 Farley Bldg., Birmingham, Ala., Attorney for Mortgagee. 3-19-3tc

Felt Bad After Eating

"BEFORE I started taking Black-Draught, three years ago, my health was very bad," writes Mrs. C. C. Carson, 945 Concord St., Beaumont, Texas. "I suffered constantly from constipation. I had headache when I got up in the morning, and I felt dull and sluggish. I hardly ate a meal that my food agreed with me. Frequently I would have gas on my stomach, and felt awful.

"I read about Black-Draught, and I thought it might help me. After I had taken it a little while, I felt much better. It relieves constipation. I keep it on hand so when I need a laxative I will have it. In the three years I have been taking it, I have never found anything as good for constipation."

THEDFORD'S
Black-Draught
For CONSTIPATION, INDIGESTION, BILIOUSNESS
Costs Only 1 Cent a Dose
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WOMEN who are run-down, nervous, or suffer every month, should take CARDUI. Used for over 50 years.

Farms' Corn Short 5 Million Bushels

Farm stocks of corn in Alabama are over 5,000,000 bushels short of the supply on hand the same date last year, reports F. W. Gist, State and Federal statistician, who stated yesterday afternoon that the farm stocks on Mar 1 this year amounted to 11,507,000 bushels compared with 17,608,000 bushels on the same date last year and a five year average of 19,681,000 bushels.

Gist also stated that the ratio of supply to demand of farm labor on March 1 this year was 175 percent [illegible] the same date a year ago.

Regarding the farm stocks of corn in the United States Gist said that there were 700,000,000 bushels March 1 compared with 785,000,000 bushels a year ago and also a five year average of 1,051,000,000 bushels. Based upon estimates of total supplies at the beginning of the season and March 1 the domestic consumption of corn for the period [illegible] was about 250,000,000 bushels [illegible] than for the corresponding period of last year, while the total amount [illegible] for the remainder of the season is around 200,000,000 bushels [illegible] March 1 to [illegible] last year, he said.

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IN MEMORY OF MRS. A. J. TYUS

On Friday, 13th of this month, the Death Angel visited the home of Mr. A. J. Tyus and took his beloved wife, Mrs. Maggie Tyus. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Culp. She leaves to mourn her loss, her husband, eight children, seven boys, Julius, Preston, Lewis, Nuel, Burt, Willie, and Ben, and one daughter, Mary Elizabeth, a mother, two brothers, A. J., I. C., two sisters, Mrs. G. W. Mullins, and Mrs. I. B. Yeargan. She leaves a [illegible] other relatives and friends.

She was married to A. J. Tyus the 13th of March, 1910, and died the 13th of March, 1931. She joined the church when a girl at Mt. Pisgah. She held steadfastly to her religion. She will be missed in her church and community, but her husband and children will miss [illegible] and love. We thank the friends for their kindness and sympathy for the [illegible]

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VANILLA WAFERS	NBC	Large Package	10c
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PALMOLIVE SOAP, "Keep that school girl Complexion"	—Toy Balloon Free	2 Bars	15c
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GOV. FROWNS ON PRISON FARM COMPETITION WITH PLANTERS

Gov. Miller, who on his way to the coast for a brief rest last week stopped over at Atmore to inspect the State farm there, has in mind the making of some changes in the objectives of the operation of this farm before his administration ends.

The changes which he is thinking over contemplate suspension of the producting of various crops to come into competition with similar ones produced by Alabama farmers generally and raise only food crops for the feeding of prisoners at Atmore as well as at other State prisons and prison camps and even county jails also the furnishing of food to the State's various eleemosynary institutions.

It is the Governor's idea that the cotton crop should be limited to that required for the State's cotton mills, and that production at the Atmore farm of strawberries on an extensive commercial scale shall cease when the present strawberry beds play out, which will probably be some two years hence.

The Atmore prison farm is already equipped with a modern canning plant where surplus vegetables and fruits produced, can be canned for use in prisons, camps, jails and eleemosynary institutions during the winter months

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Co-op Poultry Cars Bring In $192,112

To date 64 carloads of poultry have been marketed cooperatively by Alabama farmers, according to a farm bureau report. The birds brought producers $192,112 and more than 23,000 persons, living in 55 counties participated in the sales.

The fowls went direct to eastern markets, mainly New York and Boston.

The poultry began to move along the cooperative route January 6 and will continue until about June 1. Total marketing for the season is expected to be about 100 carloads. The movement this year is much earlier than last, shipping being about 20 carloads ahead of this date a year ago

"New York is absorbing more poultry this year than ever before," said J. B. Sylvest, marketing specialist of the extension service, Alabama Polytechnic Institute, who has worked with farmers through county farm bureaus in an advisory capacity in making the sales. He said it is hoped that the rapid movement would reduce the surplus to a point that would enable later prices to show improvement.

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In washing sheer window curtains in a machine, inclose them in a net or muslin bag.

Sardis News

Sunday school met Sunday morning with a good attendance. We invite everybody to come and attend Sunday school with us.

Sardis singing society met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff Sunday afternoon and reported a good singing. Those who attended the singing were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sansom, Mr. and Mrs. John Kendrick, Mr. J. P. Adams, Misses May and Lucinda Sansom, Misses Ellen and Lela Minor, Miss Lillie Kendrick, Mr. Kent Minor, Mr. Wilile Bavor, Mr. Garland Deason, and Mr. Green Thomas, Mr. Charlie Sansom and Mr. Sol Sansom.

The W. M. U. Circle No. 3 met with Mrs. Alice Adams on last Monday afternoon with an interesting program. Our next meeting will be held with Mrs. Maggie Headley on Monday afternoon after the third Sunday in April. Program will be in the Book of Genesis.

Mr. and Mrs. Till Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith spent Saturday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sansom.

Miss Mildie Sansom is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Till Smith, and Mrs. Willie Smith.

Misses Ellen and Lela Minor are spending a few days with their relatives in this community.

Hey Boys! Wait a minute! Because of the bad weather last Saturday the play, "Two Days to Marry," at Vermont was postponed until next Saturday night, March 28th. Everybody is invited to come and bring someone with you. Admission 10 and 20 cents. And music by Mr. Tillman and Mr. Fonza Smith.

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HISTORICAL FILMS

Citizens of the future will see history enacted as well as read about it, if a plan proposed by Will H. Hays, head of the moving picture industry, is put into effect.

He suggests that space be provided in the new Archives Building to be built in Washington for the storage of many thousands of moving pictures of events which will have a permanent historical interest.

Think what it will mean to posterity to be able to witness on the screen historical events exactly as they were enacted centuries before.

Many such films are now being preserved in various vaults throughout the country, beginning with the inauguration of President McKinley, and including pictures made during the World War.

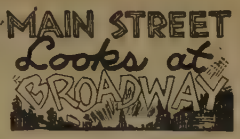
With proper care negatives as now made will last for many years, and duplicates may be made from time to time when originals begin to show signs of deterioration. Attempts are being made to develop a process whereby the life of films may be prolonged indefinitely.

Railroad Man Now Feels Like New He Says

"I never make a trip now without taking a bottle of Ferrac along and it has made me feel like a new man," recently stated John L. Sanders of 4211 2nd, Ave., Birmingham, who is in the transportation department of the Mobile and Ohio Railroad. His full statement follows:

"I was in a badly rundown condition; had mighty little appetite and my digestion was so poor I couldn't eat anything hardly without feeling upset all over. I was forever taking some kind of medicine that didn't seem to do me a bit of good. Then I started Ferrac and I never saw such a change in anybody as there is in me. I am eating man size meals and enjoying them; my digestion is as good as anybody's and I feel fine from head to foot. I will always be thankful that I got away from 'druggy medicine' and started this natural prescription."

Ferrac is on sale in All Drug Stores, or if your druggist can not supply you, send $1.00 to The Greenville Products Co., Greenville, Ala. adv.



Pinched Paws—

If you're going to take Fido along on a shopping trip to a certain large department store you must carry him when you ride the escalators, or moving stairways.

That rule was made because the firm is convinced that dogs can't learn to ride the moving stairs. They're always getting their paws severely pinched when getting on or off. The store bought about three columns of advertising space in a local paper to make the announcement, which read:

"The pups just can't learn to ride on escalators. Several of them have been seriously injured. Even the brightest little wuff-wuffs don't watch their step getting on and off."

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Let's Investigate—

Dark whisperings and hints of favoritism were cast about when it was discovered that while one entrance to a subway station was built of the conventional iron, the one across the street was fashioned of rich bronze.

An investigation was informally launched to get to the bottom of the matter, viz., how come the city spent all that extra money to build one of bronze when an iron one would have done just as well?

The sleuths were due for a jolt, however, for it was discovered that the classy entrance cost the city nothing. The financial house in front of which it is located paid for the entire cost of the railing, instaled by city labor, so that the city saved money instead of lost money.

Everyone is satisfied and the country is apparently as safe as ever. Incidentally, you may use the doggy stairway for the same nickel that gets you into the more vulgar subway entrances around town.

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History Lesson—

It rather looks as though two gentlemen who applied for citizenship papers will have to wait and get better acquainted with United States history.

"Who," inquired their examiner, "is president of the United States?"

"George Washington," responded the candidate promptly.

Slightly dissatisfied with that answer the examiner asked, "Who is governor of New York?"

Again the snappy answer; "George Washington."

Turing to the man's companion, the examiner weakly said, "Who is Calvin Coolidge?"

Neither candidate had ever heard of him.

Yes, they'll have to wait.

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Big Shot—

Chicago isn't the only city that has an "Al Capone."

A gentleman thus named achieved limited fame here when arrested on a disorderly conduct charge. He wants fame, though, for he is convinced that there is gold in his name.

For "half a grand," he will let someone interview him about his "mysterious past." He thinks his life story is worth a whole grand, but because of the depression, he's willing to let it go for half that much. He claims he has had experiences "that would make that Chicago boy blush."

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A six week's courtship was concluded in Belleville, Ont., when Mrs. Elida Brown, 65, became the bride of Samuel Yarrow, 95.

When a squirrel chewed the telephone wire leading to a residence in Memphis, the family believed robbers had clipped the lines preparatory to a hold-up and hurriedly summoned police.

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FARMERS MUST HELP THEMSELVES

The Federal Farm Board is no fairy godmother, warns its Chairman, Alexander Legge, in an informal report on his stewardship.

'It would be a wonderful thing," says Mr. Legge in The Country Home, "if we could utter a few magic words and turn all the pumpkins into coaches and all the wheat and corn and beans and cotton and cattel into gold. But there is no hope for that kind of farm relief."

A great and powerful Government has backed that plan with a fund of half a billion dollars. What has the Farm Board done with that money? And what has it been able to do for the farmer? And what does it hope to do?

Mr. Legge started out about 18 months ago with two or three clear facts. He believed, for instance, that the wheat farmer's troubles came from the fact that he produced too much wheat: in other words, he was being destroyed by his unsalable surplus. Since that time, the surplus has grown steadily, until today the surplus is enormous, not only in this coun-

After 18 months, Mr. Legge finds ganization of farmers for restriction only one possible solution—by or- of product and improved marketing. Probably a lot of people will throw up their hands and say, "For Lord's sake, you don't plan to start more farmers' organization! Haven't the farmers got enough organizations already?"

The answer, of course, is yes, plenty! If all the farm organization secretaries were to come to Washington in a body and march four abreast past the Capitol, the parade would be hours in passing. Nevertheless, they are not yet as effective as they should be, and farmers do not support them on a 100 per cent basis. Will the farmers join? That, according to Mr. Legge, is the vital question and on its answer hinges the success of the Farm oBard's efforts.

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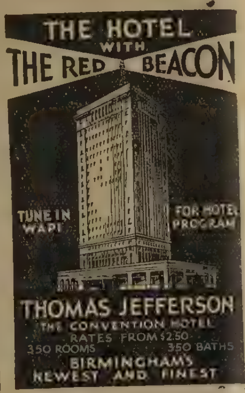

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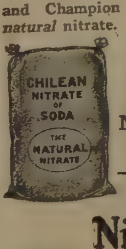

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A newspaper in Oklahoma published the following letter from one of its subscribers recently, after mailing out its year crop of subscription statements:

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Dear Sir:

I beg to inform you that my bank account makes it impossible for me to send you a check in response to your request for a remittance.

The state of my present financial condition is due to the effect of federal laws, state laws, county laws, corporation laws, by-laws, brother-in-laws, and outlaws that have been foisted upon an unsuspecting public. Through these various laws I have been held up, walked on, set on, sand bagged, battered and squeezed until I do not know where I am, what I am or why I am.

These laws compel me to pay a merchant tax, capital stock tax, excess profit tax, income tax, state auto tax, city auto tax, gas tax, tag tax, light tax, road tax, street tax, amusement tax, cigar tax, cigarette tax, real tax, school tax, sewer tax, syntax and carpet tax.

In addition to paying these taxes I am requested and required to contribute to every society or organization that the inventive mind of man can organize. To the society of John the Baptist, the Woman's Relief, the Navy League, the Children's Home Fund, the Policeman's Benefit, the Dorcas Society, the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., the Belgium Relief, the Near East Relief, the Gold Diggers Home, also every dog, cat and humane hospital and every charitable institution in town, the Red Cross, the Purple Cross, the T. P. A., S. P. C. A., and others.

The government has so governed my business that I do not know who owns it. I am suspected, expected, inspected, disrespected. Examined, re-examined, informed, required, commanded, expelled and compelled until all I know is that I am supposed to provide an inexhaustible supply of money for every human need, desire or hope of the human race, and because I refuse to donate all I have and go out and beg, borrow, and steal more money to give away, I am cussed, discussed, boycotted, talked to, talked about, lied to, lied about, held up, held down and knocked about and robbed until I am nearly ruined, so the only reason I am clinging onto life now is to see what in the hell is coming next.

Yours very truly,
Almost Anybody.

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Applying to a hospital for treatment, Philip Skinter, a waiter in Chicago, reported that a biscuit thrown by a customer broke his jaw.

Rather Unusual

James Edleman of Lost Nation, Ia., won a bet by eating 45 eggs and a half a loaf of bread in 17 minutes.

Suspicion that more than dry goods were sold in Louis Yasler's store in Danbury, Conn., resulted in a police raid in which a large quantity of home brew was confiscated.

Mrs. J. H. Bennett of Los Angeles had her son arrested for burglarizing her home and stealing $3,000.

Wrapped in newspapers, $20,000 stolen from a bank official by motor bandits was found hidden in a hen house in Chicago.

Hoboes in the jail at Willard, O., have asked permission to move, complaining that occasionally the dances held in the community hall over their quarters are so noisy they can't sleep.

Members of the Country Club in Belmont, Calif., found their 114 missing golf balls in a single hole where rats had been dragging them.

Mrs. Marie Marlin of Boston, who has an income of $4,000 a year, was convicted of shoplifting.

Charging that a defective stove caused his daughter's hair to turn white within a few week's time, Samuel LaPlana of Chicago, filed suit for $100,000 against the company which sold him the stove.

Frank W. Robbins of Rockland, Me., recently enjoyed a pie made from blueberries which were canned 68 years ago by his mother-in-law.

Although she alleges that her husband beat her twice a week regularly for the last 48 years, Mrs. Anna McCormick of Brooklyn, N. Y., still loves him and feels "hurt" because he left her.

After a separation of 35 years, the result of a lovers' quarrel, Calvin Swartz and Mrs. Maud Bashford were married at Marion, Ohio.

Jefferson County Builds New Courthouse

Here is the new $3,000 Jefferson County Courthouse in Birmingham, Ala., which will be ready for occupancy early in September. It is held by nationally known architects as the most beautiful building of its kind in the Nation and brings to the South a New type of architecture. The building next to the courthouse is the central headquarters of the Birmingham Public Library and Museum.

Birmingham, Ala., March 4.—Jefferson County's new courthouse, which when completed early in September will have cost more than $3,000,000, furnishes startling contrast to the little one-room log cabin structure which once stood some seven miles from Birmingham, the present county seat.

The new courthouse is the fifth to be built to serve Jefferson county

The first stood at a crossroads, two miles west of Powderly, Ala., which is seven miles from Birmingham.

The second stood in the center of Elyton, Ala., prior to the birth of Birmingham.

The third was built in Birmingham, as was the fourth—now in use—until the fifth, the $3,000,000 structure is completed.

Little is known of the first three courthouses in Jefferson county. There are no photographs of the old building.

The courthouse now in use—the fourth building—was considered too big when built in 1888. For many years its tower was nationally known as the tallest in the Southeast.

It is an off-shoot of Romanesque architecture, of the type developed by Richardson. It has three stories and a ground, or basement, floor, and is constructed of brick, terra cotta with stone trim. When planned, it was to accommodate 17 courts, an addition having been added in 1914. The addition is of four stories with a jail attached. As in all old buildings of that type, its walls are self supporting, with a slate roof.

There is one amusing incident connected with the moving of the county seat of Jefferson to Birmingham from Elyton. Following the moving the third Jefferson county courthouse was constructed.

Alabama came into the Union in 1820. Jefferson became a county in 1820 (prior to that it was a part of Blount county) and Elyton, Ala., a mining village, became the county seat in 1821.

In 1871 Birmingham was born.

As Birmingham made rapid progress in 1872, Colonel J. R. Powell, known as "The Duke of Birmingham" called upon the sheriff of Jefferson county to call an election to decide whether or not the county seat of Jefferson should be moved to Birmingham from Elyton.

That election was held under the loose election laws adopted by the Reconstruction Legislature which permitted a voter to cast his ballot at any precinct in the county without regard to residence, and under the operation of which the newly enfranchised "citizen of African descent" might vote at two or more places the same day with very little danger of detection.

Colonel Powell was a man who, when he made up his mind to accomplish a certain object, allowed no ordinary obstacle to defeat his purpose. Elyton citizens fought hard to retain the county seat.

Colonel Powell determined to capture the Court House and he at once organized a vigorous campaign. His plans were of a most elaborate and comprehensive character and were carried out in all details with consumate skill. On the day fixed for the election, the first Monday in May, 1873, he had prepared, on the lot selected in Birmingham for the future courthouse, a barbecue on a most extensive and liberal scale to feed the hungry voters which he proposed to bring to Birmingham.

He had perfected arrangements with the railroads to run special trains from the furthest confines of the county and perhaps beyond, and to transport free, every voter, without reference to "race, color or previous condition of servitude" who would vote his way.

About noon on the day of the election, the trains packed almost to suffocation with a dark mass of perspiring, hungry, humanity, rolled into Birmingham. Colonel Powell, mounted on a calico pony, with a drawn sword in his hand, was at the depot to marshall his forces and march them to the barbecue, by way of the voting polls.

Some wag let it be rumored that the tall, dignified man with the sword riding on the calico pony was General U. S. Grant, and forthwith every dusky voter swore he would vote as "General Grant" wanted him to.

Naturally the contest resulted in an overwhelming majority for Birmingham and the courthouse of Jefferson county was moved here to the new county seat.

Jefferson county's new courthouse is an immense, imposing structure, standing on the east side of Woodrow Wilson Park in the very heart of Birmingham, and adjoining the new Public Library.

The building occupies an area 280 by 185 feet and is ten stories high, including ground floor and basement. It is built of Indiana Lime stone.

The building proper is of steel frame, reinforced concrete pan floors. The total area covers 4,100,000 cubic feet, and the building is 138 feet high. The jail will be on the two top floors of the building with other floors given over to courtrooms, county offices, etc. A law library will be contained on the very top floor.

Architects were Holabird and Root of Chicago, with Harry B. Wheelock, Birmingham, associate. Jack B. Smith, representing the architects, superintended the construction.

Quarantine Ban Lifted At Kilby Prison

Quarantine of Kilby Prison because of an outbreak of spinal meningitis was lifted Monday and the transfer of 700 convicts to Atmore for the strawberry picking season will begin immediately.

Announcement that quarantine was lifted was made after a conference of convict department heads, W. F. Feagin, president of the board of administration, Roy Nolen and H. H. Stuart.

Five convicts died at Kilby Prison from miningitis and more than 100 inmates weer discovered as carriers and were immediately isolated. Work of controlling the disease and eradicating it has been under the supervision of Dr. J. N. Baker, state health officer, and his staff.

Picking of strawberries from the state's 225-acre "patch" will begin April 1, and the crop, estimated at 80 cars, will be shipped to Eastern markets for disposal.

At the Convict Department it was stated that erection of portable 'shacks' in the prison enclosure at Atmore was practically completed.

Camp N, at Stapleton, where four convicts died from meningitis, still is under quarantine, Dr. Baker said Monday, adding that he was waiting for a report that the disease had been eradicated before lifting the ban.

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REPORT ON PRODUCTION IN CHEVROLET PLANTS

February production of the Chevrolet Motor Company was 67,318 cars and trucks, according to W. S. Knudsen, president. While the total is 3,448 under that of January when 70,766 were produced, daily output was higher in February, with its three fewer working days, than in the previous month.

Final figures on Chevrolet's February production show an increase of 2,678 over preliminary reports and indicate that schedules originally set for the month were followed.

March schedules, according to President Knudsen, have been placed at 78,00 and confidence is expressed that the figure will be surpassed. Current factory employment of Chevrolet is approximately 34,500 men.

Personal

Mrs. F. J. Callen, Mrs. Hugh Simpson, Mrs. Watts Moore and Mrs. Hugh Jones motored to Anniston and Talladega last Tuesday. Mrs. John DeRamus returned with them.

Miss Julia Ruth Hester of Judson spent the spring holidays with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lancaster of Birmingham spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. L. H. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Jones and children and Mrs. Sewell spent Sunday in Clanton with Mrs. Anna Jones.

Mrs. Walter Patrick and daughter of Billingsley were shopping in Clanton Monday.

Miss Evelyn Littlejohn was in Clanton for the week end with Mrs. L. H. Williams.

Jim Roberts of Auburn was a welcome visitor to home folks for the spring holidays.

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Pre Easter Special On Dry Cleaning

This week only we will Clean and Block one man's felt hat, and Clean and Press one Suit for

$1.00

Highest Quality Guaranteed

Clanton Laundry And Cleaning Co.
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Chilton County Abstract Co.

M. D. FOSHEE, Manager

A good business man will not buy a farm or any property without first looking it over to see what it is worth.

However, some will buy or loan money on land without an abstract.

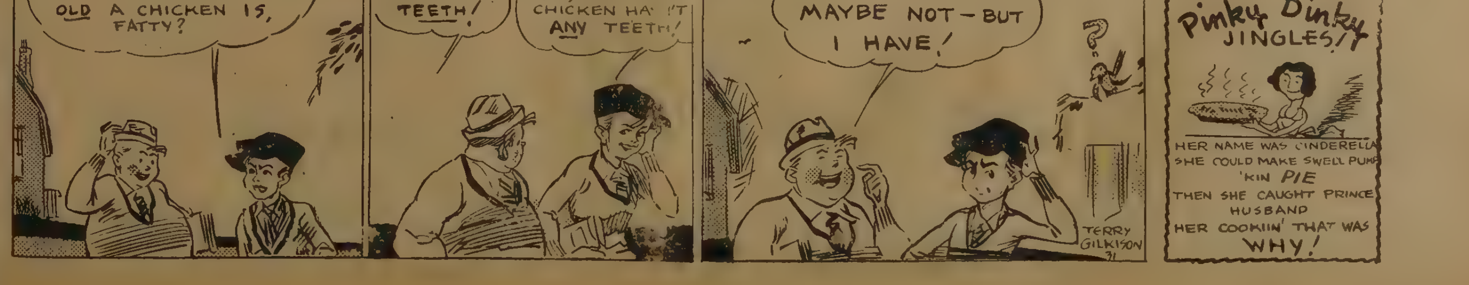
Isn't it equally as foolish to buy a farm without looking it over as to buy it and not know whether the titles are good or not? Without an abstract you do not know where you are getting the land you looked at or not.

Before investing in land in any way have an abstract made and be safe.

M. D. Foshee Clanton, Ala.

PINKY DINKY

By Terry Gilkison


HOW CAN YOU TELL HOW OLD A CHICKEN IS, FATTY?
BY THE TEETH!
AW, G'WAN! CHICKEN HA'N'T ANY TEETH!
MAYBE NOT—BUT I HAVE!
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TERRY GILKISON '31
Pinky Dinky JINGLES!
HER NAME WAS CINDERELLA
SHE COULD MAKE SWELL PUMP'KIN PIE
THEN SHE CAUGHT PRINCE HUSBAND
HER COOKIN' THAT WAS WHY!

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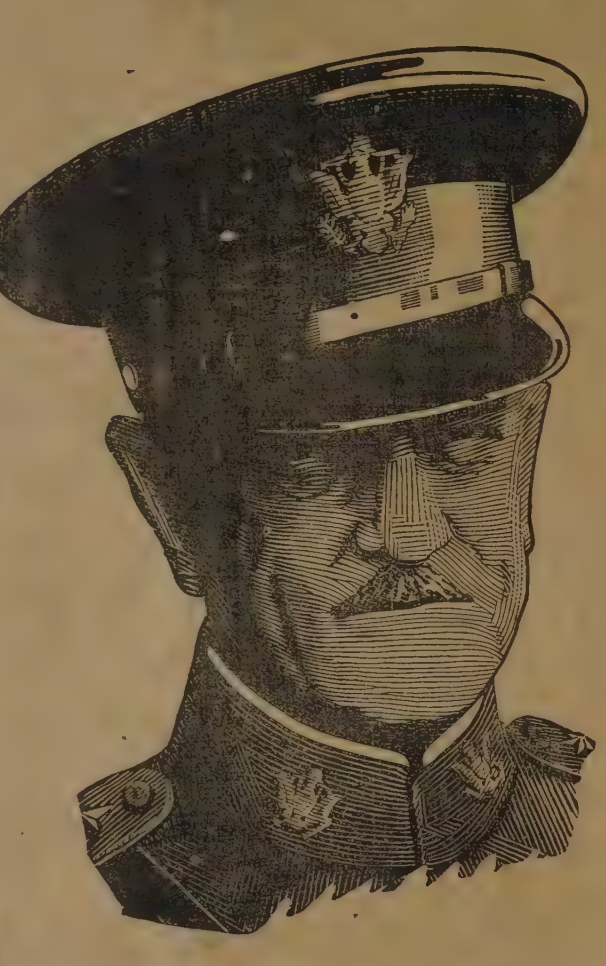

My Experiences in the World War

By GENERAL JOHN J. PERSHING
Commander-in-Chief of the American Expeditionary Forces

The first true and complete account of America's participation by the man who directed it.

Great Story . . . which will be available to readers of the

Chilton County News

Beginning
WEEK OF APRIL 9th

Wilsonville Bank Is Robbed By Experts

Wilsonville, Ala., March 24.—Yeggmen who entered the Wilsonville State Bank, Monday night escaped with currency estimated between $4,700 and $5,000, G. W. Carter, cashier, stated.

According to Carter the men worked with care and were evidently experienced cracksmen as they left not a trace and emptied the safe of its contents. He said they entered the bank by prying off the bank door and used an acetylene torch in getting into the heavy safe. Carter said the men must have been equipped with gas masks as the safe was equipped with anakin gas protective system, and that despite the fact that this gas was released it did not thwart the robbers.

The robbery was discovered by W. J. Weldon, president of the bank when he arrived at the bank Tuesday morning.

No trace of the robbers was found by officers and no car marks were seen around the back door where they entered. Carter said no one had seen or heard anything of the robbers during the night.

That several men did the job was evident in the fact that the large safe was wheeled from the vault to the main office and then the torch applied. Carter said the safe was half full of water and that there were two tubs of water left in the main office of the bank.

Nothing but currency was taken, he said, although the top of the note case had been burned to a crisp.

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PROMOTIONAL DAY TO BE OBSERVED AT PLEASANT GROVE

The Promotional Day Program of the Second District of the Northern Division of the Alabama Conference Methodist Protestant church is scheduled to be held at the Pleasant Grove church on the Cihlton Circuit, Sunday, March 29th, beginning at 9:45 o'clock in the morning according to Rev. P. A. Lynch, chairman. Following is the program of the meeting:

9:45 A. M. Devotionals, L. B. Headley.

10:00 Introduction, P. A. Lynch.

10:15 Why A New Century Service and How It Is Used, by Miss Mabel Jones and F. A. Gibson.

10:45 How It Is Raised, N. H. Culp.

11:00 Sermon, P. A. Lynch.

12:00 M. Lunch.

1:30 P. M. Young Peoples Work, Miss Virginia Little and Others.

2:15 C. E. Work, Miss Everee Coggins and J. A. Baker.

2:45 Sunday School Work, S. A. Henley.

3:30 When and How We Ought to Raise Our Pastor's Salary, J. J. Johnson and Ed Coggins.

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MORTGAGE SALE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Whereas, Still P. Pryor and wife, Minnie Pryor, executed to The Federal Land Bank of New Orleans, Louisiana. on, to-wit: August 1st, 1925, a mortgage upon the land hereinafter described to secure and indebtedness described therein, said mortgage being recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 161, Page 99, and

Whereas, default has been made by grantors in payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage and in the performance of the terms of said mortgage;

Now Therefore, The Federal Land Bank of New Orleans, having declared due and payable the entire indebtedness secured by said mortgage, will sell, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, between 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on the 17th day of April 1931, at auction to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Court House door of Chilton County, in the town of Clanton, Alabama, the lands embraced in said mortgage described substantially as follows:-

The southwest quarter of the Southeast quarter and the Southeast quarter of the Southwest quarter, Section 18, Township 20, Range 16, containing 80 acres more or less, situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of realizing the mortgage debt, together with all expenses of this sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee.

THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF NEW ORLEANS, LA., Mortgagee.
A. C. SMITH, Attorney for Mortgagee.
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Lewis Fowler of Raleigh, N. C., filed suit for $10,000 damages against a baking company, alleging his health was impaired seriously by swallowing a pin baked into a piece of cake.

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A court session was halted in Little Rock, Ark., for 10 minutes by order of the judge while bailiffs pursued and finally drove out a beuatiful butterfly that had distracted the juror's attention.

TROOP 51 STARTS TRAINING

Last Friday, March 22nd, we had a thrilling meeting. We met and opened with the Scout Oath, and went through business and regular program. We are now building two cabins, one for each patrol, to make a patrol den of. They are almost completed and we are looking forward to a swell homestead.

In connection with the other business, we started getting ready for the Jamboree at Auburn, May 1st. We started training for it and talking it over. We started practicing the games. We want to carry off some of those prizes. We ended with the Scout Law.

We are very sorry to say that our Assistant Scout Master could not be there.

—Scribe of Flying Eagle.

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LUTHER FOSHEE IS NOW WITH REID MOTOR CO., MONTEVALLO

Luther Foshee, widely known automobile salesman of this section announces to the people that he is now connected with the Reid Motor Company, Chevrolet dealers at Montevallo, Alabama, as a salesman.

Mr. Foshee stated that he would be very glad to get in touch with anyone interested in a trade of any kind. Mr. Foshee also stated that he has been finding business much better, and is optimistic over the outlook of the automobile business.

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A credit man is one who directs that your order be sent C. O. D.

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Declaring he was only his wife's hired hand, living in a tent and drawing $25 a month while she had an income of $12,000 monthly, Charles H. Teeter of Los Angeles has asked for a divorce.

"WILD OATS BOY" DECLARED A SUCCESS BY ALL SPECTATORS

The undergraduate play of the Chilton County High School titled "The Wild Oats Boy," which was presented in the school auditorium last Friday night was declared by the majority of those witnessing its staging as a success in every way.

A neat sum was realized by the class putting on the play. Much credit is due Miss Margaret Kendrick and Miss Josephine Martin, who took a great deal of interest in putting the play over and coaching the characters who are to be highly congratulated on the manner in which they carried out their respective parts. The orchestra of the high school was also present and rendered several selections to the large audience

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AGED CASE CONTINUED

The case of J. D. Scott, Administratir of G. B. Scott, growing out of a railroad crossing accident occurring in Cullman County, November 25, 1923, which was originally filed in Cullm County, and dismissed in that Cou and brought by tht Plaintiff in Chilton County, when called for trial on M day was continued. This case has b tried twice in Chilton County, e party winning the case once, but e trial has been conversed by the S preme Court.

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While turning the sod in his fr yard at Fort Wayne, Ind., Carlton R dorth unearthed a tin can which c tained $480 in gold.

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One of the architectural curiosi of London, Eng., is an office build five stories high and only 10 feet wi

HILL'S
Specials For This Week End

Sliced Bacon	Hill's Special lb.	25c
Picnic Ham,	pound	15c
FLOUR	Split Silk 24 lb. bag	65c
LARD	Pure Hog 8 Pound Pail	98c
Coffee	Hill's Special 6 lbs.	$1.00
Mayonnaise	Hill's 8 Oz. jar	15c
Potatoes	Irish Cobbler 5 lbs.	12c
Cabbage,	lb.	2½c
Onions,	5 lbs.	10c
RICE	Blue Rose 5 lbs.	25c
PEAS	Black Eye lb.	7c
Peaches	Dried Per lb.	10c
Tomatoes	3 No. 2 Cans	25c
SOAP	Export 8 bars	25c
Chicken Feed,	100 lbs.	$\$2^{10}$

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METHODIST ARE HAVING REVIVAL HERE THIS WEEK

Dr. N. B. McCloud Delivering Forceful Sermons to Many At Each Service

A revival meeting began at the Clanton Methodist church last Sunday night when a special musical program was presented through the efforts of Mrs. Percy M. Pitts. Alonzo Meek, eminent organist of Selma, assisted by Mrs. Roderick Beddow, soprano, of Birmingham, gave an organ recital.

Services are being held each morning throughout this week beginning at ten-thirty o'clock, and each evening at seven-thirty o'clock at the church with Dr. N. B. McCloud, Presiding Elder of the Selma District, delivering some splendid sermons.

There will be a special service this morning at eleven o'clock for high school students, according to Dr. D.W. Haskew, pastor of the local church. And at seven-thirty o'clock tonight will be a special young peoples night at the church, and all young people are urgently requested to be present.

Saturday morning of this week at 10:30 o'clock, the hour has been set aside for the children, and no services will be held Saturday night. Local talent will have charge of the music thruout the meeting, with a cordial invitation extended to the public to attend each service.

J. L. Conway and son, Wilbur, of the Isabella community were among the callers at the News office last Saturday, while in Clanton attending to business

Fiddlers' Convention At Verbena School

Much interest has been manifested in the announcement that the Tenth Annual Fiddlers' Convention would be held in the auditorium of the Verbena High School Friday evening, April 3. This convention, being the pioneer in this section, has grown in proportions every year, both as to interest on the part of the audiences and as to number of fiddlers. As the years have passed by the interest manifested has resulted in a number of new devotees to the art of the resined bow, and this year a number of younger men will try their skill with the old timers.

This year, as usual, a number of nice prizes will be awarded the contestants who win the upper places.

The prices of admission this year will be only fifteen cents for children and twenty-five cents for adults. Fiddlers will be admitted free, as will one accompanist for each fiddler.

Remember date, Friday, April 3, at 7:30 p.m. at Verbena High School.

HOME OF J. T. ROCKETT SLIGHTLY DAMAGED BY FIRE MONDAY

The home of J. T. Rockett, on Second Avenue, was slightly damaged by fire last Monday about noon. The damage was confined to the living room, walls and the roof, and was estimated at approximately $25.00, it was stated. The Volunteer Fire Department answered the call.

Mrs. H. T. Pipes is spending several days in Birmingham with her daughter, Mrs. Hughes Kennedy and Mr. Kennedy.

CLANTON STORES SHOWING PRETTY EASTER APPAREL

The many dry goods and ready-to-wear stores in Clanton are now making a gala showing of new Easter clothing for men, women and children. The windows are bedecked with the latest in hats, dresses, piece goods, shoes, hose, and other items of apparel.

Among those making these showings are The Leader from whom you will find an ad in this issue with attractive prices; The Fair, The Chicago Sales Company, Clanton Cash Store, J. R. Broadhead & Son, Falkenberry's Cash Store from whom you will find an ad in this week's issue with attractive prices on apparel, Robinson Dept. Store, and others. Visit these stores, read their ads, and buy your Easter outfit in Clanton. It is not necessary to go elsewhere to get your clothing.

Ex-Service Men Attention

In next week's issue of the News the story written by General John J. Pershing, Commander-in-Chief of the A. E. F., will start.

This story is being published after a silence of something like twelve years by General Pershing. He tells of many things unknown about the World War by thousands of those men who fought over there, many of whom were from Chilton County. The title of this story is "My Experiences in the World War."

The story alone is worth the price of a subscription to the News, and if you are not already getting this newspaper, then subscribe at once and get this story which will begin next week.

TEACHERS ARE COMMENDED BY COUNTY SUPT.

Lawrence Gives Informantion Regarding Truck Drivers In Letter This Week

Due to some questions that have apparently come up concerning the naming of truck drivers for school buses in Chilton County for next year, B. Lawrence, superintendent of education gives some information regarding this in a letter this week. Mr. Lawrence also pays the school teachers of this county a well-earned tribute. The News quotes Mr. Lawrence as follows:

Many people are asking about the matter of when the County Board will appoint truck drivers for next year. A notice was put in the papers some few weeks ago that this would be attended to at their meeting the second Tuesday in May. Anyone wishing to bid for any route will please get their bid to me before the date mentioned above.

I wish to say also in this connection

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POPLAR SPRINGS TO HAVE REGULAR EASTER SINGING

The announcement was made this week that the regular Easter Singing would be held at the Poplar Springs church, near Clanton on next Sunday, Easter. Everyone is invited to attend this singing.—W. M. DeVaughn, G. B. Jones, and W. F. Gilliland, Committee.

SCHOOL TERMS COMING TO A CLOSE IN CO.

Several Schools Closed Last Week; Others To Finish Term This Week

Many of the elementary schools over Chilton County are coming to the closing of their term for this year, and thirteen will be through with their work for the year after this week, according to information from the office of the Superintendent of Education here.

Those schools that have already completed their work are: Stanton Elementary, Maplesville Elementary, Adams, County Line, Shoults, New Harmony, and Isabella Elementary.

Those that will close Friday of this week are: Vermont, Morganville, Mullins, Culp, Mineral Springs and Flint Hill.

These are only the elementary grade schools. The high schools and junior high schools will continue for sometime yet.

LITTLE KATHRYN WARE GETS ARM BROKEN IN FALL SAT.

Little Kathryn Ware, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Ware, received a broken right arm last Saturday when she fell from a second story window at the rear of Matt's Lunch Shoppe. The break was not serious and Kathryn seems to be getting along nicely despite the fall of approximately fifteen feet.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Gowan and family returned Sunday from a pleasant motor trip to Kisciouski, Miss., where they spent several days as the guests of the former's mother.

ELECTED 2ND VICE-PRESIDENT OF EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION

BUFORD LAWRENCE

Mr. Lawrence, superintendent of education of Chilton County, was elected second vice-president of the Alabama Educational Association at its regular meeting held in Birmingham last Thursday and Friday. This is the first time an official of the A. E. A., has ever been elected from Chilton County, and the people of this county should feel proud of Mr. Lawrence.

Thorsby Will Get New Business Place

As evidence that Thorsby, Alabama is coming to the front more than ever, another new business establishment is to open there this week, according to information received by the News.

This new place will be a soda fountain, and confectionery opened by C. C. Horton. It is located on the Birmingham-Montgomery Highway, adjoining the Franklin Garage, in a modern brick structure, right in the business section of the town.

Mr. Horton comes to Thorsby from Courtland, Alabama, where he was at one time connected with a newspaper. He expects to move his family to Thorsby also, and become a resident of that place. Fixtures for the confectionery have been installed and several workmen have been busy this week installing the fixtures and putting the building in first-class condition for the opening which is to be this week. Mr. Horton would like to have the people call in to see him at his new place and get acquainted. A representative of the News found Mr. Horton to be a very interesting gentleman, and judging from the efforts being put forth, he is going to make his place of business worthwhile.

MOTHER OF FORMER CLANTONIAN KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Mrs. Rachel Weaver, age 70, was killed when struck by an automobile in Birmingham Monday night. The accident is said to have been unavoidable. Mrs. Weaver is the mother of Welcome Weaver, who married Miss Minnie Latham, the latter is well known by residents of Clanton.

MRS. J. P. BEAN SERIOUSLY ILL HOME NEAR MINERAL SPRINGS

Mrs. John P. Bean, wife of former commissioner John Bean, is seriously ill at her home near Mineral Springs community. Luther Bean, assistant postmaster at Clanton, has been at the bedside of his mother for the past two days.

METHODIST PASTOR AND WIFE RECEIVE MANY GIFTS MONDAY

A real good old-fashioned pounding was given Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Haskew at their home last Monday by members of the Methodist church.

Their pantry was filled with a bountiful supply of groceries, and many other useful items, and the smile on the face of Dr. Haskew when he tells of that "pounding" is proof enough that a tender spot was touched.

ISABELLA SCHOOL NEWS NOVELTY PROGRAM

at Isabella on Friday night, April 17th.

The program will feature three one-act plays, "Our Aunt From California," "Fair and Warmer," and "A Jass Wedding." A man who has been with a show will perform tricks. An interesting program of latest song hits and [illegible] will be given.

Everybody is invited. Admisison 10 and 20 cents.

W. Y. Keel, of Verbena, was among the out-of-town visitors to Clanton Tuesday.

HON. J. B. ATKINSON IS CONGRATULATED ON C.M.T.C. WORK

Hon. J. B. Atkinson, prominent attorney of Clanton and former publisher of the Chilton County News, has been highly complimented on his work and interest in the Citizens Military Training Camps of Alabama this year. In a letter from Major S. R. Tupper, of The Infantry, U. S. Army, District Chief, to Mr. Atkinson, he had the following to say:

"At the close of the 1931 Citizens' Military Training Camp enrollment period in Alabama, which drew the greatest response since the beginning of the CMTC movement in 1921, I wish to express the appreciation of the War Department, and my personal appreciation, for the assistance and cooperation you rendered this year. I am sure that you find reward for your work in the knowledge that you have been of service to the Government and to the individual."

AMERICAN LEGION TO MEET HERE NEXT MONDAY NIGHT

The Chilton County Post of the American Legion will meet next Monday night at the courthouse for their regular meeting. All members and ex-service men are urged and invited to be present.

Poultry Car Brings $1305.62 To County

The cooperative poultry car that came through this county the past week stopping at Verbena, Clanton, Jemison was loaded with eight thousand, five hundred and forty-two pounds of poultry when it left.

From Verbena, 1145 pounds were loaded; Clanton 4598 pounds, and Jemison, 2799 pounds. The total amount paid out in cash to the farmers of this county for the poultry was $1305.62.

SAMUEL MARTIN RETURNED FROM CINCINNATI, O., SAT.

Samuel Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Mell Martin, returned to Clanton last Saturday after spending some time in Cincinnati, Ohio, where he has been attending school on modern efficiency in undertaking, embalming, etc. He completed his studies there and at present will be connected with his father, well known funeral director of Clanton.

JACK WADE TO INSTALL NEW DIESEL ENGINE IN ICE PLANT

J. P. (Jack) Wade was in Clanton recently visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade, and while here told of a modern machine which is to be installed in his ice plant at Russellville, where he is also Chief of the Fire Department and an alderman.

This new machine is a Fairbanks-Morse Diesel engine, which uses crude oil for fuel, and is like the one now in use at the Clanton Ice Plant, of 120 horsepower. It is expected the engine will be installed about May 1st. Mr. Wade is to be congratulated on installing this piece of machinery in his ice plant at Russellville.

ORGAN RECITAL AT M.E. CHURCH ENJOYED BY LARGE NUMBER

The organ recital at the local Methodist church last Sunday night was enjoyed by a large congregation. This program was arranged through the efforts of Mrs. Percy M. Pitts. Alonzo Meek, an organist of note from Selma, assisted by Mrs. Roderick Beddow, soprano of Birmingham, took leads in the recital, which marked the opening of the revival at the church in progress this week.

EVAN PARRISH OFFERS CASH PRIZES FOR LARGEST MELON

In this issue of the News will be found an ad from the Southern Seed & Plant Company, of Clanton of which Evan Parrish is proprietor. In this ad Mr. Parrish states that he will give five dollars in cash prizes for the largest watermelon raised from a certain kind of seed this year. Read the ad and find out the particulars on this offer.

CLANTON GETS HEAVY HAIL LAST TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Hail fell in torrents for a few minutes last Tuesday afternoon about two o'clock in Clanton, covering the streets, resembling a heavy fall of snow. The stones, although falling fast and heavy, were not large enough to do any damage. This is the first hail for Clanton in sometime.

Take Care of The Pheasants

The News has been informed that quite a few pheasants have been turned loose in the wooded sections in the Mulberry Community recently by Dr. V. J. Gragg, of Clanton. It is intended that these birds are to live there and raise.

Dr. Gragg has gone to considerable expense to bring these birds into Chilton County, and the people should take all pains to see that they are protected, and not killed. Other persons are raising pheasants here and expect to turn many out right away and try to get them inhabitated throughout the county. It will take some time for these birds to adjust themselves and start to hatching.

GEN. PERSHINGS STORY IN NEWS OF NEXT WEEK

Much Interest Being Shown In Coming Story On The World War

General John J. Pershing's story, titled, "My Experiences in The World War," is scheduled to start in the Chilton County News in next week's issue.

This story which is being released in Alabama April 6th, is one of the most appalling stories ever written on the great conflict between the nations, and written by a man who was placed in charge of the American Army, the man who directed the acts of our great and glorious army of fighting Americans. In this story, General Pershings tells of many of the things that occurred behind the lines that were of great importance in guiding the destiny of the millions of men fighting for their country.

Do not fail to start at the beginning of this fine article. It will grow more and more interesting each week. There is perhaps no doubt that this story will sell in book form at a cost much greater than the cost of a subscription to the News, and if you are not getting this newspaper, then have it sent to you now, so that you will be able to read General Pershing's experiences during the World War.

W. W. Williams, of the Concord-Billingsley community was among the visitors to the News office Monday.

CRIMINAL COURT CASES DISPOSED OF THIS WEEK

No Indictment Against Mrs. W. B. Harper For Shooting Husband

The Criminal Term of the Circuit Court of Chilton County has been in session here since Monday, with Judge George F. Smoot, of Wetumpka, presiding and Hon. Winston Huddleston, Circuit Solicitor, prosecuting for the State. The docket is scheduled through today.

The Grand Jury was empanneled last week, with W. L. Popwell, as foreman. They made their report last Thursday. No indictment was returned against Mrs. W. B. Harper for the shooting of her husband on March 15th at their home in Mountain Creek by the Grand Jury. The case of William Helton, of

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BIG GOODYEAR TIRE HERE TODAY

Dief's Service Station announced just before the News went to press, that the big Goodyear tire will be in Clanton today until about ten o'clock this morning. The tire arrived in Clanton yesterday afternoon.

MRS. RAY WILLIS, AGE 33, DIED AT HOME IN COLLINS CHAPEL

Mrs. Ray Willis, age 33, died at her home in the Collins Chapel community last Sunday morning following a short illness. Funeral services were held on the following Monday morning at Collins Chapel with Rev. Z. Y. Appleton officiating. She is survived by her husband and two children, Charles, 13, and [illegible]

RELATIVE OF PAXSON COUPLE DIED IN FRANCE

Screen Actress Plunges Car Over 200-Foot Cliff Last Saturday

A former Alabama screen beauty, Mrs. David E. Townsend, who is better known to theatre goers as "Peggy Davis" plunged to her death last Saturday when the car she was driving went over a 200-foot precipice in Nice, France.

Mrs. Townsend is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Paxson, of Thorsby, Alabama and is well known in this county, having visited her grandparents in Thursby before departing to spend several years in France with her husband, an English millionaire

A coroner's inquest brought out that the former actress, considered among the most beautiful women in the smart set along the Rivera, had brought about the act as suicide, however, her husband stated that he is not in the least inclined to believe that his wife purposely killed herself. Townsend is a wealthy stock broker from Sydney, Australia

The actress, famous as Peggy Davis, was born in Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 31. 1905. Her name was Mary Margaret Laird, daughter of Mrs. Inez Paxson Laird. Although Mrs. Townsend is a Protestant, the Bishop of Monte Carlo has granted permission to bury her in the Catholic Cemetery at Eze, France. Funeral services were held yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Paxson of Thorsby did not know of the tragic death of their granddaughter until a correspondent of the Birmingham Age-Herald called at their home Monday to secure a photograph of the dead actress.

Manless Wedding At Jemison High School

The Jemisonian Chapter, O. E. S. is staging tomorrow night, a Manless Wedding, at the high school auditorium at 7:30 o'clock. Admission is ten and twenty cents.

Following is a fist of the characters taking part in this unique performance:

The bride is the attratcive daughter of Joshua Josiah Jackson Doolittle, Samanth Ann (Mrs. Dezzie Littlejohn). The groom is the handsome son of Thomas Timothy Hasnothing (Mrs. Erma Nash); matron of honor is Miss Mary Mariah Moss (Mrs. Maggie Attaway); maid of honor, Miss Rosie Roberta Manteena (Mrs. Arthur Conway); bridesmaids are Emaleen Lee Brown and Dora Mae Jones (Mrs. Nel-

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LOCAL FIRE DEPARTMENT HAS THREE CALLS IN FEW DAYS

The local Volunteer Fire Department answered three calls during the past few days. The first call was to Mullins & Moore Store on Main street early Friday morning. The blaze at this place was discovered by Night Officer Sherrod, who was making his regular rounds. The blaze had not gained but very little headway when Officer Sherrod discovered it, and immediately turned in the alarm. The fire was at the back of the store, and did little damage before the firemen extinguished it.

The second call came Sunday afternoon about three o'clock at the home of Ben Roberts just west of town. This turned out to be a false alarm, as residents there became frightened at smoke in the home apparently from a leaking chimney. The third call came Monday about noon, to the home of J. T. Rockett. This fire did small damage.

CAN YOU IMAGINE THE WORLD IN FIFTY YEARS?

If you can't, then you must see the picture to be put on by the Kiwanis Club at the Wadesonian Theatre on April 13, 14 and 15. This picture will show you how to imagine this world of ours fifty years from now.

That is some jump, but nevertheless some person had a great imagination, and put it into pictures so that the other people could imagine what things look like a half century from 1931.

It's a great picture, so says those Clanton people who have seen it. Don't forget the dates, April 13, 14, and 15. Make your plans to see this movie showing the imaginary world fifty years from now.

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

Listen, young folks, there is a special service for you at our church Thursday night at 7:30. Make your plans now to attend this service. Our meeting is still in progress. We want the presence of the young and the older.

Saturday morning at 10:30 we are going to have a children's service for all under twenty years of age. Parents, see to it that your child does not forget the hour. Come with all the children in your home.

We are looking for 200 at Sunday school next Sunday at 9:45 A. M. We have two great services planned, one at 11 A. M. and the other at 7:30 P.M. The meeting will close Sunday night. If you do not have a new Easter bonnet for next Sunday, come to church, that old one will do. God is not going to look at your clothes, but He is going to look at you.

J. M. ARMSTRONG DIED AT HIS HOME NEAR THORSBY, SUNDAY

J. M. Armstrong, age 54, died at his home near Thorsby last Sunday, following a severe attack of pneumonia. He was born in Chilton County on September 28, 1876, and has been a resident of this county practically all his life. He was married to Miss Frances Smith something like thirty-two years ago.

Funeral services were held last Monday at Macedonia with Rev. B. Lawrence officiating. Surviving is the widow, and two daughters, Mrs. E. M. Atchison of Clanton, and Mrs. Martha Watkins.

$5.00

CASH PRIZES

On Saturday, July 25th, I will give $3.00 for the Largest Watermelon, and $2.00 for second largest Watermelon grown from seeds purchased from this firm. We have an unlimited supply of Stone Mountain, Irish Gray, Tom Watson, and New Wonder Seeds. Only restrictions are that you must buy not less than one pound of seeds from us.

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How To Have Good Gardens Is Told

By C. E. Stapp, County Agent, and Julian Brown, Auburn Specialist

The past year has revealed many important facts relative to our home garden work. There are several groups of farmers to be considered. Some do not avail themselves of the opportunity to have a home garden; others plant only at certain seasons when only the most common vegetables are planted. Even with some of our best gardeners, there is a decided shortage of stored vegetables, such as potatoes, turnips, etc. By investing only a very few dollars in good garden seed and spending a few minutes planting and working the garden each day, every farmer in Alabama can have plenty of vegetables to eat, either fresh, canned or dried, "regardless of how hard times may be."

During the next few weeks all or a good part of the following vegetables should be found growing in every home garden: Asparagus, beans, beets, Brussels sprouts, broccoli, cabbage, carrots, cauliflower, chard, collards, kale, kohlrabi, lettuce, mustard, onions, parsnips, English peas, Irish potatoes, radish, spinach, turnips, tendergreens, cucumbers, eggplant, squash, peppers and tomatoes.

Set at least 50 crowns of Mary Washington asparagus in one side of the garden at an early date. For a good supply of leafy vegetables plant turnips, tendergreen, mustard, spinach, and lettuce. Plant all of these at once and fertilize liberally with nitrogen to rush to edible sizes. Plant one of the spring types of spinach, such as Bloomsdale, King of Denmark or Aragon. Plant the New Zealand later in the spring. For head lettuce, plant a variety such as Iceberg or New York. Big Boston is a good variety for those not so anxious to produce crisp heads. Where cauliflower, broccoli, and Brussels sprouts are to be used they should be planted at once. Much better results will be secured now if you will get plants and set them. Plants should also be used in starting the onions and cabbage. Copenhagen or one of the Wakefields should prove to be the very best variety of cabbage for spring. Of the onions, a few plants should be set of both the Bermuda and American kinds. The Yellow Bermuda and Prizetaker are very good varieties.

For root crops, plant a good supply of carrots, radish, beets, and parsnips. If you do not grow a fall crop of Irish potatoes, plant enough this spring to supply you until next year. Nothing is so easily grown and yet so important as a good supply of Irish potatoes at all times.

The cucumbers, peppers, eggplant, squash, and tomatoes should not be planted or set in the fields until danger of frost is over. However, you may use "hotkaps" or some other such means of protection for these young plants and thus have them reach maturity much earlier.

In order that the garden work this year may not be overlooked, the following should be done at this time: Plan the garden for the year, include a wide variety of vegetables, use care in selecting varieties, and order now plenty of seed to carry out this plan. Still better, order more seed than you think you will need (the cost is very small) and then you will have plenty with probably some to use next year. Also, purchase a small hand dust gun, and some arsenate of lead and nicotine sulphate for fighting chewing and sucking insects. They are sure to appear.

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WEEK of APRIL 9TH

MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

Less than a week ago a cold wave swept over the North West, and threatened to invade Central Alabama, killing all vegetation to the Gulf of Mexico. Young gardens, fruit and strawberries were in great danger. Those having money invested in these things were anxious and doubtless they uttered many a prayer for the protection of their property. A good Providence held back the cold wind and scattered the coming storm, and our food supplies were left unharmed. Have you been grateful? Was that a mere threat of nature, or was it the smiles of our Father in heaven? It may be "Old Fashioned" but I am one of those people who believe in a God who is able to control nature. God can scatter a storm with as much ease as He could still Galillee. How thankful we should be that the freeze did not come. "God is good and his mercy endureth forever."

I was stopping at a farmer's home. An old hen started her cackle in a fence corner not far away. The man of the house sad to his little boy, "Henry, run out there and look for that nest." Then he turned to me saying, "Old Red Top never cackles unless she has laid an egg." That was one redeeming virtue in that old hen. She never cackled until she had done something worth while. Not so with people. I have heard many a person "Cackle loud and long," and he had done nothing at all. In fact I know some old feathered roosters and hens who do nothing but cackle. It is not annoying to listen to the cackle of a hen when she has done something, but it tries our patience to listen to the cackle of a hen that never lays an egg. Do something worth while before you cackle.

The other day the pastor went into a place of business where one of his flock was engaged in honest toil. His clothes were smeared with oil and grease and his hands were black with cinders and grime. The preacher reached out his hand to take the hand of his brother in the church. The man drew back saying, "Excuse me pastor, my hands are too black to shake hands with you." The pastor replied, "It matters not how black your hand may be, my brother, give it to me, if you have a real man on the other end of it." It matters not how black the hand may be, if there is a real man swinging that hand around, it is good enough to go into the hand of another man. God bless those horny hands that are attached to the bodies of real men. If the heart is right the hands do not matter.

I walked around a patch of beautiful corn. The fodder was ready to pull and the big ears of corn were hanging all over the rows. I traveled on until I came to the last row and to my astonishment I found the stalks yellow and they carried nothing but "Nubbins." The squirrels had come in from the woods and they had literally torn every nubbin into strings, and no corn was to be found on the outside row. I go to many a church and see good people crowding toward the front and center of the church. The nearer the back of the church they crowd the more like "Nubbins" they become in a religious sense. The squirrel eaten bunch are to be found crowded on the back seat. I am ashamed to sit on the back seat in a church for fear that folks will think out loud what they really think me to be.

The old Peacock flew to the top of the fence, and in the early morning he spread his feathers out to catch the rays of the rising sun. He glanced back at the beautiful display made by his feathers, and he screamed, "O, what a Peacock am I." He thought himself to be somewhat as he looked at his silk dress, but his feathers were fastened to an old tough bird. Pride is to be found in the heart of many an old tough bird in this world. We have pride of lace, pride of face, pride of race, pride of place and pride of grace. We glance over ourselves and say, "What a man am I." I have seen many a "Tough Bird" clad in wool and silks.

I heard one of Clanton's most esteemed women say this week, "All of my prayers are answered." Then she modified her statement with this explanation, "I do not mean to say that God gives to me every time I pray, just the thing that I ask for. Many a time He answers directly according to my petition. Then again He gives me something else that I need more than the thing I am asking for. Then He sometimes gives me a positive No." That is what I call faith. God can answer your prayer by saying "No" to you just [illegible] same as if He were to say "Yes." The baby begs its father for his [illegible], and the father answers the pleadings of that child with "No." We ask for many things that we should not have, and God answers our prayers with a refusal. God answers our prayers in three ways—by giving us what we ask for, by giving us something better than we ask for and by saying "No" to us.

News In Brief

February production of automobiles reached a total production of 230,364 units, which was an increase of 29 per cent over January and the highest mark in six months, according to shipping reports of the manufacturers.

Early this year unemployment in the United States totaled 6,050,000 persons, according to Secretary Lamont of the Department of Commerce, who explained that "these are the persons out of a job, able to work, and looking for a job."

The 1931 convention of the National Editorial Association will be held in Atlanta, Ga., June 1, 2, 3, and 4, and Marcy B. Darnall, editor of the Florence Herald and president of the Alabama Press Association, is backing the movement. This State will be well represented, Mr. Darnall said.

In the war-torn sections of France all but 3,900 of the 640,000 buildings destroyed during the World War have been rebuilt during these twelve years, according to a press statement March 18. Of the 4,000,000 acres of farm land ruined during the war all but 100,000 acres have been restored to cultivation. About $3,000,000,000 has been paid in cash damages in the areas destroyed, with about $240,000,000 more to be paid.

Edward A. O'Neal, president of the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation, has been elected president of the American Farm Bureau Federation of which he has been vice president several years. He succeeds Sam H. Thompson who was appointed by President Hoover as a member of the Federal Farm Board. O'Neal is an Alabama farmer, owning and operating a farm near Florence before he became an official of the Farm Bureau.

REASON FOR MORE POTASH

Nitrogen is a most valuable plant food for cotton. It must be present in order that phosphate and potash will give their most profitable returns. On the other hand, if nitrogen is used without phosphate and potash or only with partially enough of these materials to make a balanced fertilizer, it will give little profit, and on some soils, at present prices, the nitrogen will be applied at a loss.

Often in top-dressing cotton with nitrogen the nitrogen is thrown badly out of balance with respect to both phosphate and potash. Take the case of applying 100 pounds of nitrate of soda or other nitrogen goods in addition to a 300 pound per acre application of 10-4-4. This makes a poorly balanced fertilizer for cotton, the composite analysis of which is approximately 8-8-3. There is about two and a half times as much nitrogen as potash in this combination. Such being the case there is little wonder that hundreds of farmers have been getting such remarkable returns from using 6 to 8 per cent potash in their pre-planting mixtures going to cotton, or using 50 to 100 lbs. of muriate of potash with each 100 pounds of nitrogen material used as a top dressing. Then too, to save the trouble of mixing, farmers in all parts of the cotton belt are using ready mixed nitrogen - potash top - dressers with such analysis as 0-9-12, 0-10-10 and 0-10-15.

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FACTS ABOUT EASTER

Easter Sunday, which falls on April 5 this year, is observed by Christians in commemoration of Christ's resurrection, but not as an actual anniversary, as its date varies from year to year, in accordance with a method of computing it adopted by the Council of Nice in the year 325.

The custom of celebrating Easter is really an outgrowth of the Jewish Passover. There is no trace of its observance as a Christian festival in the New Testament or in the writings of the apostolic fathers. In fact, neither Christ nor the apostles enjoined the keeping of this or any other festival.

But as most of the early Christians were derived from the Jewish church, many of the old Jewish festivals continued to be observed by them and gradually passed into the Christian calendar.

The name of Easter is derived from Easter, the Anglo-Saxon goddess of spring and many customs which have marked the day's observance are drawn from pagan sources. In the ancient church the celebration of Easter lasted eight days, but after the eleventh century it was limited to three, later to two, and finally to one.

The proper time for the observance of Easter has been the subject of bitter controversy among various Christian groups. In the year 197 Pope Victor excommunicated Polycrates, bishop of Ephesus, and his entire Asiatic following for not conforming to the Roman custom. The Greek church did not adopt the Roman date until 1923, so that only during the last eight years has the entire Christian world observed Easter simultaneously.

According to present usage Easter can not occur earlier than March 22 or later than April 25. The last time it fell on March 22 was in 1818, after which some three centuries must elapse before it occurs so early again. It fell on April 25 the last time in any year of the present century.

Of all Easter customs the use of Easter eggs is the most universal. This is also of pagan origin, the egg having been considered a symbol of immortality by the ancients.

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Wallace Berry In
'WAY FOR A SAILOR" --- *All Talking*
Serial: Adventures of Tarzan --- Silent
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MONDAY—TUESDAY—WEDNESDAY
APRIL 6th, 7th and 8th
Will Rogers In
"LIGHTNIN'" --- *All Talking*
Comedy --- All Talking

NOTICE

Send us your name, address and date of birth, if you haven't done so already. We want to remember you, and give you a pass to our show on your birthday. We also give three passes on each picture from names drawn from our birthday list. We give a birthday present on the 1st Saturday of each month, beginning May 1st, 1931.

Marriage Licenses

Issued during the month of March, 1931:

Leon Jones and Miss Zula Willis Retherford.

John Moon and Miss Virginia Hood.

Mathew Wyatt and Miss Mary Baker.

Clifton Billingsley and Miss Ethel Mae Traywick.

C. E. Barrett and Mrs. Dollie Barrett.

Ross O. Ellison and Miss Mildred Shaw.

Javan Smith and Miss Lillian Smith.

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"INSIDE" INFORMATION

Serve different kinds of cereal for breakfast. The same kind every morning becomes monotonous. Salt the cereal sufficiently and train the children to eat it without sugar.

A simple scorch stain can often be removed by moistening the spot with water and placing in the sun. For more serious cases on white cotton or linen, hydrogen peroxide may be used in this way: moisten a white cotton cloth with it, place over the stain, cover with a dry cloth, and iron with a medium hot iron. Do not allow the iron to come in contact with the fabric after it is moistened with peroxide or with the moist cloth used over it. The iron may leave rust stains on the garment if care is not exercised.

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Circle Number Five To Meet With Mrs. Higgins.

Circle Number Five of the Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Flem Higgins at her home on Monday afternoon, April 13th, instead of April 6th, as announced last week.

On Monday afternoon, April 6th, all Circles will gather at the church for a business meeting.

Mrs. Ezell will tell about the convention, at this meeting.

The friends of Frank C. Smith, formerly of Clanton, now of Denver, will be interested to know that he is confined in the Fitzsimmons Hospital in Denver for an operation.

Mrs. J. T. Calloway of Homewood, Birmingham, was a guest of Mrs. L. A. Calloway, and other relatives and friends over the week end.

Mrs. J. P. Wade and Miss Ruth Splawn passed through Clanton Thursday on their way to Prattville to visit Mrs. Wade's parents.

Mrs. C. Falkenberry had as her guest Mrs. E. C. Leatherwood of Selma last week.

Among those attending the A. E. A. in Birmingham the past week end from Clanton were Misses Edna Cofield, Madge Scarborough, Josephine Martin, Margaret Kendrick, Nell Wells, Lucille Sherwood, and Messrs. J. B. Varnell, and T. H. Walker.

Shower Given For Kitchen Of Baptist Church.

Members of the Circles of the W. M. U. met at the Baptist church last Monday afternoon for a joint entertainment program and a kitchen shower.

A playlet was given in the auditorium of the church by members of the organization, which proved to be interesting and instructive in every respect. Following this playlet, those present went to the basement of the church where all the many useful gifts brought for the church kitchen were displayed in an attractive manner. There were approximately seventy-five members present, each bringing a gift or gifts for the kitchen shower.

Mrs. Brewer Glenn of Samaria community visited friends and relatives in our city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Calloway, with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Robinson, attended the singing in Coopers Sunday.

C. E. Dedmon of Birmingham visited friends in our city Monday.

Mr. White Windham and Mr. Brower of London, Yancy and Brower, law firm of Birmingham were guests of Mr and Mrs. C. E. Stapp Thursday night.

Miss Kathryn Hayes has returned from a visit to Miss Helen Helms of Brundidge, Ala.

All circles of the Baptist church met at the church Monday afternoon and gave the kitchen a shower of many useful gifts. A very interesting little program was given also. Delightful refreshments were served.

Mrs. Brent Champion of Verbena was a Clanton shopper last Saturday.

Mrs. Leatherwood and little son of Selma spent last week with Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry.

Mr. S. A. Davis of Birmingham was in Clanton Thursday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thomas and family of Isabella visited friends in Clanton Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Smith spent a few days last week in Sylacauga.

Mr. Wallace P. Pruit, of Chatom, Washington County, was a pleasant caller at the News office Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Horn and son, Leroy, of Birmingham were week end visitors to Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gerald.

Mrs. S. J. Ezell spent last week in Montgomery attending the W. M U. Convention.

Mrs. Oscar Jones and children who have been visiting Mrs. J. C. Jones returned to their home in Florence Saturday.

Mrs. Bill Lanier and little girl of Atlanta are guests of Mrs. Eric Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Reedie Taylor will in the future be at home to their friends in the Boyd house.

Mrs. J. B. Atkinson Hostess to "As You Like It" Club.

Mrs. J. B. Atkinson entertained the members of the "As You Like It" Club at her home Thursday afternoon. Vari-colored spring flowers were used effectively throughout the living and dining room. Late in the afternoon delicious refreshments in the color scheme of yellow and green was served to the following: Mesdames W. W. Fox, Flem Higgins, D. W. Haskew, W. M. Polk, V. J. Gragg, L. H. Reynolds, M. A. Gore, G. C. Walker, H. C. Falkenberry. Mrs. E. C. Leatherwood of Selma was an invited guest. Mrs. W. M. Polk will be hostess to the club next meeting.

Miss Annie Lou Scarborough spent the past week end in Clanton with her sister, Miss Madge Scarborough, on her return from Birmingham where she attended the A. E. A. The former Miss Scarborough teaches at Notasulga, Alabama.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Gowan and children motored to Kosciouski, Mississippi, last Thursday to visit Dr. Gowan's mother.

Miss Muriel Carden of Thorsby was among the visitors to Clanton last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Lancaster of Birmingham spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. L. H. Wililams.

Judge and Mrs. Smoot visited friends here Sunday afternoon.

Lawrence Gerald, Jr. Entertains At Birthday Party.

A delightful little social affair was the birthday dance given by Lawrence Gerald, Jr., on last Saturday evening. Those present for this happy occasion were Helen Moore, Mary Courtney Jones, Hilda Hart, Mary Charles Cox Celia Gerald, Eloise Raspberry, Ethel Smoot of Wetumpka, Carl Jones, Grady Reynolds, Joe Moore, Dan Smith, Sam Mathews, Wesley Danforth, Leroy Horn of Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. George Trotter of Martin Lake were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Page last week.

Mrs. George Curlee is confined at the Baptist Hospital in Birmingham following an appendicitis operation. Her many friends in Clanton will be glad to learn that she is doing nicely at this time.

Mrs. Oscar Jones and children of Florence were in Clanton Friday visiting friends and relatives.

A. N. Minor, of Montgomery, was in Clanton Tuesday greeting his many friends here.

Mrs. S. L. Calloway of Birmingham spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Aldrich, near Samaria church.

Miss Lurline Minor was in Clanton with friends for several days last week.

Mr. Vernon Baker of Jacksonville was at home for the week end.

Mrs. Joe Kelly of Verbena was shopping in Clanton last Saturday.

Misses Myra and Elizabeth Johnson spent the week end with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. N. S. Johnson.

Mrs. D. M. Vines and daughter, Annie Jane, of Selma were the guests of Mrs. Clyde Jones last Sunday.

Mr. Jack Wade of Russellville spent last Wednesday and Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hays and daughter of Lay Dam were in Clanton Monday.

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Eastview News

Rev. Lucy T. Ayers preached an interesting sermon here Monday night.

Miss Marguarette Davison, Rev. E. W. Butler and Rev. J. E. Each of Thorsby were visitors at church here Monday night.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson motored to Mt. Creek Union Church Sunday where he preached to a large congregation.

Mrs. Beulah Smith of Mt. Creek Rt. 2, who lived several years here and was a faithful member of our church, is reported to be real sick. She has many friends here who wish her well.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Smith made a business trip to Clanton Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs O. B. Nelson.

Mr. and Brs. Bob Griffin and son, Buck, are real sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. J. F. Nelson is still on the sick list.

Miss Catherine Strength, Miss Gulma Traywick and Miss Jessie Bell Speer were elected as delegates from our Christian Endeavor to the Christian Life Conference at Thorsby, Friday night, Saturday and Sunday. Others are talking about going.

Mrs. John Ingram is on the sick list this week.

The Eastview Ladies Aid reorganized with the following officers and committees: Mrs. Elva Mims, President; Mrs. A. C. Nelson, Vice President; Mrs. Veda Glenn, Secretary; Mrs. Zora Dobbs, Treasurer; Mrs. O. B. Nelson, Mrs. Cornelia Coggins and Miss Ida Bell Dobbs, Program Committee; Mrs. Sallie Strength, Mrs. Ida Henson and Mrs. S. P. Smith, Flower and Sick Committee; Miss Gulma Traywick, Miss Catherine Strength and Miss Jessie Bell Speer, Lookout Committee; Mrs. Ruby Strength and Mrs. Nalio Parker, Social Committee.

All the ladies are cordially invited to unite with us in the work for the Master. We will meet next at the church, the second Saturday at 10:30 a.m. We want every member to attend if possible.

Rev. George Watson of Mt. Creek Route 2, will preach heer on the second Saturday and Sunday in the absence of our pastor.

Our pastor, Rev. A. C. Nelson, will leave early Monday morning for Nashville, Tenn., where he will attend the two weeks term of the Rural Church School at Vanderbilt University. He will be accompanied on the way by Rev. J. E. Each, Mr. Gerald Smith and Miss Marguarette Davison of Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Lott of Sylacauga spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Nelson of Montgomery were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Bertha Mims and baby are on the sick list this week.

Mr. Joe Dennis and family visited his brother, Mr. Jim Dennis, and family of Lay Dam Sunday.

Don't forget to come to Sunday school and Christian Endeavor next Sunday.

"They have sown the wind, and they shall reap the whirlwind."—Hosea 8:7.

What sort of seed are you sowing in the life of your children by not bringing them to Sunday school?

"Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it."—Prov. 22:6.

Our Sunday school gave two dollars to misisons last Sunday. We are proud of the work our Sunday School is doing for the cause of Christ

"Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature." Mark 16:15. If you can't go you can do what you can in helping to send someone. You can have a part in helping send the gospel into all the world.

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General Pershing's Story Of The World War

The News is glad that it is able to offer to the people of Chilton County the opportunity to read the story written by General John J Pershing of our country's part in the great World War. No other man could write such an account of that was as has General Pershing. Named Commander-in-Chief and given a free hand by President Wilson, many of the important decisions had to be made by General Pershing himself. No doubt, more than any other man, he knows more of the jealousies that existed between the leaders of the allied armies and he tells of those things with the utmost frankness, in his story "My Experiences in the World War," which will start in the News next week.

Perhaps no other man knew what a struggle it was to have the American soldiers organized in Europe as an independent army, and not brigaded in with the British, French, and Italian armies where no doubt their identity would have been completely lost. Over and over this plan was urged upon our general. It was argued that our soldiers were not prepared for independent service and that there was not time to give them adequate training. But against all this, General Pershing stood out with determination. The American soldiers became an American Army and their record is one that will shine all the more brilliantly with the passing of the years.

Every good citizen will want to read this wonderful account of the great World War, about the things that perhaps have never before come to light and written by a man who is best qualified to write about them. Every pupil in the higher grades of the schools in the county should read the story. It will no doubt have a tendency to make better citizens and more patriotic citizens of all of us.

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What Do You Owe Your Community?

Most of us are more conscious of what our community owes us than we are what we owe our community. Some people go so far as to advocate a theory that the world owes them a living, which is properly looked upon with disfavor. But the best citizens take it for granted that the community in which they live owes them certain things, as good roads and streets, protection in their person and property, schools, churches, etc. It is proper that we expect and demand these things for we pay taxes and make contributions for these purposes. But there are certain other things which our community gives to us for which we are as much obligated to consider as any of the above.

Primarily, this discussion will concern itself with the earning-power that our community gives its citizens and the obligations which this earning-power thrusts upon us. The idea is too prevalent that what we get in our pay check, or what we earn in our business or profession, is completely and wholly ours, with no further obligation to anybody. It is true that no individual has any right to influence the way we shall dispense our earnings. But the community in which our money was earned has a valid claim to our consideration. It has a first claim. It is old exhortation, but fundamental that it "pays to trade at home." This community gave the opportunity to earn. You might be as wise as Solomon and as good a business man as has ever been madé, but your earning power would be on a par with Robinson Crusoe if it was not for your community. Neither is this fact altered by any line of work you may be in. Your community makes it possible for you to earn. In the sense above mentioned we do not mean to consider a community entirely by precinct lines or other arbitrary ways, but in the sense that where your money is earned is a part of your community and it should receive first consideration when you go to spend that money. The point may well be illustrated by an incident that happened in a political campaign not so long ago. A certain candidate went into one of the stores in his county to make a purchase. When told the price he replied that he could get the same article in another place out of the county for a few cents less. The clerk replied that perhaps he would also get his votes there, too.

In our multitude of industries and lines of endeavor there are comparatively few that create new wealth. In Chilton County agriculture and the lumber industry are our chief producers of new wealth. If this new wealth which is being produced here is consistently sent away to new markets without serving our people here, the entire economic structure of our county, which is primarily baesd on these two things, must surely suffer.

Our business men and others are as surely obligated to do their share toward furnishing a satisfactory market for these basic products, as they have a right to ask for the business which this new wealth creates. Every individual has a part to play, and the success of the community, and himself as a part of the community, is determined by how well the individuals do their share.

The purpose of this editorial is to make a plea for home patronage, both buying and selling. It would drive home the point that when other things are equal, or practically so, it pays to give home people and home business the first consideration. And further, that whatever the faults of our home people and institutions, we are in some measure at least, responsible, and are obligated to do our part toward making them right. Don't send your money away when you can get just as much for it at home. Make a try at home first. Support your community and your county with your business patronage as you do with your taxes and charitable contributions. Not for charity's sake, no, but for the preservation of your own earning-power, yes.

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

> "We run carelessly to the precipice, after we have put something before us to prevent us seeing it."—Pascal.

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"Unus quisque sibi Deum fingit. So far from making it a rule to believe a thing because you have heard it, you ought to believe nothing without putting yourself into the position as if you had never heard it. It is your own assent to yourself and the constant voice of your own reason, and not of others, that should make you believe. Belief is so important. A hundred contradictions might be true. If antiquity were the rule of belief, men of ancient time would then be without rule.

"Ordinary people have the power of not thinking about that which they do not wish to think." 'Do not meditate on the passages about the Messiah,' said a man to his son. Thus are false religions preserved, and even the true one, in regard to many persons. But there are some who have not the power of thus preventing thought, and who think so much the more as they are forbidden. **These undo false religions, and even the true one, if they do not find solid arguments."**

"To deny, to believe, and to doubt well, are to a man what the race is to a horse."—From Pascal's Thoughts.

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If by chance, you did not get the true ring of the above quotations from "Pascal's Thoughts," then read it again. You might be able to connect it with some of the opinions expressed by myself in the past. "Rem viderunt, causum non viderunt."

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Rather deep doings for a person of such a mind as mine is—because I really do not delve so much into such passages to put into this column, but that one from Pascal seemed to fit so well, I just couldn't resist the temptation to use it, and I hope you will be able to make a connection without my having to be too frank. It could possibly be taken as an apology from me, or an explanation of why I say some things.

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The musical program arranged through the efforts of Mrs. Percy Pitts, at the Methodist church Sunday night was most inspiring. I had heard and read a lot about Mister Alonzo Meek, the eminent organist, and rather expected to see an old man, with a bushy head of hair, and an air that would have gotten my goat. But instead, I saw a very clean-cut young man, with a hair cut that I admired, and well dressed. I also noticed his gentlemanly manners and admired them. Truly, he knows his organs,—pipe organs, so to speak.

And Mistress Roderick Beddow—a most charming lady, young lady, in my opinion. Beauty plus talent plus a voice that rather fascinated me for a moment. Too, I had often heard of Mrs. Beddow in Birmingham among the social circles, but the pleasure of meeting her has not yet been mine—unfortunately. Gracefulness—good taste in dress—personified, truly an attractive woman. Would like to see and hear her and Mr. Meek again—mostly the former.

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Hey Ho! The Great Dooker To The Rescue

In an appeal to the Great Dooker Pooker, International Authority on the Subject of Wimmin, originator of the famous Dooker Pooker Pucker, and a shining star in The Coal Bin of the S. G. N. of Birmingham, he comes to my rescue this week:

DOUG:

"What right have the wimmin down there got to pick on you? Aint you CHILTON COUNTY'S CERTIFIED CRITTER-SIZER by appointment, decree and degree? I ask you.

"O wimmin of Chilton County, I'm ashamed of you!

"But fear not, Doug: I have rushed to you a generous suppy of POOKER'S PRETTY PILLS which must be took only according to directions.

"Now you may occupy an enviable position: due to your expertness in the use of the D.-P. PUCKER, you are charged with an irresistible force; and with the aid of the Pills, you become impregnably fortified with invulnerable immovability. That the twain may never meet, I'm giving you absent treatment.

"From now on, it will be dangerous for the wimmin to monkey around you and I don't think you will have any more trouble. If you do, I'll come down there myself and then they will be sorry or something."

DOOKER POOKER.

P. S. If you find Pooker's Pretty Pills are too powerful, you may dilute them with a little TNT.

That is proof that I am the Certified Critter Sizer in these parts, duly appointed. Haven't received the pills yet, but when I do, I'll certainly put them to good usage. Many thanks, O Great Dook. I'll be seeing you.

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Chilton County again to the front. B. Lawrence elected second vice-president of the Alabama Education Association. Another notch chipped into the pole of recognition by the world of Chilton County and its vast assets. Mr. Lawrence made a broad step that time, but not too broad for a man like him. I had predicted something like that to occur to him long before now, and I trust that he will be able to carry that distinction as it should be carried. Now, who is going to be next to put another notch into that pole?

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Before I forget, I want to compliment that young business man on that letter written to me last week, giving me Hail-Columbia. It was a well written letter—well worded, although rather frank. So frank that I was surprised that a man of such figure in **financial circles** of this section would write it. The efficiency of newspaper reporters, as it were.

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Have you noticed the good pictures that the Wadesonian Theatre is booking these days? Last week's program was fine throughout. You will notice that the week's program of the theatre is carried in this newspaper each week.

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The News extends heartiest congratulations to Julian Hall, editor of The Dothan Eagle and his charming bride of recent date. May their lives in the future be full of happiness and prosperity.

CHILTON COUNTY OPPORTUNITY SCHOOL IS WINNER OF COLONIAL DAMES PRIZE

—Photo Courtesy of The Birmingham News.

Pictured here is County Line School, one of the prize winning schools in the contest sponsored by the Colonial Dames for the removal of illiteracy in the state. The school is located in Chilton County and is taught by Miss Leila Smith. Below is shown Grover Smith, 22, who completed two grades, 240 hours of work in three months, at County Line School.

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Student, 22, At County Line, Completes Two Grades In Three Months Time

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By Mrs. W. L. Murdoch, in The Birmingham News

It has been a great temptation to say in every state that illiteracy was being removed so rapidly that it could almost be said that it was now negligible. This was done by some persons but after all figures tell the story and, as the facts are coming out, it is seen that still there is so much to be done in such states as Alabama that one can only say it is being removed as fast as possible with the funds available.

The experience of Virginia is interesting here. Virginia, one of the proudest states in the commonwealth of states, was disposed to dispute the figures as to her illiteracy and was resentful of criticism.

Today she has completely reversed this policy and is heralding to her people the facts, and with an awakened people she is fighting this problem in a most effective way. Indeed, so excellent is her program now that Secretary Wilbur has publicly congratulated the state.

There is an old saying, "Once the American people know of a wrong, they lose no time in trying to right it." This may be altogether too optimistic a view to take as to some our our wrongs, but certainly it has been true as to this quetsion of illiteracy.

Opportunity Classes

Alabama has been continuing her program for this work, having opportunity classes, as they are called, in many parts of the state, the economic situation having made the intensive program of the Spring impossible.

In many places it is possible only to hold a short session of such schools and they are eagerly attended. Miss Clutie Bloodworth, State Department of Education, sends a story of County Line School in Chilton County.

This school won the second prize offered by the Colonial Dames for perfect attendance at an opportunity school.

Such stories as this simply show what it means to these fine young men and women in our rural districts to be able to read and write and also to understand the value of money. This young man wrote his first check and the writer has a duplicate, and no one who has had all life's opportunities can quite undtrstand what this meant to him.

County Line Opportunity School opened March 10, 1930, and closed April 18. This was a small school, enrolling only 16 pupils, but seven of the 16 were perfect in attendance and not one pupil attended less than 24 of the 30 days taught.

One Pupil 62

The oldest pupil was a woman 62 and the teacher reported her as one of the star pupils of the beginners' class. The youngest pupil was a boy 16 in the second grade. Eight of the 16 enrolled were beginning in the a, b, c, of school training.

Miss Leila Smith, the teacher, interested these people because in July when she opened the doors of the little one-room schoolhouse for the "grown folks" many of her pupils came back for another try "at book learnin'." Among the number attending the second term was a tall, smiling, flaxen-haired young fellow just 22 named Grover Smith.

Grover went to school two weeks once when a very small youngster. The seats may have been too high for such short legs, the teacher may not have known what to do with such a little fellow, but the chances are that the walk to school was too long when his legs were so short and the times too hard when his legs got longer. Whatever the reason, Grover did not know how much was due him for filling up the cotton sacks on a long Summer's day and how much was due him for cutting crossties. Grover had never been able to cast his first vote.

In the Opportunity School, Grover mastered the three R's with rapidity. In the first term he read through Book One of the "Country Life" series. In the second term he completed the second and made a good start on the third. In fact, in three months he did a full nine months' work of public school work.

Likes School

Miss Bloodworth says:

"Grover likes school, and he says: 'Yes, I read the newspapers now every time Mr. Bailey lets me have his. No, I ain't never been to a Sunday School. I did not want to go 'cause I could not read. The first week at school was pretty tough, then I sorter got the hang of it.' "

Then she asked him about arithmetic. "Sure, I do know a lot about that now," he said. "I can figure what is due me for picking cotton and I can find out what a bale of cotton is selling for when I have just a half to deal with."

Then Miss Bloodworth told him that he could go on and prepare for high school and really get an education.

His fine teeth gleamed in an embarrassed grin as he said in his boyish way: "Gee, I'd sure like that."

Miss Bloodworth feels that this work is so vital to our young men and women and such stories show so clearly that all they want is the chance, she is eager for all Alabamians to know of it.

Work In City

In our own city we have continued the work through our fine night schools and the tremendous enrollment shows how eager are our people for educational opportunity.

The truth is we as a state are growing in population so rapidly and our educational needs increase with this growth far in excess of our funds, so that to take Alabama from her place as fourth from the bottom in illiteracy is going to mean some great gifts, some bequests, some interests from big fortunes, or some readjustment of the school funds which will make possible more and more opportunity schools.

Merely fitting the need of the growing population with increased school facilities is not going entirely to take care of this; it needs increased help, increased appreciation, and better understanding on the part of all the people of the state.

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Commenting on the escape of five safe-blowers from a Michigan prison, a contemporary warns: "Don't put all your yeggs in one jail."

B. Y. P. U. Convention At Ebenezer Church

The Unity Annual Associational B. Y. P. U. Convention will be held at the Ebenezer Baptist church, near Stanton, next Sunday, April 5th, beginning at two-thirty o'clock in the afternoon. Following is the program of this convention:

Topic: Tithing.
Song Service: Rev. J. C. Hill.
Devotional: "Giving, An Expression of Christian Living," Mr. L. E. Little
Business: Roll Call, Announcements
"Stewardship of Life," Stanton Intermediate.
The B. Y. P. U. Spirit.
Song:
"One to Carry," Stanton Junior.
Personal Testimonies on "Why I Tithe," Tithers present.
"The Bible Says," Stanton Senior.
Special Music: Rev. J. C. Hill.
Address: "Stewardship of Possessions" Rev. Paul Oden.
Adjourn.

All churches are urged to be represented, whether you have a union or not. Associational officers will be elected.

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Report Of Recent Grand Jury

Following is the report of the Grand Jury empanelled last week:

State of Alabama, Chilton County.
To Hon. Geo. F. Smoot as Judge of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama:

We, the grand jury empanelled for the January term of the Circuit Court after receiving your Honor's most able charge entered upon our investigations of the matters that came before us as grand jurors and herewith submit the following report:

During our investigation we have considered 41 cases and have examined 129 witnesses and art returning herewith 26 true bills.

We have examined the fee book of the Probate Judge and find it neatly kept and correct in so far as we were able to ascertain. We have examined the bonds of the various county officials and find that they are ample for the protection of the public and on our examination of the sheriff's account with the state for feeding prisoners we find it being kept in accordance with the law. On our examination of the office of the County Superintendent of Education we find that his books, records and papers are being kept neatly and fully in accordance with the law in so far as we were able to ascertain.

We have made a personal inspection of the County Jail and find that the prisoners confined therein are being well fed and cared for with reasonable comfort, and on our inspection of the alms house we find that it is being well handled by those in charge and that the occupants get meals and attention in so far as the arrangements for taking care of the inmates will reasonably permit.

We wish to thank the Sheriff and his deputies for the prompt manner in which they secured witnesses that we needed to complete our labors and for the conveniences given us during our stay as Grand Jurors.

The Grand Jury wishes to especially to thank your Honor for the very able charge given us when we were first empanelled. It has been most helpful to us throughout all our investigations.

Now having complied to the best of our ability with your Honor's charge we respectfully ask that we be dismissed until such time as your Honor may see fit and think proper to have us again convene.

This March 26th, 1931.

W. L. POPWELL,
Foreman.

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A scientific name has been found for those restless folks who want to be always doing things and going places. According to the Eugenics Research Association, such people are "hyperkinetics" suffering from an abnormal activity of mind and body, otherwise known as "hyperkinesia."

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A sure-fire method of ridding a community of flies is suggested by an Italian scientist. The method is simple enough, being merely that of spraying all garbage with a mixture of molasses, arsenic and water, but the difficulty lies in getting everybody to do it. Mussolini has ordered its adoption in Italy, and, being who he is, may get the desired results.

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Will Rogers, Jr., wants to be a newspaper man, and has started in the advertising department of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. His father has great hopes for him, expressed as follows: "If they can get him up in the morning without calling out the fire department he may make a pretty good hand."

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The child with a cough that "just hangs on all the time" should be taken to a good doctor. Perhaps it is not tuberculosis, but is either heart or lungs.

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My Experiences
in the
World War

By GENERAL JOHN J. PERSHING
Commander-in-Chief of the American Expeditionary Forces

The first true and complete account of America's participation by the man who directed it.

Great Story . . .
which will be available to readers
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IN NEXT WEEKS ISSUE

Home of George Ward Is Beautiful in Summer

This is Vestavia" the beautiful Shades Mountain home of George B. Ward of Birmingham. The picture was taken from the aid by flying photographers of the 106th Observation Squadron, Alabama National Guard.

Birmingham, Ala., March 31.—All Alabama is invited to Birmingham during the months of May and June, particularly when the rose gardens of this city will be in full bloom, and the mountainsides will be covered with a profusion of wildflowers.

Of outstanding beauty during those two months will be the home of George B. Ward, former of Birmingham and a prominent broker. On the very top of Shades Mountain, overlooking the rolling Shades Valley, stands "Vestavia" the unique home of Mr. Ward.

It is famed thruout the nation for its architectural oddity, and is even more noted for its wonderful gardens where literally thousands of roses bloom during May and June.

"Vestavia" is an exact copy of the Temple of the Vestal Virgins which once stood a short distance from Rome. In that temple, during the ancient days, the Vestal Virgins were the priestesses of the goddess "Vesta" who was sacred to the Romans as the protector of the home hearth fires. It was the duty of the Vestal Virgins to keep the fire of the hearthstone burning eternally.

Mr. Ward's home is a riot of color when the roses are in bloom. Huge half-hoops of steel bear thousands of full-blown climbing roses, and the gardens are filled with numerous others. "Vestavia" is within easy driving distance and is located on a paved highway a few miles east of the Montgomery Highway, about six miles south of Birmingham.

On designated Sundays throut the rose-blooming period, Mr. Ward throws the gates to his grounds and the doors to his home open to the public, certain days being set aside exclusively for white visitors and others for colored people.

Billingsley News

Prof. R. E. Upton, principal of the high school, and Misses Mabel King and Ethel Ruth Gaines, teachers in the Elementary school, attended the A. E. A. in Birmingham last week.

Mr. C. B. DeRamus, a guard at Kilby Prison, spent several days last week with his family here.

Mrs. J. C. Gibson and little daughter, Oceil, are visiting friends in Montgomery.

Mrs. R. E. Upton and baby, Ralph, left Sunday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Keith, at Fairfax, Alabama.

Friends of Mrs. T. L. Patrick sympathize with her in the death of her father, Mr. C. C. Billingsley, Saturday. He was buried at Big Springs cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Pennington of Northport attended the funeral of her grandfather Sunday afternoon.

Misses Inez and Maude Lee Patrick from Montevallo were at home Sunday for the funeral of their grandfather, Mr. Billingsley.

Miss Nettye Mason Pattillo of the Woman's College in Montgomery spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pattillo.

Miss Willie Jean Patrick returned to Montgomery Monday where she will resume her studies at Massey Business College, after an illness, and tonsil operation at Memorial Hospital.

Misses Anen Turk and Louise Comer spent the week end with relatives in Selma.

Read our advertising—It will pay you

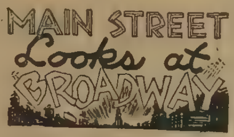
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ATTENTION

Essay Contest On Goodyear Tire Still Open Until April Fourth

Due to the delay in the arrival of the big Goodyear tire, said to be the largest tire in the world, at Dief's Service Station, the essay contest opened for students of the Local High School is still in progress, according to Mr. L. E. Diefenderfer, local Goodyear dealer.

This contest is for the best article written about the huge Goodyear tire, that will be in Clanton this morning until about ten o'clock, having arrived here yesterday afternoon.

Several valuable prizes are being offered by Dief's Service Station on these articles. The contest will close Saturday afternoon, April 4th, and all articles must be turned in to Dief's Service Station not later than midnight Saturday night. The prizes offered consist of a new Goodyear tire of a specific size, an inner tube, and cash prizes. Get into this contest, high school students. Judges have been appointed and the winning stories will be published in the News.



Damages and Costs—

Vandalism in Central Park—including such acts as making off with "Keep Off the Grass" signs, defacing signs, trampling around on newly sown grass, injuring trees by tearing off the branches or cutting into the bark—gets to be rather expensive after a while.

In the past three years such acts have cost more than $200,000. It is estimated that 80 men are needed to patrol the park to preserve its beauties for those who seek relief from the city's turmoil in its fairly wide open spaces.

Open Spaces—

It is, incidentally, about the only place in the city where one can gaze up at the sky without peering between the rising walls of buildings. The trees and grass, turning green with the approach of spring, afford a welcome change of scenery from the gray mountains of buildings at which one is forced to look in other parts of the city.

But even at that, Central Park does suggest a "walled-in" breathing space, for stately apartment houses rise to skyscraper heights on all sides. Some are strikingly beautiful at night, with their illuminated towers and myriads of lighted windows.

A new magazine is published by and for lunatics. It is unique only in admitting the fact.

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We See By The News That

J. B. Gardner, a resident of near Verbena, was in Clanton Monday, and was a caller at the News office.

W. B. Hubbard of near Clanton was in Clanton Saturday attending to legal matters, and while in town dropped in at the News office to attend to some business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harrison, accompanied by Miss Madelyn Orr, left Tuesday for Guin, Alabama, where Mr. and Mrs. Harrison will take over the Harsley Hotel. Mr. Harrison recently purchased that hostelry and in the future it will be known as the Harrison. Miss Orr will remain there for a few days

W. F. Gilliland of Clanton Route 2, was a visitor to Clanton Monday and called at the News office to have his subscription marked up

T. D. Woods of near Clanton was in Clanton Tuesday

J. E. Lett, a resident of near Verbena, Alabama, was in Clanton Monday attending to business matters. While in town Mr. Lett was a pleasant caller at the News office.

J. A. Crane, merchant of Pletcher, and a member of the firm of Crane & Ousley, was in Clanton Friday attending to matters of business. Mr. Crane was accompanied by his son, Freddie, who is a student at the Isabella High School. While in Clanton Mr. Crane and Freddie called at the Uews office to place an order for job printing. Mr. Crane in a statement to a representative of the News Friday stated that he is very optimistic over the business outlook for the coming months. Mr. Crane also saw that his subscription to the News was paid up and sent to him regularly at Pletcher.

Claude Conaway, a student at Jacksonville, spent the past week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Conaway, in the Isabella community

Marion Smith, of Livingston spent the week end in Clanton and Thorsby with Mrs. Smith.

Miss Susye Griffin of the Enterprise community is in Clanton attending little Miss Kathryn Ware, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Ware, who is suffering with a broken arm.

Hollis Hiten, a member of the Verbena School faculty, was in Clanton Tuesday afternoon. While in town Mr. Hiten called at the News office and left an order for job printing.

Miss Cora Belle Maddox, home economics instructor of the Isabella High School, was in Clanton shopping last Tuesday.

Mrs. H. D. Crow and charming little daughter, Joan, of Atlanta, are spending several days in Clanton visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Popwell.

The five-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Martin, of the Collins Chapel community is seriously ill with pneumonia at his home.

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Cure Colds, Headaches, Fever
666 SALVE
Cures Baby's Cold
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Never Told Till Now!

What happened
behind the scenes
IN FRANCE

General John J.
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My Experiences in the World War
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News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

Miss Juanita Connatser attended the A. E. A. Convention last week in Birmingham.

Mr. Herbert Peterson of Birmingham spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Goodgame spent the week end in Clanton with Mrs. Webb Parrish.

Miss Mary Will Sanford of Dadeville spent Sunday with Miss Sally Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson and Mr. Cecil Each made a business trip to Columbus, Georgia Thursday.

Mrs. O. L. Mims and children of Birmingham visited Mrs. V. D. Thompson Friday.

Miss Marie Eiland of Mt. Pleasant spent a part of last week with Miss Sally Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Colley and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Mixson of Montgomery spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mixson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Villadsen of Lincoln spent the week end with Mrs. Villadsen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

Mrs. Coral Mixson is spending a few weeks with her son, Mr. J. L. Mixson.

Christian Life Conference At Thorsby Institute

The Christian Life Conference will begin at Thorsby Friday night, April 3rd, at 7:30 o'clock. The conference will open with a meeting at the Congregational Church led by Mr. Ensminger, District Superintendent.

This conference is for all young people and for older people who are interested in the young people. We urge them to be with us and our many good Christian leaders.

Come on, young people, and let's make this the best young people's conference in the state. Read over the program below and see how much you will miss if you stay away. Plan to be with us and we are sure you will not regret coming.

"COME AND JOIN US"
"SAVE THE DATE"

April 3 at 7:30—Get acquainted with C. L. C. leaders at the church, Register.

Welcome address by Rev. J. E. Each.

Business session conducted by Chairman Gerald Smith.

Devotional Service conducted by Sophomore Class.

Message from Dr. F. P. Ensminger.

April 4 at 10:00—Discusse Recreational and Social Problems with Miss Marguerite Davison.

11:00 Special message from Mr. Luther Rowe.

12:30 Eat your fill at the banquet. Toast Master, Mr. Clyde King.

2:30 Classes—choose two.

Personal Religion, Rev. Lucy T. Ayres.

Vocational guidance, Dr. F. P. Ensminger.

Leadership Training and Daily Vacation Bible School Methods, Miss Dora Brackin.

4:30 Appreciate nature, Vesper Service conducted by the Senior Class. Picnic Supper.

7:30 Enjoy a good social led by the Freshman Class.

April 5 at 6:00—Easter Snurise Service conducted by the Junior Class.

9:45 Sunday School, group discussions.

11:00 Church Service, Special speaker.

3:00 Communion and consecration.

Mrs. Jewel Peterson of Collins Chapel spent last Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Ivey Mead.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Marcus made a business trip to Montgomery Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robinson of Lock Twelve, Mrs. Hersie Hays, Mrs. Lolamae Marcus and Miss Polly Collins spent part of Snuday visiting Mrs. J. H. Collins, who is a patient of the Hill Crest Sanitarium. The many friends of Mrs. Collins will be glad to learn that they found her improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Collins spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hays.

We are glad to note that Mr. J. H. Collins, who has been in bad health for some time, is improving.

Mr. Akins Mims of Chunchula who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. H. Collins, here for several weeks spent the week end with another daughter, Mrs. George Lawley of Active.

Miss Clara Hays was surprised with a party last Wednesday evening by the following young people: Messrs. Tom Lesley, Russell Sutley, Luther Kendrick, Ershel Martin, Kenneth and J. C. O'Barr, Claud and Carlton Collins, Vescar Aycox, Vernon Robinson, Hollie Jones, Charles Childress, Cecil Marcus, Harvie Cox, Misses Ethel, Sally and Louise Thompson, Verlin and Wilma Goodgame, Marie Eiland, Mary Brown, Susie Riggins, Gladys Melton, Ophelia Hays, Loutisha and Willodeane Bean, Freelan Marcus, Olomae O'Barr and Estell Gore. Many games were enjoyed and some nice music was rendered by Messrs. Hollie Jones and Vernon Robinson.

Mesdames J. B. Lowe, W. E. Maddox, Josie Watson and Celeste Faulkenberry of Clanton spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. J. H. Goddard.

Miss Ruth Maddox of Clanton spent the week end wth Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Smith.

Mrs. B. F. Massey of Clanton spent Thursday with Mrs. J. H. Goddard.

Mr. and Mrs. Elba Hall and Mrs. Dixon Hall and family spent the week end visiting in Birmingham.

We are sorry to note that Mr. Chas. A. Peterson is on the sick list and we hope that he will be out again soon.

We are glad to know that Mrs. A. F. O'Barr is improving after an attack of flu.

Mr. Nealy Vaughn of Piedmont, Ala. was the guest of Miss Freelan Marcus last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Maddox of Birmingham visited the latter's parents last Friday.

We are sorry to learn at this writing that Miss Caroline Skinnas is right sick with flu. Hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. E. R. Piper's Sunday School class gave a birthday party Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Mack Gray in honor of the following: Mrs. R. R. Franklin, Mrs. Mack Gray, Mrs. Astro Wright, Mrs. Spurgeon Williams, Mrs. Julius Smith, and Miss Juanita Connatser, their birthday being in the 1st quarter. Nice little gifts were awarded each one by the members of the class. All present enjoyed the evening.

A Missionary program was given at the Baptist church Sunday after Sunday school by the different classes, which was very interesting.

Miss Elba Taylor of Helena and a few of her friends spent Sunday evening with Miss Mary Sue Robinson.

Miss Helen Merchant is improving nicely from an attack of measles. Hope she will soon be out again.

Mr. H. R. Maddox spent Sunday evening with his aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Merchant.

Mr. Wilbur and Chester Maddox spent Sunday with their aunt, Mrs. Merchant.

Mr. W. H. Raybon and E. R. Piper and Mrs. Martha J. Primm made a business trip to Montevallo Monday.

By a mistake the name of Preston Shaw was omitted from last week's Attendance Honor Roll of Thorsby Institute.

Last Saturday night the Helen Keller Literary Society held an open meeting. Various circus stunts were performed and the following debate given: Resolved, That the Chair Stores are detrimental to the best interests of the American People. The debaters were: Affirmative, Margaret Peterson and Charles Croker; Negative James Kincaid and Ralph Roy. The affirmative side won which made the Philomathics happy. Margaret Peterson and Ralph Roy were named by the judges as the best debaters. It was one of the best debates given at Thorsby Institute for several years.

On Wednesday Mr. H. R. Maddox, Registrar of Thorsby Institute, attended the Principal's meeting of the A. E. A. in Birmingham. On Friday Miss Klingelhoefer, Miss McKee and Mr. King attended the A. E. A.

On Saturday, April 11, Thorsby Institute will have a regular session of school to make up for time lost during Christmas vacation.

The Choruses of the Institute are at work on a Russian Operetta, "Sonia" to be given April 25. It will be the most elaborate operetta given in recent years.

On Saturday Miss Evelyn Hardy, who is a teacher at Piedmont Junior College, Wadley, Alabama, and a Miss Mary Hyde, formerly a librarian at Amherst College, at Amherst, Massachusetts, but who is giving her service for a month at Wadley helping catalog their library called at Thorsby Institute. Both are friends of Miss Jenkins and also of the Institute.

Christian Endeavor was held at the Congregational church March 29, 1931 at 6:30 P. M. Conway Thornburgh was leader. The topic was: "Why Christ Is a Worthy Master." Interesting talks were given on such subjects as "Simplicity of the Great Master," "Mastery of Himself," "Learning Under the Great Master." Everyone is invited to come next Sunday evening and worship with us. The topic will be "Easter Messages in Literature." Miss Arthur will lead.

Unbleached sheeting makes excellent slip-on covers for mattresses.

To make mushroom sauce for steak, wash a pound of fresh mushrooms, separate the caps from the stems, trim the stems, and cut into pieces. Cook in 2 tablespoons of butter in a covered pan five to ten minutes at moderate heat. Season and serve with steak. Canned mushrooms may be used.

UNCLE SAM SAYS

Farmers who own timber usually get a better price for it as sawlogs than as standing timber.

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More than 34,000,000 pounds of beef was graded by Federal inspectors and stamped for quality in the last six months of 1930, or 50 per cent more than in the last half of 1929.

CONDENSED STATEMENT

OF THE CONDITION OF

The First National Bank

OF CLANTON, ALABAMA

March 25, 1931

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts		$309,875.40
Overdrafts		215.76
Overdrafts, secured by cotton		420.70
United States Bonds		30,000.00
Banking House		10,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures		2,430.00
Redemption Fund		1,500.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank		3,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	**$ 30,923.92**	
Cash in Vault and in Banks	**198,895.14**	
		229,819.06
Total		$587,260.92

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	53,386.36
Circulation	30,000.00
Deposits	**453,874.56**
Bills Payable	**(None)**
Re-Discounts	**(None)**
Total	$587,260.92

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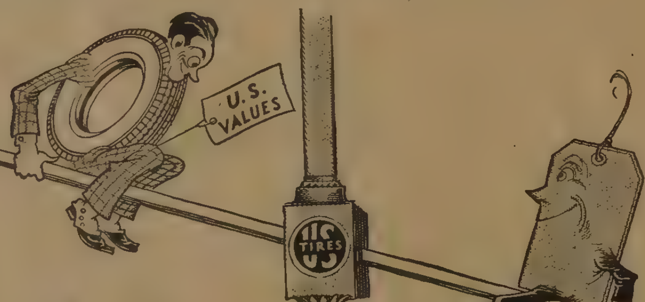

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Notice To Farmers

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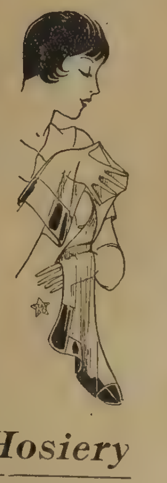
J. A. Maddox

Clanton, Alabama



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LEGAL NOTICES

MORTGAGE SALE

of Alabama, Chilton County.
ereas, Still P. Pryor and wife, ie Pryor, executed to The Federal Bank of New Orleans, Louisiana, o-wit: August 1st, 1923, a mort- upon the land hereinafter de- d to secure and indebtedness de- d therein, said mortgage being ded in the office of the Judge of ate of Chilton County, Alabama, ortgage Book 161, Page 99, and ereas, default has been made by ors in payment of the indebted- secured by said mortgage and in erformance of the terms of said age
Therefore, The Federal Land Bank of New Orleans, having declared due and payable the entire indebtedness secured by said mortgage, will sell, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, between 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on the 17th day of, April 1931, at auction to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Court House door of Chilton County, in the town of Clanton, Alabama, the lands embraced in said mortgage described substantially as follows:-

The southwest quarter of the Southeast quarter and the Southeast quarter of the Southwest quarter, Section 18, Township 20, Range 16, containing 80 acres more or less, situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of realizing the mortgage debt, together with all expenses of this sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee.

THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF NEW ORLEANS, LA., Mortgagee.
A. C. SMITH, Attorney for Mortgagee.
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Whereas, default was made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage, executed on the 10th day of March, 1927, by W. S. Peeples and wife, Lue Peeples, to A. Latham, which mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 229 of Mortgages, at Page 213, and which mortgage was to secure an indebtedness of One Hundred and Forty Two and 78-100 Dollars, ($142.78), which was evidenced by one prommisory waive note bearing even date with said mortgage, for said sum and due and payable on October 20, 1927, and which mortgage conveyed, as security for said indebtedness, the following described real estate, situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

"One block of land beginning at the Southeast corner of the Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty Three, Township Twenty Three, Range Thirteen, thence north to the corner of Y. O. Freeman's Lot, thence west to the Randolph and Jemison public road, tehnce in a Southwesterly direction along said road to the section line between section 22 and section 23, thence East to the point of beginning being in all three (3) acres, more or less, and known as the 'B. M. Gentry place'."

Now, therefore, the undersigned mortgagee, in said mortgage, will, on Monday, April 13, 1931, during the legal hours of sale, in front of the Courthouse door of Chilton County, Alabama, and in the town of Clanton, offer for sale to the highest and best bidder, for cash, the above described property conveyed in said mortgage for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by same, the expenses of the sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee, and the remainder of the proceeds of said sale, if any, to be turned over to the mortgagors as provided by law.

This the 14th day of March, 1931.

A. LATHAM, Mortgagee.
C. M. Laurendine, 505 Farley Bldg., Birmingham, Ala., Attorney for Mortgagee. 3-19-3tc

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Mrs. Estella Allison of Waterloo, Ia., told police that the man she married after a correspondence courtship disappeared two days after their marriage taking her $2,800 savings.

Irene Ellis, a schoolgirl of Lafayette, Ga., was fined $10 when she thrashed a teacher who had scolded her.

Testifying that the violin playing of her husband had gotten on her nerves after 12 years, Mrs. Phylis Fishback of Tulsa, Okla., was awarded a divorce.

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Our Easter program will be put on next Sunday night in the place of the regular Christian Endeavor program. The name of our program is Easter Light. This is something new, but we hope to make it as interesting as possible.

Everybody has a special invitation to come and be with us while we try to carry out the program beginning at 6:30 o'rlock

Several from this place attended the District Conference at Pleasant Grove last Sunday and I'm sure will be benefitted by having attended.

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Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton spent the past week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

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Mrs. W. A. Shaw returned home last Tuesday after a two week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Cowart, of Coosa County.

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Little Lena Pearl Shaw also returned home after the close of the school, which she has been attending in Coosa County.

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TRENCH SILOS ARE ADVISED BY BURNS

Trench silos have given entire satisfaction in Alabama and F. W. Burns, extension livestock specialist at Auburn, is confident that there will be a large increase this year in their use. Fewer than a dozen were built last year, including one on the experiment station at Auburn. Each one gave entire satisfaction. Similar reports have been received from other states, he said.

A trench silo is a silo in the ground, Mr. Burns explained. One can be made very easily on any farm where there is drainage which means practically every farm in Alabama, he said. The cost of making such a silo is almost nil, for it is done with farm labor and the material on hand. Hand tools and an ordinary scrape with mules or a tractor to operate it will do most of the work.

Instructions for making a trench silo are being supplied by the county agents To fill it next fall Mr. Burns recommends planting sorghum this spring. The Texas seeded ribbon variety is preferred. It has produced an average of eight tons per acre at Auburn during the last three years.

Ordinarily, one cow will eat two or three tons of silage per season, which means that one acre of Texas seeded ribbon should produce enough for three or four cows. A silo should be made during the summer and be ready to be filled when the sorghum is ready in the fall. An ordinary feed grinder may be used to fill the silo if an ensilage machine is not available.

A farmer with a few cows should have a trench silo, Mr. Burns said. It will reduce feed costs and increase milk flow.

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COWS MILK FOR BABIES

Dr. Christmas Seal

In feeding babies reject, without question, any milk that is peculiar as to taste, color or odor. It is a well known fact that the flavor of cows milk is readily affected by certain articles of food, such as turnips, garlic, wild onions, moldy hay or grain, damaged ensilage, etc. Just how much of the poisonous quality of weeds the milk will transmit is a question to be determined only by individual test, but since there is no doubt that not only flavor but other active qualities of plants may be carried through the milk, the only safe way in so important a matter as infant feeding is to discard all questionable milk.

Dr. Christmas Seal has seen and approved of changes in baby feeding that would have been unbelievable twenty years ago; such as giving tiny babies vegetable soups and corn syrup. But there has been no change in the principle that anything obnoxious in taste, color or odor must be rejected.

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If you are not sick but just languid there is nothing so good as a "mess of greens" at this time of the year.

The child who is "always taking cold" needs building up in general nutrition, and health. Incidentally look out for adenoids.

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Ala. Weekly Industrial Review

The following record of industrial activity lists items showing investment of capital, employment of labor and business activities and opportunities. Information from which the paragraphs are prepared is from local papers, usually of towns mentioned, and may be considered generally correct.

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Highway between Loxley and Robertsdale to be improved.

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Construction rapidly nearing completion on new bridge on highway between Hamilton and Hackleburg.

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Clanton—Clanton Cash Store opened for business after installation of refrigeration system.

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Union Spring—Construction rapidly nearing completion on new Government building.

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Andalusia—Large poultry sale held recently.

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Clanton—Extensive improvements being made to Potts Home, located next to courthouse building

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Tuscaloosa—Nazarene Church congregation considering plans for construction of new edifice

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State Highway Department opened bids for paving highway between Robertsdale and Numez.

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Fayatte—New grocery store to open for business.

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State Highway Department opened bids for paving section of highway between Tuscumbia and Barton

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Brewton—Local streets to be named.

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Fairhope—Jimmie Lane reopened local bakery.

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Coffee Springs—Alabama Power Co. considering plans for installation of water system in this place.

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Samson — Construction started recently on new city hall

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Florence — Local post office to be painted

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Samson—Large shipments of poultry being received at this place.

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Opelika—Extensive repairs and improvements being made to Rainbow Theatre.

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Mobile—Federal Government considering plans for making extensive improvements to local harbor.

Samson—City recently purchased new fire fighting equipment.

State Highway Department recently opened bids for grading and draining highway between East Chapman and Georgiana.

Greenville—Cooperative hog sale to ty, $3,000,000 courthouse building.

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Greenville—Federal Post Office Department considering plans for construction of new post office building.

McKenzie—Large shipment of poultry being made from this point.

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Brewton—Local streets to be paved.

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Andalusia—County almshouse being improved.
be held here

Birmingham — Construction rapidly nearing completion on Jefferson Coun-

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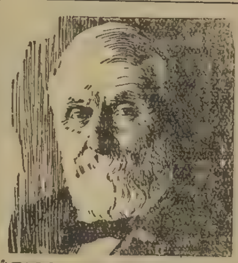

DR. CALDWELL'S THREE RULES

Dr. Caldwell watched the results of constipation for 47 years, and believed that no matter how careful people are of their health, diet and exercise, constipation will occur from time to time. Of next importance, then, is how to treat it when it comes. Dr. Caldwell always was in favor of getting as close to nature as possible, hence his remedy for constipation is a mild vegetable compound. It can not harm the most delicate system and is not habit forming.

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"More attention must be paid to markets and demands, so that each farmer may produce that for which there is a demand," says Chairman Legge of the Federal Farm Board.

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***"The pressure of recent economic changes promises to force agriculture to catch up with the modern industrial procession."*—E. G. Nourse, Brookings Institute, Washington.**

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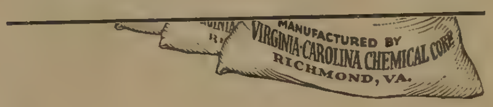
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"Oh, I must have lost my pocketbook. I've looked in every pocket except my left hip pocket."

"Why don't you look in that pocket?"

"Scared it might not be there!"—*Exchange.*

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If more money from crops means more money to spend for things that ought to be produced at home, like meat and lard and corn and hay, then we don't get anywhere at all. More money from crops ought to mean more money to spend on the family and the home.

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The selection of desirable soils *and the use of the right fertilizers* are matters of economic importance.—*U. S. Dept. of Agriculture.*

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One hundred bales of cotton were gathered from 120 acres by Chancy Bros, Hardware and Furniture Co., Hartford, Ala. "We used 400 pounds of V-C Eastern Shore 10-4-7 per acre," says A. L. Chancy. "We found that it pays handsome dividends to use high-grade fertilizer for cotton." The firm not only uses but also sells V-C. "Our customers call for V-C—it's our biggest seller," says Mr. Chancy.

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"Sure, I believe a rabbit's foot brings good luck. My wife felt one in my pocket and thought it was a mouse."—*Exchange.*

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To get revenge for slights to his family, James Reardon of Chicago put a beehive in Charles Morris' home and several of the Morris children were badly stung.

Dr. Harry A. Souther of Boston appeared at a recent dog show wearing a suit woven from the hair of sled dogs.

John Ryan of Yakima, Wash., told the police court that he got drunk so he could temporarily forget that he had a bad case of trench mouth.

New Cedron News

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smitherman spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Devaughn spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Devaughn.

Mrs. J. L. Penton is spending a few days in Coosa County with relatives.

Mr. J. D. Williams spent part of last week with his brother, W. L. Williams, of Sardis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ashton Mann spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Cox.

Mrs. Barney Wilkins spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Burnette.

Mrs. J. F. Devaughn spent a few hours Saturday evening with Mrs. Elzie Rollins.

Mrs. W. D. Burnette spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. F. Devaughn.

Miss Ollean Terrell, Rena and Ressie Devaughn visited Mrs. Hugh Williams Sunday afternoon.

Everybody is invited to meet here Sunday week, April 12, for the purpose of re-organizing Sunday school and to elect teachers and officers. So everybody who is interested come.

—A Reader.

Rather-un Usual

The University of Missouri has arranged for the establishments of visiting professorships with the University of Mexico, effective next fall.

The human aer is formed to receive only certain sounds, and the highest sounds which we can hear are those of 70.000 air vibrations to the second.

There is $480,000,000 worth of gold in the teeth of American citizens, the Chicago Dental Society was told at a recent dinner.

The quantity of coal in China is estimated to be enough to furnish the whole world for more than 1,000 years.

Fifty thousand tons of peanuts are produced annually in the United States.

Probably Senators consider their body the "upper house" because seats come higher.

Being old-fashioned, we still feel that a girl should not propose to a man except as a last resort.

Archaeologists are greatly interested in the Hittites of late, and so are several baseball managers.

King Alfonso has become so used to a shaky throne that he would probably feel perfectly at home in an earthquake.

A Philadelphia newspaper declares that prohibition is taxing our best minds. Well, why not? Everything else is taxed.

Insurgents in the Senate are largely responsible for the proposed Hoover Dam, and probably for a good many Hoover damns.

President Hindenburg of Germany declares he has never felt nervous. If, being marired, he is truthful, he richly deserves his Iron Cross.

A comparatively mild winter again illustrates the truth that Providence tempers the wind to the shorn lamb—in Wall Street and elsewhere.

It is said that General Butler will resign and go on the lecture platform. His publicity bureau has already gotten off to a flying start.

A teacher declares the secret of speaking good English is to "keep everlastingly at it." The advice, we assume, is intended principally for the male sex.

New York American wants the Nye investigating committee abolished because of its waste of money. Why not abolish the rest of them for the same reason?

Brief News Items

Public construction projects involving an expenditure of eleven billion dollars will be begun throughout the world this year with half of it in the United States, according to the U. S. Department of Commerce.

It is estimated that more than one million farm homes now have electricity. About 50 per cent of these are being served by individual plants and the other 50 per cent by central power plants.

Federal income tax receipts for the first quarter this year were $119,000,000 below those for the first quarter of 1930. The exact figures for this month were $194,945,837 as compared with $314,200,550 last year.

Official announcement is made that the Federal Farm Board will not attempt to maintain wheat prices beyond May. The Board will not authorize the Grain Stabilization to make stabilization purchases for the new crop.

A report bv the Federal Reserve Board shows a sharp decrease in the number of bank failures during February as compared with January. The Board's tabulation shows that there were 78 failures in February against 199 in January, 344 in December, and a total of 1,345 during 1930.

A small increase in world production of wool for the 1930-31 season, outside Russia and China, compared with production the preceding year is reported in preliminary estimates by the Foreign Agricultural Service, U. S. Department of Agriculture. Production in 18 countries, which supply about four-fifths of the world's wool, is estimated at 2,708,000,000 pounds, compared with 2,674,000,000 pounds in 1929, and with 2,728,000,000 pounds in 1928.

TWO BASEBALL GAMES ON AIR FROM AUBURN

Auburn, Ala., April 2.—In addition to the regular noontime "College of the Air" programs from Auburn during the week of April 6-11, two baseball games with Mercer University will be broadcast over WAPI on Monday and Tuesday afternoons beginning at 4:00 o'clock. A total of nine games will be heard over the air during the season.

Timely chats on poultry, agronomy, home economics, and dairying will be heard on the noontime programs, 12:00 to 12:30.

Thursday—Earnest and Frank, the boys with the Dairy Temperament; Mrs. Askew's Housekeeper's Chat; Spring Gardens, U. S. D. A.; Dr. and Mrs. Harold Hoffsommer, vocal duets.

4:40-5:10 — Auburn Department of Music Program, directed by John W. Brigham.

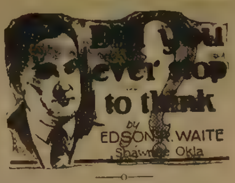
Friday—"Simple Dinners," Miss Dana K. Gatchell; Auburn Sports, Elmer G. Salter; Farm Science Snapshots, U. S. D. A.; Music.

Saturday—The Advancing Agriculture, P. O. Davis; Farmer Brown and Professor Jones in their analysis of farm business; Mrs. Askew's Housekeeper's Chat.

FIGHTING THE FOE OF YOUTH

By Dr. Christmas Seal

All the world knows that Tuberculosis is not killing anywhere near the number that it did half a century ago. The fly in the ointment is the fact that those it still takes in greatest number are the youth of our land, ages 15 to 25, those whom we can least spare. Dr. Christmas Seal announces that the month of April is the time for the big campaign of education everywhere to tell our young people how to conquer their foe. You will see striking posters in color, showing David attacking Goliath. Newspapers are helping with their usual generosity. Speakers will appear before many kinds of groups telling of the work of tuberculosis control. Health Departments and public health nurses are joining forces with tuberculosis workers everywhere in an effort to bring to the attention of the youth the dangers that beset the young people of the nation. If you will write the Alabama Tuberculosis Association, some interesting literature will be sent you on this subject.



Paul Block, one of America's best known newspaper publishers, says:

That in the late summer and early fall of 1929 the country was rapidly sliding into the depths of business depression. But its citizens were happy and confident, looking forward to indefinite continuance of boom prosperity. They did not know the depression had arrived. It required the dramatic crash in the stock market to make them realize it.

Today the depression has run its course, but the average individual is just as slow to note the encouraging signs in the fundamentals of our economic situation as he was to appreciate the previous decline. His caution is increased by the fact that the temporary interruption of the major downtrend last spring was mistaken in many quarters for real recovery.

There will be no dramatic event to make us realize that better times are here again as there was to show us that bad times had come. No skyrocket stock market boom is likely—or desirable.

But for some weeks past we have been moving toward higher levels of national prosperity. Since the latter part of November, car loadings have increased 60,000 a week. Automobile production has jumped by some 45 per cent. Steel operations show a gain of approximately 25 per cent. These things are reliable yardsticks to measure business activity.

Under the caption "We Are Climbing with Tears in Our Eyes," the Dry Goods Economist urges a more cheerful national psychology. An interesting chart accompanies the article which shows a steady rise ever since November. Some lines of business activity may not have benefitted by it as yet, but they were among the last to feel the depression. It takes time for the improvement to be reflected all thru our business structure. The important thing is that the conditions requisite for the improvement have been fulfilled and the trend is definitely upwards.

Advertising has done its share toward this business improvement because a close check-up has proven that in nearly every instance where a substantial amount of advertising has been continued by the manufacturer or merchant, the results have helped substantially to improve that particular concern's sales and profits.

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Clanton, Alabama

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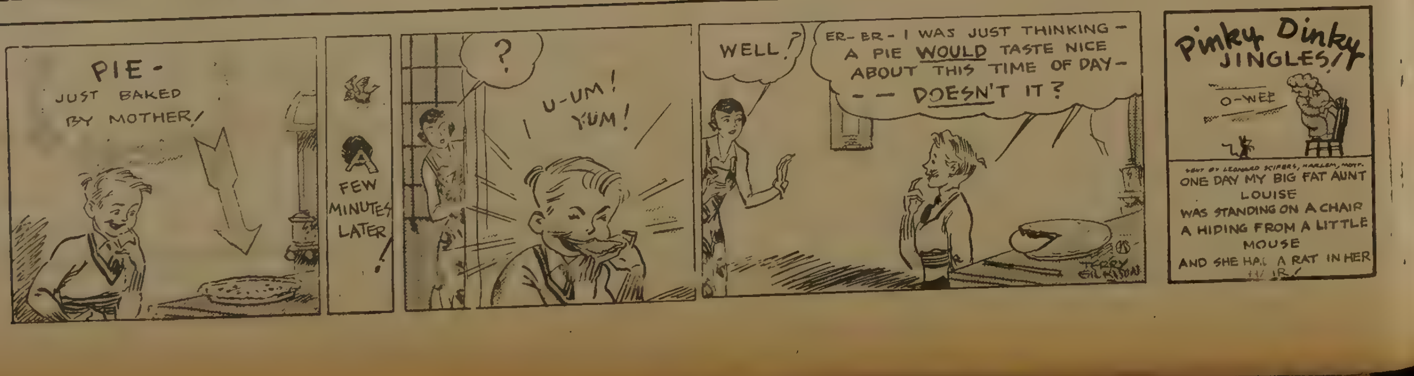
By Terry Gilkison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U-UM!
YUM!
WELL!
ER-ER- I WAS JUST THINKING - A PIE WOULD TASTE NICE ABOUT THIS TIME OF DAY - - - DOESN'T IT ?
TERRY GILKISON
Pinky Dinky JINGLES!
O-WEE
ONE DAY MY BIG FAT AUNT LOUISE
WAS STANDING ON A CHAIR
A HIDING FROM A LITTLE MOUSE
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LARD Pure Hog 8 lb. pail 97c

FLOUR Plain or Self Rising
Wellbread, 24 lb. sack 65c
IONA, 24 lb. Sack 75c
Sunnyfield 24 lb. sack 90c

Kerosene Oil, per gal. 15c

Bruton's Snuff, large Size can 15c

Peaches Iona, halves in heavy syrup 2 pound can 19c

Ketchup Quaker Maid Tomatoes 14 oz. bottle 17c

Onions, per lb. 3c

Irish Potatoes, per lb. 3c

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PAGE, LINE, AND PARAGRAPH

Tests by the U. S. Department of Agriculture in growing crotalaria show that this new crop is well adapted to the poor sandy soils of the South, particularly for green manure.

Small, blackish, white-winged "ants" that fly in your house in spring or fall may be termites and may be destroying the woodwork of your home. Leaflet 31-L and Farmers' Bulletin 1472-F, which may be obtained from the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., tell how to build a house to keep these pests out and how to get them out and keep them out if they are already in.

A good stand of alfalfa is easily injured by overgrazing. Alfalfa should not be pastured the first year and only lightly the second. It is doubtful if it is advisable to pasture alfalfa at all in the East because of the difficulty of getting a good stand in this section. Hogs are less injurious to alfalfa than are other livestock.

Thorough cleaning of seed wheat will reduce losses from weeds in wheat fields. Cleaning removes not only weed seeds, including wild oats, but also shrunken grains and broken kernels. These weed seeds and broken kernels can be used as feed for poultry and livestock. Several types of efficient cleaning machines designed for farm use are now on the market. Farmers' Bulletin 1542-F, which may be obtained from the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., describes several of these machines and tells how to operate them.

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Tenth Annual Safety Campaign For Pupils, Teachers Announced

Highway Education Board To Present Checks and Medals To 430 Children Submitting Best Papers

Washington, D. C., March 31.—Offering 430 cash prizes and the same number of medals to elementary school pupils and prizes totaling $1,000 to elementary school teachers, the Highway Education Board today announced its Tenth National Campaign for street and highway safety. This campaign, comprising essay contests for pupils and a safety lesson contest for teachers, has been conducted annually since the school year 1921-22 in cooperation with state, county and municipal school authorities throughout the United States and its possessions.

The project this year will stress the rewards for practicing safe conduct on streets and highways and in keeping with that, the subject for the essay contest is "My Rewards for Observing Street and Highway Safety Rules." The subject for the lesson is "Teaching the Rewards of Careful Conduct on Streets and Highways." The competition for pupils is open to children of the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades, 14 years of age and under, and the lesson contest is open to all elementary school teachers of the eighth and lower grades.

Contestants from every state in the Union, from Alaska, the Philippines, Hawaii, the Canal Zone and Porto Rico are expected to strive for the many prizes, aggregating $6,500, offered for the best essays and lessons. In the pupils' contest 430 medals and a like number of cash prizes are offered as state awards. The writer of the best paper in each state will receive a gold medal and a check for $15. Second prize winner will receive a silver medal and a check for $12, and third prize winners will receive bronze medals and checks for $5. The number of third prize winners in each state ranges from one to 23, depending upon the school population.

From among the essays ranking first in each state three national prize winners will be chosen, the first receiving a trip to Washington with all expenses paid, at which time he is presented with a gold watch. Second and third national prize winners will be presented with gold watches, but will not be taken on the trip to Washington.

Awards to teachers, although less numerous, are more substantial. The teacher writing the best safety lesson from among all submitted throughout the country will receive a trip to the National Capital with all expenses paid, and will be presented with a check for $500. Second and third national prizes in the lesson contest consist of checks only, these checks being for $300 and $200 respectively. To the teacher in each state who submits the best lesson a certificate of honor will be awarded. All prizes are being donated by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce.

Essays are to be not more than 500 words in length, it was announced, while lessons must be at least 1,000 words but not more than 3,000 words long. The contest closes May 15. Between that date and May 29 the principal of each school is required to select the best essay and best lesson submitted by pupils and teachers under his supervision and these two papers must be forwarded to the state superintendent of schools or state headquarters not later than May 29. The state committee will then select the prize winning papers and forward them to the Highway Education Board in Washington.

States have been allotted third prizes according to elementary school enrollment. While some states have been allowed but one third prize, most of them have materially more than that number. Territories outside continental United States are listed for one third prize, in addition to a first and second prize, and this is the case also with Wyoming, Nevada, Vermont and Rhode Island. Alabama, the first on the list, is entitled to seven third prizes, while 23 New York pupils will be awarded third prizes. Pennsylvania, with the second largest allotment, receives 21 third prizes.

In announcing the Tenth national street and highway safety campaign, Thomas H. MacDonald, chairman of the Highway Education Board and Chief of the United States Bureau of Public Roads, asserted that safety education in the schools had definitely proved its value in reducing the number of accidents. It is receiving increasing attention each year, he said, and comparatively few schools now are without safety instruction.

Between 650,000 and 700,000 pupils participated in the safety essay contest last year and provision has been made for an increase in this number in the present campaign.

British picture shows are visited by something like 30,000,000 people every week.

Poplar Springs News

Please allow me just a few lines in your paper this week. First, I want to say that our church is getting along fine. Our pastor is Rev. W. P. Lowery of Thorsby. He always brings us good messages when he comes. We have a good Sunday school, and fairly good attendance. But it could be better. We would be glad if we could get all of our Poplar Springs people to take a part with us in our church, Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. work.

Please notice next Sunday is our Annual Easter singing. We invite all good singers to come and be with us. We hope to have a good singing. We always have a singing, but we hope to make this the best one of all. Everybody is invited. Come and bring your new song books and a full basket.

—W. F. Gilliland, W. M. Devaughn, Walter Moore, Committee

HOME-MIXED CHICK MASH FROM HOME-GROWN FEED

Auburn, Ala., April 1. — Feed for young chicks must be palatable, wholesome, digestible, clean, and must contain the correct amounts of proteins and fats, says Prof. G. A. Trollope, head of the Auburn poultry department.

After the first 30 to 36 hours chicks should be fed for the first time. If they are shipped they should be fed after arriving at destination, he said.

Milk, either sweet or sour, skimmed or buttermilk, makes an excellent first feed. If milk is not available warm water should be supplied. If possible get chicks to drink milk first then keep mash before them continually.

Mr. Trollope recommends a chick mash of home-grown feed stuffs as follows, in case a commercial mixture is not used: 80 lbs. corn meal, 20 lbs. shorts or middlings, 5 lbs. bone meal, 5 lbs. marble grit, oyster shell or ground limestone, and frome one-half to one pound of fine table salt.

Green feed should be given the chicks at two or three weeks of age, and they should have access to sunshine. Codliver oil is not necessary where this plan is followed.

Don't turn the dairy cows on pasture too early in the spring. Early spring grass is watery and immature. Wait until the grass is 3 or 4 inches high, and then turn them on it—but for only a few hours a day at first—and continue to feed grain, hay, and silage for a while, to lessen the danger of bloating.

Mineral deficiencies in the soil and consequently in pasture plants may cause poor development of livestock or even disease. Animals grazing on pasture deficient in phosphorus often develop a morbid appetite, stiffness of joints, and a staggering gait. They may eat such substances as dirt or bone. The disease may be checked or cured by giving bone meal, sodium phosphate, or by changing to a pasture known to contain sufficient phosphorous. In some parts of the country the vegetation is deficient in iodine, causing goiter and often hairlessness of new-born animals. These conditions are corrected by including some compound of iodine in the rations. Pastures low in calcium are thought to be the cause of the maldevelopment of the bones of horses.

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—New Feature for the—
Chilton County News
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An Easter Invitation

Won't you give your life to Jesus,
Just accept His love today.
He will give you peace and comfort,
Make your burdens roll away.
He will rescue you from danger—
Lift you above the prisons walls.
He is able, he is willing,
He will save both great and small.
On the cross He died, His heart was broken.
He shed his blood for you and me
That thru Him we might have redemption,
And from sin and death made free
He alone is our redeemer,
His blood alone can save our soul—
Only through His grace and power
Can we walk the streets of gold
Won't you accept His invitation?
Come to Jesus while you may.
We may not live to see tomorrow.
Oh! Come to Jesus, come today.
Jesus is the Resurrection
He alone has power to save.
It was on one bright Easter morn
He came forth from his lonely grave
He won the victory over Satan
He triumphed over death and the grave
That we, too, might be resurrected
And thru His blood we might be saved
Jesus is the Resurrection.
He raised Lazarus from the dead.
He raised the widow's son at Nain.
Five thousand at one time He fed—
He is the true bread of life
Sent from His heavenly throne.
Oh! won't there be a great reunion
On the resurrection morn?

—Written by Mrs. Newton Cooper, Verbena, Ala.

Davis To Head Radio Audition

Birmingham, Ala., March 29.—For fifth consecutive year, P.O. Davis, head of the department of public information at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute and general manager of Station WAPI, has been appointed State manager of the Fifth National Radio Audition. With an offer by the Atwater Kent Foundation of $25,000 in cash awards and 10 musical scholarships to be divided among the best young singers in the United States, the audition committee will direct the search thruout the State for the most capable competitors.

Samuel F. Clabaugh, of Birmingham, will serve as chairman of the Alabama State Committee which will include several leading musicians of Alabama.

Mr. Davis, who is popular with musicians and aspiring artists throughout Alabama, will bring to his work as manager the experience gained in serving in like capacity for the previous four national auditions.

The fifth national radio audition, like those that have preceded it, is a comprehensive campaign throughout the country to find the nation's best young singers and provide them with opportunity to fame and fortune. Any young man or woman between the ages of 18 and 25 years, inclusive, is eligible to compete. The search through the various states is conducted through a series of elimination tests. The first step is the local audition where all young singers are invited to compete and one young man and one young woman are selected to go to the state audition.

The University of Illinois research hosital is studying the chronic kind of headache known as migraine, and pays a young man who has it $50 a month and board for permitting experiments to be made on him. And if he gets cured he will naturally lose his job.

See our assortment of pretty Easter & Birthday Greeting cards at all prices.—Clanton Drug Company.

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New Sellers Kitchen Cabinets
$39.50 --- $1 a week

New Wicker Sets
$49.50 --- $1 a week

New Over-Stuffed Living Room Suites, as low as $69.50 --- $1.50 week

Guaranteed Range Stoves
$24.50 --- $1 weekly

New 6x9 Floor Covering
$2.95 --- 50c weekly

Bed Room Suites
$35 to $59.59, $1.50 week

Iron Beds, 2-Inch Posts
$5 to $6.50 --- 50c weekly

PHONOGRAPHS
$7.50 to $24.50, $1 week

Round Dining Table & 4 Chairs
$12.50 --- $1.00 week

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Low Prices On Wearing Apparel For Easter

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MENS SUITS
You have never seen the like of clothes we are selling for
$10 --- $12.50 --- $16.50

MEN'S FELT HATS
Just received a new lot of Spring Felt Hats, $3.95 value
for $2.95

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$5.00 Shoes
We have less expensive shoes for $2.25 and up to $4.00

We also carry Star Brand Shoes for the whole family.
Our prices are lower than ever.

EASTER HATS

Beautiful New Hats for Easter
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Dresses
$9.95 DRESSES
We are offering the finest line of Chiffon, Printed Crepes or silk solid color crepes in the very newest styles, and they are beautiful. You have never seen the like that we are offering in all sizes to 54 at
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Hosiery for Easter
Beautiful new shades of puncture-less, full-fashioned hose in service or Chiffon weight. All sizes, regular $1.65 qualities
for $1.00

Shoes for the Easter Outfit
You don't have to be rich to be stylish, when you see our line of Shoes for
$1.98 and $2.48

Criminal Cases In Court Disposed Of

(Continued From Front Page)

near Jemison was continued, it was stated. Following are cases with results, tried through Tuesday of this week:

Alver Rucker, grand larceny, fined $50 assessed.

Will Kennedy, grand larceny, fined $50.00 assessed.

Joe Smith, violating prohibition law, withdrawn.

Ben Traywick, non support, continued.

Wm. Virgil Brown, manufacturing whiskey, guilty and sentenced.

The following cases were continued: Mitch Bates, violating prohibition law; Samuel Cook, grand larceny; James Graham, man slaughter; Timothy Morris, grand larceny; Timothy Morris, grand larceny; Robert Cleckler, assault and battery; Victor Henley, violating prohibition law; N. L. Owens, violating prohibition law; Arthur Mims, violating prohibition law; Samuel Cook, violating prohibition law; Dewey Price, violating prohibition law; Delious Roper, violating prohibition law.

Lindsey Nicholson, violating prohibition law, fined $100.

Sallie Belle Abercrombie, violating prohibition law, continued.

Kermit Murphy, violating prohibition law, continued.

Tead Cassel, violating prohibition law, fined $50.

Alf Strickland, violating prohibition law, fined $50.

Burns Lowery, violating prohibition law, nol prossed.

The following cases were nolle prossed plus costs: Earl Benson, D. R. W.; Odis Cummings, D. R. W.; Dewey Cummings, D. R. W.; Fred Cummings, D. R. W.; Earl Benson, assault and battery; Fred Cummings, assault and battery; Odis Cummings, assault and battery; Dewey Cummings, assault and battery.

J. Foshee, violating prohibition law, continued.

Marion Chandler, violating prohibition law, nol prossed.

Elmer Wallace, public drunkenness, continued.

Tina Wallace, public drunkenness, continued.

Huey Lockhart, violating prohibition law, continued.

Bud Parrish, violating prohibition law, nol prossed.

Wilson Judkins, violating prohibition law, continued.

Stephen and Mary Pate, assault and battery, continued.

Marion B. Francis, B. and G. L. withdrawn.

William Helton, murder, continued.

[illegible] Barnett, B. and G. L., with- [illegible]

[illegible] Henry, violating prohibition law, continued.

Forrest Littleton, violating prohibition law, continued.

Berry Rutland, driving motor vehicle intoxicated, continued.

Cecil Willis, violating prohibition law, continued.

DR. BARTON TO ADDRESS PEOPLE OF CHILTON CO.

Baptist Secretary to Speak In Three Engagements On April Twelfth

An announcement went over the county this week to the effect that Dr. L. E. Barton will speak in three different places in Chilton County on Sunday, April 12th.

The announcement was made by the Rev. J. W. Jones, pastor of the Thorsby Baptist church. Dr. Barton will be at Liberty Hill church, west of Clanton at eleven o'clock on the morning of April 12th. At two-thirty o'clock that afternoon he will be at the Collins Chapel church and at seven-thirty on the night of April 12th he will address the congregation at the Jemison Baptist church.

Dr. Barton is a strong preacher and will bring a great message to those who are fortunate enough to be able to hear him, and his coming to this county for three engagements is a rare opportunity for the people in the communities named above, and surroundings.

Those surrounding communities of Liberty Hill, near there that will take advantage of Dr. Barton's sermons are Mulberry, Concord, Highland and Samaria. Communities near Collins Chapel that can hear him there are New Salem, Mineral Springs, Union Grove and Thorsby. Those near Jemison that could come in to the Jemison Baptist church at night, are Oak Grove, Pleasant Grove, Macedonia, Cinder Hill and Pates Chapel.

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IN MEMORY OF MRS. AGNES THOMAS GLENN WORDS OF APPRECIATION

We wish to thank Dr. T. J. Marcus, Dr. Gragg, Miss Robinson and all the nurses of the Central Alabama Hospital for their untiring efforts they used during the last hours of our darling daughter and sister, Mrs. Agnes Thomas Gleen. Also we wish to thank her many friends that visited and helped at home.

She joined the Baptist church in Birmingham at the age of nine years. She lived a very humble life, consecrated to the Lord.

She married at the age of 19 to Willie Glenn. To this union God blessed their home with one daughter, 12 days old when her mother died.

She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, Willie Glenn, mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thomas, a sister, Mrs. Daisy Thornton, and brother, Dawson Thomas.

Signed: Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thomas, Daisy Thornton, and Dawson Thomas.

W. J. Carroll, desertion, nol prossed.

Martin Wright, assault with weapon, continued.

Teachers Are Commended By County Superintendent

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that the meeting in May is the time at which people are supposed to meet the Board and make any suggestions about the school program. Of course, we are glad to have these suggestions at any time and hope that the public will feel free at all times to make any suggestions or recommendations they see fit about the administration of the schools of the county. We realize that it is a problem belonging to every citizen of the county and we want your cooperation in every way possible. We realize that many times people can make helpful recommendations. We are anxious to do the best that we can for our schools and will appreciate all the help in that direction possible.

At this time I wish to call attention to the fine spirit demonstrated among the teachers recently. The state has quite a little bit of our money tied up and we will be unable to pay off any more teachers until after the state funds are had. In the face of this situation the teachers voted unanimously and enthusiastically to go on the full term and wait until they could get their money.

Teachers have as much right to expect their pay on time as any other group of people. I think it is a fine patriotic act on their part to be willing to go ahead under the circumstances. I do not feel that there is a group of people anywhere else that is more ready to make a sacrifice for the interest of the cause for which they are working than teachers. We have a fine group of them in the country and I hope that we will remember the sacrificial act and properly appreciate their services.

Personally I greatly appreciate the teachers of Chilton County and let me urge that everyone of us give them our full cooperation and let us put Chilton County on the map educationally and otherwise.

Yours for a bigger and better school system,

B. LAWRENCE,
County Supt. Education.

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No flyer, man or woman, have ever shown more grit and determination than Lady Mary Heath, noted British aviatrix, who has just staged a most remarkable come-back. In 1929 she crashed at Cleveland, receiving injuries which were at the time thought to be fatal. Last week she took to the air for the first time since the accident, and is now planning a long-distance flight, the details of which have not been made public.

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Robert Volland, a newsboy of Columbus, Ind., found an effective pinch-hitter when he became ill a few days ago. His father, who is mayor of the city, carried Robert's papers for him for several days, and it is said that no complaints were made by subscribers on the route while the mayor held [illegible] the job.

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"Honor thy father and thy mother." But do not [illegible] imitate them.

¡ HIGH SCHOOL NEWS !

Mr. Haskew Visits High School

We enjoyed Mr. Haskew more than ever Monday morning. His talk inspiring each individual to have faith in himself was most encouraging. It seems that Mr. Haskew realizes what high school students need to be told most. We always enjoy his visits, and hope that he will come again soon.

Who's Who in the Senior II Class

On last Monday afternoon the members held a who's who contest. The following nominees won: Most beautiful girl, Eunice Edwards; most handsome boy, Robert Sumner; most friendly girl, most friendly boy, Ottis Miller; most popular boy, Herman Harris; most dependable, Elizabeth Stanley; best all-round, Charlsie Pyron; biggest booster, Ethel Mae Jones; most dignified girl, Ruth Aylene Maddox, most dignified boy, J. C. Massey.

Chilton Defeats Verbena Friday

On Friday afternoon, March 20, the local baseball team met and defeated the Verbena High team by the score of 13 to 2. Cox hurled a fine game for Chilton giving up only three hits. Ted Littlejohn got a long home run over the right field fence. Chilton got ten hits off the delivery wagon of Wise and Dupree. We have a good fast team this year, so come out and see us in action.

The Chilton County High School will meet the Marbury High School here on the local grounds Friday afternoon. Admission will be ten and twenty-five cents. We promise you an interesting afternoon and your money's worth.

Ted Littlejohn Wins Prize

At the beginning of the baseball season in 1929, Prof. Warr made the announcement that a handsome baseball glove was awaiting the first player who knocked a ball over the south side of the fence. Since that time he has been anxiously waiting for a chance to award his gift. The entire season passed last year with all balls falling on the inside. Again this year the same proposition was made, and during the first game which was between Verbena and Clanton the whole team seemed to have renewed their interest and determination, but it took Ted Littlejohn to show Verbena and Prof. Warr how to knock a ball. Littlejohn, with the twirl of his bat sent the ball fast and high over the fence and under the porch of a residence on the other side of the street. He had won the coveted prize and on last Monday morning an announcement was made at chapel to that effect. The glove will be presented at an early date. The entire school is proud of Ted, and shared the thrill of his prize.

Who's Who in Senior III Class

Most beautiful girl, Mary Heard; most handsome boy, Benson Simms; most dependable, Homer Carroll; most popular, Paul Cox; most intellectual, Mary Heard; most dignified, Bernice Williams; best all-round, Edwin Wagoner; wittiest, Frank McMurray; friendliest, Alvin Davis; friendliest girl, Virgie Giles; biggest booster, Stanley Nivens.

Good English Week

This is Good English Week. The school has been divided into two sides, the blue and the gold. May the best side win! Each student is going to work hard to put over this campaign. Everyone must think twice before he says ain't, and then not say it, but say the correct form of the verb be. One-act plays illustrating good English will be written and the best one from each class will also be read in chapel. We may have a bad case of nerves at the end of the week from meeting good English posters at every turn, and hearing amateur poets, play wrights, etc., but thereafter better grammar will be in order.

Senior II Play A Success

By Dan Smith

Friday night, March 20, was a great night for the Senior II Class of C. C. H. S. The reason for this was the play, entitled "The Wild Oats Boy," which was given by this class. The play was a three-act comedy. The characters were thirteen members of the Senior II Class who were coached for the performance by Miss Margaret Kendrick and Miss Josephine Martin, who are due much credit for its success.

It is customary for the Senior II Class to entertain the Senior III Class at the close of school. The play was given to raise funds for this purpose. A neat sum was realized and the Senior II's are looking forward to giving the Senior III's a good time.

Before the play the audience was entertained by some members of the school orchestra. Between acts Misses Janice Danforth and Hilda Hart sang several popular songs with Miss Nell Wells as accompanist. The play was attended by a large audience, and is considered generally very successful. We wish to thank again those who so kindly gave us their attention and presence that night.

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UNIQUE ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bugs of Isabella announce the engagement of their daughter, Ura Nut, to Izzy Bright. The wedding to be solemnized on Friday night, April 17, 1931, at the school auditorium.

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Most folks want things to be different, no matter how different they are already.

We Cordially
Invite
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pate
To Dine With Us
Sunday, April 5, 1931
As Our Guests.

THE DIXIE CAFE

Manless Wedding At Jemison School

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lie Shaw and Mrs. Lily Glass); flower girls are Flo Ella Woodruff and Tina Mae Townsend (Mrs. Lizzie Erwin and Miss Leacy Newell); ushers are Alexander Singleton and Zachariah Doubletree (Mrs. Clara Montgomery and Miss Leacy Newell). The best man is the handsome brother of the groom, Edward E. Doolittle. The ring-bearer is the little brother of the bride, Tobiah Elisha Hasnothing better known as Toby. The pianist is Mary Ann Margold .Lola Erwin). The officiating minister is Thomas Dixon Hitchumup (Miss Nell Wells). The father of the bride, Joshua Josiah Jackson Doolittle (Mrs. Vira Crysel). The father of the groom is Thomas Timothy Hasnothing (Mrs. Etta Mims). The butler is Cicero Bringumin (Miss Margie Murphy)

Out-of-town guests are Samuel Samson (Mrs. Edna Reynolds), Mrs. Amos Arlington (Mrs. Hutsey Dykes) and her adorable baby, Gloria (Mrs. MacDonald) and the attractive twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McMillan, May and Fay (Misses Bessie Jesse and Tommie Lee Sims). The other guests are members of the chapter.

Directed by John Jason Johnson (Mrs. Nora Wells).

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WELL KNOWN CORSETIERE AT THE FAIR STORE HERE TODAY

Mrs. Nan Broadnax, well known corsetiere from the Gossard Company, is at The Fair Store today, to demonstrate the Gossard line of corsets, brassiers and some recent styles just placed on the market.

The Commander-in-Chief of the A. E. F.
General John J.
PERSHING
Tells
his story of the
World War

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OUNG GIRL IS HOT IN BACK ERE SATURDAY

C. Goodson Surrenders To heriff after Killing Sweetheart Saturday Night

tragedy, new in its kind to Clan- occurred here last Saturday night n J. Collier Goodson, age 22, shot instantly killed Miss Ruby Davis, 17. The shooting took place at the e of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Aldrich, reside near the over-head bridge Clanton about ten o'clock.

ccording to the story given the s Goodson and Miss Davis had sweethearts for sometime, they ing been thrown together after dson became employed on a farm he Enterprise Community, the home Miss Davis. Goodson's home is in taugaville, Alabama, although he had n working on a farm in this county sometime.

ue to the objection of members of Davis's family, to the attentions Goodson, she was sent to Talladega school, in order that she would be y from her suitor. Reports state Goodson had made threats against s Davis before the shooting, and t he told her mother that if Ruby sent away to school she would be ry

liss Davis arrived in Clanton the

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t. Pleasant Has Organized A Club

ince the large 4-H Club Rally was d in Clanton recently, with over 200 b boys of the county attending, Mt. asant, one of the splendid communi- of this county, has organized a 4-H b. Officers of this recent club are P. Culp, president; Ralph Mims, resident; Renfroe Price, secre- y-treasurer; Curtis Traywick, re- ter; Woodrow Price, cheer leader; ram Littlejohn, song leader and Al- t Culp as Adult Community Leader. his newly formed club in this coun- now has about thirty members, all ive and very much interested in its rk. The officers are all in fine nding and well qualified to attend their respective duties.

OSER OF PURSE IS ANXIOUS O HAVE IT RETURNED TO HER

Last Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Thorn- en of Chicago, who is visiting rela- in Thorsby, was a visitor to Clan- n and to Lay Dam also. While re- rning from the dam, or just before e left the dam, she lost a purse, con- ining a railroad pass made out to her the Illinois Central Railroad, some and memoranda. Mrs. Thorn- en is very anxious to get this purse d especially the railroad pass re- rned to her and is offering $10 re- rd for its return to Howard Bros. notify the News office.

ROSPECTS GOOD FOR A FINE ROP BERRIES IN THIS SECTION

Prospects for a good crop of straw- rries in this section are good at this me, according to L. E. Diefenderfer f Clanton, who is well posted on the atter, and others in various parts of e county, it was learned this week.

At present, it was stated, the berries ave a fine chance of being of a good ze and no doubt the price will be in cordance. Unless something unfore- een occurs in weather conditions, this ear's crop of strawberries in Chilton ounty will be a good one.

AMERICAN LEGION HAS INTERESTING MEETING MON. NIGHT

A most interesting meeting was held here at the courthouse by the Chilton County Post of the American Legion, last Monday night, their regular meeting night.

Several out-of-town speakers were on the program. Music was furnished by two string bands from this county, and several visitors were present. It was stated that the membership in the local post of the Legion is now one hundred and three, and indications are that the membership will increase steadily in the future.

TWO CONCERNS SPONSOR BIG AD SCHEDULE

News Given Contract For A Large Amount of U. S. Tire Advertising

As more evidence that growing concerns believe in the business of advertising is shown by the large amount of space to be used in the Chilton County News for the advertising of United States tires. This order was recently received by the News and will run over the signatures of the Thorsby Garage, at Thorsby, Ala., and Clanton Motors, local Ford Dealers.

This schedule on U. S. Tire advertising began in the News two weeks ago, and will continue for several weeks to come. In this week's issue the ad is from the Thorsby Garage, of which E. N. Bentley is proprietor. The Thorsby Garage is located on the Birmingham highway and is never closed. Mr. Bentley has been a believer in the quality of U. S. Tires and tubes and is using space in the News to push this product.

In last week's News Clanton Motors, of which T. J. Littlejohn is manager, occupied space on U. S. Tires. These advertisements will appear alternately from these two popular business concerns week by week.

Fiddlers' Convention At Verbena School

Owing to the rain on last Friday evening, the Fiddlers' Convention scheduled to be held at Verbena on Friday evening, April 3, was postponed until the following Friday evening, April 10.

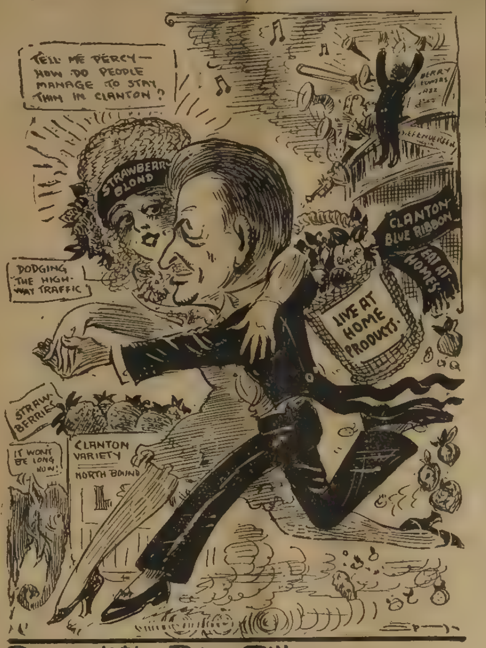
We are very glad to make this announcement, as many who had planned to go were kept away by the very bad weather. A number of fiddlers came, and a fair number of people, and a few numbers were played. From the excellence of these samples those who attend the Convention on Friday night, April 10, at Verbena, are assured a very high order of fiddling, and are certain to have a fine evening's entertainment.

Announce to your friends the above change of date for the convention, and go to Verbena tomorrow night. Admission prices will be 15c for children and 25 cents for adults. Fiddlers and one accompanist will be admitted free. Doors will be open at seven o'clock.

PARTY FROM HERE MAKE A TRIP BY MOTOR INTO TEXAS

A party composed of Dr. Napoleon Johnson, Frank Callen, C. Fenn Jones and C. B. Cox, left this week for a motor trip into the state of Texas. They expect to be gone for several days.

F. A. Ellison of North Clanton, was in Clanton Monday.



Representative Percy Pitts - - -

The above cartoon was taken from The Montgomery Advertiser of last Friday morning, showing Hon. Percy Pitts in his interest in the strawberry growing of Chilton County, with our friend, L. E. Diefenderfer, directing the berry music in Clanton. The cartoon is by "Spang," eminent artist of The Montgomery Advertiser.

MAPLESVILLE MAN ENDS LIFE BY HANGING

D. M. Apperson Found Suspended from Rafter in Barn By Wife Last Week

D. M. Apperson, age 67, ended his life last week by hanging himself, according to information received by the News. The story gathered by the News stated that Apperson was found suspended by a short rope from a rafter in his barn, at his home near Maplesville, Alabama, Wednesday of last week.

The information stated that Apperson wrote his sons a letter, and at the

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UNITED STATES ENTERED WAR FOURTEEN YEARS AGO MONDAY

Fourteen years ago, last Monday, marked another anniversary of the time that the United States entered the World War. There was no radio then to spread the news, anyway the nation knew it was coming. From office, farm, factory and college, began a trek of American boys to the nearest enlistment place. It is all a memory now but the veterans who went "over there" could tell you how it felt on April 6, 1917.

NEGRO DRIVES WRECKER INTO LARGE PLATE GLASSES HERE

It must have been a case of mistaken identity in gears on an automobile wrecker that caused a negro to break two of the large plate glass windows in the front of the show rooms of Clanton Motors, local Ford dealers late Tuesday night.

These plate glass windows are perhaps the largest in Clanton, and face toward the Birmingham highway. The negro driving the wrecker stated that he became confused in shifting the gears of the car, and it went in the opposite direction he intended it to go, it was stated. But, anyway he managed to stop it after breaking the expensive glasses.

SINGING CONVENTION AT PLEASANT GROVE CHURCH

The Sacred Harp and Christian Harmony singers of Chilton County will meet in semi-annual convention on the 1st Sunday in May and the Saturday before at Pleasant Grove M. P. Church, 7 miles southwest of Clanton.

All are invited to attend. The church is in an ideal location, good roads all around.

Mr. A. J. Tyus and children spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus.

LEGIONNAIRES AUXILLIARY FORMED HERE

State President Here and Gets 25 Members For Local Organization

At the regular meeting of the Chilton County Post of the American Legion, held in Clanton last Monday night, Mrs. H. E. McClung of Birmingham, State President of the American Legion Auxiliary, and Mrs. Evans, State Historian for the organization, were present. There were several other ladies of the county present at the meeting also, and for the purpose of organizing an American Legion Auxil-

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CHESTER WINGARD AND D. S. WINGARD TOURING FLORIDA

Chester Wingard, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Wingard, with his grandfather, D. S. Wingard, left Tuesday for a tour of the State of Florida. They will make the trip in the trusty old Ford and stated that the extent of their sight-seeing tour would depend entirely on the Ford, as it would probably have all the say-so.

SPRING HERE, UNDOUBTEDLY; BEES PAY CLANTON A VISIT

Clanton became an attraction for a rather large swarm of fine bees last Tuesday morning. Where they came from, nor where they were going was not learned, but Lee Oden, negro, soon made up their minds for them and now they have become residents of Clanton, and are living near the jail. That is, that was where they were domiciled Tuesday after Lee went to a lot of pains—not the hurting kind—to get them to settle.

SARDIS COMMUNITY IS WELL REPRESENTED IN CLANTON

The coming little community of Sardis, just west of Clanton, was well represented in Clanton on Wednesday afternoon of last week. The News office received a pleasant visit from several of the citizens of that fine community of this county. Among those calling at the News office from the Sardis community were G. W. Sansom, J. T. Minor, G. E. Sansom, S. S. Sansom, V. A. Short, Garland Deason, Ira Scott, J. P. Smith, W. M. Smith.

While in Clanton these men also were fortunate enough to be here in time to view the largest tire in the world, the big Goodyear tire which was at Dief's Service Station. We are always glad to have a delegation of citizens as these call at the News office.

TO DELIVER SERMONS NEXT SUNDAY IN CHILTON CO.

DR. L. E. BARTON

L. E. BARTON TO DELIVER THREE SERMONS SUN.

Baptist Secretary Will Fill Engagements Over County On April The 12th

The people of various sections of Chilton County are looking forward to next Sunday when Dr. L. E. Barton, Baptist secretary, will be in Chilton County to deliver three sermons, one at Liberty Hill church, one at Collins Chapel church and at the Jemison Baptist church, according to an announcement from the Rev. J. W. Jones, pastor of the Thorsby Baptist church.

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At Collins Chapel, the singing so-

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W.O.W. Meeting For Monday Night Here

The Clanton Woodmen of the World will meet on next Monday night, April 13th, for a meeting of special interest according to E. C. Evans, district manager.

Mr. Evans stated that all members of the local order are urged to be present Monday night. Several new members are to be initiated and some matters of importance taken up. The meeting will begin at eight o'clock.

POLK BROS. OFFERING USED CARS IN BIG LOW-PRICE SALE

In this week's issue of the News, Polk Brothers Motor Company, Inc., local Chevrolet dealers, are running a large ad, telling the people of this section of some values they have to offer in the line of good used cars.

These cars, according to this motor concern, are all in good condition, and bear the tag of the "OK That Counts." See the ad in this issue of the News.

EIGHT ARRESTS BOOKED BY SHERIFF IN PAST FEW DAYS

Information from the office of the Sheriff of this county Tuesday stated that eight violators of the law had been booked here since last Thursday. The majority of these were for violating the prohibition law, it was stated.

A BUSINESS REVIVAL IN THE FALL FORECAST

Railroad President Predicts Better Conditions By End Of Present Year

Gradual improvement in general business conditions throughout the country is taking place and by Fall the revival will be in full swing, asserted Fred W. Sargent, president Chicago & Northwestern Railway, who came to Birmingham Monday to speak at the luncheon of the Birmingham Traffic and Transportation Club. While there has been some improvement since January 1, he said, he based his prediction of a full return of prosperity by Fall on the recent call money interest rates, lowest in the history of the country, which he said, to his mind, is a sign that the bottom of the business depression has been reached.

Transportation Discussed

Discussing the transportation problem, which he said is a serious one, Mr. Sargent declared the railroads do not object to fair competition, but insist that if the railroads are to be regulated so should their competitors

Congress, he said, passed an act fixing an eight-hour day for railroad train crews with a penalty for a violation of the act, while there is no such regulation of motor trucks. If a rail-

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Local String Band Enters In Contest

Chilton County is again about to receive more honors. That is, if the string band from this county, known as "Our Band" wins the contest being sponsored by radio Station WAPI, in Birmingham, where this little band has been playing almost every Saturday afternoon. It is composed of Chilton County boys and they sure make some real good music.

In order to help "Our Band" win the contest write, wire or telephone Station WAPI, in Birmingham, Alabama and put in a good word, or several good words for the band. Address your cards or letters or telegrams to: "Our Band" in care of Station WAPI, Birmingham, Alabama, and help the boys win the contest.

CLANTON VISITED BY STUDENTS OF MONTG. MILITARY ACADEMY

Clanton received a visit last Tuesday afternoon from fourteen students of the Montgomery Military Academy. These fine looking young men were returning from Birmingham where they had been to visit the Phillips High School, and study its discipline. They were under the direction on the trip of Col. William T. Ward, president of the military academy.

Col. Ward stated that he was well impressed with the manner of the students at the Birmingham school, and paid that place some high compliments. Col. Ward is also lecturer on Economics at Womans College, in Montgomery as well as being an outstanding figure in various affairs over the state. He is a World War veteran, and has traveled extensively over the world, having served in various capacities under the government, before and during the World War. He complimented the News on having secured the publication rights of the story by General Pershing, which begins in this issue

L. P. Mills, merchant of Billingsley, was among the business visitors to Clanton Thursday.

PERSHING'S WORLD WAR STORY BEGINS IN THIS WEEK'S NEWS

Ex-Service Men Invited To Write Stories Of Their Experiences

Relieving the impatience of those who have been anxiously awaiting the opening chapter of General Pershing's story on the World War, titled, "My Experiences in the World War," the story begins in this issue of the News

Judging from indications coming from various sources, the ex-service men, relatives of ex-service men, have been looking forward to reading this great article about the World War.

The News has extended an invitation to all ex-service men to write stories of some of their own experiences during the war. These stories will be published by the News when sent in. They will not necessarily have to be tragic experiences, but all will be accepted. Perhaps some soldier has had a very amusing experience, or an experience that caused his hair to rise from his head. All these stories are asked for. All stories must be signed. The News will gladly edit the stories if requested, but it is preferred that the stories be written in the own words of the writer. Begin this first installment of Gen. Pershing's story, and read it each week. You will no doubt learn of things that you have never heard of before. It is truly an educational story.

KIWANIS CLUB BRINGS A MOST UNIQUE PICTURE TO CLANTON

"Just Imagine" Will Show A Writer's Idea of World In Fifty Years

The people of this section will soon have an opportunity to see a writer's idea of what this world will look like in the year 1980, almost fifty years from now. Trips to Mars in a rocket ship—people with numbers instead of names as we have now—bringing people back to life after they have been dead sometime—and a love story that goes along with it all.

This picture is "Just Imagine," and is booked to be shown at the Wadesonian Theatre in Clanton three nights, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights of next week, April 13, 14, and 15. It is being put on by the Clanton Kiwanis Club, with the kind assistance and cooperation of C. W. Wade, proprietor of the Wadesonian Theatre. There will be a slight increase in price of admission, and reserve seats will also be sold beforehand, as it is expected that record crowds will be in Clanton to see this unique talking picture.

Miss Mary Ellis, a member of the faculty of the Piper school, at Piper, Alabama, spent last Sunday in Clanton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Ellis.

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4.50-21	$5.69
4.75-19	$6.65
4.75-20	$6.75
5.00-19	$6.98
5.00-20	$7.10
5.25-21	$8.57

TRUCK TIRES

30 x 5 8-ply, H.D. $19.95
32x6 10-ply, H.D. $33.00

THORSBY GARAGE

E. N. BENTLEY, Proprietor Thorsby, Ala

DO FARMERS MAKE THE BEST HUSBANDS?

Somebody has started a country-wide argument by asserting that farmers make the best husbands. Figures quoted by Wheeler McMillen, Associate Editor of the Country Home, a national farm publication, show that while 15 out of every 100 city marriages end in the divorce court, only seven out of every 100 farm marriages are dissolved by the judge.

Mr. McMillen admits that "perhaps it does not follow that because twice as many city people get divorces, therefore farmers and their wives are twice as happy together."

that the surest way to have a permanent marriage is to say "yes" to a farmer.

From that display of statistics, the average woman may readily deduce

He has been asking farm people, both men and women, about it, and they don't all give the same explanation. One farm woman said in the present of her spouse that so far as she was concerned the answer was that she didn't care about changing husbands, because the one she had was bad enough.

Another farm woman said that the reason farmers get fewer divorces was because they couldn't afford it. One cynical-minded farmer remarked bluntly that "wives are the hardest farm problem to solve."

The facts about the farm marriage Mr. McMillen declares as a result of his investigation, are these: that the wife is closer to her husband's business on the farm than in any other occupation. "The home is the farmer's office, and his factory is the landscape outside," Mr. McMillen explans. "From the first furrow in spring to the end of the year, the work goes on under the farmwoman's eyes. Naturally her interest in it is more intimate than if her husband's daily toil meant no more to her than the possibility of a new icebox, a new dress, or a new car out of his pay check. She is a partner in the business as well as in the home. There are fewer divorces among farmers, I think, because they are too busy, and also because they are happier in their home than most city folk."

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Alabama Farmers Cut Down Expenses

With a view to increasing their net returns Alabama farmers are "cutting corners" and reducing their production costs this year. According to county agents they are doing it several ways:

1. They are making better gardens, thereby producing food for the family and reducing living expenses and "living at home."

2. They are balancing their farming between livestock and crops with a view to more efficient use of labor thruout the year, thereby increasing their earnings.

3. They are making more use of improved machinery which increases the efficiency of labor.

4. They are producing more feed for livestock, thereby reducing expenditures for feed and increasing the net balance.

Reports from over the State indicate a decided trend in these directions. They are essential to low-cost production, which is as essential to successful farming as to manufacturing, or to any other business, county agents declare.

Included with other things they are giving more attention to better seed and fertilizer, and to other factors intended to improve farming and decrease expenses. Because of the economic strengency the use of fertilizer is being curtailed, although the Experiment Station at Auburn has shown conclusively that fertilizer properly used will pay well under 1931 conditions.

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Police reported that William Burkholder, a beggar, of Minneapolis, Minn., called on the housewives along his route in a car.

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"Old Stuff," said a Chicago policeman when Benjamin Drell, arrested for speeding, said he was hurrying home to greet a new baby, but his alibi was later proved true.

NOTICE

State of Alabama, Complainant, vs. One Chevrolet, Coach, 1929 Model, Respondent.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against one Chevrolet Coach, 1929 Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 28th day of March, 1931, One Emmett McKee did transport in one Chevrolet Coach 1929 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama to another, and that said automobile was on said day seized by the Sheriff of said County, and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Ala., and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 7th, day of May, 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 6th day of April, 1931.

GEO. F. SMOOT,
Judge of the 19th Judicial Circuit.
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News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

Mrs. G. F. Harper left for Florida Saturday to spend two weeks with her sisters.

There will be preaching service at the Baptist church Sunday morning and Sunday evening. We want a full congregation.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray spent Sunday in Prattville.

Mr. G. F. Harper spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Willis.

Mrs. Relious Franklin and Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway spent Friday in Montgomery shopping.

Mrs. S. C. Wood, Frank Wood, and Mrs. Mack Gray spent Wednesday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Collins, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith and their small son, Lamar, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Gore.

Dr. Horace Franklin spent the week end at home.

Mr. Willie Scott of Montgomery spent Sunday at home.

Mr. Arnold Soberg spent the week end at home.

Miss Arnold Soberg spent the week end at home.

Miss Esther Johnson of Birmingham spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson.

Miss Doris Freeman who is attending Piedmont College, Demorest, Ga., spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. G. W. Freeman.

Miss Dolly Collins of Birmingham is spending several days visiting relatives in and about Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Marcus spent Sunday with Mr. Marcus's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Posey Marcus of Clanton.

Mr. Arnold Littleton of Selma spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hayes.

Mrs. Webb Sharp returned home Sunday from a Birmingham hospital. She is much improved and we are indeed glad to have her back home.

Mr. Akins Collins and Mrs. Leonard Hayes went to Birmingham Saturday to see their mother, Mrs. John H. Collins, and her doctor said she was a little better.

Misses Loutisha and Willodean Bean were the hostesses to a card party on Saturday evening. The out of town guests were: Misses Ruth, Elsie and Marjorie Turner, Miss Dollie Collins, Mr. Harris Turner, and Mr. Tom Lesley, all of Birmingham, and Mr. Russell Sutley, of Clanton.

Master Thomas Hayes came in from school sick Monday. Chances are, he is taking measles.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Robinson spent the week end at Mrs. Robinson's home in Thorsby.

Mr. Luther Rowe and Mr. Raymond Dykes of Howard College spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Raybon.

Mr. J. W. Hayes, Mr. W. A. Hayes, Miss Clara Hayes and Miss Loutisha Bean are visiting relatives in Mobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Collins and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Collins and Mr. W. C. Forrester of Birmingham visited Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Bean Sunday night.

Mr. Roy Raybon came down Friday morning and carried his father-in-law Mr. Chas. A. Peterson, back to Birmingham with him.

Misses Hazel Maddox and Annie Lou Arthur and Messrs. Roy Haynes and Taft Gill, students of Piedmont College, Demorest, Ga., were delegates to the C. L. C. this week end.

Little Mary Alma Goodgame and Emily Cleckler are victims of pneumonia.

Mr. Herbert Adams of Gadsden spent the week end with Miss Ruth Martin.

Little Lessie Robinson is ill with measles.

Miss Dessie Robinson, who is working in the Dixie Cafe at Clanton, spent Friday night at home.

Miss Edith Hand of Birmingham visited Mrs. M. A. Wright Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Sidney J. Davenport spent the week end with home folks.

On Friday evening at 2:30 Mrs. M. A. Wright, primary teacher here, gave her pupils an Easter egg hunt. The child finding the most eggs received a prize. Little Clayton Martin found 14 eggs and won the prize.

Little Charles Robinson, Marjorie and Sam Bentley are sick with measles.

Measles are the latest out in Thorsby. Those who wish to be in style get exposed at once.

Miss Mary Nell Jones from Clanton spent the week end with Miss Lois Thompson.

Miss Mattie Scott of Birmingham spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Retice Collins of Birmingham visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson Thursday.

Mrs. Robert M. Smith is suffering with the flu at the home of her sister, Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

Miss Mary Sue Robinson spent last week end in Clanton visiting Miss Clyde Jones.

Miss Jennye Robinson and Virginia Bice of Palatka, Florida, are expected to arrive in Thorsby this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Townsend of Birmingham were visiting in Th over the week end.

Miss Theresa Gibbons of Deat was a guest in Thorsby over the end.

Miss T. A. South of Birmingham spending several days at her hom Thorsby.

Messrs. A. C. Nelson, Clanton; L son, Clanton; Mr. Gerald Smith, Th by; N. A. Long, Midland City; Re E. Each, Thorsby; and Misses Luc Ayers, Marguerite Davidson left Th by Monday morning in Rev. N. Long's and Miss M. Davidson's car attend the Rural Church School Nashville, Tenn.

Miss Dora Brackin, Congregatio Sunday School worker, was in Th by over the week end, helping in C. L. C. which was a grand success

Mr. Sam Pate went fishing Tuesd Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Nix of Opp visiting his brother, Mr. Jim Nix

Mr. Frank Nelson of Thorsby wa visitor in Clanton Tuesday afternoo

Without committing bigamy, M Jessie Jones of Glenolden, Pa., the chief of police, the fire chief, building inspector, the director of str cleaning, and the dog catcher, as husband holds all of these positions

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Mrs. Caroline M. Willetts of Chic who celebrated her 97th birthday cently, has never been sick.

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The Republic of Andorra, a mid country lying between France a Spain, pays its president a yearly ary of $15.

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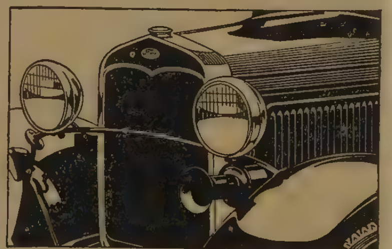

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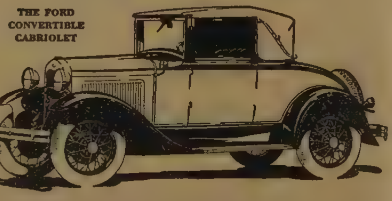
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NATION'S TYPICAL BOY AND DOG SOUGHT

$250 Prize And Fame Offered Chosen Pair By Kennel Foundation

Wanted—America's typical boy and dog.

The Chappel Kennel Foundation, Rockford, Illinois, in its search for the nation's typical youngster and canine pal, has appealed to the News for aid in finding them if they happen to be located in this section.

Two hundred and fifty dollars in cash and immortality by having their likenesses reproduced in oils on canvas by a famous artist await the chosen pair, which the Foundation is anxious to preserve for the inspiration of future generations as a symbol of the high type of companionship represented by the boy-dog combination of our own day. The winning team will also be presented to many notables, will probably be starred on the radio and in the movies, and in general enjoy the plaudits of an admiring multitude.

Selection of the winning pair is to be left in the hands of a jury of prominent men and women which is now being completed. The choice is to be made from nominations which the public is invited to submit to the Foundation prior to Sept. 15, 1931. Photographs of contestants may be submitted with the nominations, but a final decision will not be made by the judges until they have seen and investigated the leading candidates.

To be eligible for nomination to the boy-and-dog contest, a youngster must not be under four or over fourteen years of age. The dog must be his own or that of a member of his immediate family. The age, size, color or breed of the dog are of secondary importance.

In inaugurating the boy-dog search, L. J. Brosemer, director of the Foundation, stated:

"Character building in the young is one of the great problems of the times. The Foundation is convinced that a dog makes a boy a better man and is encouraging every home with a boy to keep a pure-bred dog. A recent study of a large penal institution revealed the fact that less than one per cent of its inmates had a pet to play with in their formative years. Through the bog-dog contest, the Foundation hopes to catch the spirit of this comradeship and perpetuate it in some tangible form for this and future generations."

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RURAL CHURCH MEET AT AUBURN PLANNED

Auburn, Ala., April 8.—During the period of June 22-26, 1931, a rural church conference will be held at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute. It will be the first of its kind at Auburn and the central theme, as announced by Prof. L. N. Duncan, chairman of the committee on arrangements, will be "the rural church, its opportunity, and its place in the rural program."

Plans for it are being worked out by a committee composed of the ministers of Auburn churches and Prof. Duncan The local ministers are Rev. Bruce McGehee of the Methodist Church; Rev. J. R. Edwards of the Baptist Church; Rev. W. B. Lee of the Episcopal Church; Rev. Sam Hay of the Presbyterian Church; and Rev. Milligan Earnest of the Christian Church.

The conference will be entirely non-denominational, Mr. Duncan said. The aim is to assist ministers and members of the rural churches in solving their problems and also increasing the services of the rural church to the community, he added.

The program has not been arranged but it is understood that leading laymen and church workers will participate. During the forenoons lectures will be given on agricultural subjects; in the afternoons field trips will be made and demonstations conducted; during the evening programs there will be inspirational lectures and services and religious exercises, Mr. Duncan explained.

An invitation to attend the conference is extended to all who are interested. It was pointed out that ministers in towns and smaller cities, as well as those in strictly rural sections, will find the conference interesting and valuable.

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Washington's only all-woman taxicab firm, after operating for months as the "You and Me Cab Company," recently went out of business because it could not get enough competent women drivers.

NEW 25c PIECE TO BE MADE IN U. S. SOON

Within the next few days, Andrew W. Mellon, Secretary of the Treasury, will invite prominent artists throughout the country to submit designs for the new quarter dollar which will be issued next year as part of the nation-wide celebration of the Two Hundredth Anniversary of the Birth of George Washington.

This will be the first United States coin of regular issue to bear the image of Washington. It is authorized by legislation enacted just before the adjournment of Congress.

While the selection of the exact design for the George Washington quarter rests with the Secretary of the Treasury, Representative Sol Bloom, Associate Director of the George Washington Bicentennial Commission, will be consulted before the decision is made Mr. Bloom has furnished the Treasury with a profile photograph of the bust of George Washington by Houdon, now at Mount Vernon, which has been selected by the Portrait Committee of the George Washington Bicentennial Commission as the best likeness of Washington in existence. This profile probably will be used on the new twenty-five cent piece.

The portrait of the First President was used on a few coins made in 1783, but they were not issued or approved by the government. Such approval might have been given but for Washington's modesty which no doubt made him feel that such honors were not for the living.

Although issued to commemorate the bicentenary of Washington's birth the quarter will not be a commemorative coin in the true sense of the word. It will replace the twenty-five cent piece which has been minted since 1916 as a coin of a regular issue, and as such will be circulated at face value.

The true commemorative coin is issued to signalize some particular event and is sold at a premium. Only comparatively small numbers of each issue are made. Commemorative coins have not been used widely in the United States as in some other countries. The first to appear in this country was the Columbian half dollar made in 1892 with the bust of Columbus in honor of the immortal discoverer of America. Incidentally, the only commemorative quarter ever coined in the United States was made the following year. It bore the image of Isabella of Spain, the beneficent sovereign whose assistance made it possible for Columbus to carry out his cherished project.

The only coin of regular issue in the history of the United States, up to the present time, bearing the image of a President, is the Lincoln penny. This piece appeared in 1909 during the celebration of the centennial of the birth of the great Civil War President and was a result of popular demand.

One of the reasons for the selection of the quarter dollar to carry Washington's image is the popularity of this coin. Also, officials of the Treasury have been in favor of changing the design of the twenty-five cent piece now in use for other reasons as indicated in the following statement by Secretary Mellon:

"The design of the current quarter dollar has been the subject of considerable criticism. It wears very badly and is a difficult coin to manufacture; the design is too elaborate for the small surface, and it is almost impossible to bring the details into proper relief."

The first quarters were coined in 1793, the year following the act of Congress establishing the mint. Since that time, $161,483,091 have been produced in twenty-five cent pieces. The annual issue of this coin in recent years indicates that its popularity is increasing.

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"AARON SLICK"

"Aaron Slick from Punkin Crick," will be presented at Walnut Creek Church next Friday night, April 10. This play has been played successfully at Thomas Junior, Verbena and Thorsby. If you have not seen this play you should see it. If you have seen it you will want to see it again.

See "Aaron," propose to the widow "Berry." Mr. Merridew, the city slicker, meets his match in "Sis Riggs," the tomboy. "Gladys May," the city lady knows nothing about the country. "Clarence Green," the mysterious youth and the "Girl in Red" help add to the fun.

It is a clean rural comedy in three acts. The Devaughn Quartet will entertain between acts.

Admission 10 and 20 cents. The proceeds will be equally divided between Walnut Creek Church and Thomas Jr. School.

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Although Mrs. Lefia Pickford of Oakland, Me., has smoked a pipe 73 of her 81 years, she is hale and hearty.

Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School Lesson

for April 12

THE PRODIGAL SON

Luke 15:11-24

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

Here is one of the best known stories in all the world of literature. It is diverse in setting and rich in meaning. The chapter should be studied throughout and you will see three stories: the Lost Sheep, Lost Coin and Lost Son. Horace Greely said concerning this Parable of the Prodigal Son: "If there could be only one page in the Bible, I should choose that the single page should contain this parable."

Flaming Youth is a familia theme today and merely reflects the continuation of the same characteristics which were evident hundreds of years ago Here is a young man who does not feel at home though he has been living in the midst of all that his father has so abundantly provided. His real self is where he projects himself by his thinking. He wants so-called freedom to do the wrongs which are in his desire.

Money to spend in a non-productive manner is sought and the father yields. It may be that the older man was sure that only personal experience gained in the midst of the severest suffering could teach the foolish boy anything. Extravagances and positive sinful acts soon wrought their damages. The boy was cast off by those who helped him spend and no one would help him win back his manhood. The summit of despair and the beginning of a better day came when he really faced himself. The portrayal is the pathway of the sinner from penitence to regained consciousness of God's full forgiveness. It is never too late to go home to the Heavenly Father. The way back is never as hard as may appear. The crisis is passed when the penitent says "I will go" and begins the journey.

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FACTORY PAYROLLS GAIN IN FEBRUARY

During the month of February factory employment in the United States increased slightly less than usual while factory payrolls increased more than the seasonal amount from the low level of January, according to the Federal Reserve Bank at Atlanta.

Mt. Pisgah News

We are proud to say everybody seems to be improving over the flu, pneumonia, measles and whooping cough.

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The C. E. Society elected new officers for the 2nd quarter, 1931, who are President, Jake Henley; vice president, Lollie Edwards; secretary, Evelyn Brown; Arr. Com., Mrs. Beulah Henley and Miss Nell Yeargan; other committees as before. Everybody is invited to attend our C. E. and we would like to have your name on the roll call. We meet every Sunday night at 7 p.m.

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The friends of Steve Holley will be glad to learn that he and his wife are improving. Steve has been on the sick list for three months, with inflamatory rheumatism.

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Little Pauline and Eddie Charles Henley are improving after an attack of masles and whooping cough.

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Mr. and Mrs. I. B Yeargan and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Headley Sunday, March 29

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Our Sunday school was well attended Sunday, April 5. We have a good Sunday school here and expect a better one when spring opens. Everybody invited

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Mrs. W. J. Rolland gave her class, No. III, an egg hunt in the afternoon. Everyone reported a nice time.

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We were very sorry to learn the sad news of the death of Miss Ruby Davis. Her death was a shock to her many friends and loved ones. There was around two thousand people attended her funeral at Mt. Pisgah church on Monday morning, April 6.

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On their silver wedding anniversary, Rev. John Byddoke, 61, and his wife, 52, of Nottingham, Eng., celebrated by passing their final tests for air pilot certificates.

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Gino Benedetti of Viareggio, Italy, who like to whistle, imitated the song of birds so well that he was shot twice by Matrigalo di Leonida while the latter was hunting.

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Ill for 10 weeks from a lung infection which puzzled physicians, six-year-old Jo Hinkle of Evansville, Ind. coughed up a peanut and recovered.

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It's Never Too Late To Do Good

Even if the new year is well on its way, everyone of us should buckle down to business and do something.

We have had a lot of hard luck—much more than we deserved—and things just have to break our way, inasmuch as they have been going the other way for so long.

Without question the thought of success revives hope. So far as possible the unpleasant things that have annoyed, and interefered during the recent months will be thrust in the background, and a fresh start be taken.

It is just as well though, in looking forward to better things that one does not adopt the notion that something nice is going to be handed to him on a silver platter, and that all he has to do is to sit down and wait for the largess to show up.

Roger Babson once said that our children love us not for what we do for them, but for what they do for us.

That is a principle of life which is often forgotten or ignored, yet it contains the germ of all worthwhile success. A person prospers not through what some one else does for him, but in the measure that he has done something for himself and the world.

Success has its price tag, and while some may think they have been given passes and may obtain success and happiness without recompense, the experience of mankind is against them. The things that count, cost, and the things that do not cost are lightly prized and are quickly dissipated or disintegrated.

The theory of life that causes one to look to others to do something for him, is a mendicant's theory, and leads to mental inferiority and pauperism, materially and spiritually. The trouble with the socialistic theories is that it lends encouragement to the belief that one should look to someone else to take care of him, relieving him of personal responsibility and in effect, treating him as a ward, whose well being must be supervised by a conservator.

In the struggle for success during 1931 the prizes are rather sure to go to those who did not stand and wait for someone to do something for them, but to those who went out and earned it.

Whenever we reach the point where we are resolved to do the thing for ourselves, and not wait on the pleasure or the whim of others, then we will be biulding something which is bound to count in our favor.

It is becoming evident that there is no one able to save the farmer, or cure his unsatisfactory conditions, but those who farm for a living. Legislation may help or hinder, but the great impetus for real success must originate in and emanate from those whose interests are primarily locked up in the enterprise.

There is nothing finer in the world than friends. They are a great joy and a real comfort. They are invaluable, and their kindness and affection are highly prized. Yet a friend can do but little for one, even with the highest motives and abundant resources. To be sure he can help over the rough places now and then, but in the main he is helpless to do for you what is necessary for you to do for yourself.

The first lesson we need to review is that of self-reliance. We need to break away from the notion that life is without responsibilities. We ought to recognize frankly that a large part of our failure lies within us, and that it is both unfair and unwise to try to fasten the blame on outside agencies.

The public is beginning to be fed up on tales of calamity and failure. The time is coming when we should be met with a different song, sung in a more pleasing key.

It is time we quit expecting success to be thrust upon us and make up our minds to go out after it, and get it.

Theer should be more self-reliance, and less trying to get something for nothing.

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Are Mothers Too Busy?

With all the labor-saving devices of the modern home, and with all the emphasis given to education for living, it seems strange that so many mothers have so little time to look after their children.

An interesting study of the relationships between mothers and adolescent daughters has been made public by the Woman's Home Companion, the result of Doctor Eugenie Leonard's questioning several hundred girls between the ages of 11 and 19. Barely half the girls said that they would tell their mothers when they fell in love. A fourth of those who had "wondered about God" had never asked their mothers about Him. Many said they would not let their mothers know if they smoked. A considerable number do not even mention to their mothers their personal triumphs or the school activities which most interest them.

Mothers hinder confidence, Doctor Leonard learned from the girls, in various ways—by emotional outbreaks such as nagging, yelling and weeping, by the habit of making fun, by misunderstanding, by laying stress on shame or guilt, or by sheer lack of interest.

Most striking of all, however, is the assertion that "nearly every girl studied was impressed by how busy her mother was." The discerning editor who analyzes the statistics adds this comment: "What a pity it is that our civilization has become so complex that even in a daughter's moments of emergency or bewilderment or fear or pride, a modern mother is more likely than not to be 'too busy.'"

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The boys who went hatless through the winter might consider how smart they would appear if they also went barefoot.

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In former days people felt under obligation to support their political party; but now they expect their party to support them.

"ROUND TOWN"
---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

"It is not good to have too much liberty. It is not good to have all one wants."—Pascal.

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Although it may not be so good to have all one wants, that, however, does not hinder one from wanting lots of things. If I should have all I want, I'm afraid Clanton wouldn't hold it all.

I'd Like To Have:

A Rolls-Royce automobile that would be the talk of the town, and that I could drive under Dief's and say, "Fill 'er up, boys," and Herschel Gore, J. E. Easterling and Wilbur Scarbrough would really do that thing, too.

A bed that wouldn't creak when I turn over at night.

A burglar alarm like Mr. Lande has on his store.

A muzzle to fit certain young ladies I know.

A shirt with a collar and sleeves that really fitted me as it should.

A residence in Piper, Alabama, and a flying machine to make trips back and forth.

Patience and perseverance like that of L. E. Diefenderfer, and get notoriety about strawberries.

A bright little boy like Morris Wyatt.

An invitation to eat at Matt's Lunch Shoppe and at the Dixie Cafe.

A column on the front page of C. G. N. like John Temple Graves has on the Age-Herald.

A date some night with a certain blond school teacher.

A job that didn't require so much of my time.

Clothes so that I could dress as well as Claudie Pipes and Percy Pitts.

Some more friends like J. A. Hester, Mrs. Calloway, Otto Jones, Earl Parrish, John Page.

Enough money so that I would not have to write this column each week.

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Still They Wonder And Ask Why

I was handed a letter again this week, giving me, in a much more gentlemanly manner, a piece of somebody's mind—not that they think I need some more, I'm sure.

At your service, sir. The letter is published as requested:

Clanton, Ala., April 7, 1931.

Editor "Round Town" Column,
Chilton County News,
Clanton, Alabama.

Dear Sir:

From your pithy quotations of philosophy heretofore expressed, I thought that it might be in keeping therewith to address this letter to you in your representative capacity and ask for its publication. It is not my purpose to join or continue a correspondence controversy that might already exist. Neither is it my intention to start one between you and me.

You will recall having published derogatory remarks relative to our dances here. You will also recall that Mr. B. Fair took exceptions to same; and that you gave him an evasive answer. The matter then stopped. I had hoped that you two would continue until the question was cleared up and settled. But it seems that you wrote and forgot and he answered and signed off. Well, I am not content to let the discussion stop there. At least, I expect to remove, in part, the impression you have given your readers. You denied it, but read again and see if your remarks do not necessarily convey the idea that you did not think well of our dances. Why did you say that you were glad our teachers were not allowed to attend? And why did you follow that with a general condemnation of some dances, etc?

Now don't think that you've hit me below the belt, as you termed it; nor that I have a personal interest in the matter. However, I do attend these dances. And from the many dances in and out of this state in which I have participated, I feel that I am qualified to pass judgment. I'll give the Clanton dances good on conduct, and say that they are otherwise above par.

Perhaps I should have mentioned it in the outset, but will you allow me the same privilege that you are enjoying, that is to write under a nom de plume. Anyway, I am contemplating that you will eventually if not immediately recognize the phraseology.

I am not ready to concede that your standard of morality is above mine. You, as well as the other people of Chilton County know me, and know the things I stand for and the things that I am against. I am not writing this in defense of myself, nor anyone. It is impossible for any accusation to injure character. And it takes more than the condemnation you have issued to even impair a single reputation.

Will you not admit that you have criticized our dances without first making a thorough investigation? And have you not heretofore recommended that such jumping to conclusions is not good policy or even dangerous; and not to be preferred to other forms of calisthenics? And don't you think that dancing should be placed in the category of other legitimate forms of amusement, namely, swimming, playing golf, attending theatre, playing bridge and such other splendid means of entertainment? And do you not think that general objections to these as such are unfounded, spurious, and relics of fogyism?

The game may be good even though I do not enjoy it. But I shall always defend the rights of those who do.

Even though I may be feminine, which fact I do not care to disclose, I do not insist on having the last word, and do not contemplate that this will be the end of this petty discussion. But as for me I hope it will be all. However, I should like to ask here and now, that from now on if you will precede your criticism with an impartial investigation and follow through with sound discretion, parties affected cannot conscientiously complain.

A. Resenter.

In answer to questions in the above letter, I will say that the reason for the first, is that that is simply my opinion. The second—because that too, is merely my opinion of some dances, having attended several myself. I also am glad, "Resenter" that you take such a broad view of the matter, and you certainly have a right to express your opinion, and through this column if you wish, at any time, provided you write as you did, and I truly believe that you ARE qualified to write on such matters, and too, you may write under a nom de plume, if you wish.

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Sometime I think I'll arrange a little party, inviting B. Fair, A Resenter, The Perfessor, Dooker Pooker, and others who are on my list, and who have contributed to this column. Then and there, they will get an idea of what I think of a real party, and we'll have a big time together.

We See By The News That

Lamar Calloway, who is studying medicine at the University of Alabama, was in Clanton for the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Calloway. Lamar will complete his medical studies at the University sometime next month. He then plans to spend the summer in Clanton, before going to the Duke University, North Carolina, where he is to take a higher course in the profession he has chosen. He has recently become a member of the highest honorary fraternity in the medical school at the University, the "Fellow of Gorgas" fraternity. With his remarkable record, Clanton is justly proud of Lamar.

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G. W. Sansom, who resides on Maplesville, Route 2, was one of the many visitors to the News office Wednesday. Mr. Sansom is a regular reader of the News and we are proud to have his name on our mailing list.

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E. B. Mills, a merchant of Billingsley, Ala., was among the out-of-town visitors to Clanton Thursday. While in town Mr. Mills called at the News office.

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W. T. White of the Isabella Community and one of the outstanding citizens of the county was among the business visitors to Clanton Monday.

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J. W. Sisk, a rather progressive farmer who resides on Route Seven, was among the visitors to Clanton last Saturday. Mr. Sisk is a regular reader of the News, and while in town was a pleasant caller at the News office.

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Reuben Jackson, of the Collins Chapel community, was one of the visitors to Clanton Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Conway of the progressive Isabella community, was among the visitors here Monday.

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Miss Cora Belle Maddox, home economics instructor at the Isabella school was in Clanton shopping last Monday afternoon.

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J. R. Martin of Thorsby was among the out-of-town visitors to Clanton Monday.

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Louis Allen of near Jemison was a visitor to Clanton Monday.

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Walter Allen of Jackson, Tenn., was the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. E. Moore in Clanton last Monday.

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W. F. Glenn, who resides on Clanton Route 2, was in Clanton Wednesday, and while in town he was a caller at the News office.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geiger and family of Birmingham spent Easter with Mrs. Geiger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus.

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Gresham Lowery of Thorsby was a visitor to Clanton last week, and while in town called at the News office.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hayes and little son, Shelton Loy, Mr. Chester Hand of Birmingham and Mr. Cliance Hand of Cedartown, Georgia, spent Sunday with Mr. W. W. Hand and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Robinson of Mitchell Dam spent Sunday with friends and relatives in Clanton.

HE WENT TO SLEEP

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He went to sleep on an ADVERTISED mattress on an advertised bed. He shaved in the morning with an ADVERTISED razor, using ADVERTISED shaving cream and an ADVERTISED shaving brush and some ADVERTISED shaving lotion. He dresesd in ADVERTISED underwear, ADVERTISED shirt, shoes, socks, tie, and suit of clothes. He ate a breakfast of ADVERTISED grapefruit, coffee, bread, cereal and bacon. He smoked an ADVERTISED cigar, donned an ADVERTISED hat, and went out of his house that was covered with an ADVERTISED roof, rode to his office in an ADVERTISED automobile, using ADVERTISED gasoline and oil and ADVERTISED tires. What's the use of advertising anything? People never use advertised products. Now, correct that last sentence.

Look around you, Mr Merchant, and see how many things you are using that are ADVERTISED, and ask yourself the question, "Does it pay to advertise, and why do so many people advertise their products?"

A Business Revival In The Fall Is Forecast

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road requires one of its employes to work more than eight hours a day it is subject to indictment, he said, while the motor truck driver may continue on the job until physically exhausted. He termed this unfair competition.

Federal and state commissions regulate freight and passenger rates, he said, and require regular schedules, and the maintaining of regular schedules regardless of weather conditions, while the motor vehicle may suspend operations in bad weather.

Fair Competition Asked

"If the railroads cannot earn expenses and dividends for their stockholders under fair competition," he said, "then they are not entitled to continue. That is all we ask. Fair competition, and we think we are justly entitled to it."

He said the motor vehicles pay 7 per cent of their gross income in gasoline and other taxes but do not have to build or maintain their tracks. The railroads, he said, pay 7 per cent of their gross earnings and are compelled to build and maintain their tracks.

Senators Black and Bankhead, guests of the club, sat at the speakers table, and several times when discussing federal and state regulations Mr. Sargent turned to them, expressing the hope that Congress will do something to improve transportation conditions and enact legislation that will enable the railroads to operate on a profitable basis.

He said the railroads would spend hundreds of millions of dollars for track improvements, expansions and equipment and stockholders were assured of some return on their investment, but under existing conditions they are spending very little and will not spend any more than they can avoid until they see a chance to earn something on the investment.

"I deem it a great privilege indeed to be able to visit Birmingham under auspices of the Traffic and Transportation Club and to have the opportunity of observing and studying at first hand the great industrial advance made in this remarkable region," Mr. Sargent said.

"It was not many years ago that the South was not looked upon as a leader in the industrial development of the country. That situation has entirely changed and it may be entirely accurate to say that the forward-looking business men of Birmingham have played an outstanding part in this transition. No longer ago than 1910 the total manufactured products of the United States was approximately $20,000,000,000 in value. The great bulk of this came from the Northern industrial regions. It is interesting to note that the South produced in 1920 manufactured goods equal in value to 50 per cent of all the manufactured products in the entire country in 1910.

"The region is blessed with a remarkable all-year-round climate, with varied and natural resources, unexcelled transportation facilities, a virile and forward looking citizenship, all of which convinces me that it has only started upon this real program of industrial development. More and more each year the people of the North are turning their eyes toward this region, not only with admiration for what you have achieved, but in the hope and belief that closer and more profitable commercial, industrial and social intercourse may be developed between all sections of the great inland empire bounded on the north by the Dominion of Canada, on the east by the Great Lakes and Alleghenies, on the west by the Rocky Mountains, and on the south by the Gulf of Mexico.

"Unfortunately all sections of our country have been passing through an unprecedented period of economic depression. But today we may say with confidence that the worst is behind us, and if we have the courage and fortitude of the pioneers who preceded us we may look to the future with a sense of confidence in the belief that prosperity is going to return upon a more stable and permanent basis than we have heretofore experienced."

Harmony Urged

As an era of prosperity once more settles down over the country, he said, it behooves the people of the "inland empire" to ascertain if there is not some way whereby great regions in this territory can work in closer harmony and that the states to the north should offer expanding markets for Southern products.

"From my observation," he said, "I am led to believe we have never yet thoroughly and enthusiastically and energetically tried properly to develop the trade relations that might and no doubt ought to exist up and down and through the states that lie in the great Mississippi basin. I am sure the people of the North entertain a most kindly attitude toward the people of the South and they would welcome with enthusiasm any efforts you desire or may put forth to see and get a more cordial and intense intercourse in trade relations, and I believe the time is here when all sections of this great inland empire can be of mutual advantage to one another in hastening the return of prosperity which is sure to come in developing and maintaining trade relations that would be of outstanding advantage to all."

Young Girl Is Shot In Back Saturday

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past week end to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. W. C. Davis, and her sisters, Pauline and Berniece Davis. Pauline lives at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aldrich, and is one of the popular waitresses at the Dixie Cafe here. Berniece lives with her mother in the Enterprise community and the three sisters were together in Clanton Saturday night. This visit by Ruby was her first here since going to school in Talladega, where two of her brothers reside.

Goodson is said to have stopped a car in which the Misses Davis were riding early Saturday night, and attempted to get Ruby to go with him, but was refused. He is then said to have gone to the Aldrich home where he asked to see his former sweetheart, and being told that she was not there, he is said to have forced his way into the house where he had a few words with the girl, trying to get her to go with him. She refused and Goodson, it was stated, drew his pistol and the girl grabbed it, the first shot going wild. As he wrenched free, she turned and he shot her three times in the back, each shot going through her body. Witnesses stated according to information, that Goodson then struck her over the head with the gun. She died in the arms of her sister, Pauline.

Reports state that one of the sisters of the victim notified a policeman in town that the young man was at the home and had a gun with him, and she believed he intended killing her sister. However, before officers reached the scene Goodson had already shot the girl.

Goodson is then said to have left the house, throwing his gun, a 38-calibre revolver in the yard, and went to the home of Sheriff W. H. Gillespie, where he stated he wished to be placed in jail, giving no reason for it. The sheriff told him he could not put him in jail unless he, Goodson, told what he had done. Goodson made no other statement, and turned and walked away, later meeting a deputy sheriff and told him he wished to be put in jail. The deputy questioned him, finding that he had shot a girl. Goodson was placed in jail shortly after the shooting, and since that time has made no statement.

He was removed to the county jail in Montgomery last Sunday due to the work being done here on repairing the jail. His eyes red from weeping and loss of sleep, with tears trickling down his cheeks, Goodson would make no answers to questions asked him by a news reporter in Montgomery. His only move would be a shaking of his head and an occasional sob. Lying face down on the cot in the county jail, he seldom raised his thin, meek face which he kept buried in the pillow. When asked Sunday if there was any statement he wished to make, he would only shake his head.

Miss Davis is a member of a well known family of this section. She was considered one of the most attractive young ladies of the Enterprise community, and a popular student at the school in Talladega. She is a member of the Mount Pisgah church, near Enterprise, where she also attended school for sometime.

Funeral services were held last Monday morning, with the Rev. F. A. Gibson officiating. Interment followed in the Mt. Pisgah cemetery, with Martin of Clanton in charge. Surviving is the mother, Mrs. W. C. Davis; two sisters, Pauline and Berniece. Four brothers, Stanley of Montgomery; Augusta and Baker of Talladega, and Luther of Clanton; and a host of friends.

The large number of people attending the funeral of this attractive and loved young lady, and the number of beautiful floral offerings from people of prominence, attested to her popularity.

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Representative Massey Edgar, of Washington County has braved the wrath of the unconditional prohibitionists by introducing a bill which would legalize the sale of "nigh" beer in the state of Alabama and impose a tax of three cents per bottle on its sale, for the further support of the public schools. Those who sometimes imbibe and who have tried the stuff in other states say that it is "vanity and vexation of spirit" and that a man could not hold enough of it to make him feel good. But even at that, Massey is a brave man, for he has invited the lightnings of the unconditional prohibitionists and the makers of the illicit strong stuff that we are told "paints landscapes on the brains of men."

Extra Good Program At Local Theatre

The program of the Wadesonian Theatre for the coming several nights can be classed as among the best. In another place in this issue there appears the entire weekly program of the local picture house, which is doing some fine work in giving 'birthday presents to its patrons.'

H. B. ESCO HAS NEAT LITTLE LUNCH SHOP ON MAIN ST.

Starting in a chubby little place down near the railroad, H.B. Esco has spread out recently with his little lunch shop. Now he is located in the building down near The Fair Store, on Main Street, in larger quarters.

Mr. Esco now has a real neat little lunch stand and appearances, if they count, will certainly be a fine card at his new place.

CONSIDERABLE INTEREST BEING SHOWN IN TON-LITTER CON.

Considerable interest is being shown in the Ton-Litter Contest among the 4-H Club Boys in this county, according to County Agent Stapp, this week. Mr. Stapp stated that there were nine boys from the Thomas Junior Club who have entered the contest and five from Mt. Pleasant Club. Counting several from the Isabella community, the total will be about 20 boys in the contest to raise these fine pigs.

The Kiwanis Club of Clanton is sponsoring this work among the 4-H Club boys of the county with the county agent and vocational teachers assisting the boys in following the recommendations on caring for and feeding their pigs, in preparation for the sale in Clanton in the Fall, at which time all the pigs in the contest will be brought to Clanton and sold to the highest bidder.

CARD OF THANKS

It is our utmost desire to express our thanks and appreciation from the depths of our hearts to the people of Chilton County as a whole, and to the people of the Enterprise Community and Clanton, for the numerous deeds and words of kindness shown and expressed at the sudden death of our beloved sister and daughter, Ruby Davis. The beautiful floral offerings made a most lasting impression of gratitude on each of us, and this kindness will never be forgotten.

—Mrs. W. C. Davis and Family.

Ignorance of the law excuses no one, except a lawyer.

Some take a spring tonic for that run-down feeling, but pedestrians need a stretcher.

It's a wise cook who understands how to manipulate all the new-fangled can openers.

Hubert Farley
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Genuine Bayer Aspirin is sold at all druggists in boxes of 12 and in bottles of 24 and 100.

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THORSBY INSTITUTE NEWS

Five of the Piedmont College group spoke at chapel exercises of the Thorsby Institute last Monday, having arrived in Thorsby to attend the Christian Life Conference there. Two of the visiting party, Miss Hazel Maddox and Miss Annie Lou Arthur, are graduates of the Thorsby Institute, and are now Sophomores at Piedmont. Others were Mrs. Percy, Latin teacher at Piedmont and Mr. Pastgill, a Junior, and Roy Hayes, a Senior at Piedmont.

The Pushmataha Philomathic Club meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 14th, instead of on Friday, April 10th, as was originally planned. These meetings are not open to the public as is the Helen Keller Literary Society meetings.

The next meeting of the Literary Society will be held on April 25th, when the Russian Operetta "Sonia" will will be given. This is the most elaborate operetta given here in recent years. Everyone is urged to come. Admission will be 25 cents for adults and 15 cents for children.

Program Of Variety At Isabella School Friday

A variety program of one-act plays, tricks, song-hits, and pantomine will be presented at Isabella, Friday night, April 17, at eight o'clock. It promises a succession of laughs and runs a full evening. The program is as follows:

1. Our Aunt from California, a rollicking play of three young girls and their rich aunt.
2. Tricks, Mr. Goff, who performs these tricks has been with a show. It's worth the entire admission fee to see his tricks.
3. Jazz Wedding, the wedding of Mr. Izzy Bright and Miss Ura Nutt is of widespread interest. You'll laugh till you're jazzy all over.
4. Fair and Warmer. A foolish pantomine is no name for the unexpected laughs you'll get.
5. Song Hits. If you've heard Ralph Grant sing, you know you won't miss this program. If you haven't heard him you'll live to regret not coming.
6. One-Act Play. This is a snappy, uproarious comedy, a fitting conclusion to a program of fun.

Admission 10 and 20 cents.

ISABELLA SCHOOL NEWS

The Isabella chapter of F. F. A. met Thursday, April 2nd. The meeting was called to order by the president. After the business matters were attended to the chapter discussed the route they are going to travel while on the educational trip this summer. The route goes through the following cities, leaving Clanton, going through Selma, Mobile, Pensacola, Tallahassee, Miami, Jacksonville, and Atlanta. From Atlanta the boys will come through Auburn, Alabama, to attend the State Convention to be held July 28th and 29th.

Literary Society

The Utopian Literary Society held its regular meeting last Friday afternoon. The meeting was called to order by the president, Marvin Durbin. After the business matters were attended to the following program was rendered:

Song: No. 32.
Devotional: Glynder Oden.
Prayer: Mr. Griffin.
Song: No. 25.
Brief Sketch of the Life of Edward Bok: Braxton Lecroy.
Some Fish Fly: Ruth Williams.
With Your Foot You Tap, Tap, Tap: by Seventh Grade Girls.
The Battle Field: by Lorene Lecroy.
Song: No. 15.
Report of Critic.
Announcements.
Adjournment.

Local Clothing Contest

The local clothing contest was held in the Home Econimcs Department on April 2nd.

Individual judging of the different costumes began at eleven o'clock. The fashion show was at one-thirty. The costumes judged were foods uniform, tailored school, street and afternoon dress. The girls winning first in the different costumes were as follows: Dorothy Manning, the afternoon dress; Lena Mae Jones, the tailored school dress; Lucile Edwards, foods uniform, and Elizabeth Mims, the street dress. Those winning prizes at the local contest will go to Montevallo to the State Clothing Contest April 9th-11th.

Matt's
Lunch Shoppe
EXTENDS
A CORDIAL INVITATION
TO
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Davis
To Dine With Them As
Their Special Guests
Sunday, Ap[illegible] [illegible]2, 1931

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Shower Given For Recent Bride.

Mrs. Velma Mims Jones was honoree of a miscellaneous shower given at the home of Mrs. M. C. Culver, Tuesday afternoon, March 31, 1931. The house was lovely with Spring flowers, jonquils and Bridal wreath, carrying out the color scheme of yellow and white.

After an interesting contest, cake and hot chocolate was served to the guests.

The honoree, who is the attractive daughter of Mrs. Victoria Mims, received many useful and lovely gifts from the following friends: Mesdames M. C. Culver, F. M. Johnson, L. D. Easterling, H. T. Sims, Jr., Henry Esco, Herbert Lowery, Joe Mims, Spurgeon Calloway, W. M. Poole, T. M. Taylor, D. D. Easterling, R. W. Taylor, G. W. Moore, Jimmie Taylor, Aaron Dennis, Mattie Williams, L. P. Easterling, M. Lande, M. V. Smith, Renfroe Jones, Jesse Jones, J. A. Dykes, J. H. Jones, J. M. Mims, F. M. Mims, J. O. Jones. Misses Clara Thompson, Delilah Kelly, Martha Johnson, Glennie Thompson, Amy Robinson, Iris Robinson, Libbie Dykes, Mamie Jones and Etta Baker.

The many friends of "Aunt Laura" White will be glad to learn that she is recovering from a severe cold.

Miss Zora Guy, office assistant of the county agent, is spending this week in Birmingham, attending the Girl Scout Conference.

Dr. J. C. DuBose and Thurston Babson, of Maplesville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade last Sunday. Accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Wade, they attended the funeral of Mrs. J. W. Johnson at Columbiana, Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. G. F. Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bond of Birmingham, who were en route to Montgomery, stopped in Clanton Wednesday morning for a visit to Hon. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson.

Miss Edith Hand, who has just completed a course at Alverson Business College, is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hand.

Miss Frances Wilson of Thorsby, accompanied by Miss Dolly Collins of Birmingham were in Clanton shopping Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Augusta Davis of Talladega were in Clanton Sunday and Monday to attend the funeral of the former's sister, Miss Rubye Davis.

LADIES PURSE LOST

Ladies Black Purse lost Tuesday afternoon about five o'clock, either at Lay Dam or on the road from there to Clanton. Purse contains a pass for Mrs. M. Thorngren on the Illinois Central R. R. from Chicago to Birmingham and return, also money, mémorandum book and other items. Finder please notify Howard Bros., Thorsby, Ala., and receive $10 reward.

LARGE CROWD VIEWS BIG TIRE AT DIEF'S SERVICE STATION

The big Goodyear tire, said to be the largest tire in the world appeared Wednesday afternoon and Thursday morning at the Dief's Service Station in Clanton.

Immediately upon the arrival of the huge rubber product, manufactured by the Goodyear people, a large crowd gathered around it, and it is estimated that several hundred persons came to see the tire while it was on a visit at Dief's, local Goodyear dealers.

An Ohio editor notifies his readers that there is no use in sending him anonymous letters, as he never opens them.

Uncle Sam might pick up some odd change by selling income taxpayers' names to those looking for sucker lists.

NIGHT BUSINESS CLASSES
Beginning April the 6th, 1931
Gregg Shorthand
Bookkeeping
Typing
Secretarial Studies
Spelling—English
Arithmetic
Those wishing to take any of the above subjects in Clanton at night communicate with Mrs. R. J. Alexander, Phone 129-J, Clanton, Alabama.

Womans Missionary Society Holds Program.

The Womans Missionary Society of the Methodist church held their regular first Monday program in the ladies parlor of the Methodist church Monday afternoon.

Mrs. D. W. Haskew presided over the meeting, and the following ladies were selected to attend the zone meeting at Speigner Wednesday: Mesdames Clara Mullins, L. E. Diefenderfer, Glennie Evans, J. R. Broadhead, J. Q. Wade, B. L. Jones, Robert Jones, D. W. Haskew, and others.

Miss Kathryn Hayes had as her guest the past week end Miss Feryl Martin of Cullman, Alabama. Miss Martin was at one time a resident of Clanton, where she attended high school, graduating here in 1929, and was a member of the younger social set of Clanton, which distinction she also holds in Cullman.

Misses Mildred Raney and Evelyn Littlejohn, members of the faculty of the Mount Pleasant School, were in Clanton last Saturday night.

Miss Betty Baldwin, who has been a member of the Isabella Elementary school faculty is spending sometime in Union Springs as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. N. A. Staples. Several brilliant social affairs have been planned, and are being given for Miss Baldwin during her visit there.

Miss Dody Wells, a student at Alabama College, Montevallo, spent the past week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wells, in Jemison, Alabama.

Miss Berniece Davis of the Enterprise community was the guest of her sister, Miss Pauline Davis, in Clanton last Saturday.

Young Matron's Sewing Club Entertained.

Mrs. Milton Smith entertained members of the Young Matron's Sewing Club at her home on last Thursday afternoon.

A delicious salad plate was served. Fruit punch was also served. Spring flowers were used to make the rooms more attractive for this meeting. Those present were Mesdames Loren Smith, Marcus Polk, Jr., Joe Higgins, Dewey Rockett, and Spurgeon Calloway.

Miss Ethel Mize of the Isabella community was among the shopping visitors to Clanton Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Woodson, of Lay Dam were in Clanton to attend the American Legion meeting Monday night.

TRIP TO MISSISSIPPI IS ENJOYED BY LOCAL PARTY

Mr. J. L. Holley, Leonard Holley and Elmer Rollan made a speedy trip over to Wilkinson, Miss., leaving here on Monday morning, around four o'clock, March 23, and reaching there about 11 a.m. Tuesday March 24.

They were visitors of Tom Holley, who is in the logging business there.

The trip was made via Selma, Jackson, McComb, Liberty and several other smaller cities. While there they went over to Natchez, and crossed the Mississippi River there and went over into Louisiana just for a visit. Leaving Wilkinson at noon Wednesday, March 25, they reached home Friday, March 27, at 3 p.m. bringing with them a mule and a horse.

The trip was made in a Model A Ford truck. On the return trip they came back via Tuscaloosa, Centerville, Calera and Montevallo. Roads as an average were in fairly good shape. They had no bad luck.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONFERENCE

The April meeting will be held at Maple Springs Sunday afternoon April 12th. All churches are urged to attend.

Program:

2:00 Devotional.
2:15 Reports.
2:30 Facing Our Records, by Rev. M. Lockhart.
2:50 Music.
3:00 The Standard of Excellence by Mr. Walker Allen.
3:20 Conference.
3:35 Adjourn.

After Steve Taticko of Pittsburgh hit himself on the head with a hatchet to cure the headache, 15 stitches were required to close the gash in his scalp.

Two diamond rings stolen and swallowed by William Carter of Chicago were recovered through a surgical operation performed by order of police officials.

HILL'S
Specials For This Week End
Friday & Saturday, April 10 & 11
Sugar 10 lbs Paper bags 51c
Picnic Hams Lb. 15c
Flour Split Silk 24 lbs. 65c
Potatoes Irish Cobbler 5 lbs. 13c
Matches 6 large Boxes 15c
Mayonnaise 8 oz. jar 15c
Lard Pure Hog 8 lb. pail 98c
Coffee Hills Special 6 lbs. $1.00
KETCHUP Stokley's large bottle 15c
SYRUP Red Hill Good Quality 1 gal. 63c
SOAP export 8 bars 25c
Dried Peaches Per lb. 10c
Bacon Squares per lb. 15c
PEAS California Black Eye lb. 7c
SALMON Per Can 10c
Snuff Brutons large boxes 15c

DISTRICT S. S. CONVENTION AT BETHESDA CHURCH SUN.

The District Sunday School Convention of the Unity and Chilton County Baptist Associations will be held on Sunday, April 12th, at Bethesda church beginning at two o'clock in the afternoon. Following is the program

2 P. M. Devotional, by John L. Jones
2:15 Reports of all the schools in District.
2:30 The Advantage of Trained Workers in the Sunday Schools, Rev. J. C. Hill
2:55 Special Song (Quartet)
3:00 Reason for Grading Sunday Schools, by Rev. A. S. Bentley
3:20 How to Grade and Keep Graded by, Volunteer Speakers.
3:35 Round Table Talks.
3:50 Announcements.
3:55 Adjourn.
Everybody invited to attend

W. J. PATRICK,
Associate Superintendent

Intelligence tests are the bunk, so far as giving any clue to the real intelligence of those to whom they are applied is concerned. At least, that is the opinion of Dr. Walter Pitkin, instructor in journalism and adult education at Columbia University. We are glad to have our own long-held view on the subject confirmed by such an eminent authority.

Learning that she was one of the "honored dead of the class of 1890" for whom a memorial service was arranged, Mrs. John Loving of Milan, Tenn., caused a change in the program when she attended the service in person.

GOVERNOR GRANTS LIFE TO WIFE POISONER; REVIEWS SENSATIONAL DEATH CASE

Tillman E. Davis, Covington County wife slayer, will not pay with his life for his crime. Gov. Miller Monday afternoon commuting his death sentence to a life term in prison. A weak mentality possessed by Davis is given as the reason for commutation by Gov. Miller

In commuting the death sentence of Davis, Gov. Miller goes extensively into the history of the crime, the opinion of Dr. Partlow and the record of written and oral testimony. He also cites an opinion of the late Associate Justice H. M. Somtrvillt, written nearly half a century ago, which he says is the best known rule to fix the mental responsibility for crime

Davis killed his wife in February, 1930, on the road between Florala and Opp in Covington County. He first poisoned her and later wrecked a car in which he was riding with her in an effort to make it appear that she was accidentally killed. The pardon board unanimously denied Davis's application for commutation but Gov. Miller in his comfutation order calls the crime a crude one showing the weak mentality of the 22-year-old boy who committed it.

Mr. Thompson, the new Farm Board member, has eight months in which to prepare for his investigation by the Senate.

It is said that the Farm Board will keep out of the wheat market in the future. Another good idea which came rather late.

My Experiences in the World War

By General John J. Pershing

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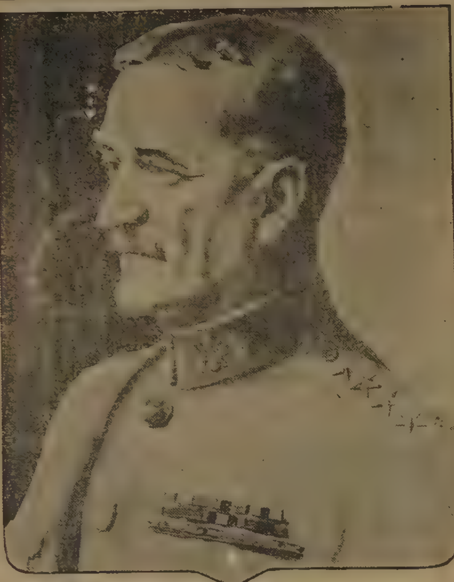

Gen. John J. Pershing.
From painting by Joseph Cummings Chase in Paris, 1919.

FOREWORD

My primary purpose in writing this story of the American expeditionary forces in France is to render what I conceive to be an important service to my country. In that adventure there are many lessons useful to the American people, should they ever again be called to arms, and I felt it a duty to record them as I saw them.

The World war found us absorbed in the pursuits of peace and quite unconscious of possible threat to our security. We would listen to no warnings of danger. We had made small preparation for defense and none for aggression. So when war actually came upon us we had to change the very habits of our lives and minds to meet its realities. The slow processes by which we achieved these changes and applied our latent power to the problems of combat in Europe, despite our will, our numbers and our wealth, I have endeavored to describe. Therein lie the lessons of which I write.

I wish to dedicate this modest work to the men of all ranks who served with me in France, and especially to those who gave their lives to the cause for which we fought.

To my comrades of the allied armies I wish to say that I am not attempting to write a history of the World war or of the epic part they took in it. I write of our own army and for our own people, and I have not consciously magnified or minimized the effort of any army or any people. There is credit for all of us in the final triumph of our united arms. The struggle of the allies was much longer, their sacrifices very much greater, than ours.

I am grateful to President Wilson and Secretary Baker for selecting me to command our armies and for the whole-hearted and unfailing support they accorded me in France. No commander was ever privileged to lead a finer force; no commander ever derived greater inspiration from the performance of his troops.

JOHN J. PERSHING.

CHAPTER I

On May 3, 1917, four weeks after the United States had declared war on Germany, I received the following telegram from my father-in-law, the late Senator F. E. Warren, in Washington:

"Wire me today whether and how much you speak, read and write French."

At this time I was stationed at Fort Sam Houston, which adjoins San Antonio, Texas, and was in command of the southern department with the rank of major general. Naturally, Senator Warren's telegram suggested that I was to be assigned to some duty in France, but as no intimation had been given out regarding the extent of our active participation in the war, the message was somewhat puzzling.

However, I telegraphed the following reply:

"Spent several months in France nineteen-eight studying language. Spoke quite fluently; could read and write well at that time. Can easily reacquire satisfactory working knowledge."

Quotes Warren's Letter.

My reply, to be sure, was rather optimistic, yet it was comparatively accurate and perhaps was justified by the possibilities to be inferred from Senator Warren's telegram. A few days later I received from him the following letter:

"Dear Jack:

"This is what happened: Last night, about ten o'clock, the secretary of war rang me up and wanted to know if I would call in and see him this morning, and I responded that I would if I could reach him at nine o'clock. This is the first time he has ever asked me to call for a consultation.

"When I reached him he said in the most distant and careless way: 'Oh, by the way, before I discuss the matter about which I asked you to call—do you happen to know whether Pershing speaks French? (This is the first time your name was ever mentioned between the secretary of war and me, direct.)

"I said I was not certain about that; that I knew he was a linguist along the lines of Spanish and, to some extent, Japanese, and all of the Philippine dialects (a pardonable exaggeration by one's father-in-law)—that perhaps my wife might know, as she speaks French a little and reads it readily.

"He said: 'Well, it is of no special consequence, only I happened to think of it at this moment.' I replied: 'Well, I'll ask my wife about it today and see whether she knows, and will let you know.' He then said: 'If you don't mind, do so.'

"And then he proceeded to discuss quite fully some appropriation matters on which I intended to go to work upon my arrival at the Capitol.

"I hope you will wire me promptly upon receipt of my telegram so that I may tell the secretary 'what my wife said about it (?).'

"Affectionately,

"F. E. WARREN."

Message Promises Command.

Shortly after the receipt of the private wire and before the above letter reached me, a telegram dated May 2 came from Maj. Gen Hugh L. Scott, chief of staff, containing the opening words, "For your eye alone," followed by a message in code:

"Under plans under consideration is one which will require among other troops our infantry regiments and one artillery regiment from your department for service in France. If plans are carried out you will be in command. You will be in command of the entire force. Wire me at once designation of the regiments selected by you and their present stations."

I construed this message to mean that these troops were to form a division, which, together with such other troops as might be sent over at once, would be under my command.

Within a day or so after the receipt of Scott's telegram it was intimated to Col. M. H. Barnum, my chief of staff, that we might be called upon for a recommendation, and after consultation with him I selected the Sixteenth, Eighteenth, Twenty-sixth and Twenty-eighth regiments of infantry and the Sixth field artillery. These, together with two other artillery regiments and the necessary auxiliary units, were later organized as our first division.

Surprised by Developments.

I had scarcely given a thought to the possibility of my being selected to be in supreme command of our forces, as afterward developed, although my old friend, Maj. Gen. J. Franklin Bell, had written me that he thought my selection almost certain. After I left the Philippines, in 1913, where he was in command, he and I had kept up an intermittent correspondence in which we freely exchanged confidences on army matters.

In one of his letters early in April, 1917, General Bell spoke of the possibility of our sending an army to France and gave a list of the general officers who might be considered for the supreme command. Discussing the chances for and against each one, he predicted, much to my surprise, that all the others, including himself, would be passed over and that I would be selected.

I was the junior on the list of major generals, hence I could not fully accept General Bell's view, but he was so strongly convinced that he was right that he requested an assignment under my command.

The major generals senior to me at the time were, in order of rank: Leonard Wood, General Bell, Thomas H. Barry, Hugh L. Scott and Tasker H. Bliss.

CHAPTER II

I arrived in Washington May 9 and the next morning called at the office of the chief of staff, Maj. Gen. Hugh L. Scott. He spoke of my assignment, which, as had been my impression from his message of May 2, was to command a division, and told me that it had been made upon his recommendation.

General Scott outlined the general plans in so far as anything definite had been determined. Beginning with February 3, the war college division of the general staff presented a number of recommendations for action in the event of war with the central powers. One was for the enactment of a draft law and others referred to the size of the army to be organized and the necessity for the procurement of equipment and supplies.

Chagrined by Unpreparedness.

March 15, acting under instructions of the chief of staff, the war college division submitted a more detailed scheme for raising an army of 500,000 men. But these were all eleventh-hour suggestions and no definite action was taken on any of them until May 18, when congress passed the law authorizing the increase of military establishment through the application of the draft.

I was really more chagrined than astonished to realize that so little had been done when there were so many things that might have been done long before. It had been apparent to everybody for months that we were likely to be forced into the war and a state of war had actually existed for several weeks, yet scarcely a start had been made to prepare for it. The War department seemed to be suffering from a kind of inertia, for which it was probably not altogether responsible.

But the truth is that the general staff at Washington had never been organized along modern lines, its membership had been recently reduced by congress, and but few of its officers had the experience necessary fully to understand its functions. In this fact we no doubt find the basis of many of the difficulties that arose later in connection with the preparation of our army at home and its shipment and supply abroad.

Praise for Secretary Baker.

My next call was upon the secretary of war, Mr. Newton D. Baker. It was a much younger and considerably smaller man who greeted me than I had expected. He actually looked diminutive as he set behind his desk, doubled up in a rather large office chair, but when he spoke my impression changed immediately. We talked of my recent experience in Mexico and of conditions on the border, which, fortunately, were quieter than they had been for several years.

Secretary of War Newton D. Baker at His Desk.

Mr. Baker referred to my appointment and said that he had given the subject very careful thought and had made the choice solely upon my record. I expressed my deep appreciation of the honor, mentioned the responsibility of the position and said that I hoped he would have no reason to regret his action.

I left Mr. Baker's office with a distinctly favorable impression of the man upon whom, as head of the War department, would rest the burden of preparing for a great war to which the wholly unready nation was now committed.

Still proceeding under the assumption that I was to command only a division in France, my feelings may well be imagined when a few days later, the secretary of war called me in to say that it had been decided by the President to send me abroad as commander in chief, and that I should select my staff accordingly and prepare to sail as soon as possible.

The thought of the responsibilities that this high position carried depressed me for the moment. Here in the face of a great war I had been placed in command of a theoretical army which had yet to be constituted, equipped, trained and sent abroad. Still, there was no doubt in my mind then or at any time of my ability to [illegible] provided the government would furnish men, equipment and supplies.

Harbord Chief of Staff.

Obviously it was advisable to choose my staff as soon as practicable. After studying the records of several officers of my acquaintance and of others who were recommended for the position, I chose Maj. James G. Harbord. His efficiency in every grade from the day of his enlistment as a private in the army in January, 1889, was not only of record but was well known to those with whom he had served.

Throughout the war Harbord never hesitated a moment to express his opinion with the utmost frankness, no matter how radically it might differ from my own, nor did he ever fail to carry out instructions faithfully even when they were not in accord with his views. Entirely unselfish, he labored incessantly for what he believed to be the best interests of our armies. His ability, his resourcefulness, his faculty for organization, and, above all, his loyalty, were outstanding qualities, and these, together with a compelling personality, made him invaluable to the nation in this important position

(continued next week) -

REV. JOSEPH E. EACH IS IN NASHVILLE SCHOOL

Nashville, Tenn.—Rev. Joseph E. Each of Thorsby, Ala., arrived here today to enroll in the Rural Church School, which opened its fourth annual two weeks session at the Vanderbilt University School of Religion here.

Almost four hundred other students, the great majority of them beneficiaries of scholarships which pay in full their expenses for travelling both ways and living in Nashville, were registered here today. They represent thirty religious denominations, and are from more than twenty states.

Three classes, of fifty minutes duration each, follow an hour's devotional to compose the morning's program. The afternoon is spent in recreation and instruction in play leadership. Special musical programs will be held each evening from 7:30 to 8 o'clock, and an address by some authority on rural life will be given each noon and evening.

The courses of study are divided into five groups, on Country Life, the Rural Church, Rural Church Activities, Community Life, and Ministerial Efficiency. A series of public addresses is also considered a part of the regular program.

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When Mrs. E. McFadden of White Salmon, Wash., investigated sounds of "hello, hello" coming from her chicken yard, she found a parrot that had disappeared about six weeks previously from Klickitat, Wash., about 35 miles from there.

Eastview News

Misses Gulma Traywick and Jessie Bell Speer and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins attended the Christian Life Conference at Thorsby Friday night, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. O. P. Henson and family were the guests of Rev. A. C. Nelson and family Friday night.

Buck Griffin, who has been real sick with pneumonia, is reported to be much improved.

Mrs. Minnie Nelson, who has been sick in bed for some time, is able to be up again.

Mrs. John Hodman visited Mrs. Mamie Griffin Friday afternoon.

Mr. John Sorrell visited Mr. Charles Mims Friday afternoon.

Rev. A. C. Nelson and family motored to Mt. Springs Thursday night, where he assisted in organizing a Christian Endeavor society and Rev. Lucy T. Ayers preached an interesting sermon to a large congregation.

Our community was shocked by the news of the death of Mrs. Beulah Smith of Mt. Creek Route 2. She has lived in our community and was a faithful member of the church here. She passed to the Beyond last Friday from an attack of flu and pneumonia. She was laid to rest at Union church. Rev. A. C. Nelson officiated, and Rev George Watson assisted. She leaves to mourn her loss, an aged mother, a husband, three sisters and four brothers, and six children, and a host of relatives and friends. She was 41 years of age.

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Griffith and son, Curtis, of Birmingham, are visiting friends here this week.

Rev. A. C. Nelson motored to Eclectic Saturday, where he conducted services. He left early Monday for Nashville, Tenn., where he will attend the two weeks term of the Rural Church School. He was accompanied on the way by Rev. Marion Dopson, Rev. J. E. Each, Mr. Gerald Smith and Miss Marguerite Davison.

Rev. George Watson will preach here next Saturday, Sunday and Sunday night.

Mrs. John Ingram is still on the sick list. We hope her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. A. C. Nelson visited friends in Elmore county Saturday and Sunday.

Don't forget the services Saturday and Sunday.

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When William Caldwell of Centerville, Ia., rushed into an office saying there was a fire, for he smelled smoke, the foreman answered him by drawing a pair of burning gloves from from Caldwell's hip pocket.

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The wages of sin are never garnisheed by one's creditors.

ANNUAL EASTER SINGING AT POPLAR SPRINGS SUCCESS

Sunday was our regular annual singing at Poplar Springs and there was not as many attended as usual, but the singing was a great success. Of course it is always said that each one is the best, but I don't know whether this one was the best or not, but I don't think it could be beat. The weather was not so hot that you could not sing, yet it was very comfortable in the house

The singing was opened by Prof. W. M. Devaughn, who sang one song, and prayer by Rev. W. H. Wilson. The following officers were elected for the day: Prof. W. M. Devaughn, chairman, Dr. Williams, W. F. Gilliland and J. B. Hammond, committee and Miss Gladys Wilson, secretary. After the officers were elected, Prof. Devaughn sang another song. Then the following directors sang two songs each: W. G. Culp, Jesse Jones, Arthur Beard, Edward Jones, Everett Devaughn, R. O. Williams and O. L. Devaughn. Then a quartet was sung by Jesse Jones, W. M. Devaughn, Akins Collins and Ural Wilson, from Birmingham. William Jones and Dr. Williams sang two songs each. We were dismissed until 1:30 During this time everybody enjoyed a nice dinner.

The singing was called to order again by Chairman, who sang one song after which the following directors sang two songs each: Rev. M. Lockhart, R. T. Grant, Akins Collins, Lee Grant, Amie Boswell, Mr. Salser from Birmingham, L. T. Grant, Ralph Grant, I. D. Huett, J. B. Hammond, J. B. Varner, G. C. Weldon, G. C. Glasscock, T. E. Wyatt, and C. H. Robinson

During the afternoon the program was varied by six quartets arranged by different singers, also two special songs consisting of eight singers. The pianists for the day were: W. G. Culp, Lee and Ralph Grant, C. H. Robinson, Misses Grant, Guy, Eula Collins and Merrell Walker. The closing song, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" was sung by the chairman, and the closing prayer by Rev. M. Lockhart.

Everybody seemed to enjoy the day. We wish to thank all the visiting singers for their help and invite you back on next Easter.

—Secretary

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A Los Angeles postal employe who signs his name many times daily was allowed by a court to change his signature from George D. Wilbur to Ceo Cele, so that it could be written rapidly.

Rather than allow his pet dog to be killed, C. C. McAllister of Moberly, Ill., prefers to remain in jail "forever or even longer."

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Are You On?

Is your name on the mailing list of regular subscribers to the Chilton County News? Are you getting this newspaper with its large amount of county news and good stories? Here are those who had their name added to the mailing list of the News during the past several days:

N. W. Whitfield, Selma, Ala.,
Rev. D. S. Martin, Equality,
Thomas A. Gragg, Tuscaloosa,
J. B. Atkinson, City,
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Mrs. W. A. Fiquette, City;
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W. F. Gilliland, Route 2,
Mrs. S. J. Kicker, Route 3,
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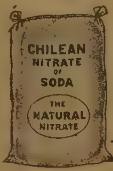

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Scouts To Assist Veterans Reunion

Of the 900 Boy Scouts who will gather in Montgomery to assist with the staging of the Confederate Veterans Reunion on June 1-6, 100 of them will go from the Central Alabama Area Council. These scouts, who will be encamped in regular army style at Maxwell field, will handle traffic, conduct information booths, and serve as companions to the Confederate veterans in attendance.

This announcement is made by Executive John J. Sigwald, who outlines the requirements for scouts who attend the reunion as follows: He must hold at least the rank of second class scout, he must have an adequately equipped uniform, and must obtain the approval of his local scoutmaster.

Forty of the scouts already appointed for this duty are from Opelika and 12 from Auburn.

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BOY SCOUTS TO GATHER IN CAMP JUNE 6-JULY 4

Staff members to assist Executive John J. Sigwald of the Central Alabama Area Council at Camp Spring Villa, June 6-July 4, are announced by the executive. E. J. Harris, scoutmaster at West Palm Beach, Fla., will serve as assistant camp director to Mr. Sigwald.

Mr. Harris served in this capacity last summer and was extremely popular with all scouts in camp.

The junior staff consists of Parker Preston Powell, Auburn; Walter Westerbeke, Opelika; Clifford Wear, Opelika; Douglas Harris, Tallassee; John Coley, Alexander City; and Marion Lee Melson, Selma.

Plans have been completed for a new mess hall with a seating capacity of 80 scouts and its erection has been started. It will be of the army type. Also, work will begin within a few days on a new bath house for use in connection with the $5,000 concrete swimming pool.

Last summer the camp was given recognition by L. L. McDonald, chairman of the national camping headquarters. This is a distinct honor, as the standards of scout camps are very rigid.

Menus for every meal throughout camp have been carefully worked out and approved by Miss Dana Gatchell, of Auburn, an expert in dietetics.

On April 6, Executive Sigwald will attend a scout training camp at Charleston, Mississippi.

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MORTGAGE SALE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Whereas, Still P. Pryor and wife, Minnie Pryor, executed to The Federal Land Bank of New Orleans, Louisiana, on, to-wit: August 1st, 1925, a mortgage upon the land hereinafter described to secure and indebtedness described therein, said mortgage being recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 161, Page 99, and

Whereas, default has been made by grantors in payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage and in the performance of the terms of said mortgage;

Now Therefore, The Federal Land Bank of New Orleans, having declared due and payable the entire indebtedness secured by said mortgage, will sell, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, between 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on the 17th day of, April 1931, at auction to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Court House door of Chilton County, in the town of Clanton, Alabama, the lands embraced in said mortgage described substantially as follows:-

The southwest quarter of the Southeast quarter and the Southeast quarter of the Southwest quarter, Section 18, Township 20, Range 16, containing 80 acres more or less, situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of realizing the mortgage debt, together with all expenses of this sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee.

THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF NEW ORLEANS, LA., Mortgagee.
A. C. SMITH, Attorney for Mortgagee.
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NEW DRIVERS ARE SAFER

If asked to express an opinion offhand, most persons would say that new drivers of automobiles would likely cause more accidents than experienced ones. But this idea is all wrong, according to W. T. Palmer, manager of the replacement division of the Russell Manufacturing Company, who has been making a nationwide study of the reasons for the growing number of traffic accidents.

He claims that the new driver, recognizing his own inexperience, is more careful than the veteran motorist, who is over-confident of his driving ability and too accustomed to taking chances. Mr. Palmer further says:

"Another way in which the veteran driver is more careless than the neophyte is in the upkeep of his car. To the new owner every squeak, rattle and sputter is something to worry over and have fixed immediately. The old timer lets the body finish become dulled through lack of washing, he neglects lubrication, and he allows his brakes to become dangerously worn and out of adjustment, feeling that his driving skill will offset the need for adjusting and relining. Hence, more accidents. In fact, a vast majority of the country's motoring mishaps are caused by drivers of long experience."

There appears to be some sound reasoning in the above statements. At least they should give the supposedly expert driver something to think about.

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News In Brief

In Argentina the price of the new crop of corn is so low that serious consideration is being given to burning a large part of the crop as fuel in factories and electric light plants as was done during the war.

The total national wealth of the United States in 1929 amounted to $361,800,000 and the national income was $84,000,000,000, according to estimates made public March 22 by the National Industrial Conference Board. The per capita wealth in 1929 was $2,977 and the per capita income was $692 for that year.

of cigarettes has gained 17 tons a day, according to a well-known tobacco expert. His estimation is based upon an increase from 146,000,000 pounds of tobacco used in the manufacture of cigarettes in 1913 to 346,000,000 pounds in 1929. If the rate of increase continues consumption will amount to 400,00,000 pounds in 1940.

At the recent world grain conference Russia threw down her gauntlet and declared that Russia will increase instead of decrease her wheat production. Russia refused also to discontinue her policy of so-called "dumping" and announced that she intends to increase her wheat exports to pay her imports which now exceed $500,000,000 annually.

According to Representative Carmichael of Colbert county, 1500 tons of

FREAK PINE TREE IN WILCOX COUNTY

A Shortleaf Pine tree apparently but nine years old at stump height and twenty-one years of age a few feet up the stem has been found in Wilcox County by State Forest Inspector J. M. Stauffer. This paradoxical condition is based upon the facts that the lower part of the tree is but seven inches in diameter and contains but nine rings of annual growth, while a short distance higher the diameter is something over ten inches with twenty-one growth rings.

With the exception of these abnormalities the tree is in fairly good growing condition. The peculiarities noted are due to the fact that the pine survived an injury which would ordinarily kill a tree, but which in this instance merely cut off the growth of the lower part while permitting the upper section to continue its development. Some twelve years ago the tree was ringed or girdled. That is, a notch was cut entirely around the tree through the bark and into the sapwood.

One Year Ago

From Issue of April 10, 1930

Clanton will soon have another Clean-Up Week. The forthcoming campaign will be sponsored by the Kiwanis club and will be held all next week.

Announcement is made this week by Rev. J. W. Jones of Thorsby that first services will be held in the recently completed Baptist Church next Sunday morning at eleven o'clock.

A girl Scout troop has recently been organized in Mitchell Dam with a large number of girls enrolling for training.

Mr. and Mrs Ocie Webb and small son, Harry Wilson, of Russellville motored to Clanton the first part of this week for a short visit with friends and relatives in this section.

Mrs. John C. Page entertained last Monday afternoon at a bridge party honoring her visitors, Mrs. Bostick and Mrs. Daniel of McMinnville, Tenn.

S. M. Edwards of Thorsby Route One was in Clanton last Saturday.

THE FAMILY DOCTOR

By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

CHILDISH TROUBLES

Ho-hum . . . It's 10 P. M. Just returned from seeing a little fellow four years of age. The only child of his parents, hence a very anxious mother, who co-operated with me at every step. I encountered a moderate fever, a loaded digestive tract belonging to a "very hearty eater," a vigorous and rapid pulse and breathing, a slight sore throat; lungs not involved. Any old mother might have given a dose of castor oil, and wrapped the little patient up warm in bed, and he might have been all right tomorrow.

But, this is a highly technical age. Wise young parents do not fool with old wives' fables; they call a physician.

The little fellow was very anxious that Santa Claus should visit him; being a personal friend of that Christmas idol of childhood, I readily promised to intercede for the visit of the fat little saint—which brought me a very willing subject for examination.

I actually taught the 4-year-old to gargle! And he did it to perfection. A simple evacuant for the loaded bowel, with a nice, good-tasted germicide for the throat, and the trick was turned. I learned incidentally that, there was a basement to the cottage that was not exactly sanitary, and damp at times; that the little boy played there on chilly days when it was pleasanter indoors; a few words of practical advice to the young mother were absorbed as a dry sponge takes up water. The same of the admonition in regard to indiscriminate eating. This boy had eaten "nearly a pint of ice-cream—and ha promptly thrown it up"—a few hours before I was called to go see him!

The proud daddy—a bridge mechanic—had "just loved to see that kid eat."

Never was a fee paid more willingly or promptly; never have I left a more grateful family. And, Santa came on time, leaving a generous supply of things that little boys like; I know, for I talked with the old man.

Clanton, Alabama

STATEMENT OF CONDITION

Peoples Savings Bank

CLANTON ALABAMA

Close of Business March 25, 1931.

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans	$290,848.41	Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts	845.62	Surplus and Undivided Pofits	67,382.03
Banking House	2,700.00	Deposits	350,929.20
Furniture and Fixtures	3,372.25		
Other Real Estate	14,346.66		
Stocks and Bonds	38,587.98		
Cash in Vault and due from Banks	117,610.31		
Total	$468,311.23	Total	$468,311.23

OWNED BY CITIZENS
OF CHILTON COUNTY

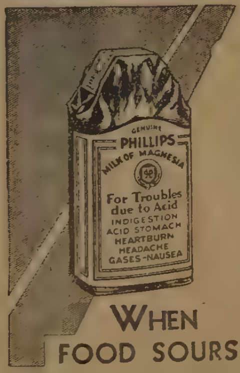
SAFE SINCE 1901

THE PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK
Some Advice I Gave Your Daddy
30 Years Ago
Clanton Alabama

A HOME BANK
FOR HOME PEOPLE

SEEKING NEW BUSINESS
ON OUR RECORD

J. R. Raspberry of Pletcher was in Clanton attending to business matters Monday.



WHEN FOOD SOURS

ABOUT two hours after eating, many people suffer from sour stomachs. They call it indigestion. It means that the stomach nerves have been over-stimulated. There is excess acid. The way to correct it is with an alkali, which neutralizes many times its volume in acid.

The right way is Phillips Milk of Magnesia—just a tasteless dose in water. It is pleasant, efficient and harmless.

It is the quick method. Results come almost instantly. It is the approved method. You will never use another when you know.

Be sure to get the genuine Phillips Milk of Magnesia, the kind physicians prescribe to correct excess acids. 25c and 50c a bottle—any drugstore.

"Milk of Magnesia" has been the U. S. Registered Trade Mark of The Charles H. Phillips Chemical Company and its predecessor Charles H. Phillips since 1875.

Lucas

PAINTS and VARNISHES

Purposely Made for Every Purpose

The James Sign Shop

For Sale at
Clanton, Alabama

APRIL ANNIVERSARIES

Four Presidents of the United States were born in April, Jefferson, Monroe, Buchanan and Grant. Among other distinguished Americans born in this month were John Burroughs and John Muir, famed naturalists; Henry Clay, statesman and orator; Washington Irving and Edward Everett Hale, authors; Commodore M. C. Perry, who negotiated the first treaty between the United States. King Prajadhipok of Siam inventor of the telegraph; Wilbur Wright, airplane designer, and the elder John Pierpont Morgan, noted financier.

April marks the anniversaries of many important events in American history, including the beginning of all the wars in which the country has engaged, except the War of 1812. The Revolution, the War with Mexico, the Civil War, the War with Spain and America's participation in the World War all began in April.

Washington was inaugurated first President of the United States on April 30, 1789; Louisiana was purchased from France on April 30, 1803. The battle of San Jacinto, which established the independence of Texas, was fought on April 21, 1836.

The first "pony express" between St. Joseph, Mo., and California was inaugurated in April, 1860; Peary reached the North Pole in April, 1909.

These are only a few of the many anniversaries which make April perhaps the richest historic associations of any month in the year.

Mrs. H. R. Oden, of the Isabella community was among the many shoppers in Clanton last Monday.

Two Years Ago

From Issue of April 11, 1929

The baseball team of the Chilton County High School met the Isabella team on the local diamond last Friday afternoon and defeated them with a score of 19 to 6.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lawrence of Birmingham were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lawrence Sunday.

Mr. H. B. Oliver of Verbena was a visitor to Clanton last Friday.

Mrs. Cecil Smith and daughter of Lakeland Florida are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Popwell.

A revival known as the Foursquare Revival will open here next Sunday with Lucy Binkley Locy from the Angelus Temple in Los Angeles conducting the services.

Dr. and Mrs. Julius Jones of Rockford, Alabama were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Fenn Jones in Clanton the latter part of this week.

CAN BABIES BE "MARKED"

By Dr. Christmas Seal

Dr. Christmas Seal has often told friends and patients that the young mother's fear of "marking" her baby is absolutely without foundation, being based on nothing more than superstition. He has admitted just one instance within his personal knowledge, in which the theory might seem to be borne out. A young mother, hearing music, turned to her window. There she saw an Italian organ grinder tusseling with a big brown animal, erect on its hind feet, which turned out to be a performing bear. It gave her quite a turn and she knew at once that her unborn child would suffer. Sure enough! When the baby was born it had bare feet.

The man who tries to buy medical advice on the cheapest market is, perhaps the best judge of his own value.

Sunshine is good medicine the year round, but never better than in the spring. The short days of winter have kept you on short rations; take your fill of sunshine now and prevent tuberculosis.

If your eyes were not constantly bathed in tears you would be in agony. It is their excess that spills over and shows your grief.

Read our advertising—It will pay you.

We See By The News That

Mrs. G. C. Walker spent Thursday in Montgomery.

Mrs. C. C. Ward of West Clanton was in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Parrish were in town Wednesday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. John Littlejohn of Route 7 were in town Thursday.

Miss Eula Foshee and mother were shopping Wednesday.

Mr. Rush Baker from Route 7 was in town Thursday.

Mr. J. A. Culp of Samaria was in town Thursday on business.

Mrs. Jim Armstrong was in town Tuesday shopping.

Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry is spending this week in Selma.

Mr. Aubrey Taylor and his friend, Mr. Williams, of Auburn, spent the week end at home.

Miss Delene Williams was at home for the Spring Holidays.

Mr. William Arthur Willis from the University spent the week end at home.

Fate Littlefield of the Collins Chapel community was in Clanton last Monday.

Earl Thomas, vocational instructor of the Isabella School was in Clanton on business last Monday.

Ernest Grooms of the Isabella community was in Clanton Monday.

A. J. LeCroy of the Isabella community was among the visitors to Clanton Monday.

Bill Veazey, a resident of the Isabella Community was in Clanton attending to business matters last Monday.

Robert B. Johnson, principal of the Mt. Pleasant school was in town Monday afternoon.

Mrs. W. H. Scott of the sunny Pleasant Grove community was in Clanton shopping last Monday afternoon.

J. E. Wililams, a resident of the Fairview community was in Clanton Monday.

Henry Cox of the Collins Chapel community was in Clanton Monday.

Charlie Duke of near Clanton was in town attending to business matters last Monday.

Aubrey Harwell, prominent young business man of Birmingham was among the out-of-town visitors to Clanton last Monday afternoon, and while in town, made a pleasant call at the News office.

E. C. Traywick, who resides in the Jackson Chapel community was in Clanton Monday. Mr. Traywick is one of the progressive citizens of that community and does much good in the work of bettering this county.

CHILD WELFARE METHODS

It is being recognized that social science can contribute more to mankind by concentrating its attention on the children of the poor, who are too often sacrificed in the economic mill.

Some of our states and municipalities provide allowances for unfortunate families to care for their children in the home instead of sending them to institutions. The amounts allotted vary from two dollars up weekly for each child. As the number of children in the family increases, the allowance per child is slightly reduced.

Europe, also, has its systems of family allowances. A single French industry, the textile syndicate of Roubaix-Tourcoing, during 1930 paid the sum of $1,200,000 to a total of 58,000 families having all together 99,162 children under 13 years of age.

The plan differs from ours, however, in that the allotment per child increases with the number of children. The syndicate pays about 10 cents a day for one child, approximately 25 cents a day for two, 37.5 cents for three, 60 cents for four, and so on. It is felt that the benefits accruing to the families account for the surprising number of mothers who devote themselves exclusively to the home instead of following some other profession.

For ten years, the Department of the Seine which includes Paris, has paid an annual allowance to mothers of French nationality, following the birth of a third child, provided the other two children are still living.

May Use Money Only As Stated

George E. Stone, treasurer of Mobile county, has been advised by Attorney General Knight that funds derived from a gasoline tax are to be used only in payment of current maintenance expenses and held that county treasurers have no authority to set up a special fund from gasoline tax moneys.

"There is no question in my mind," Mr. Knight ruled "that funds payable to counties which are derived from the gasoline tax as distributed by the state among the 67 counties, can be used only for the current maintenance of county roads and not in payment of debts created prior to their receipt. This has been repeatedly decided by this office."

More than 93,000 candidates for airplane pilot licenses have been examined physically by the United States government.

Birmingham, Eng., has opened five rest rooms providing newspapers, games and radio for the unemployed.

Railways of the United States expended a billion dollars for improvements during the year 1930.

Almost one-half of the world's 1,400 broadcasting stations are located in the United States.

Illiteracy in Alabama decreased from 16.1 per cent in 1920 to 12.6 per cent in 1930.

THE VALUE OF NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING

Newspaper advertising seems to be the one constant factor in the business world, judging from the survey of businesses which failed to be affected by the depression of last year. The latest to come to our attention is the Hotel Gibson in Cincinnati. Last year was the largest in its history, and the hotel is eighty-two years old. In that time three new hotels have been erected. C. C. Schiffeler, managing director, attributes the increase in business to a never ending newspaper advertising campaign.

"Of course we are continually redecorating, remodeling, and enlarging the hotel," Mr. Schiffeler said, "but I think the large percentage of our business comes from the use of newspaper space. We use only the most modern drawings and layouts in our display advertising, but at the Gibson our one aim is to dispense old fashioned hospitality, and we have found this combination a very attractive one for the public."

Last year just at the time that business men in general were beginning to retrench on their advertising appropriations, Mr. Schiffeler announced that the Hotel Gibson would increase its lineage by almost fifty per cent. The financial statement of the hotel at the end of the year was conclusive proof that his faith in the efficacy of the newspaper advertising was well founded.

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

Our meeting has come and gone, and we feel that much good has been accomplished. We are grateful to the people of Clanton for their presence and co-operation. One of the beautiful things in Clanton is Christian unity

We are not wearied over the efforts of the meeting, but we are inspired to work hader, and to be more faithful We shall expect you in your place next Sunday. We are coming into our own as a church and we shall expect you to fill your place.

Preaching next Sunday by the pastor at 11 a.m. and at 7:30 p.m.

We had as many at Sunday school last Sunday as we have had in our Sunday school any one Sunday in years We are in for the breaking of all records. Open the door and let the Flu fly away and come to Sunday school, bringing all the family.

W. W. Williams of the Fairview Community was in Clanton Monday.

—Subscribe To The News—

KODAK FINISHING

LOLLAR'S Velox Prints win the prize. The word Velox on back of our prints means quality. They live forever. Films developed 10c per roll. Prints 4c, 5c and 6c each. Old photos copied and refinished. Enlarging, tinting and framing. Try us and be convinced. We pay return postage. One day service. LOLLAR'S, Box 2622, Birmingham, Ala.

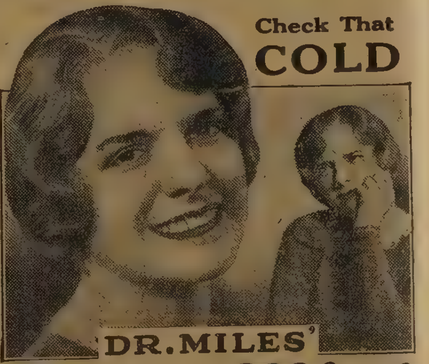
CLANTON NOVELTY SHOP

Let us build your home, Repair or Rebuild Your Furniture. Screening Windows and Doors—Saw Gumming and Filing.

GENERAL REPAIRING OF ALL KINDS

Located Near Wade's Ice Plant On The Railroad
Clanton - - - Alabama

Check That COLD



DR. MILES' Aspir-Mint

COLDS Eyes and nose running—sneezing and coughing—scattering germs—you may pick them up in any street car, bus, theatre, church, store.

A Cold weakens resistance and gives Flu, Bronchitis, Tonsilitis and other diseases of the nose, throat and lungs a splendid chance to develop.

To break up a Cold—To ease pain and reduce temperature in Colds—take Dr. Miles' Aspir-Mint.

As a precaution against Colds—gargle twice a day with Dr. Miles' Aspir-Mint.

You will find these modern tablets good for Headache, Neuralgia, Neuritis, Sciatica, Lumbago, Periodic Pains, as well as for Colds.

At your Drug Store—15 cents and 25 cents.

YOU'LL GET RELIEF—OR YOUR MONEY BACK

First Class Shoe and Harness Repairing
"At The Right Price"

Clanton Shoe Shop

I. D. ARMSTRONG, Proprietor

Main Street Clanton, Ala.

ALL WORK SENT BY MAIL
GIVEN PROMPT ATTENTION
Your Patronage Will Be Appreciated

BUSINESS INCREASE IN FEBRUARY SHOWN

Notwithstanding the tact February was approximately 8 per cent shorter, in number of business days, than January, there were increases over January in retail trade, in building permits and construction contracts awarded, in production of cotton yarn and cloth in the sixth district, and in output of pig iron in Alabama, says the Federal Reserve Bank.

Read our advertising—It will pay you.

Phone One-One-One
or Write
The James Sign Shop
Clanton, Alabama
Outdoor
Painted Display
Advertising

GIRL SCOUTS AT MITCHELL DAM MAKING RAPID PROGRESS

The Girl Scout Troop at Mitchell Dam was organized last summer, and has been performing excellent work since that time, under the splendid leadership of Mrs. J. L. Hollis, Captain, assisted by Sue Sharp, Lieutenant.

The girls have passed their Tenderfoot test and are working on their Second Class test, which they hope to pass within a few weeks.

The Scouts of Mitchell Dam attended several joint meetings with the Girl Scouts at Clanton, which they enjoyed to the greatest extent.

The Scouts at Mitchell Dam hope to accomplish much good work in the future.

FOR SALE

I have 400 bushels of ear corn for sale reasonable. See W. C. Robinson, Clanton, Ala., 4-9-1tc

A new film has only women characters. And, of course, some mean man had to remark that it must be an all-talkie.

Read Our Advertising.

Billingsley News

There was not any preaching service at the Methodist church Sunday owing to the illness of the pastor, Rev. E. E. Stafford, at Plantersville.

Rev. A. S. Bentley and W. J. Patrick are attending the State Sunday School convention at Gadsden this week.

Miss Mabel King, Messrs. Jim Bentley, G. T. Dickinson, Sam Nummy and others attended the B. Y. P. U. Convention at Stanton Sunday afternoon.

M. C. Marlar of Tuscaloosa, and Mrs. Willis Lawrence of Eoline spent the week end with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Patrick had as their Easter guests Mr. and Mrs. Zack Pennington and little son, Pat, of Northport, W. C. Patrick of Montgomery and Miss Maude Lee Patrick of Montevallo.

Mrs. Blanche Boozer of Tuscaloosa spent Easter with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Downs.

Mrs. C. D. Golson of Prattville was the week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baxter.

Mrs. James and son of Tuscaloosa spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Overstreet.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Harrell of Rayburn Gap, Ga., were the guests of relatives here the past week end.

Fire Consumes Ramer Stores

Flames Gut Building, Some Stock and Fixtures Saved

Ramer, April 6.—A fire that destroyed the Ramer Pharmacy, the store of A. J. Rushton, merchant, and the building of the former Bank of Ramer was discovered in the pharmacy today at 5:30 a.m. All contents of the Rushton store and the bank building were saved, but everything in the drug store was a total loss.

Estimated loss of Mrs. N. Trotter and son, operators of the pharmacy, was $4,000, covered partially by insurance. The Rushton building was estimated at $750, with insurance $400. The bank building and fixtures, the original cost of which was $11,000, carried insurance of $4,300. Fixtures of the Ramer barber shop, on the second floor of the bank buildings, were saved.

R. S. Lewis, section foreman of the back door was broken into, but there was such a rush of smoke that entrance was impossible.

the fire and sounded the alarm. The Coast Line, on way to work, discovered

By 7:30 only the shells of the drug store and the bank building, which were of brick, were left. Rushton's store, a fram building, was quickly consumed.

Mr. Rushton, who in point of service, is the oldest merchant in Ramer, was busy this morning moving his merchandise into a vacant store adjoining R. C. Whatley, merchant, where he will operate temporarily.

Mrs. Claude Raynes of Chicago testified in court that she had very little use for a husband except to provide her with money.

ALABAMA In the Week's News

By P. J. Benrimo

The first national Bank of Mobile is one of the five strong southern banks designated by William Wrigley, Jr., Chicago chewing gum manufacturer, to handle the $12,000,000 fund which the Wrigley company proposes to invest in southern cotton. With this money, cotton up to 2,000,00 bales will be bought or accepted in payment of shipments of chewing gum, at a price not higher than 12 cents per pound.

The state legislature re-convened on Tuesday, March 31. Problems that will bulk large during the rest of this session are the state's debt of about $17,000,000, and a system of taxation which shall put the state government on a sound financial footing. Other important matters to be considered: Continuation of highway construction program; a bond issue to amortize the state's debt; naming a joint committee from senate and house to find out if educational funds are being spent properly; report of the house committee appointed to investigate the State Training School for Girls at Birmingham: Gov Miller's recommendation for a state commission to work with a similar comimisison from Tennessee, to make plans for operation of Muscle Shoals by Alabama and Tennessee jointly.

It was made known Tuesday, March 31, that Gov. Miller had replaced six members of the board of trustees of the State Training School for Girls with new appointees. The old board, appointed by former Gov. Bibb Graves, had exonorated Mrs. Ira F. Champion, superintendent of the school of charges of inhuman treatment by a vote of 7 to 4.

Representative Rish of Houston county has two bills before the legislature to amend the state constitution so as to permit income tax and inheritance tax legislation. The proposed income tax: one per cent on incomes of $3,600 to $5,000; graduates up to 10 per cent on incomes of $100,000 or more. The proposed inheritance tax: one per cent on estates of $35,000 to $50,000; graduates up to 15 per cent on estates of $5,000,000 or more.

Warren Ambrose, 76, veteran Southern Railway engineer, died Tuesday, March 31, in Selma, of pneumonia. An engineer for the Southern since 1887, he had made his home in Selma since then. His early life was spent in Scottsboro, his birthplace, and in Tuscaloosa.

Are you 100 years old? If so, get in touch with Prof. Dabney S. Lancaster, University of Alabama. The reason: the state university wants to invite you to be present when it celebrates its own hundredth birthday May 10-12, 1931. Townships, churches, schools, lodges or other institutions organized in 1831 or earlier are also invited to send representatives to this celebration.

An oil portrait of Gen. Robert Lee Bullard, native Alabamian and famed World War hero, is to be presented some time next winter to the state of Alabama by Chester D. Pugsley, wealthy Peekskill, N. Y., capitalist and admirer of Gen. Bullard. Gov. Miller, for the people of Alabama, will make the formal speech of acceptance, and the painting is to be hung in the Department of Archives and History at Montgomery. Gen. Bullard has signified his intention of being in Montgomery for the occasion.

Alabama may have legal near beer Fact. Representative Edgar of Washington county has drawn up a bill legalizing near beer containing 1-2 of one per cent of alcohol, and levying a license on dealers of three cents a pint, the resulting revenue to go into the state's educational trust fund. Present legislation prohibits possession or sale of any liquor that "looks, smells, or tastes" like beer.

If a bill proposed by Senator McDaniel of Marengo county becomes law, Alabama's agricultural high schools and four teachers' colleges will become ancient history. The McDaniel measure proposes to abolish these institutions and to divert the money now being spent on them to the upkeep of elementary and academic secondary schools the training of teachers presumably being turned over to the University, Auburn and Montevallo.

State Representative W. C. Givhan of Dallas County is reported to have advised friends in Selma that he intends to run for Congress next year against Hon. Lamar Jeffers, present incumbent from the Fourth district. Under the reapportionment of congressional representation from Alabama, the Fourth district now consists of the following counties: St. Clair, Augusta, Coosa, Elmore, Clay, Calhoun, Talladega, and Dallas.

According to Representative Carmichael of Colbert county, 1500 tons of nitrate, manufactured at Muscle Shoals 10 years ago, were recently discovered to be in storage at the plant and were sold by officials in charge to the International Fertilizer Co., through farmers in Colbert and neighboring counties offered to pay $12 a ton for it. The fertilizer concern is alleged to have paid from $7.50 to $4.50 per ton less than the farmers offered.

ELECTRIFIED FARMS

In spite of the depression, the extension of electric service to farms of the United States went forward in 1930 with practically normal rapidity, 90,806 additional farms being provided with electricity during the year, an increase of 16.3 per cent.

According to a survey recently completed, California and New York lead in the number of farms now served, as well as in the number of newly electrified farms added last year. **Among the states adding 3,000 or more farms in 1930, Alabama showed the highest percentage of increase, 40 per cent.**

The number of electrified farms in the United States has risen from 166,140 in 1923 to 647,677 in 1930, a gain of 290 per cent in seven years.

That there is still a wide field for the future expansion of rural electrification is seen in the fact that in spite of the rapid progress made, only 10 per cent of American fams now have this service.

With continued cooperation in this movement by farm organizations, agricultural colleges, electric companies and the farmers themselves, progress will doubtless be even more swift in the next decade than it has been in the past, and the drudgery of farm life will be correspondingly reduced.

Full Rows

V-C FERTILIZERS FILL EVERY ROW WITH PROFITS

Any business, to succeed, has got to get a reasonable profit on top of costs. Farming is a business. Farming is a successful business when it cuts costs low by growing heavy yields per acre, yields of high quality. V-C fertilizer helps in this.

"*V-C Fertilizers have given* excellent results on all my farms. On one where V-C Prolific 8-4-6 and 8-3-5 were used, the tobacco crop averaged 1,200 pounds per acre and the price averaged 33 cents. The returns per acre were around $396."—*D. B. Andrews, Calybeate Springs, N. C.*

For 19 years J. T. Jeter has sold V-C fertilizers exclusively at Gladewater, Texas. He knows whereof he speaks when he says, "My customers are perfectly satisfied with V-C." Mr. Jeter adds that his sales have increased every year.

"Grandma must be gettin' deaf. When you set off that dynamite in the new pasture this morning, she patted her hair and smoothed her apron and said 'Come in'."—*Exchange.*

***The Roman Empire finally tumbled into dust because its soil became exhausted.*—U. S. Dept. of Agriculture.**

You get back *more* than you pay out

WHEN it comes to swapping dollars on fertilizer, you get back more dollars than you pay out. The average is over 3½ for 1—but when your paid-out dollars are for V-C fertilizer and your taken-in dollars are for crops grown *right* with the V-C, you ought to beat that. Many successful farmers are getting *maximum* profit every year, with V-C. They're ready to get it again, this season; they've bought their V-C. If you are not ready, you can fix that right now—a V-C dealer or a V-C sales office is near you, waiting to hear from you.

"*From the first year* we took on V-C fertilizers they have been easier and easier to sell. This is due to the fact that customers are so universally satisfied that they boost V-C goods. From the standpoint of the dealer as well as that of the farmer, V-C fertilizers are exceptionally profitable and satisfactory."—*Stuckey & Howell, Midland City, Ala.*

Farming is slow to change because the old learn slowly—and farming is thousands of years old.

There is as little economy in taking food away from your field plants, expecting them to yield well on what they can get from the soil alone, as there would be in curtailing the food of your animals.—U. S. Dept. of Agriculture.

Money spent for fertilizer should be considered a business investment. Like other investments, it should be wisely made.—Florida Extension Service.

"Young man, you can't sell books in this town without a license!"
"Yes, sir, Cap—been trying two days, and couldn't, but I didn't know that was the reason."—*Exchange.*

On 4½ acres, W. R. Green of Hurricane, W. Va., raised 4,665 pounds of tobacco that he sold for $35 per hundred, average. "My net for the crop was $1,632," says Mr. Green. "I used V-C, 400 pounds per acre. Have been growing tobacco 40 years, and have used other brands, but nothing comes up to V-C."

VC FERTILIZERS

VIRGINIA-CAROLINA CHEMICAL CORPORATION
RICHMOND, VIRGINIA

Sales offices in seventeen cities — Dealers at all distribution points

Felt Bad After Eating

"BEFORE I started taking Black-Draught, three years ago, my health was very bad," writes Mrs. C. C. Carson, 845 Concord St., Beaumont, Texas. "I suffered constantly from constipation. I had headache when I got up in the morning, and I felt dull and sluggish. I hardly ate a meal that my food agreed with me. Frequently I would have gas on my stomach, and felt awful.

"I read about Black-Draught, and I thought it might help me. After I had taken it a little while, I felt much better. It relieves constipation. I keep it on hand so when I need a laxative I will have it. In the three years I have been taking it, I have never found anything as good for constipation."

THEDFORD'S
Black-Draught
For CONSTIPATION, INDIGESTION, BILIOUSNESS
Costs Only 1 Cent a Dose
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One Lot of Mens Scout Work Shoes Special

$1.48

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Be sure to see our line of childrens' shoes in patent, laces, gun metal and patent pumps for

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You cannot help buying one of our new hats that we're offering for

98c

Dress Shirts

One Lot of Men's Fast Color Dress Shirts, all sizes

69c

Mens Dress Oxfords

1 Lot of Mens Dress Oxfords All Sizes—Special

$2.25

Tennis Shoes

One lot of good tennis shoes. All Sizes

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THE LEADER

MANAGER, M. LANDE

Clanton, Ala.

Maplesville Man Ends Life By Hanging

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same time told his wife that the hogs will be with you tomorrow,' giving no reason why they would be there. As soon as he had finished the letter, Mrs Apperson had asked him to go to the barn and get some dry corn cobs for starting a fire, it was stated, and when he failed to return, Mrs. Apperson thought perhaps he had gone into the field, so went for the cobs herself, finding her husband hanging from a rafter in the barn, it was said.

Mrs. Apperson is then said to have gone for aid after she had cut the rope holding her husband after much effort. Apperson was rushed to the hospital at Selma, Alabama where he died last Saturday.

No reason for the act was known by relatives nor close friends of Mr. Apperson, it was stated, as he was apparently in good health and had no reason for hanging himself.

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L. E. Barton To Speak At Three Places Sunday

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ciety will meet at two o'clock, to sing until time for Dr. Barton's address, then the singers will resume their songs as long as they wish. All are urged to be present.

Those surrounding communities of Liberty Hill, near there that will take advantage of Dr. Barton's sermons are Mulberry, Concord, Highland and Samaria. Communities near Collins Chapel that can hear him there are New Salem, Mineral Springs, Union Grove, and Thorsby. Those near Jemison that could come in to the Jemison Baptist church at night, are Oak Grove, Pleasant Grove, Macedonia, Cinder Hill and Pates Chapel.

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A rubber composition has been invented for desk pads that is proof against ink stains, is not affected by cigaret stubs, and prevents sheets of paper from slipping.

A Californian is the inventor of a device resembling a small motorboat to tow a rescuer carrying a life line to a drowning person quickly.

Legionnaires Auxiliiary Is Formed In County

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iary, to the local post.

Short talks in regard to the work and organization of an auxiliary of this kind were made before the gathering, after which all ladies present assembled in another room to discuss the organizing of the auxiliary.

Twenty-five members were placed in good standing and the local organization will be known as Chilton County Post No. 6 American Legion Auxilliary. The State President stated that this was the largest single enrollment of any place she had ever visited during her two years of office, and paid this county a very high compliment.

Officers elected Monday night for this new organization are: Mrs. Percy M. Pitts, president; Mrs. Grady Broadhead, 1st vice president; Mrs. W. G. Vinson, 2nd vice president; Mrs. R. D. Woodson of Lay Dam, secretary,treasurer; Mrs. G. T. Tippett, chaplain; Mrs. Loren Smith, Sgt.-at-Arms; and Mrs. J. G. Newton as Historian. The auxilliary will meet the first Monday night in each month. The various committees within the organization will be elected later.

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Sardis News

The school at Vermont closed Friday with an egg hunt, which was enjoyed by all the people.

We invite the teacher back to teach for us next year.

The P.-T. A. at Vermont is going to carry the play, "Two Days to Marry," to the Baker school the following Friday night, April 10. We invite all to come.

The P.-T. A. will meet at Vermont next Saturday night. We invite everybody to come. There will be discussions that will be of interest to all.

The W. M. U. will meet at Sardis Saturday afternoon.

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A new gauge for testing automobile tire pressure is inserted through a wheel rim and is operated by the surface of a tire pressing against a piston.

Concord-Billingsley

Our Easter program which was put on here last Sunday night was very good. Several visitors were present. We wish to thank them for their presence with us. It makes us feel that they are interested in us.

Especially do we thank the parents for their presence and encouragement. We feel that with our parents to encourage us, we can do a greater work for the Master.

If nothing prevents Pleasant Grove Christian Endeavor will come to our church next Sunday night and render a program. Let us give them the best of attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Williams spent the past week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cox.

Mrs. Lula Davis and family of Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Weldon, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Turner were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Surles Sunday.

Mr. George Keen of Pletcher was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. Y. Sims Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cowart spent the past week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw.

Miss Bessie Williams and little sister, May Evelyn, spent Friday night with Miss Ollie Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Williams, Mrs. Fannie Hinson, Olin and Olile Williams attend the funeral of Miss Ruby Davis at Mt. Pisgah church on Monday.

Several from here attended the singing at Poplar Springs Sunday.

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Knobs that resemble gigantic thumb tacks have been invented to be inserted in traffic signs painted on highways to warn motorists by slightly jolting cars passing over them.

An Arkansas newspaper records that a woman was hurt by falling out of a buggy. And it wasn't in the "25 years ago" column, either.

F. A. Gulledge Recalls Letter by Pat O. Waites

To The Rockford Chronicle and Chilton County News:

The forty-year-old letter in The Chronicle of this week written by Pat O. Waites defending his Democracy and loyalty thereto in the campaign between Thos. G. Jones and Ruben F. Kolb of 1890 was to me especially interesting, the same being if I remember directed to the Coosa Advocate of Rockford and I distinctly remember reading same when published.

Another feature of his letter was expressed in a special petition in a wish to and for the farmers of Coosa County, is that "we have Tom Jones for Governor, that we raise corn with ears as big as wagon hubs, grains as large as iron wedges, and we raise hogs with middlings as big as barn doors and as thick as the soil of South Carolina, and that rain will raise Proctor, Swamp and Hatchett Creeks so that we may occasionally catch a blue cat," which was a very memorable campaign in Alabama. This fervent wish of Prof. Waites reminds me of an incident which occurred in the early 70's in which Wiley Wyatt, Dick Allison, Cull Riddle, Newt Davis and some of the Hulls all went to market together. In returning home they camped a short distance above Wetumpka, and at the camp in the late hours of the night, all feeling "how come you so" they turned the camping party into a mock prayer meeting in which Cull Riddle, who had leased the Varner old grist mill from Wiley Wyatt was called on to lead in prayer. This was during an extreme drouth in which everybody was wishing and some praying for rain. Cull Riddle, drunk as he was, called on Cap'n Dick Allison to lead, which he proceeded to send up a very strong appeal for rain in which he used the following language, to wit: "Oh, Lord, would thou be pleased to send down upon us copious showers to wet the ground eight feet deep that we may make ears of corn as big as wagon hubs grain as big as iron wedges and that Cull Riddle can't get nair one to grind." This was generally referred to throughout the country (neighborhood) whenever we were suffering from dry weather.

I especially regretted seeing a member of a certain family sentenced to the penitentiary from Coosa County this week. In fact all violators of the law, enjoy a sympathetic feeling from those outside of the pale of the law.

F. A. GULLEDGE,

Verbena, Ala., March 27, 1931.

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Goodyear Big Tire Essay Winners Named

Interest was aroused over the contest put on by the Dief's Service Station for the best article on the big Goodyear tire that visited Clanton last week. The contest was open only to students of the local high school. Judges were appointed to select the best essays, and the decision was made Tuesday.

First place was awarded to Theodore Littlejohn. Second prize to Miss Charlsie Pyron, third prize to Miss Sarah Hill, and fourth place to Miss Esther Lee Dennis. All these had excellent articles concerning the tire and its manufacture.

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NEWS OFFICE GETS PRESENT OF SOME GOOD MOLASSES

The News office received a pleasant call Tuesday afternoon from W. C. Hubbard, who resides near Clanton. Mr. Hubbard was a most welcome visitor, due to the fact that he set a big bucket of some delicious syrup on the editor's desk, with his compliments. Mr. Hubbard is one of these fellows that you can't keep from liking.

AND WE ALL BIT

On Thursday of last week, a young lady leading a man, with one arm off, and supposedly blind, were making a mechanical round on the business houses of Clanton selling little cards on which were printed some poetry about a blind and One Arm Man. They would take any amount of cash one would give. The lady was very well dressed and so was the old man. They called at the News office and there also received a donation.

A representative of the News became curious about the couple, due to one or two slips they made, and started a little personal investigation. The result was that he found the lady and the man were traveling via a new model of a well known make of large automobile, sedan type, had a young man for a chauffeur, and another young lady in the party. Modern ladies hat boxes and over night cases were packed in an alley, out of the way so it would not be noticed too readily. Yes, no doubt we all bit at that one.

POLK BROS. MOTOR COMPANY IS CELEBRATING ANNIVERSARY

Local Chevrolet Dealers Put On Huge Spring Sale Of Used Cars

The Polk Brothers Motor Company, Inc., is this week, celebrating their seventh anniversary as Chevrolet dealers in Chilton County.

This automobile concern is one that a city like Clanton can be justly proud to have in its midst. Their repair department is in charge of an experienced Chevrolet schooled mechanic in the person of Arthur Watson. He has as his assistants, other experienced and well trained mechanics.

The owners of this concern, W. M. Polk, Sr., and George C. Polk, have won the confidence of countless customers in this section, which accounts for the splendid business now enjoyed by them. Barney Burnett also holds a responsible position with Polk Bros. Motor Co., in the capacity of bookkeeper and salesman. Mr. Burnett too has made for himself countless friends over the county since his affiliation with this firm sometime ago.

The Polk Brothers Motor Company has served this section faithfully for the past seven years. Each year saw some outstanding improvement in the plant, which is now among the most modern equipped. In this issue of the News will be found a large ad from this firm.

J. L. Eason, prominent merchant of White City, was in Clanton on business last Tuesday. Mr. Eason called at the News office, and while there, placed an order for job printing.

We guarantee Gold Dust and Ca-Mi-Co Flours to be Equal to, or Better than any other Flours sold in America, regardless of price

"It's white"

These words are used to describe one of the outstanding qualities of our two leading flours. Cadick's Gold Dust (It's White!) and Cadick's Ca-Mi-Co (It's White) are both fine soft wheat flours, both perfectly white.

Use them for pies, cakes, biscuits and pastries. Both are fine quality flours. Ca-Mi-Co being made self-rising for convenience.

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$1,000 Reward

The producers of Ferrac realize that the product is so unusual—so mystifying in its origin as well as in its ability to perform—that there are those who cannot understand how it is possible for nature to combine minerals that the brightest minds in the greatest chemical laboratories in the world cannot duplicate. Therefore, the producers of Ferrac invite the closest inquiry and investigation, and if it can be shown that Ferrac is put into the bottle with any other constituents than those originally supplied by Mother Nature, in the subteranean fires of her great laboratory, the producers of this marvelous compound will give to any charity in the State of Alabama a

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For stomach troubles, indigestion, gall bladder troubles, gastritis, liver and kidney troubles, constipation, high blood pressure, acidity, piles, rheumatism and kindred ailments, count no case hopeless, no matter of how long standing until you have first tried nature's own prescription that is on sale in all drug stores.

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CLANTON, ALABAMA

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THURSDAY---FRIDAY---SATURDAY

April 9th, 10th, 11th

Buffalo Bill, Jr, with Wanda Hawley In

"TRAILS of the GOLDEN WEST"

100 Percent Talking

Also Serial and News

MONDAY---TUESDAY---WEDNESDAY

April 13th, 14th, 15th

DeSylva, Brown and Henderson's

"JUST IMAGINE" with El Brendel

Most Amazing Entertainment of all Time

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NOTICE

Send us your name, address and date of birth, if you haven't done so already. We want to remember you, and give you a pass to our show on your birthday. We also give three passes on each picture from names drawn from our birthday list. We give a birthday present on the 1st Saturday of each month, beginning May 1st, 1931.

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FIRST DEGREE MURDER PLACED ON GOODSON

Slayer of Ruby Davis Is Arraigned For Trial April 22; Plans Insanity Plea

The Grand Jury of Chilton County in session last Friday in Clanton, on investigating the case of J. Collier Goodson age 22, alleged to have shot and killed his sweetheart, Miss Ruby Davis, returned an indictment charging Goodson with first degree murder, information states.

Goodson shot Miss Davis, according to reports, in the back, Saturday night, April 4th, while she was in Clanton visiting her sister, Miss Pauline Davis, who makes her home with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Aldrich. Goodson is said [illegible] have been desperately in love with Miss Davis for sometime, and the latter's brothers sent her to Talladega to attend school not so long ago, in order that she would be away from Goodson, as they objected to his attentions toward her. Goodson has been employed on a farm in the Enterprise community in this county, although his

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BIR-MONT CAFE OPENED IN THORSBY ON THE HIGHWAY

Thorsby has an addition to its business circles that it can rightfully be proud of at this time. This new addition is the Bir-Mont Cafe.

The Bir-Mont Cafe was recently opened by C. C. Horton, who has moved to Thorsby to make his home. It is located on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway, with a fine parking place in front. The Bir-Mont Cafe is operated by people who are desirous of giving service in the best way. It dispenses fountain drinks, ice cream, sandwiches, light lunches or regular dinners. Carries a full line of candies, cigars and cigarettes. Its interior is most attractive, being neat and spotless, and well arranged with tables for ladies. Mr. Horton is a very likable fellow, believing in Thorsby and Chilton County and has already started boosting that town. He invites the people of Clanton, and other places to stop by when passing through Thorsby.

MR. AND MRS. GRADY TAYLOR ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Taylor have announced the birth of a fine young daughter, born Friday, April 10th. Both the mother and daughter are doing fine at the time of this writing, at the Central Alabama Hospital in Clanton. The new addition will be known as Miss Anne Jeanette.

ELIZABETH LAWLEY

Elizabeth Lawley, age 68, died at her home in Billingsley, Ala., Thursday, April 9th. Funeral services were held on the following Friday at McCord cemetery, Billingsley.

Andrew Howard Of Verbena Is Dead

Andrew Howard, age 30, prominent garage man of Verbena died at his home suddenly last Thursday, April 9, about noon.

Howard is said to have gone home for lunch and had just been into the room where one of his children was seriously ill, when he was heard struggling by other members of the family. He died before aid could be given. He has been a resident of Verbena practically all his life, and was a member of Howard Bros. Garage, a concern widely known throughout this section. He was a member of the Baptist church.

He was reared in Verbena, being the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Howard, long-time residents of this section. He married Miss Vallie Norris, daughter of Rev. E. A. Norris of this county.

Funeral services were held last Friday afternoon, with the Rev. J.M. Metcalf officiating. Martin & Sons of Clanton were in charge.

Surviving is the widow, three children, Lawrence, Aubrey and Ruth; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Howard, of Verbena; four sisters, Mrs. J. M. Mims, Mrs. T. J. Sims, Miss Annie Bell Howard and Miss Edna Howard, all of Verbena; four brothers, O. L. Howard, John W. Howard and Adolphus Howard, all of Verbena, and T. L. Howard of Jordan Dam.

FIGURES IN MURDER IN CLANTON ON APRIL 4

Above is J. Collier Goodson, 22, who is faced with a charge of murder in the first degree, on the shooting of Miss Ruby Davis, 17, below, attractive and popular school girl, on Saturday night, April 4, in Clanton.

W. M. U. MEET AT BILLINGSLEY ON WEDNESDAY, 22

Quarterly Meeting Scheduled To Begin at Ten O'Clock Next Wednesday A. M.

The quarterly meeting of the W. M. U. of Unity is scheduled to be held on Wednesday, April 22, at the Billingsley church. The meeting will be composed of a most interesting pre-arranged program, and will open at ten o'clock next Wednesday morning. Following is the program for the day:

10:00 A. M. Song, Joy to the World.

Devotional: "That the world may

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INTERESTING PLAY TO BE PUT ON AT THE WHITE CITY SCHOOL

A play that is interesting and has a title that shows that it is to be very amusing is to be staged at the White City School, near Mountain Creek on Friday night, April 17th. The title of the play is "My Awful Dad."

Admission will be ten cents and fifteen cents. A string band will be present to render several selections between the acts. Everyone is invited to attend.

MRS. GROVER HARRIS SLOWLY IMPROVING IN MONTG. HOSPT.

The many friends of Mrs. Grover Harris will be glad to learn that she is showing quite a bit of improvement following a serious operation at the Memorial Hospital in Montgomery.

Several Carried To The Penitentiarv Recently

Following the closing of the term of Circuit Court in Chilton County recently, eleven prisoners were carried to Kilby Prison where they are to serve time imposed on them by the court. The following were carried to Kilby: Albert Rucker, convicted and sentenced, charged with grand larceny; William Virgil Brown, manufacturing liquor and possessing a still; Grover Hayes, assault and battery; Dock Horton, manufacturing liquor and possessing a still. John Mims, violating the prohibition law. Burnie Martin, manufacturing liquor and possessing a still. J. C. Price, second degree murder. Tim Armstrong, manufacturing liquor and possessing a still. Tom Bearden, manufacturing liquor and possessing a still. McKinley Martin, burglary and grand larceny. Jim Powell, burglary and grand larceny.

County P.-T. A. To Meet At Isabella

Miss Cora Belle Maddox, of Isabella, chairman of the County Council of the Parent-Teachers Association, stated this week that the County P.-T. A. will meet at the Isabella School, west of Clanton on April 25th, for an all-day meeting.

All local organizations are urged to send representatives to this meeting, which is scheduled to open at nine-thirty o'clock a.m. A report from the District P. T. A. will be made. Lunch will be served at the noon hour.

PARTY RETURNS FROM MOTOR TRIP INTO STATE OF TEXAS

The party composed of C. B. Cox, C. Fenn Jones, Frank Callen and Dr. T. H. Neighbors, returned the middle of this week from a motor trip into the State of Texas.

In relating events in the trip, it was very successful, according to each one in the party. Many points of interest were visited and the state given a thorough looking-over by Clanton's visiting party.

COUNTYBOARD NAMES HEADS FOR SCHOOLS

Three High School Principals Named; Verbena High Gets New Principal

At the recent meeting of the County Board of Education, the matter of electing principals for the various high schools over the county for next year was taken up. Only three of the high schools in the county received principals at this meeting. Verbena High School will have a new head in the person of W. C. DuBose, from Courtland, and former principal of the Marbury school in 1924-25.

Prof. L. C. Warr was re-elected as principal of the Chilton County High School.

Prof. J. A. Peterson was re-elected as principal of the Jemison High school.

J. P. Montgomery will serve again next term as vocational instructor at the Jemison High school.

Erle Thomas was re-elected to serve again as vocational instructor at the Isabella school.

Prof. W. E. G. Sutton, present principal of the Verbena High school, did not make application for the position for the next term of school, it was stated. Prof. Sutton has served as principal of the Verbena school for several years.

FINE SUNDAY SCHOOL IS ORGANIZED AT MT. PLEASANT

Approximately sixty people met at the Mt. Pleasant Junior High School last Sunday for the purpose of organizing a Sunday School. Assistance in the organization was given by Prof. H. A. Harris and W. J. Billingsley of Clanton, for which those interested have expressed their appreciation, as these two men rendered valuable assistance in getting the Sunday School off to a fine start.

At this first meeting, the following officers were elected: Superintendent, Johnnie Minor; Assistant Superintendent, Lee Popwell; Secretary, Miss Bess Marie Eiland.

Many new members are expected to be enrolled right away, and a cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend this Sunday School each Sunday morning at nine-thirty o'clock.

W. M. U. Quarterly Meeting Scheduled

The W. M. U Quarterly Meeting of the Chilton County Association will meet on April 23rd at the Sardis Baptist church.

A large crowd is expected to be in attendance, due to the fact that a most interesting program has been arranged, according to Mrs. W. H. Raybon, secretary and treasurer.

MITCHELL DAM GIRL SCOUTS MAKING MUCH PROGRESS NOW

The Girl Scouts held their regular meeting Monday evening at six o'clock. A number of the girls passed an interesting part of their Second Class test, which was fire making.

The Scouts are planning to organize a first aid team, with the help of the first aid team at Mitchell Dam. Because of this help we are sure they will make a great success.

The Scouts wish to extend an invitation to the Scouts of Clanton to meet with them any time they wish, they will be delighted to have them.

REPAIRING OF JAIL IS WELL STARTED HERE

Cost of Repairing Jail Is Said To Be About $30,000.00; In Two Contracts

Work of repairing and remodeling the inside and outside of the county jail here is well underway this week. The top has been torn away, and much done on the inside.

Moore & Wooley, contractors of Birmingham, have contracted to do the work on the jail, while the Southern Prison Company of San Antonio, Texas are to furnish the steel equipment for the inside of the structure.

Included in the work to be done to modernize the rather antique building, is the replacing of the small windows in the lower story with larger ones, new plumbing fixtures to be installed, new boiler room to be built on the outside of the jail, new lighting fixtures, a high wire fence to be built around the grounds.

It was stated that when this work is completed, that this county will have a jail that will be modern in practically every respect. It will be fire-proof throughout, as only steel and concrete will be used in this work now going on. The first story will be made into prison quarters, something that has needed to be done sometime. The jail will not be enlarged, only to the extent that the boiler room will be an addition, giving more room downstairs. It is expected that it will be completed within four months.

MT. PLEASANT 4-H CLUB MEETS THURSDAY NIGHT

The Mt. Pleasant community 4-H Club will hold their regular monthly meeting Thursday night, 7:00 p.m. on April 16th. All members please be present.

—Curtis Traywick, Reporter.

WILLIE CHARLES EDWARDS AGE 4, DIED LAST FRIDAY, APRIL 10

Willie Charles, age 4, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Edwards, died at his home near Mt. Creek, Ala., on Friday, April 10th. Funeral services were held on the following Saturday at Highland Creek.

Clanton Grammar School Planning For Real May Day Program: May Queen To Be Selected

Plans for a May Day Program are being made now for the Clanton Grammar School. Floats will be made up and possibly a large downtown parade staged by the girls and boys of the school.

One of the most interesting features of the program will be the crowning of a May Day Queen, which place some little girl attending the grammar school will take following a contest which is to open soon. This contest to determine the Queen for that day will open Friday, April 17th, which is tomorrow. Votes will be sold over Clanton by these charming little girls who have been selected from each class at the school. Each class has a candidate and a very closely contested race is expected to ensue during the course of the voting.

The contest will close Friday morning, May 1st, when the winner will be crowned May Queen, so everyone get busy and pick your choice from the following list of charming and attractive little ladies of the grammar school:

First Grade, Sarah Nell Sesisons; First Grade, Clara Marie Cooper; Second Grade, Frances Popwell and Lillian Smith; Third Grade, Kathleen Petty and Annie Cordelia Smith; Fourth Grade, Theda Wyatt and Nell Rockett; Fifth Grade, Thelma White; Sixth Grade, Jane Pitts.

CHILTON HIGH DEFEATED SELMA TEAM LAST FRIDAY

The boys from the Chilton County High School are now coming into that position that they should be in, in all athletics. They went over to Selma last Friday afternoon with their baseball paraphenalia and scored a victory with a score of 4 to 3, against Selma.

Paul Cox, in the pitchers hole, showed some good work, stretching some good throws to the Selma lads—good ones for the local boys. Nivens, our "short-stopper" got all wound up, and carried out his duties correctly, while Littlejohn swung a rather wicked bat right before the Selma lads eyes. The lineup for Chilton was F. Busby, Simms, Littlejohn, Nivens, Cox, Wagoner, Harris, Maddox as substitute, P Busby and Tiffin.

This out-tobe-banner team goes down to Marbury tomorrw afternoon for another game of toss and hit or miss, mostly the former for the Clanton lads, it is hoped, although Marbury does have a rather swift bunch of players Clanton needs the support of the presence of citizens at these games. See them.

"TWO DAYS TO MARRY" IS SENIOR PLAY, MAPLESVILLE

Members of the Senior Class of the Maplesville High School are staging a very amusing play at the Maplesville school on next Saturday night. The title of the play is "Two Days to Marry," and each person taking part has been well trained.

The curtain is scheduled to be raised at eight o'clock. An invitation is extended to everyone to see this play, put on by the Seniors of the Maplesville High School.

ILLITERACY IS BEING REMOVED IN CHILTON CO.

Federal Figures Show Huge Strides Being Made by This County In Fine Work

Chilton County is ranking high in its efforts to wipe out illiteracy, and its record during the past ten years has been most commendable, according to the Federal census.

According to the Federal census this county had a school population in 1920 of 7,600 white and negro children while in 1930 it was 8,078. In 1920 1,365 of these children between the ages of 7-20 inclusive were illiterate while 813 were shown to be illiterate in 1930 This gave a total illiteracy in 1920 of 17.96%

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BURNING TRASH EXPLOSION INJURES REV. T. J. DEASON

The Rev. T. J. Deason was painfully, but not seriously injured last Monday morning when some matter in a pile of trash which he was burning, exploded. His legs and arms were burned from the explosion, which sent fiery particles of trash in ever direction.

He was rushed to a doctor who stated that he could find no shots in his body, it being at first believed that a gun shell was in the trash. Later opinions was that it was dynamite. Rev. Deason is at home recovering from the wounds. He resides in the Reynolds Addition, just east of town.

Maplesville Girl Is Killed In Accident

Miss Addie Christian, age 22, of Maplesville, Alabama, was thrown from a small roadster and instantly killed, while two companions escaped with minor injuries about nine o'clock last Thursday night, according to information to the News, when the car in which they were riding overturned while rounding a curve near Rider, on the Plantersville road.

Her two companions, Earl Shultz and young Jefferson of Lawley escaped with cuts and bruises. Shultz is said to have been driving the car, and both were also thrown out. Miss Christian's skull was fractured at the base of the brain, and her jaw and collarbone were also broken.

She is survived by her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Christian of Maplesville; three sisters, Mrs. C O. Culp and Mrs. R. B. Bates, both of Selma and Miss Tommie Christian of Maplesville; and four brothers, Sam Christian of Maplesville and Clyde, Jess and Virgil Christian of Mobile.

KIWANIS CLUB TO STAGE NEGRO MINSTREL SOON

Local Club Is Rehearsing Amusing Program For April 24th

Following in the successful footsteps of the showing of the all-talking picture, "Just Imagine" comes a blackfaced minstrel to be presented by members of the Clanton Kiwanis Club The entire town is talking of the uniqueness of the picture sponsored by the Kiwanis Club and shown at the Wadesonian Theatre last Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, and it is believed that record crowds saw the picture each night

Now comes another treat for the amusement seeking people of this section, when the Kiwanis Club will stage its blackfaced minstrel at the high school auditorium on Friday night, April 24th.

All members of the club, numbering twenty-two will take part in this laugh-bringing show. Quite a bit of time has been spent in arranging for its pre-

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SENIOR B. Y. P. U. REORGANIZED HERE SUNDAY NIGHT, APRIL 5

The Senior Department of the Baptist Young People's Union of the local Baptist church met at the church Sunday night, April 5th for the purpose of reorganizing. A good number were present and showed much interest in the purpose. Officers were elected and are as follows:

Miss Ruth Sessions, president; Miss Vera Jones, vice-president; Miss Eloise Jones, secretary and chorister; Miss Vivian Gray, corresponding secretary and pianist; T. H. Walker, treasurer; daily Bible reader leader, Miss Berniece Williams.

DR. EDGAR ATTENDING DENTAL CONVENTION IN MOBILE, ALA.

Dr. J. E. Edgar left the early part of the week for Mobile where he will attend the Dental Convention. He stated that he would be out of his office until Saturday, April 18th.

MR. AND MRS. JULIUS BURNETT PARENTS OF NEW BABY GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Burnett have announced the arrival of a fine young daughter, born Wednesday, April 8th. Both the mother and baby are doing fine at the South Highlands Infirmary in Birmingham. The recent Miss Burnett has been given the name of Dorothy.

THREE SCHOOLS IN COUNTY WILL CLOSE THIS WEEK

Three more elementary schools in Chilton County will complete their term this week, according to information from the office of the superintendent here. These schools are Cross Roads, Freeman and Smith.

Chief White Elk Is Heartily Received Here

Through the efforts of S. R. Powers, a member of the Clanton Kiwanis Club, Clanton was given the opportunity of being host to Chief White Elk last Monday, and the town heartily responded to this rare opportunity

Chief White Elk, of the famous Catawba Tribe of Indians, appeared in Clanton in full regalia Monday afternoon, and spoke to the local Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts and others at the Methodist church, where he also rendered several selections on the pipe organ. He also appeared on the stage at the Wadesonian Theatre, as a courtesy to the Kiwanis Club. Chief White Elk is a most remarkable person, being a graduate of two colleges, speaks seven different languages, and has traveled around the world many times, being personally acquainted with such personages as the Kaiser, Mussolini and others.

He is also bearing a reputation few have. He has appeared in many recent motion pictures, such as "The Big Trail," "Cimarron" and sang in "The Show Boat." His appearance in Clanton and his talks to the boys and girls at the high school and church, will no doubt go far in helping build the standards of future citizens. Chief White Elk will always find a welcome in Clanton.

Baby Chicks Each 10c

Why buy day old baby chicks when you can buy started chicks at the same price? Buy pure bred chicks. Cheap half-breeds are costly. We sell you one chick or as many as you want. 10c each, $10 a hundred.

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Clanton, Alabama

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RESTORATION OF CITIZENSHIP AND POLITICAL RIGHTS

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will on or before May 12, 1931, make application to the Board of Pardons for the restoration of citizenship and political rights of Ed Mims, convicted at the April, 1928, of the Circuit Court of Chilton County for the offense of possession of still and sentenced to penitentiary of one year and one day to 13 months.

4-16-2tc ED MIMS.

Misses Celia Baldwin and Betty Baldwin of Mountain Creek were among the shoppers in Clanton Saturday.

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V. J. Elmore Store Is Bringing A Large Number Chicks Here

Local Concern Aiding In Increasing Interest In Poultry Raising In Chilton County

Doing what is believed a great good to Chilton County, the local store of the V. J. Elmore 5s, 10c & $1.00 Stores, has arranged to supply the people of this section with baby chicks in large numbers.

The manager of the local store stated that they are finding that by placing on sale these chicks, they are aiding the small poultry raiser a great deal to increase the size of his hatches at no great cost. For instance, a person has a hen who has just hatched only a few eggs, and should have a larger number of chicks to care for. Then the extra chicks can be purchased and placed with the hen and her original brood, thereby increasing the number of chickens raised to something like double.

This store now is receiving large numbers of these small chiqkens weekly, and they hope to place several thousand in this immediate territory within the next several weeks.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means to express our sincere thanks to our many friends for their kindness and sympathy extended us during our recent bereavement in the death of our loving daughter and sister. We also wish to express our appreciation of the floral tributes.

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New Harmony News

Too Late for Last Week

Health in this community seems to be very good at present.

Spring has come at last and everybody is farming.

Miss Gracy Culp is visiting Miss Louise Robinson of Pletcher this week.

Miss Willie Pearl Cooper visited Miss Nonene Headley Friday night.

Miss Ruth Williams visited her sister, Mrs. Lee Smith, Tuesday night.

Miss Willie Pearl Cooper had as her guest Saturday night Miss Nonene Headley.

Mr. Cecil Bridges spent Saturday night with Mr. Cyrell Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dolphus Jones of Liberty Hill community.

Misses Delene Culp and Lucile Williams dined with Miss Willie Pearl Coopers Sunday.

Misses Lucile and Louise Jones visited Mrs. Lea Smith Tuesday night.

Misses Kathryn Headley, Willie Pearl Cooper, Delene Culp, Beatrice Henley, Lucile Williams, Messrs. Odis and Albert Headley called on Miss Nonene Headley Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cooper and little grandson, Wade, and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Headley and little son, Earl, went to the river Monday fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wililams visited Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Williams Sunday night.

Miss Willie Pearl Cooper spent Tuesday night with Miss Kathryn Headley.

Miss Ruth Williams had as her guest Friday night Misses Mary Owens and Jessie Culp.

Mr. J.D. Williams spent Friday night with Mr. Cecil Bridges.

Miss Ollie Mims visited her brother, Mr. Arthur Mims, Tuesday night.

On account of the bad weather there wasn't so many at the candy breaking at Mr. Lea Smith's Friday night, but all who were there reported an enjoyable time.

NOTICE

State of Alabama, Complainant, vs. One Chevrolet, Coach, 1929 Model, Respondent.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against one Chevrolet Coach, 1929 Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 28th day of March, 1931, One Emmett McKee did transport in one Chevrolet Coach 1929 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama to another, and that said automobile was on said day seized by the Sheriff of said County, and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Ala., and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 7th, day of May, 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 6th day of April, 1931.

GEO. F. SMOOT,
Judge of the 19th Judicial Circuit.
4-9-3tcs.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912.

Of the Chilton County News published weekly at Clanton, Ala., for April 1, 1931.

State of Alabama, County of Chilton, ss.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Billy Smith, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Publisher of the Chilton County News and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 411, Postal Laws and Regulation, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are:

Publisher Billy Smith, Clanton, Ala.
Editor Billy Smith and Vernie Teel, Clanton, Ala.
Managing Editor Billy Smith, Clanton, Ala.
Business Managers Billy Smith and Vernie Teel, Clanton, Ala.

2. That the owner is Billy Smith, Clanton, Ala.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: Joseph B. Atkinson, Clanton, Ala., Mergenthaler Linotype Co., Brooklyn, N. Y.

4. That the two paragraphs next above, giving the names of the owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, contain not only the list of stockholders and security holders as they appear upon the books of the company but also, in cases where the stockholder appears upon the books of the company as trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting, is given; also that the said two paragraphs contain statements embracing affiant's full knowledge and belief as to the circumstances and conditions under which stockholders and security holders who do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in a capacity other than that of a bona fide owner; and this affiant has no reason to believe that any other person, association, or corporation has any interest direct or indirect in the said stock, bonds, or other securities than as so stated by him.

BILLY SMITH, Publisher.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14 day of April, 1931.

C. O. JONES, Notary Public.
(My commission expires 4-30 1931.)

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Miss Lois Culver of Birmingham is spending several days in Clanton with friends and relatives.

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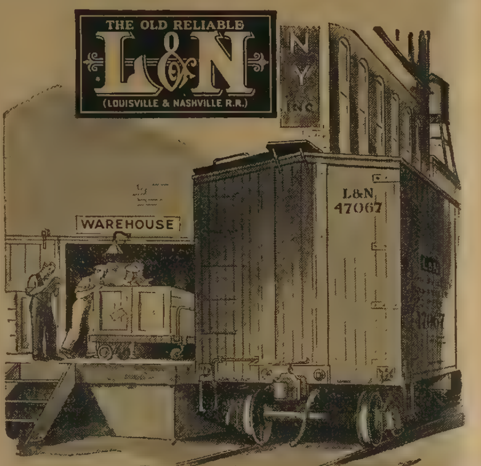

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The Railroads Must Earn To Spend

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Bethsalem News

Our Sunday School is progressing nicely. We had fifty-eight members present last Sunday and several visitors. We especially invite everybody to come and take a part.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. Doshie Vinson is still on the sick list, but we hope she will soon recover so she can return back with us in our Sunday school for we miss her, oh, so much.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonga Vinson of Selma were visitors in this community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Altman Gray spent the week end with their parents at Deatsville, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Billingsley and little son, Charles, spent Thursday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Vinson.

Mrs. Nancy Wilkins spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Arthur Wilkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bowles are the proud parents of a big baby girl.

The wedding of much surprise occurred last Saturday night at the home of Rev. J. E. Moore's. Mr. Clyde Wilkins and Miss Jettie Spigener were married. We wish them a long and happy life together.

Misses Alice Williams and Agnes Askins were visitors in Clanton Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Tinnie and children and Miss Desser Tinnie spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hill.

Miss Agnes Askins spent Sunday with her friend, Mrs. Altman Gray.

Mrs. J. M. Hill and daughter, Mrs. Hudson Tennie, and baby spent Monday at the home of Mrs. C. C. Vinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Billingsley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wright.

Remember, next Sunday is our preching day, also Sunday night. Everybody is invited to come.

The W. M. U. women are invited to meet at Bethsalem church next Thursday afternoon at one o'clock.

Remember, Sunday School next Sunday morning at ten o'clock. Everyone is invited to come.

Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Johnson and children spent Sunday with their father, Mr. Bub Dobbs.

MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

When I was a boy I had a yard pig. He was a great pet and was always on hand. He stood around the kitchen door and cracked bones. It mattered not how much we gave him to eat, the little rascal would squeal for more. My father grew tired of my pet, and one day he caught his majesty and threw his hogship into a wagon. He was carried to the pasture and was turned aloose with the other hogs. When my father threw him from the wagon he said, "Now, root hog or die." His days of eating from hands that fed were over, and he had to root for his own living. The next time I saw my pet he did not carry so much fat, but he was a real hog. It helped him to be dependent upon his own effort. Without comment you know what I am saying. Many a child has been made a failure because the parents would not push him out, and let him know that it is "Root hog or die."

The other day I was sitting on the creek bank, pretending that I was fishing. (I was only holding a pole for sport) and along came the wrapper from a loaf of bread. Someone had appropriated the bread and had thrown the wrapper on the water. The wind was blowing that floating piece of paper in all directions, and when the wind was not blowing, the paper would drift with the currents. For three hours I watched it as it was a moving thing, subject to the winds that blew and the currents that drifted. In that length of time it had traveled in all directions, but it had gone nowhere. I see people every day who drift with every current that touches them. They run with the gang. They lock arms and keep step with every influence that grips them. They never go anywhere and they never amount to anything, because they are subject to every wind that blows.

Last Sunday afternoon I was driving over the paved highway between Thorsby and Clanton and I met 94 cars in that short distance. It took me just fifteen minutes to make the seven miles, and yet there were 94 automobiles went whizzing by. They were all in a great hurry to keep out of the way of the car that was just behind. If you should stand on the corner at the Upchurch Drug Store in Clanton on the Sabbath day and count all the cars that passed by in twenty-four hours, you would not see less than four thousand. Talk about hard times, talk about the financial depression, talk about poverty, if you will open your eyes, you can see why things are as we have them. Cars are not given away and they do not run without gas and oil. When will we ever come to ourselves and learn not to spin our money away on wheels?

On Tuesday night it was announced in the service at Lay Dam that a lady visiting in that community that afternoon had lost a purse and some valuables, and that she had offered a ten dollar reward to anyone who would find her lost treasure. No sooner had the announcement been made than a company of boys rushed from the building, and made a bee line for the place where the purse was lost. Even the preacher wanted to be in the race, hoping that he might find the purse and receive the reward. How different we find it when we announce that a man, a woman, has lost a soul. We look on that loss with indifference. We do not rush out to seek and save the lost, and yet the most valuable treasure in every human life is the soul. There is a great reward for anyone who turns a soul to God.

I heard a lady say last week in a Missionary meeting at Speigener that she was "Too busy raising vegetables, chickens and children to know any too much about peace pacts and war policies." That is the kind of a mother who is going to save the world. The reason why we have so many unruly children and so many awful tragedies along the way of life is because we have too many mothers who are too busy powdering and painting, too busy going to parties, too busy at everything else, rather than at the task of making homes that are worth while. A lady told me not long since that she had no time for anything, after she had done her duty by her church and her children. May the good Lord give us more mothers who have no time for anything much but her children and her church

I was in the home where an aged lady resided. She had gone above the four score and ten, and her eyes were very dim. This mother in Israel had a passion to be of service to someone, and having a son whose wife was totally blind, she spent her time making quilts for that family in need. A granddaughter would take twenty needles in the morning and run the thread from a spool through the eyes of those needles, and the grandmother would sit all day in her chair and work away with her scraps. She was happy in the fact that she had completed a quilt for the blind daughter and would soon have another ready. That is what I call being willing to help your fellowman. Even the aged can help somebody every day.

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There never has been a time in the history of America when these three essential qualities of the good life were so manifest as they are today in our everyday affairs. We as a people are just beginning to emerge from the most serious and long-drawn-out period of calamity and depression which we have ever experieneed. Millions of men and women have been for months literally unable to earn their daily bread. Millions more have been deprived by the force of Nature of all that they had in the world, leaving them without the bare means of subsistence.

A less sturdy people than ours would have yielded ere this to despair. A less law-abiding people would have relapsed into banditry, as so many of China's millions have done. But there have been no popular uprisings, no bread riots, no desperate mobs pillaging the stores of supplies. In the face of all that we have been going through there has been no note of despondency.

We have kept the faith; we have not lost our belief in the ultimate return of the old prosperity; we still look upon this country of ours as the greatest and most favored of nations and we have clung to the hope that, sooner or later, somehow, in ways which we cannot quite clearly forsee but which our faith tells us will surely operate for good, all will be well again. We have not lost hope.

And while we have held to the faith and clung to hope, we have been giving, and still are giving, the finest example of charity in all history. Without excitement, without pressure beyond the mere spreading of the word that help was needed, we have given not merely the ten million dollars that the Red Cross asked for but millions beyond that, to feed the hungry, clothe the naked and succor the homeless; and we are still giving. All of the machinery of our governments, state and national, has been geared to relieve the distress of the less fortunate among us.

The picture of the people of the United States which this situation reveals is one of which we may well be proud. We have proved again, to ourselves, what some had begun to doubt, that we have not cut loose from the ancient, imperishable virtues; that they still rule our hearts and guide our conduct.

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April --- The Flower Month

April brings the primrose sweet,
Scattering daisies at our feet.
Showers, too, o'er hill and dale,
Echo back on Summer's trail.

arm surrendered April 26, 1865; George Washington was 19, 1775; war with Spain April 22, 1898; the first American newspaper was issued April 24, 1704; last Confederate

April, the month chosen to represent the daisy, is also a good month in which to plant flower seeds, the first few days and the last two days are favorites. The birthstone for the month is the diamond.

Past events of interest to happen in the months of April include the following: Battle of Five Forks, April 1, 1865; United tSates mint established April 2, 1792; Chili and Peru were at war April 4, 1870; United States declared war on Germany, April 6, 1917; there were 2,009,031 slaves in the United States April 7, 1859; on April 9, 1865 Gen. Lee surrendered; President Abraham Lincoln assassinated April 14, 1865; the steamer Titanic was wrecked on April 15, 1912; the Battle of Lexington April inaugurated president of the U. S. April 30, 1789.

Prominent persons to have birthdays in April, living and deceased, include: Mary Miles Minter, Harry Houdini, Mary Pickford, Judge Charles E. Hughes, Henry Clay, Thomas Jefferson, Rear Admiral Irwin, Chas. Chaplin, J. P. Morgan, Sr., Constance Talmadge, Harold Lloyd, James Buchanan, Rear Admiral Selfridge, General U. S. Grant, James C. Monroe, F. H. Yost.

A full moon will shine during April on the 4th, last quarter falls on the 11th, new moon on the 19th, and first quarter on the 27th.

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Our Rich Country

The United States, they say, possesses national wealth valued at $360,000,000,000. Germany's national wealth is estimated at $80,000,000,000. So with half our population, they have less than one-fourth of our wealth. All other nations also are poorer than we.

How did we get this great wealth? Can we keep it? In part it is due to our rich natural resources. But our people have wasted these resources. Now they depend on their own energy and brains.

The people who went before us worked hard over long hours. They were ingenious, and gave their whole thought to their work. Our modern folks are bright and ambitious, but they do not work as they did formerly. They give far more time to play.

Can the pleasure loving Americans compete with Europe's workers, who are spurred on by poverty to toil so laboriously?

It does not follow that the people of Alabama and elsewhere need to work longer hours. Protracted labor dulls the mind and weakens the body. But unless we keep awake, the plodding toilers of Europe may distance us, as the slow old tortoise outran the speedy hare, when the latter lay down and fell asleep.

Yet with concentration, and full use of brains and of science, America's workers will beat the world.

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

Easter passed with no great number of casualties—few straws seen, and fewer caught in the breezes, to be whisked away, to the chagrin of the wearer. Stuck around to see what the Easter parade would be composed of, but saw very few new outfits. That is due, possibly to the coolness of the weather and the members of the fair sex were forced to wear wraps, hiding from view those dresses they bought or made just for Easter wear. That was tough on them. It was to be cold and show the new dress, or remain comfortable and not show it.

Have noticed several straws being worn by the more daring men about town, but seems as if the felts are still in the lead, and possibly will be for sometime, although I imagine the dry goods stores here will soon display the latest in straws for the well-dressed man. But I don't believe the straws will take hold for sometime yet in Clanton.

The new style in ladies hats are very appealing to the masculine eye. They have that feminine appearance about them that the majority of men desire in a companion. S'funny that when something new comes out, there are so many persons who go just a little bit too far in trying to keep in style, wearing the wrong thing at the right time, trying to impress on others that they know what is stylish, and at the same time, making a mess of it all. Be a little more conservative.

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Thanks, "Sweeper," for your kind and sympathetic words. Yes, I read you almost every week. I'm glad that you have felt for me in my plight during recent attacks from the wimmin, and otherwise. I might tip you off to something worthwhile when it comes to having a way with the critters. It has something to do with the famous Pucker, originated by Dooker Pooker, the International Authority. It will take a lot of practice, but there's something to it, and the members of the fairer sex who have not yet been fortunate enough to experience that Pucker, really do not know what they are missing. Of course, it has to be administered by one well versed in its use. You can ask any that have tried it, and they'll let out a heart-breaking sigh, and say, "It's Wonderful,"—with emphasis on both words.

Seems as tho some folks have me down wrong about things my more or less critical pen deals with. For again and all—I like dances, and furthermore I like the folks who attend dances in the majority of cases. In my heretofore expressed opinion about that, I was speaking ONLY about the public dances, and at the same time, endorsing private dances. So, that's that. I said that before.

But there is one consolation, I've found that if I should prepare an attack from long-range, I'd have some reinforcements, judging from a letter I received the other day from one who has come to the rescue, provided I need it. I'm printing parts of that letter this week. Would like to hear from B. Fair and A. Resenter or the Perfessor, again, and too, A. Loather is invited to write, but don't get to delving too much into what you did in your first letter.

This question that has caused something of a ripple or maybe a wave, is one that has to be handled carefully, tenderly, as if one was handling a new born babe. Yes, I am blossoming forth, due to the warm weather I suppose, with a new slant on dances, public dances. Altho the subject dates back when Adam danced with joy over having a mate presented to him in his lonely state. But what did that presentation result in? Ah, there is another item under consideration, and possibly will bring on more talk. That mate of Adam's was a Woman, one of those necessary evils who dominate us men so much. Yet Adam must have danced with joy when he found Eve beside him. We all might have done that, under the circumstances.

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Thanks, dear little blond teacher, for the invitation, in response to my expressed desire last week. Don't be offended. Unfortunately for you, you are not the one I had in mind at the time, however, I'm glad that you brought yourself to my attention. I'll give you some consideration in the future, and can possibly find room for you in the demonstration of the famous D. P. P.

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Here's A. Loather's letter which I received Saturday. Thanks, ole fellow, I appreciate your assistance, and sorry I can't use all of your letter this week:

Editor "Round Town" Column,

"Dear Sir:

"May I come to your rescue? Not that I think you need a rescuer, because it seems that you were getting along fine when you told about Clanton's dances attended by the so called high class and most respected people of Clanton.

"Now listen, B. Fair and Resenter, I'm quite sure "Doug" did not have any particular person or persons in mind when he spoke at first about the dances, but it seems that some one got sure enough sit on. Maybe he was only imagining that such and such could happen in such places as these dances are being held, and if he was I don't see anything wrong about that; as he never mentioned any particular incident that occurred, nor did he mention any particular person, and I couldn't see why any **Lady** or **Gentleman** should be insulted by what he said. And again if he was only imagining or guessing he surely must have guessed right and hit someone, or at least they sure did holler.

"Resenter" speaks as if he (or she) wants this dancing question closed up.* Well if he does I am sure if he would read his Bible some it would help him to clear it up.

"I suppose dancing is all right in its place, but I've never yet found its place. Some will say, "It is good exercise." Well it must be because I've noticed some of the dancers perspiring very freely after a few minutes of dancing, and if you ask me; that looks like work. And don't any level-headed person know that none of the people who attend these dances are interested enough about exercise to pay two or three dollars to get it. With that point in mind I wonder why they go to the dances. Who'll answer that for me?

It can't be that attending these dances will build your reputation or make you any more respected because "B. Fair" said those who attend are the most respected people of Clanton. And as I said before I don't doubt but what they are. . . . . .

"Well, Doug, I hope I haven't taken up too much of your space, and I hope you'll pardon me for interefering with your affairs at all, but I just had to tell someone how I felt about these **high class dances.**"

A Loather.

Letters To The Editor

A SPLENDID LETTER IN BEHALF OF OUR PREACHERS

Editor Chilton County News:

As a lay member of an organized church I desire to express my appreciation for the church and its ordained ministers; for the entire Bible and the comfort that it gives to those who believe and strive to practice its teachings, and for the privilege of living in a country which recognizes the church as a force for good. I'm sorry that I have been slow in expressing my gratitude for these blessings. I am sorry that there are those who do not stop to think how much they owe to these blessings. I am sorry that there are some who are so thoughtless as to ignore them, and that there are some who scoff at and scorn them, but claim the safety and privilege which are found only in Christendom.

It is time for everyone to show his gratitude for the Christian preachers by supporting, helping and defending them in their Christian work. We do not hesitate to call upon them for various needs at a moments notice, are we going to allow them to be falsely accused by a **boasted unorganized religion,** which is loading them with the blame for the conditions of the country? Will we allow them to be called a selfish, hypocritical group of people preaching for money? How many preachers do we know who receive a living equal to the living of the people they preach to? In Luke 10:3, 4, Christ when sending out the seventy disciples said, "Behold, I send you forth as lambs among wolves. Carry neither purse nor script," and continuing his instruction to them, 7th verse, he said, "The laborer is worthy of his hire." In Romans 10:13-15 we find why people are called to preach and the 15th verse ends with these words: "How beautiful are the feet of them that preach the gospel of peace, and bring glad tidings og good things!" We do allow the preachers to be attacked if we buy, read, believe and keep in the way of children the highly colored, boldly embossed books which a band of colporteurs have lately forced upon the people in the surrounding country, or if we calmly listen in to the program put on by the writer of these books—a lawyer who fits in very nicely with the company of lawyers that tried to tangle or confuse Jesus when He was on earth among men as a man.

A small advertising copy of the class of books written by Judge Rutherford came into my possession uninvited some time ago. I thought I burned it, but I came across it the day the colporteurs wasted a lot of my time and patience. This book a a very unreasonable book, in which a supposed conversation between a lawyer and preacher takes place. The preacher is represented as a narrow-minded, selfish man while the lawyer is liberal. The argument results in the preacher having to give up, and leave. In addition it advertises the larger books. Two pages in the center of the book advertise the entire set. From these two pages the following paragraph is taken which is the key to the entire set:

"Blind Guides, Serpents, Fools, Vipers, Hypocrites, Whited Sepulchers, full of dead mens bones. That's what Jesus called the preachers and priests of his day. A sanctimonious class they were, who made long prayers in public, but who allied themselves with the politicians and rulers of the nation to rob the poor, oppress the people and enrich themselves. Jesus said their father was the Devil. And so it is today! The clergy who pose as representatives of God, are themselves responsible for the terrible condition of so-called Christian Civilization."

The above paragraph from Judge Rutherford's book is enough to cause every sincere Christian to rebel against such false impressions as the books are expected to cause. Can we really think of one preacher that has enriched himself in a financial way by preaching? Instead, think of preachers who have to teach school or farm or do some other work **to live!**

It would be a great deal more to Christ's Glory to pay—notice I say pay, not give—to the preacher the price of one, three or seven books than to buy one book or more to either offend or poison the minds of all that read them. If you who have bought books of this sort read the books and only the scripture referred to by them you will fail to read important portions of the scripture. If you are deluded into thinking that the writer of these books has knowledge of the Bible which no other person has, you are setting him up far above any human possibility. We can understand enough of the Bible to have a happy Christian life here and prepare our souls for a better home in Heaven. We need not try to see into the future for the angels in Heaven do not know God's plans.

The one fact that these colporteurs and the books they sell aim their attacks on organized Christianity and Christian clergymen, should make every Christian rise in their defense, for organized Christianity is the only hope for any nation.

You who have bought these books would do well to burn them. If there is a community where they have not yet been, may you refuse as a community to buy one book. Think too much of your chickens to "swap" one for a book of this sort.

A READER.

April 14, 1931.

¡ HIGH SCHOOL NEWS ¡

Honor Roll C. C. H. S.—Junior One

First Honors: Jack Gillespie, Joe H. Johnson, Quenton Kelley, Harriett Escoe, Sarah Greene, Mary C. Jones, Mae Vinson, Mildred Wilkerson.

Second Honors: James Jenson, Morgan Reynolds, Celia Gerald, Ruth Gowan, Martha Kennedy, Elizabeth Lawrence, Gladys Martin, Evelyn Poe, Eloise Rasberry, Elizabeth Williams.

Junior Two—First Honors

Alice Petty, Roselle Gentry, Ethel Wilkerson, Helen Roberts.

Second Honors: Phillip Nelson, Wade Alford, Jewell Taylor, Grace Plyler, Dollie Belle Harris.

Junior Three—Second Honors

Frances Rasberry, Nell Neighbors, Dan Smith, Mary Charles Cox, Helen Moore, Joe Moore, Hilda Hart, John Ezell.

Senior One Class

First Honors: Faye Petty, Myrtle Robinson, Dorothy Sessions.

Second Honors: Dewey Williams, Mabel Harris, Clyde Popwell, Floye DeVaughn, Grady Carter, Imogene Simms, Iver Rowell.

Senior Two Class

First Honors: Herman Harris.

Second Honors: Sallye Mahan, Esther Lee Dennis, Joe VanDerveer, Earl Ellis, J. C. Massey, Raymond Taylor, Ethel Mae Jones, Charlsie Pyron, Doris Aldridge, Pearl Glenn, Mary Nell Jones, Alice Pearl Kelley, Frances Maddox, Jane Roberts.

Senior Three Class

First Honors: Homer Carroll, Mary Heard.

Second Honors: Paul Cox, Alvin Davis, Frank McMurray.

Who's Who in Senior One Class

Most beautiful girl, Voncile White; most handsome boy, Pratt Busby; most dignified boy, Clarence Fiquette; most dignified girl, Margaret Johnston; biggest booster, Margaret Jones; friendliest girl, Elwyn Robinson; friendliest boy, Alex Hayes; wittiest boy, James Tiffin; most popular boy, James Arnold; most popular girl, Clyde Jones; best all-round, Lois Miller.

New Building for C. C. H. S.

We are glad to state that our new combination bus-barn and gymnasium building has been completed. It is eighty by sixty, and will amply accommodate forty or fifty bus bodies which will be stored in it during the summer months. These bus bodies are the property of the county—and quite a bit of expense has been made in order that they may be protected during the time they are not in use. During school, this building may be used for any purpose the school sees fit. In the first place, it will make an ideal basketball court which no doubt will be ready by next playing season. We are proud of our building, and it will mean a great deal for the school.

A similar building has been constructed at Jemison for the same purpose

Originality Week (By Ruth Maddox)

The week of March 30-April 3, was set aside in our school for self expression of the students in good English essays, plays, posters, and poems.

Honorable mention for excellent good English posters goes to Joe Hall Johnson, Junior One, and Nell Neighbors, Junior III. These posters were selected with three points in view: Originality, neatness, and instruction. The best play was that of Jane Roberts, Senior II. Honorable mention went to Sallie Mahan and Willie Maude Kelley, Senior II's. The best essays went to Homer Carroll, Mary C. Jones, and Helen Roberts.

Good English (By Dorothy Sessions)

Do not abuse your English tools
While you are on your way thru school.
For when you go to get a job
Your speech they'll notice first of all!
And if your English is not correct,
It will likely bring you deep regret'
For you will never be judged well in
life
If you say "I ain't" and think it's right.

Fairview 4-H Club News

The Fairview 4-H Club met April 2. The following officers were elected: Reporter, Woodrow Durbin; cheer leaders, Morris Keen and J. P. Poole; club leader, John Calfee. The following plans were adopted for the year:

1. Strive to win the silver cup.
2. Have 100 per cent attendance at meetings.
3. Have 100 per cent project reports.
4. Have regular programs.
5. Sponsor social activities.
6. Have regular monthly meetings.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned, and the club was entertained by the band until a late hour.

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MR. AND MRS. G.E. SANSOM AND FAMILY IN CLANTON TUESDAY

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Sansom and family of the Sardis Community were among the shopping visitors to Clanton last Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Sansom are of the type of persons one likes to know, due to their friendliness, and their efforts to help boost their community in a most constructive manner, at the same time having a keen sense of straightforwardness.

While in Clanton Mr. Sansom brought his family to call on the News, where they were shown the various machines and one of the employees explained the use and workings of each machine, while some were in motion, printing the daily run of job printing, etc. The News deems it a pleasure to have this group visit them. Those being shown through at that time were Misses May, Meldie, Lucinda, Gladys Louise, and Frances Sansom; Charlie, Harvey and Vernon Sansom. Little Louise has a remarkable school record, although she has just been promoted to the second grade. She has never missed a day at school. She attends the Vermont school. Gladys also has a splendid record.

Mr. and Mrs. Sansom are regular readers of the News, and their children were anxious to see how the paper was printed, and the various means used in gathering news from over the county.

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Illiteracy Is Being Removed From Chilton County

(Continued From Front Page)

while in 1930 it was 10.06% or a total reduction in percentage of illiteracy of 40.44%.

In 1920 there were 918 white illiterate children within the years of 17-20 inclusive. In 1930 it had been reduced to 592. In 1920 14.78% of these children were illiterate but in 1930 it had been reduced to 8.65%, or a net percentage of reduction of 35.51%.

There were 447 negro illiterate children within the years mentioned in the paragraph above and in 1930 this number had been reduced to 221. This gave 32.14% illiteracy in 1920 and by 1930 it had fallen to 17.85%. There was a net reduction in negro illiteracy of 50.56%.

In a statement from B. Lawrence, superintendent of education of this county, he had the following to say in regard to this matter which should be of extreme interest to the people of this county:

"If the ages 10-20 are taken instead of the years 7-20 as given above we have 136 illiterate white children in the county and 78 negro children, or a total of 214. It is clear then that most of our illiterate children are with the ages of 7-9 inclusive.

"We have had a slight gain in school population in the county among white children. This gain is 10.16% while we have 1% decrease in the negro school population.

"These figures are encouraging, but at the same time they should stimulate us to greater effort toward completely wiping out illiteracy in the county. Through the Opportunity schools a great number of our adults have been able to learn to read and to write. We do not know whether or not we are going to be able to operate the Opportunity schools this year. The County Board has no money with which to do this work, but all of us realize that it is a very important work and we certainly hope that some way can be worked out by which we can operate the Opportunity schools as heretofore. If anyone has any suggestions as to how we might work out a plan to have these adult schools we would certainly appreciate it if you would write us or see us. The entire Board is highly in favor of operating the schools but certainly by this time every citizen in the county knows that a large portion of our state funds are not available and will not be until after the summer is gone."

Yours for the schools of Chilton County,

B. LAWRENCE,
County Supt. Education.

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JOHN THOMAS DUTTON

John Thomas Dutton, age 77, died Friday, April 10th, at his home near Clanton. Funeral services were held on the following Saturday at Mountain Springs in this county.

Sardis News

Saturday and Sunday were our regular preaching days and a large crowd attended both days and Rev. G. H. Carrell delivered to us a splendid message both Saturday and Sunday.

Our W. M. U. met Saturday afternoon and we were glad to have with us at our meeting Rev. G. H. Carroll and wife.

The W. M. U. ladies gave to our pastors Rev. G. G. Williams and Rev. G. H. Carroll, a quilt. Our circles have pieced and quilted five quilts which were valued at five dollars each, and we are proud of our circles. There is some good work being done in each one.

Next Sunday afternoon is our regular singing evening. We invite everybody to come and be with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Minor spent last week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Deason spent the day Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Lula Ratliff.

Misses Ola and Annie Ratliff and Gather Millard Ratliff were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff.

There was a large crowd attended the singing Sunday afternoon, which was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sansom.

Mr. and Mrs. Till Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith spent last week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sansom.

Our W. M. U. Quarterly meeting will be held at Sardis Baptist church on April 23, and we cordially invite everybody to come and be with us.

Mrs. Mary Grooms spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Deason.

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Eastview News

The health in our burg is not very good this week.

Rev. George Watson preached at Eastview Saturday, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Strength were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins Sunday.

Miss Jessie Bell Speer was the Sunday dinner guest of Miss Lois Nelson.

Miss Catherine Strength was the dinner guest of Misses Gulma and Maudie Ree Traywick Sunday.

On next Thursday evening the Ladies Aid will meet at Mrs. Vida Glenn's for the purpose of making flowers for the church. We want all members present if possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nelson spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lett of Verbena and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gray visited Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Nelson Sunday.

The death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abna Cox Sunday morning and took away their son, Lewis. He was a good worker in the C. E. Society and Sunday School. He will be missed by everyone that knew him. We wish to express our heart felt sympathy for the bereaved family. He was only twenty-two years of age. He was laid to rest in the Chestnut Cemetery Monday morning.

Mrs. John Ingram is reported to be some better this week.

Don't forget Sunday School Sunday morning and C. E. Sunday night at 7 o'clock.

Concord-Billingsley

We were very glad to have the Pleasant Grove Christian Endeavor Society with us last Sunday night. The program which they brought to us was very interesting. The service was well attended and I'm sure everyone present enjoyed the program.

The second quarterly conference will meet with this church next Saturday. We hope that every church on this charge will be represented here, and also we invite visitors from others places to come and be with us.

Next Sunday is our regular preaching day. We are always glad to have visitors with us and would be glad for everyone who can to come and help us in our Sunday school.

Misses Sarah Misseltine and Doris Waites, Messrs. Charlie Williams and Charles Foshee of this place visited Montgomery last Saturday.

Miss Allie Williams spent the past week end with her brother, Mr. A. P. Williams and family of Shiloh community.

We are glad to know that Mrs. W. W. Williams who has been very ill for the past few days is now improving. We hope that she will soon be well again.

Mr. and Mrs. Fonza Williams and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams and family.

Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. W. W. Williams.

There will be a singing here next Sunday evening. All singers and lovers of music are invited to come. We are going to use the Stamps Baxter books.

We will also set a time to have our regular Sunday afternoon singing.

Isabella School News

On last Thursday, Miss Maddox, Home Economics teacher at Isabella, carried six of her students to Montevallo to the Inter-High School Home Economics meet. The girls have worked hard all the year in order to make a good showing at this contest between the high schools of the state. As a result they brought back second school prize, which was a lovely pewter fruit bowl. Five of the girls won certificates on their entries. Dorothy Manning won first place on her afternoon dress. Lucile Edwards won second place on her cooking uniform. Lena Mae Jones won third place on her school dress. No first prize was given on this entry.

Ruth Oden and Lorene Lecroy won second place on cooking. No first prize was given on this entry. Elizabeth Mims won recognition on her street costume in the fashion show which was given on Saturday morning.

The girls and their chaperones, Miss Maddox and Miss Mize, were guests of the college during the contests.

Miss Maddox carried two girls to Montevallo last year who won certificates, but no school prize. This year they worked for more points in order to win a school prize. The bowl will have the names of the girls who won it engraved on it and will be the property of the Home Economics Department.

There are many advantages from meets of this kind, but most of all it gives the girls a greater desire to enter college on finishing high school.

These girls, together with the other members of their classes, and Miss Maddox, are to be congratulated on the splendid work they have done, not only in foods and clothing, but in Home Improvement and health work as well.

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Miscellaneous Shower.

Mrs. Irvin Wilson was hostess at a miscellaneous shower last Friday afternoon honoring Mrs. John O. Wilson, a recent bride.

The house was beautifully decorated with spring flowers. After an interesting contest won by Mrs. Grady Broadhead a delicious salad plate with ice tea was served to Mesdames Bob Jones, C. R. Mullins, Marion Gore, Grady Broadhead, Hance Alred, H. S. Shaw, Sid Plyer, Lige Weldon, P. M. Moore, John P. Wilson, B. F. Massey, Ross Ellison, W. H. Kennedy, Lomax Bennett, Pate Wilson, Misses Mamye Logan, Birtie Logan, Myrtice Logan and hostess.

Then a small wagon drawn by little Mary Ellen Bennett was brought in and many useful gifts were presented to the bride.

Mrs. Carrie Ray is spending several days with relatives in Birmingham this week.

Circle Number Two Baptist Church Entertained at Camp.

Circle Number Two of the local Baptist church was delightfully entertained on last Monday afternoon at the Martin Camp, on the Coosa River, with Mrs. J. Mell Martin and Mrs. Joe Mims as hostesses. Those members enjoying this outing were Mesdames Gene Wyatt, T. R. Burdette, Clara B. Curry, Dial, Hugh Foshee, Reuben Wyatt, and little daughter, Frank Scott of Huntsville, H. G. Heflin and little son, M. B. Arant, Horace Popwell and son, A. L. Robinson, Mell Martin, Joe Mims and Mrs. John D. Mullins.

Little Miss Celia Gerald, the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence F. Gerald, spent the past week end in Wetumpka as the guest of Miss Evelyn Smoot.

Dr. N. B. McCloud who has been delivering some real impressive sermons here at the Methodist church during the revival, conducted an early morning service last Monday morning for the stewards of the local church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fox left Tuesday for several days visit to relatives in Birmingham.

Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry and children have returned home after a weeks visit to friends in Selma.

B. R. Powell of Birmingham, manager of the Land Department of the Alabama Power Company and Mr. Lakey, land attorney of the power company spent last Wednesday on Mitchell Lake fishing. They were the guests of B. F. Higgins, land owner of Clanton.

Circle Number Five Met With Mrs. Higgins.

Circle Number Five of the local Baptist church met with Mrs. Flem Higgins on last Monday afternoon. The devotional was led by Mrs. W. J. Billingsley, chairman of the circle. Mrs. S. J. Ezell gave a very interesting talk about the W. M. U. Convention which she attended recently in Montgomery. There was a splendid attendance at this meeting.

This circle will meet again on Wednesday for a spend-the-day, at which time the members will sew for the local community chest.

Mrs. Frank Noah Scott, and little son, John Edwin, of Huntsville, have been spending several days in Clanton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Renfroe Mullins.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Lancaster and Mrs. Louis Williams of Birmingham, spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. L. H. Williams, in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baker and Mrs. Anna Jones spent last Sunday in Montgomery as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Taylor and Miss Alma Allen motored to Montgomery Sunday afternoon.

Miss Zora Guy has returned from Birmingham where she attended a Girl Scout Conference last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Whit Windham and son, Phil, of Birmingham were in Clanton last Sunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stapp. Mr. Windham, who is a prominent attorney of Birmingham, spoke to the Men's Bible Class at the Methodist church here Sunday morning, and also rendered solos at the morning services.

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Demar McEathern Honored On Birthday.

Demar McEathern was a charming little host Tuesday afternoon of last week, when he was honored on his eleventh birthday, by a party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McEathern.

As soon as the little guests had assembled at the home, pre-arranged games, interesting and most entertaining, were enjoyed on the lawn by the many friends of Demar, who came to help him celebrate his birthday.

Delicious iced refreshments were served by Mrs. McEathern to the following: Mildred Maddox, Mary Armstrong, Margie Nell Jones, June Cox, Jane Pitts, Geraldine DeLoach, Thelma White, Atha McMurray.

Ted Reynolds, Marshall Lee Ware, William Hodges, Guy Alred, Callen Alred, Cecil Carter and Kermit Jones.

Mrs. C. E. Stapp, county welfare superintendent, will leave Friday of next week for Tuscumbia, where she will attend the State Conference of Social Workers, and also the District Meeting, on April 25, 26, 27, and 28

Miss Madge Scarborough, elementary supervisor, spent the past week end at her home in Blue Springs. She stopped in Notasulga, from where her sister, Miss Annie Lou Scarborough, accompanied her on the remainder of the trip.

Study Club Met With Mrs. H. White.

The Clanton Study Club met April 3, at the home of Mrs. Horsley White for the regular monthly meeting. During the business session new officers for the next club year were elected, as follows: Mrs. Omar Reynolds, president; Mrs. Hugh Jones, vice president; Miss Emma Sue Morris, secretary; Mrs. N. S. Johnson, treasurer.

A most interesting program on Geo. Bernard Shaw followed. Mrs. Hester talked on "Shaw's Life and His Personality." "Shaw's Plays as Expression of His Views," was given by Mrs. N. S. Johnson. Miss Morris talked interestingly on one of Shaw's plays, "Candida." A delicious salad plate was served at the close of the program. The club will meet with Mrs. P. D. Wilson in May.

Mrs. D. C. Alred Hostess To "As You Like It" Club.

The "As You Like It" Club met at the home of Mrs. D. C. Alred Thursday afternoon. The roms were prettily decorated with vari-colored flowers. Late in the afternoon the hostess served delightful refreshments to the following: Mesdames T. H. Neighbors, G. C. Walker, J. B. Atkinson, L. C. Warr, Flem Higgins, M. A. Gore, L. H. Reynolds, W. E. Martin. The club will meet with Mrs. T. R. Burdette April 23.

Miss Annie Lamar of Birmingham spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Glennie Phillips.

Frank and Bill Mullins with Misses Peggy and Sarah Beth Mullins of Mobile are visiting relatives here this week.

The many friends of Mrs. Harry Roper will be sorry to know that she is ill.

Mrs. Frank Palmer and Miss Currie Morgan of Birmingham were with Mrs. E. O. Latham this week.

Mrs. Goldie Palmer Sharp of Chicago was in Clanton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Reynolds and Mrs. L. H. Reynolds spent last Tuesday in Birmingham.

Mrs. Welcome Weaver and children who have been spending the winter with her mother, Mrs. E. O. Latham, have gone to Chicago to make their home.

Little Miss Mary Frances Atkinson, daughter of Hon. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson, is doing fine following an operation to have her tonsils removed last Monday at the Central Alabama Hospital.

Missionary Society Met Monday Afternoon.

The Missionary Society of the local Methodist church met on last Monday afternoon at the church. The meeting was opened by a scripture reading by Mrs. D. W. Haskew, followed by prayer by Mrs. L. C. Warr.

An interesting talk was made by Mrs J. Q. Wade, having as her topic, "Peace." This was followed by several songs and a business session. The meeting was brought to a close late in the afternoon by repeating the Lord's Prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pow and daughters, Evelyn, Mary and Josephine of Woodward, Ala., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. VanDerveer, and Mrs. J. P. VanDerveer, last Sunday.

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Billingsley News

Twenty-eight students and three teachers of Senior One and Two of the high school made a trip to Montgomery Saturday, visiting the historical places and other places of interest in the city. The trip was educational, as well as interesting

Mrs. Lizzie Harrell Lawley died suddenly at her home Thursday night. She was buried Friday afternoon at Concord cemetery. Revs. Bentley and Culp conducted the funeral service.

Messrs. B. W. Thompson and L. A. Marlar made a business trip to Anniston last week.

Mrs. W. A. Gandy visited relatives in Bessemer the past week.

Prof. R. E. Upton spent the week end in Fairfax, Ala. Mrs. Upton and baby, Ralph, returning with him Sunday from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Keith.

Miss Inez Patrick, who was at home from Alabama College at Montevallo for the Spring holidays, had as her guest Miss Margaret Hall of Birmingham.

Miss Maude Lee Patrick of Alabama College at Montevallo spent the Spring holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Patrick. While at home she visited her brothers, W. C. and C. U. Patrick, in Montgomery.

Mrs. F. D. Wilson of Birmingham was the guest of Mrs. W. C. Wilson here the past week.

Mr. A. G. Thompson of Bessemer was a pleasant visitor here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chandler of Prattville spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hall.

Friends of Mrs. Jim Rainwater sympathize with her in the death of her husband, who died Thursday morning. He was buried at New Cedron cemetery Friday morning.

Marine Recruiters Active Locally

An announcement just received from their southeastern headquarters, states that a recruiting party from the United States Marine Corps will visit Montgomery, Ala., on April 16th, 17th, 18th for the purpose of accepting applicants for enlistment in that famous military organization.

Sergeant N. S. Page U. S. M. C., will be in charge of the party and will make his headquarters at the local Post Office. He expects to arive at about 9 A. M. on April 16th and will interview any local men interested at that time.

The Marines have a very high standard of physical requirements, and at the present time are only accepting men 19 and over, who are at least 66 inches tall, and in excellent physical condition.

Men joining the Marine Crops are given many educational and travel opportunities and Sergeant Page states that any young man who is contemplating an enlistment in any branch of the Service will find it worth his while to talk to the Marine recruiters before making a final decision.

Applicants who are accepted will be given transportation to the receiving barracks at Atlanta, Ga., and will be later transferred to the large Marine training camp at Parris Island, S. C.

IN MEMORY OF RUBY DAVIS

Dearest Ruby, you have left us
For that heavenly world so fair,
Safely in the arms of Jesus,
You are free from toil and care.

We saw not the white-robed angel
As it entered with folded wings,
To summon home our loved one
To the arms of our heavenly King.

Heaven now retaineth our treasure,
Earth the lovely casket keeps,
And the Sunbeams love to linger
Where our loved one sleeps.

When I leave this world of changes,
When I leave this world of care,
I will find my missing loved one
In my Father's mansion fair.

She is gone, but not forgotten;
Never will her memory fade;
Loving thoughts forever linger
'Round the grave where she now is laid.

Safe in the arms of Jesus;
Safe on his gentle breast
There by his love o'ershadowed,
Sweetly her soul shall rest.

A precious one from us is gon,
A voice we loved is still;
A place is vacant in the home
Which never can be filled.

Dearest Ruby, how we miss you;
How we miss your smiling face;
But we hope we will soon meet you
In that land of love and peace.

Asleep in Jesus, far from thee
Thy kindred and their graves may be,
But thine is still a blessed sleep
From which none ever wake to weep.

A FRIEND,
Ressie Devaughn.

PLANT LICE

By C. E. Stapp

Many are making inquiry about what to do for plant lice attacking cabbage and other leafy plants.

All plant lice can be controlled by spraying with nicotine spray, made according to directions in container of nicotine, or by spraying with kerosene oil emulsion. The kerosene oil emulsion is the cheapest and can be made at home as follows:

Dssolve one-fourth pound of soap in one quart of warm water. Add one-half gallon of kerosene oil and stir well. When ready to spray use one part of this mixture in twenty parts of water. This mixture will keep all summer.

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News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

Plans for Commencement are under way at the Thorsby Junior High School as school will be out in two weeks.

Mrs. J. W. Jones has been visiting her sister in Montgomery for several days.

Miss Dessie Robinson who is now employed at the Dixie Cafe, spent Sunday afternoon at home.

Mrs. John Harrison is making quite a decided improvement.

Thomas Hayes, who was operated on for appendicitis last Thursday at the Woodlawn hospital is suffering with measles also. It is reported that he is doing as well as can be expected.

Mr. Leonard Hayes and his daughter, Mrs. Wilbur Marcus, spent the week end in Birmingham with Mrs. Leonard Hayes and Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson and their friends, Mr. and Mrs. George Jasperson, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, the Misses Smiths, and Mr. Guy Sharp, all of Birmingham, were the Sunday guests of Mrs. L. E. Thornburg and son, Conway.

At the trustees meeting of Thorsby Institute on April 9 all the present faculty were reelected for the coming year.

A week from Saturday night will be given by pupils of Thorsby Institute a Russian operetta, "Sonia." Everyone is urged to come. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

Mr. Sutlive made a business trip to Birmingham last Friday.

Thorsby Institute held its "April the first" picnic on Friday, April tenth. Practically the entire student body, the faculty, several alumni, and parents of students gathered at the school building at ten o'clock and hiked from there a mile and a half to the picnic point. Here games were played, a delightful picnic dinner was served and a splendid time was had just being out in the open amid the flowers and budding trees. At four o'clock the entire group returned together with that familiar feeling, "tired but happy."

Miss Helen Jenkins, principal of the Thorsby Institute, is spending the week in Nashville attending the Rural Life Church School.

Mr. E. F. Meade, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Meade, and little daughter, Helen Louise and Miss Lillie Cooke, took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Earle Meade of Calera.

Messrs. C. A. Meade, E. N. Bentley, S. C. Wood, MacDonald Pearson and Taylor spent Friday at the river fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Gibbons of Brewton spent the week end with Mr. Gibbon's mother, Mrs. Ola Kelley.

Miss Willadean Bean has as her Sunday guests the following: Misess Edith and Melba Holley, Ruby Yates, (of Cooper) and Mr. Warren Holley, all of Tallassee.

Mr. H. O. Bean, Mr. Gene Marcus, Mr. Lloyd Collins and his friend of Birmingham spent Thursday and Friday at the river fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Foss and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Howard motored to Birmingham Monday.

Miss Ella Howard is confined to her home with the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Raegan, Miss Naemi Turnquist, Mrs. James Bosworth and Mrs. Carl Peterson of Birmingham motored to Waseca, Minnesota to attend the funeral of Mr. Sam Thorsen.

Miss Ruby Raybon is convalescing from the measles.

The Senior B. Y. P. U. enjoyed a picnic at Mineral Springs last Saturday evening.

Miss Edna Raybon returned from a three weeks visit in Birmingham last Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Peterson returned home Friday morning from Birmingham.

Little Miss Ruby Mae Bean of Birmingham spent the week end with her aunt, Miss Jessie Mims. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bean and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bean, all of Birmingham, joined her Sunday for the day.

Miss Jennye Robinson returned home Monday morning after making a four months visit with her sister, Mrs. Clarence Bice, at Palatka, Florida.

Miss Clyde Jones of Clanton spent the week end with Miss Mary Sue Robinson.

Mrs. Mack Gray, Mrs. Relious Frankling, and little daughter, Peggy Mims, and Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway spent Wednesday in Prattville with Mrs. Gray's mother, Mrs. A. B. Colley.

Mr. Horace Colley, Mrs. Mack Gray's brother, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray.

Miss Vivian Roebuck of Birmingham spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray.

Mrs. Relious Franklin, Peggy Mims, Mrs. Mack Gray and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney J. Davenport attended the funeral services of Lewis Cox, Alton Cox's brother, formerly of Thorsby. The service was held at Chestnut Creek church near Coopers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Higdon of Campbell, Ky., are spending their spring holidays with Mrs. Higdon's mother, Mrs. Ben Franklin.

Dr. Horace Franklin of Birmingham spent several days last week at home.

Mr. Mack Gray and Horace Colley went fishing down below Lock 12 Friday. They caught 43 trout.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson and Ethel spent Monday afternoon in Clanton.

Miss Marie Eiland and Mr. Luther Kendrick were visitors in Thorsby on Monday afternoon.

Miss Gladys Murphy of Birmingham spent the week end with Miss Mattie Scott. Miss Ruth Martin joined them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Collins of Birmingham spent the week end with Mr. Collins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Collins.

Mr. Eugene Parnell and sister and small son, all of Birmingham, spent Friday with Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Wyatt of Birmingham spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Greene Burnett.

Mr. Jack Simons of Birmingham spent the week end at home.

Mrs. S. C. Wood went to Birmingham Monday.

Little Miss Stella O'Barr is on the verge of having pneumonia.

Miss Dolile Collins who has been spending sometime in Thorsby visiting relatives returned to her home in Birmingham Monday.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid social will meet with Mrs. Fred Howard Thursday.

Miss Frances Wilson entertained a number of friends at a Rook party last Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Dolly Collins. Those present were Misses Dolly Collins, Willadean Bean, Ethel Thompson, and Miss Edna Childress, and Messrs. Kenneth O'Barr, Herschel Hayes, Stanley Kennedy, Dick Massey and Marion Logan.

The following surprised Mr. Kenneth O'Barr with a party Friday evening: Misses Dulcie Hayes, and Josephine Adams of Jemison, Dolly Collins of Birmingham, Willadean Bean, Edna Childress, Lola Martin, Jessie Martin, Bonnie Honeycutt, Freelan Marcus, Mamye Logan, Birdie Logan, Myrtis Logan, Mazie Logan, and Frances Wilson and Messrs. Kendall Franklin, John Adams, Ralph Ray, Carl Glass, Herschel Hayes, Stanley Kennedy, Marion Logan and Dick Massey.

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My Experiences in the World War

By General John J. Pershing

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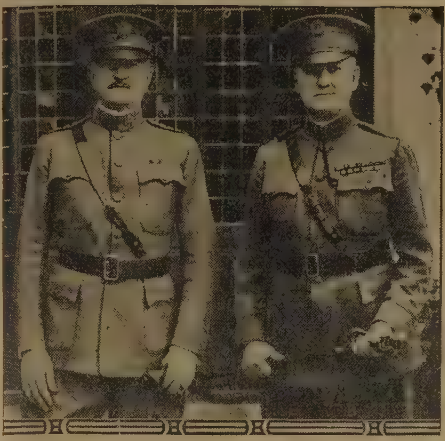

General Pershing With Gen. James G. Harbord, His Chief of Staff.

After consultation with the permanent heads of staff and supply departments, and with no little insistence on my part in more than one instance, the corresponding representatives to accompany me were designated, and they in turn chose their assistants. Although the list did not include all I would have selected, as some were not available, yet all rose to important places in the final organization, except one or two who failed in health.

The total number in my party that sailed on the Baltic was as follows:

Regular army officers	40
Marine corps officers	2
ORC officers in active service	17
Enlisted men	67
Field clerks	36
Civilian clerks	20
Civilian interpreters	5
Civilians (correspondents)	3
Total on Baltic	190

Draft Act Passed May 18.

The method of raising our armies by conscription was based on studies made by the war college under instructions from General Scott. President Wilson recommended the plan to congress April 7, 1917, but the draft act was not passed until May 18, forty-two days after the declaration of war.

Roosevelt Offer Rejected.

The appeal of Col. Theodore Roosevelt at this time for permission to raise a volunteer division aroused popular sentiment throughout the country in his favor, but approval would have opened the door for many other applications and the policy would have interfered materially with the orderly and businesslike application of the draft law.

Moreover, the regular establishment would have suffered from the loss of an undue proportion of the best officers, who inevitably would have been selected for important positions in these special units at a time when their services were urgently needed in building more largely.

Another important reason for disapproving Colonel Roosevelt's application was that in such a war it was necessary that officers, especially those in high command, should be thoroughly trained and disciplined. Furthermore, Colonel Roosevelt was not in the best of health and could not have withstood the hard work and exposure of training camps and trenches.

The secretary of war, much to the disappointment of Colonel Roosevelt, wisely made an adverse decision in his case, which was confirmed by the President. It was evident that both Mr. Wilson and Secretary Baker were looking for trained leaders and were determined to avoid the embarrassment President Lincoln experienced in the Civil war, when he was more or less driven to fill many high positions with political appointees who, in the end, had to be replaced by men trained in the military profession.

Roosevelt's Plea for Sons.

The following letter from Colonel Roosevelt, dated May 17, 1917, will show his own fine attitude:

"My Dear General Pershing:

"I very heartily congratulate you, and especially the people of the United States, upon your selection to lead the expeditionary force to the front. When I was endeavoring to persuade the secretary of war to permit me to raise a division or two of volunteers, I stated that if you, or some men like you, were to command the expeditionary force I could raise the divisions without trouble.

"I write you now to request that my two sons, Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., aged twenty-seven, and Archibald B. Roosevelt, aged twenty-three, both of Harvard, be allowed to enlist as privates with you, to go over with the first troops. The former is a major and the latter a captain in the officers' reserve corps. They are at Plattsburg for their third summer.

"My own belief is that competent men of their standing and rank can gain very little from a third summer at Plattsburg and that they should be utilized as officers, even if only as second lieuten[illegible] [illegible]t they are keenly desirous to [illegible] service; and if they serve under you at the front, and are not killed, they will be far better able to instruct the draft army next fall or next winter, or whenever they are sent home, than they will be after spending the summer at Plattsburg.

"The President has announced that only regular officers are to go with you, and if this is to be the invariable rule then I apply on behalf of my two sons that they may serve under you as enlisted men, to go to the front with the first troops sent over.

"Trusting to hear that this request has been granted, I am, with great respect,

"Very sincerely yours,

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

"P. S.—If I were physically fit, instead of old and heavy and stiff, I should myself ask to go under you in any capacity down to and including a sergeant; but at my age, and condition, I suppose that I could not do work you would consider worth while in the fighting line (my only line) in a lower grade than brigade commander."

CHAPTER III

Our deplorable situation as to munitions was fully discussed at a conference called by Secretary of War Baker May 10. It was brought out that we had for issue, not in the hands of troops, fewer than 285,000 Springfield rifles, caliber .30; only a few more than 400 light field guns, three-inch, and 150 heavy field guns.

As it was impossible because of manufacturing difficulties for our factories to turn out enough Springfield rifles within a reasonable time, the secretary decided to adopt the Enfield rifle for our infantry. It was then being manufactured for the British in large quantities at private factories in our country, and a slight modification of the chamber only was necessary to make it fit our ammunition. The total production of this rifle exceeded 2,000,000 during the war.

As to machine guns, it was reported to the conference that we had a few less than 1,500, and these were of four types. Congress in 1916 had appropriated $12,000,000 for machine guns, but the War department had not decided definitely to adopt any particular one for our army, although an order had been placed late in 1916 for a quantity of the heavy Vickers-Maxims.

Short on Ammunition.

Of artillery ammunition, except for the three-inch, we did not have enough to provide more than nine hours' supply, even for the limited number of guns on hand, firing at the rate ordinarily used in laying down barrage for an infantry attack.

The situation at that time as to aviation was such that every American ought to feel deeply chagrined to hear it mentioned. Of 65 officers and about 1,000 men in the air service section of the signal corps there were 35 officers who could fly.

With the exception of five or six officers, none of them could have met the requirements of modern battle conditions and none had any technical experience with aircraft guns, bombs, or bombing devices.

We had some fifty-five training planes in various conditions of usefulness, all entirely without war equipment. Of these planes it is amusing now to recall that the national advisory committee for aeronautics, which had been conducting an alleged scientific study of the problem of flight, advised that fifty-one were obsolete and four others obsolescent.

We could not have put a single squadron in the field, although it was estimated that we should eventually need at least 300 squadrons, each to be composed on the average of some 24 officers, 180 men and 18 planes, besides a large reserve of planes for replacements.

Among other subjects considered with the secretary was the assembly for training of the National Guard and the men to [illegible] under the draft.

In lieu of any previous plans, the secretary contemplated the construction of cantonments in different parts of the country, and May 7 the commanding generals of the several departments were directed to select sites.

The actual construction of cantonments was not begun until nearly three months after we were in the war, and so great was the task of erecting buildings and putting in water works [illegible] that some ninety days mo[illegible] by the time these centers of instruction were ready to receive troops. Thus it was, with some exceptions, practically six months before the training of our army was under way. Even then several of these camps were not favorably located, and training was seriously handicapped during the fall and winter months.

Rivalry for Our Troops.

About this time the allies brought up the question of utilizing our men to build up their armies. As we shall see, the subject arose from time to time in [illegible] or another, and we had to fight against it until the end of the war.

Both the French and British missions, under M. Rene Viviani and Arthur G. Balfour, respectively, then in our country, were very keen to have us consent to fill up the ranks of their armies with Americans.

I was decidedly against our becoming a recruiting agency for either the French or British, and at that time this was the attitude of the War department also. While fully realizing the difficulties, it was definitely understood between the secretary of war and me that we should proceed to organize our own units from top to bottom and build a distinctive army of our own as rapidly as possible.

The evident rivalry between the British and French for control and use of our forces, even before we had an army in the field, confirmed my impression that those two governments were not working entirely in harmony. As to their armies, it had been apparent for some time that there was a lack of co-operation between them. Their efforts were often separate and distinct—that is, first one and then the other would attack.

Friends Sought to Go Along.

Although it was not generally known that I was to go abroad, there was a flood of applications to accompany me. One of them was a personal appeal for service in any capacity by my old friend, Robert Bacon, who had been ambassador to France. He had already given valuable aid to the allied cause, and because of his intimate knowledge of the French people and his tact and discretion I was glad to have him.

A few days before my departure, while at lunch at the Metropolitan club with Charles E. Magoon, ex-governor of Cuba, Charles G. Dawes joined us. The three of us had been friends in the days when we were together at Lincoln, Neb. Magoon and Dawes as young lawyers, the latter with a decided talent for business, and I as military instructor at the state university.

Dawes was an applicant for a commission in one of the engineer regiments then being organized under the direction of Samuel Felton, from volunteers with experience in railroading, and wanted me to help him get the appointment. I asked him whether he knew anything about engineering, and he said that when a youth he had carried a chain a month or so for a surveyor in Ohio.

Col. Theodore Roosevelt.

In was not much impressed with his pretentions as an engineer or as a prospective military possibility, but I did have knowledge of his business ability and experience, and knew that he would be valuable in some position requiring his qualifications, so I spoke to the secretary of war in his behalf.

Requests from National Guard officers and from governors for the early acceptance of their state units literally poured into the War department. The clamor became so general and so insistent that the secretary of war happily conceived the idea of forming a composite division to include troops from every state in the Union. I thought the suggestion a good one and gave it my hearty indorsement. This was the origin of the Forty-second (Rainbow) division, which was later to distinguish itself in several engagements.

CHAPTER IV.

My first and my only meeting with President Wilson until after the armistice occurred May 24, 1917, when I called on him with Secretary of War Baker. After some conversation with Mr. Ba[illegible] shipping, Mr. Wilson turned to me.

"General, we are giving you some difficult tasks these days," said the President.

"Perhaps so," I replied, "but that is what we are trained to expect, Mr. President."

The President then mentioned my experience in Mexico and inquired about my acquaintance with France. I had expected him to say something about the part our army should play in the war, but he said nothing.

P[illegible] Full Supp[illegible]

Upon leaving, I said: "[illegible] President, I appreciate the honor you have conferred upon me by the assignment you have given me, and I realize the responsibilities it entails, but you can count upon the best that is in me."

To this the President replied:

"General, you were chosen entirely upon your record, and I have every confidence that you will succeed; you shall have my full support."

The President then asked me to convey to the king of Great Britain and to the President of France his greetings and best wishes. His manner was cordial with his poise and his air of determination.

His assurance of confidence in me was gratifying, but in the difficult situations that arose later regarding the manner of aiding the allies, he was inclined to yield to the persistent importunities of the allied representatives in Washington.

In the actual conduct of operations I was given entire freedom, and in this respect was to enjoy an experience unique in the history of American wars.

Letter Making Him Chief.

May 27, 1917, the day before I was to sail from New York, Secretary Baker sent me a letter of instructions concerning my command, authorities and duties in Europe, which is quoted in full:

"The President directs me to communicate to you the following:

"1. The President designates you to command all the land forces of the United States operating in continental Europe and in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, including any part of the marine corps which may be detached for service there with the army. From your command are excepted the military attaches and others of the army who may be on duty directly with our several embassies.

(continued next week)

CARD OF THANKS

It is our sincerest desire to express our thanks and appreciation for the words of kindness spoken and the kind deeds done in our hours of grief over the sudden death of our husband, son and brother Andrew Howard. We hope that each of you will be fully repaid for your kindness.

—Mrs. Vallie Howard, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Howard and Family, Verbena, Alabama.

E. G. Caldwell, postmaster and prominent merchant of Pletcher, Alabama, was in Clanton Friday attending to business matters. While in town Mr. Caldwell placed a nice order for job printing with the News

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SOME REAL MONEY SAVERS FOR THIS WEEK!!!

Here Are Some Specials We Are Offering This Week, Prices Are Low And Quality High

Tennis Shoes

We can furnish you tennis shoes in white or brown, lace to toe or full toe, in all sizes from small 6 to large 11

only 69c any size

MENS DRESS SHIRTS—A beautiful assortment of patterns to select from, all fast colors to washing, sizes 14 to 17

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8-OZ. FEATHER TICKING—A Guaranteed 8-oz. feather proof ticking in narrow and wide stripes, special while our stock lasts at

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Don't Miss This Friday & Saturday, 24-25

Through the cooperation of the manufacturers of Camay Toilet Soap, the Wadesonian Theatre and this Great Department Store we are offering on the 24th and 25th a Very Special

SALE OF CAMAY TOILET SOAP

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A Big Bargain Square filled with Camay Soap on both sides of Store—Free Ticket with every dozen purchased.

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8-OZ. BIG BUCK OVERALLS

A full line of Big Buck 8-ounce Super Shrunk overalls for men, just try one pair, and then you will always wear them

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MENS WORK SHIRTS

Made of good heavy quality shirting, with tripled stitching and two large front pockets. This shirt formerly sold for 75c.. All sizes reduced to

50 cents each

First Degree Murder Placed Against Goodson

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home is in Autaugaville, Alabama.

He surrendered to the sheriff here immediately after the shooting, and was later transferred to the Montgomery County jail. Attempts by officials and newspaper reporters to get him to talk of the tragedy, met with no success, only a slight shaking of the head and a fresh flow of tears. Goodson is a young man, of ordinary size, neat appearance. He has talked very little since the shooting, even to his closest friends. For several days while confined in jail, he was unable to eat food that was brought to him, keeping his face buried in his pillow on the jail cot. He would give no reason as to why he shot his former sweetheart, whose age is given at 17. Miss Davis was a most attractive girl, being considered one of the most attractive and popular young ladies of the Enterprise Community where she lived with her mother, Mrs. W. C. Davis, before going to Talladega.

Goodson, being arraigned by the Grand Jury, has his trial set for Wednesday, April 22. It was stated that he will enter a plea of not guilty on the grounds of insanity. At present he is being held in the county jail in Montgomery.

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Kiwanis Club To Stage Minstrel Soon

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sentation, and those witnessing it will see for themselves that even the Kiwanis Club is composed of business and professional men of Clanton, it can still bring a huge amount of fun into the life of its organization.

Some of the features of the show will be a negro sermon delivered by one who is capable of taking that part in a most perfect manner, W. H. Sartor. The four end-men will bring laugh after laugh to the audience, while various combinations have been arranged for different characters. The music that has been arranged will, in itself, be most entertaining, as those furnishing it are popular musicians of the county, although they are not members of the club, as it was necessary to secure talented young ladies for that part of the program, in order that the music should be of the best.

Those wishing to see this performance, which is now being steadily rehearsed, should make their plans now to hold Friday night, April 24th, open for that purpose.

THOMAS JUNIOR 4-H CLUB MET LAST SATURDAY, 11TH

The monthly meeting of 4-H boys was held at Thomas Junior Saturday, April 11. A very good attendance was present.

A reporter, Argus Pressley; yell leader, Hollis Thornton; song leader, Floyd Devaughn, were elected.

Newborn Jones, President; Lee Allen Miner, vice president; Osmond Glenn, Secy-Treas.; were elected at a previous meeting. We have thirty-three members enrolled. The sentiments of all are to win the loving cup.

Our community leader, Mr. J. L. Smith, gave us a very good talk on club work.

At our next meeting we are going to discuss plans for a picnic. We urge a 100 per cent attendance at this meeting on Saturday afternoon at one o'clock, May 9th.

—Argus B. Pressley, Reorter.

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HOME OF HUGH FOSHEE BEING REMODELED AND REPAIRED

The large two-story home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Foshee on Fifth Street is undergoing some repairs and remodeling. The house will also be repainted right away.

Mr. and Mrs. John Durwood Mullins will soon make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Foshee, the News has been informed.

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Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

When we have a beautiful Sunday we wonder why folks will not attend church and Sunday school. Rain or shine, be in your place next Sunday.

We study the Word of God at 9:45 A. M. Your soul needs this living Bread as much as your body needs food and drink.

Next Sunday is "Sunday School Day" in our church, and we are going to make it a day that is worth while. At 10:30 the entire school will assemble for a program that will be full of inspiration.

At 11 A. M. the pastor will have a special message, also at 7:30 at night.

There will be services at the Isabella Methodist church Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. The Clanton people are invited to be honor guests at this service. We are expecting a crowded house.

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Just received shipment hand-picked 90-day Velvet beans; O-Too-Tan soy beans; Oceolas and Cattail Millet Seed.

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We See By The News That

Mrs. S. E. Norton, Mrs. Pearson and Mrs. Each of Thorsby were shopping in Clanton Monday.

J. D. Williams, of Tuscaloosa, who is connected with the Proctor & Gamble Company, was in Clanton calling on his customers last week. Mr. Williams dropped in the News office to have his subscription to the News marked up for another year.

James M. Robinson, one of the outstanding and progressive citizens of this county residing in the Providence community was among the visitors to Clanton Saturday. While in town Mr. Robinson called at the News office to have his subscription to the News marked up for another year.

B. E. Hedgepath of Pletcher was among the out-of-town visitors to Clanton last week. Mr. Hedgepath was in the News office while in town, to have his subscription marked up for another year.

Lee A. Popwell of Route One was in Clanton Monday. While in town Mr. Popwell called at the News office to have his subscription marked up for another year.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver of Verbena were in Clanton Saturday.

Misses Evelyn Littlejohn and Mildred Raney, of the Mt. Pleasant school faculty were in Clanton shopping Saturday.

Mrs. Clark of Chicago has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Littleton, on Clanton Route Four. Mrs. Clark will soon return to her home, and Mr. and Mrs. Littleton will accompany their daughter on her return, going as far as Birmingham.

C. C. Gray, a resident of the Enterprise community, was among the visitors to Clanton last Friday. While in town Mr. Gray was a caller at the News office.

J. W. Pierce, who lives in the progressive community of Enterprise, near Clanton, was in Clanton Friday, and was a pleasant caller at the News office.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lett, well known and popular residents of Verbena, Ala., were in Clanton Friday attending to business matters. That is, Mr. Lett was attending to those, while Mrs. Lett was doing her shopping. While in town Mr. and Mrs. Lett were pleasant callers at the News office, where Mr. Lett had his subscription marked up for another year.

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson motored to Montgomery last Monday afternoon.

Joseph A. Jones, who resides on Verbena Route Two, was among the out-of-town visitors to our little city last Tuesday. Mr. Jones is one of the active members of the local Post of the American Legion, and stopped in the News office to have his name added to our subscription list. He stated he wanted to get Gen. Pershing's World War story appearing in the News.

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Mt. Pleasant Junior High School News

The faculty of Mt. Pleasant Junior High School entertains the Junior High department in honor of the Junior III Class at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chambers on next Friday night.

School work is progressing nicely, even though many have withdrawn to assist in the spring farm work.

Everyone is busily reviewing the work of the past six months in final preparation for examinations next week.

The Junior III Class organized several weeks ago, electing: Renfro Price, as President; Eunice Holley, Salutatorian; Luettie Cooper, Historian; Julia Edwards, Prophet; Lawson Bell, Statistician; Vera Jones, Poet; Woodrow Price, Grumbler; and Grady Miner, Class Will.

Class colors are green and white. The class motto is "We're on our way." Class flower, Dogwood.

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We are proud to announce that the Mt. Pleasant boys have organized a 4-H Club. The prospects for a strong club in this community seem very bright. Over 30 members enrolled at their first meeting.

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Another great move has been effected in the Mt. Pleasant community,—that of organizing a Sunday school. The people of Mt. Pleasant have a splendid literary school and building, but have been without a church and Sunday school, which is very essential to the better welfare of any community. The people are to be heartily commended for this great step. Last Sunday morning was the first meeting in which over fifty-two members joined.

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Mr. B. H. Duke, Chairman of the Trustees, made a trip to Montgomery last Tuesday to have an eye examination made of his youngest son, Melvin.

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We all regret the loss sustained by Mrs. Oly (Bean) Smith, our beloved Intermediate teacher, over her mother's death recently. The school and faculty extend to her, their deepest sympathy.

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Miss Ethel Mize was in charge of the Intermediate work during Mrs. Smith's absence.

The Annual Picnic for the Mt. Pleasant school will be given on Saturday, April 25th. The picnic will be given this year at Log Cabin Beach. All the student body is looking forward to a gay and happy time.

The principal of the Mt. Pleasant school, Mr. R. B. Johnson, is planning to leave June 1st for Florence, Ala., to resume his school work at the State Normal.

J. L. Eason of White City was among the visitors to Clanton Tuesday.

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A CORDIAL INVITATION
TO
Mr. Barney Burnett
Miss Avis Grantham
To Dine With Them As
Their Special Guests
Sunday, April 19, 1931

W. M. U. Meet At Billingsley On April 22nd

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know. . . Him whom to know aright is life eternal." Rev. A. S. Bentley.

10:20 Business.

Honor Roll Reports.

Superintendent, Names of societies 100 per cent reporting and full graded unions.

Group leaders, Groups 100 per cent organized.

Mission Study Chairman, Societies having 75 per cent members doing mission study.

Stewardship Chairman, Societies having 75 per cent members tithers.

Personal service chairman, Societies having 75 per cent members doing personal service.

Scholarship Chairman.

Young People's Leader.

11:20 Echoes fro Ctate Convention.

The thing that impressed me most, 2 minutes each, all who went.

Song.

Address, Mrs. A. E. Hayes, Missionary from North Brazil.

12:10 Announcements, Committees, adjournment.

Afternoon Session

1:30 Song and Watchword of all the W. M. U. organizations.

Devotional by Y. W. A. or G. A. girl, Billingsley.

Address, Miss Wilma Bucy, State W. M. U. Corresponding Secretary.

2:30 "The Mission Study Clinic," a playlet by Clanton W. M. S. members.

Business.

3:00 Announcements and adjournment.

Maplesville News

Our town has been shocked and saddened over the death of Mrs. J. B. Hicks. She was sick only a few days with flu and developed pneumonia. She died on Tuesday morning, April 7. She was a devoted wife, and mother. A beautiful Christian character loyal to her church, W. M. S., was Sunday school teacher and secretary of O. E. S. She numbered her friends by the score. She leaves a husband, Mr. J. B. Hicks, and son, Willard, one brother, Mr. Sam Branch, of Troy to mourn her death. The beautiful floral offerings attested to her popularity. Rev. Paul Oden officiated, members of W. M. S., church and O. E. S. presided. Masons were pallbearers. Martin of Clanton had charge. Interment was at Rehoboth, at Lawley.

"Two Days To Get Married" will be staged Saturday night, April 18, 1931 at the school auditorium by the Senior High School boys and girls. Don't fail to see it. Benefit of school.

Miss Imogene Dawson is visiting relatives in Bessemer and Birmingham.

Mrs. Alvis Aldridge of Birmingham is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nix.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan and interesting daughters of South Carolina were the guests of her parents, Mr. and M[illegible] J. W. Foshee, last week end.

The many friends of Mrs. Hill Foshee are delighted that she returned Saturday from the hospital in S[illegible], where she underwent a serious operation.

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GOODSON GUILTY - LIFE TERM IMPOSED

COURTROOM OVERFLOWING AT EARLY HOUR

JURY DELIBERATES ABOUT TWO HOURS

Mother Of Goodson Near Collapse Under Questioning As Witness

J. Collier Goodson, age 22, went on trial here yesterday morning charged with first degree murder for the shooting of Miss Ruby Davis, age 17, his former sweetheart and daughter of Mrs. W. C. Davis of the Enterprise community, on the night of Saturday, April 4.

After deliberating for something like two hours the jury returned their verdict at about 8:55 o'clock last night as the defendant being guilty as charged and recommended a sentence of life imprisonment, which was imposed. H. Brewer Glenn was selected as foreman of the jury.

There was a very small crowd in the courtroom at the time of the sentence, and no emotions of any kind were seen from any present. Goodson rose silently and with bowed head received the sentence.

Goodson waived a preliminary hearing and the Grand Jury of this county in session on April 10th returned an indictment of murder in the first degree, and the trial set for yesterday. The Hon. Judge George F. Smoot presided with Hon. Winston Huddleston prosecuting for the State.

Quite a bit of time was taken up in the morning for the selection of a jury, and the following were selected: R. E. L. Ward, James E. Rasberry, Wilburn Ward, E. D. White, J. Shirley Davis, Curtis Lecroy, Stanley M. Jones, H. Brewer Glenn, W. W. Hand, L. Dewey Hughes, Green W. Melton and George W. Robinson.

The courtroom was filled to overflowing before the trial opened, and the downstairs of the courthouse and on the outside, several hundred persons were milling about. The sheriff and deputies were kept on the alert at all times during the day to keep order in the courtroom and keep the crowd under control, although there was no hint of violence as everyone appeared to be among that class called spectators, through curiosity, and hundreds were turned from the doors.

Spectators Of All Classes

The huge crowd congregated in and around the courthouse was made up of all classes and walks of life, many who came into town in the early hours of the morning by truckloads, many from the social class of Clanton who came to witness what is perhaps the really first sensational murder trial held in Chilton County in many years.

Sister Of Slain Girl Calm

The first witness to take the stand was Mrs. W. C. Davis, mother of the slain girl. Mrs. Davis was questioned for a very short time by the State and the defense, the latter being represented by Hon. Cecil Alexander, attorney of Prattville, Ala. Miss Pauline Davis, sister of the dead girl, was the second to take the witness stand in the morning session. Miss Davis told in an unusually calm manner how Goodson had come to the cafe in Clanton where she was employed and asked if Ruby was there, and where he could find her, and how later on Goodson accosted them while she and her two sisters, Ruby and Berniece, in company with a young man, Hub Griffin, were

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21 Schools Are To Finish Work Friday

This week will bring about the closing of 21 more schools in this county, they having completed this term of school. This leaves only six schools in session in the county. All are high schools with one exception, the Clanton Grammar School.

Thos schools closing at the end of the week are New Cedron, Shiloh, Fairview, Cane Creek, Oak Grove, Mars Hill, Providence A., Union Point, Pates Chapel, Free Springs, Providence B., Concord A., Concord B., Chestnut Grove, Minooka, Thomas Jr., Enterprise, Cooper, Collins Chapel, Union Grove and Mt. Pleasant.

STRAWBERRIES SHOWING FINE PROSPECTS HERE

Local Shipments Being Made This Week; Plans Are To Ship Car On Monday

Unless some unforseen misfortune comes forth on the strawberry crops of this county, the prospects point to a splendid supply of fine berries according to reliable information.

There were five crates brought to Clanton last Monday and shipped to Birmingham. A car of crates were on the tracks here and the crates were being sent out over the county rapidly. It is believed that local small shipments will be made throughout the week, and a car will be loaded here next Monday for shipment, according to L. E. Diefenderfer.

Reports from various sections of the county state that berry growers have been and are having some trouble with an insect cutting the stems where there is a bloom. The insect new to this county, resembles the pea weevil with a long bill. It is said not to be bothering the berries nor the stems after the berries are on them, but cuts the tender stem holding the blooms. This is the first appearance of this insect in this section, and it is said that it has infested parts of the State of Tennessee some time ago. No way of ridding the crop of this insect has been introduced here, as it would not be advisable to spray the berries in an attempt to kill the weevil.

Another New Cafe Opened In Thorsby

Thorsby is still showing some extraordinary signs of progressiveness. Another new cafe and lunch room has opened there. This new place is known as Smitty's Cafe. It is located next door to the Thorsby Drug Store, on the Birmingham highway. J. E. Smith who has been a resident of Thorsby for a number of years, is the proprietor of this new place of business.

Mr. Smith was at one time in the grocery business in Thorsby and knows what people like to eat and how to serve it in a fine way, well cooked, at a reasonable charge. Mr. Smith stated that each Sunday they will serve regular chicken dinners, and that a cordial welcome awaits everyone at his new cafe.

MRS. GROVER HARRIS DIED SAT. APRIL 18

Beloved Woman Passes After Being Ill For Short Time After Operation

Chilton County was shocked last Saturday when the news was out that Mrs Grover C. Harris, wife of one of Clanton's oldest rural mail carriers, was dead. Mrs. Harris was carried to the Memorial Hospital in Montgomery week before last for an operation, which was believed to have been necessary to save her life. She died Saturday morning, April 18th, after putting up a brave fight for her life.

Before her marriage, Mrs. Harris was Bessie Belle Durbin, an attractive daughter of one of the pioneer families of the county and resided in the Fairview Community, west of Clanton, where she was born on August 25, 1891.

Mrs. Harris was married to Grover C. Harris, who is known throughout this section, having been a rural mail carrier here for a large number of years. She was a most devoted member of the Clanton Baptist church, having joined something like 28 years ago. For a number of years she served faithfully in the Junior Departments of the Sunday Schools, and was at one

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Pheasants Being Turned Loose By Dr. Gragg

A few years ago Dr. V. J. Gragg of Clanton, defying every prediction by authorities on the subject that it couldn't be done in Alabama, set out upon the experiment of growing pheasants. At very great expense to himself he secured a trio each of Mongolian and Chinese Ring Necks from a grower in California, and rigged up a place to keep them and their offspring. Such discouraging predictions were made about the offspring that he was not sure there would be any, but he made preparation for them just them same.

It was not very long until the birds began to lay. He set the eggs under Bantam hens, and before the first season was over he had a group of nearly a hundred young pheasants. They grew so well that it was soon necessary to provide larger quarters. Nearly a whole block of space near the hospital was enclosed around and overhead with wire to keep them confined. Still they grew.

Then a very great calamity befell the venture. A dog got into the pen and destroyed the whole colony of birds at one lick. The doctor was not to be outdone. More adult pheasant stock was secured from the far west, and the process begun all over again. It was as successful as the first; and even more so.

By this time the plans of Dr. Gragg have progressed so far that he is able to begin to turn the birds loose to grow wild in parts of Chilton County. He has already released a group out on

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Locally Written Play At Marbury April 24

Marbury talent will prevail in a most outstanding manner on Friday, tomorrow night, when there will be presented at the Marbury auditorium a play entitled, "Jamie's Dream Fairies." Not only will Marbury talent take parts in the play, but the play itself was written by Everett Ellis of Marbury and the songs to be used were set to music by Miss Bess Rogers of Marbury.

This play will cause one to live again the scenes of one's childhood. Features will be Mother Goose, Little Bo-Peep, Little Boy Blue, Fairies and others. No doubt everyone is familiar with thees characters, but this play presents them in a most original form. The hero of the play, his mother, Pepper and Salt, the fairy of a rather mischievous turn of mind, are some of the many characters represented.

The curtain is scheduled to go up at seven-thirty p.m., and admission will be 15 and 25 cents.

NEHI PLANT IS MOVING INTO NEW QUARTERS

New Home of Bottling Plant Will Give More Space and More Convenience

When a concern continues to grow and business is on the increase, it usually becomes necessary for that concern to seek larger and more convenient quarters or increase those occupied by it. The Nehi Bottling Company of Clanton seems to be in the line with such types of business as it is this week being moved into new quarters, giving it more room and more convenience.

The Nehi Bottling Company of Clanton will now be located in the building formerly occupied by the Bates Motor Company, near the old post office building. It will occupy two of the buildings there. The building has been undergoing repairs and proper fittings put in for the bottling plant.

Horsley White, proprietor of the bottling company stated that he found it necessary to increase the floor space, and expected to be in operating condition by the latter part of the week. Mr. White stated that he extends a cordial invitation to the public to visit his new plant where the Nehi beverages are bottled in this county.

Kiwanis Club Sponsors A Clean-Up Campaign

The members of the Kiwanis Club, realizing that nothing detracts as much as unsightly dumping grounds on vacant lots and in back alleys, are asking the cooperation of every good citizen of Clanton in a general clean-up campaign next week, beginning April 27th.

Mayor Smith is chairman of the public affairs committee of Clanton Kiwanis Club and is in charge of the clean-up campaign. Associated with Mr Smith on the campaign are Mr. Stapp and Mr. Powers.

This special committee in charge of the clean-up campaign will appreciate very much if everybody will enthusiastically enter this campaign to make our town more attractive during the next ten days. If you have suggestions to offer or need a truck to move trash from your vacant lot or alley, please call Mr. Lee Smith or Mr. Stapp and they will make note of same and try to give every possible assistance.

This is a splendid move on the part of the Kiwanis Club and a general clean-up campaign will not only mean a more attractive town, but the move will mean better health and this paper hopes that every man, woman, boy and girl will take part.

The Scouts, both boys and girls, will have a part.

Mr. and Mrs. Horsley White and Thelma and Essie spent Thursday and Friday of last week in Chipley and Lagrange, Georgia.

Earl Vinson Burned To Death Wednesday, 22

Shortly after noon, Wednesday, April 22nd, word was received in Clanton that Earl Vinson, son of Newt A. Vinson, had been burned to death in the home of B. Dukes of Poplar Springs community, about five miles south of here. Vinson was said to have been in the home, where he had sleeping quarters, when the house caught on fire, and he failed to make his escape from the burning building.

Another young man, Bud Dukes, was said to have also been in the room with him at the time, but was rescued as the flames were almost to him.

A Martin ambulance was called which went to the scene of the burning and brought the charred remains to Martin's funeral parlors in Clanton. According to reports Vinson was wearing a wrist watch which had stopped at 12:15 o'clock. Origin of the fire had not been determined at this writing.

Home And Barn Were Destroyed By Fire

The home and barn of G. J. (Jonathan) Headley were completely destroyed by fire last Friday about noon Mr. Headley resided just north of Clanton on the old Birmingham highway, near the mill village

The volunteer fire department answered the call, but very little use could be made with the hose, due to there being no fire plugs in that section, but the firemen put forth some unusual effort in protecting other homes nearby. The home of Porter Payton was damaged by the heat. Almost all the furnishings of the Headley house were saved, however, the kitchen furnishings were destroyed and also quite a bit of wood, corn, etc.

WOODMEN ARE TO HAVE BIG DAY HERE SOON

Central Ala. Field Day of The W. O. W. To Be Held In Clanton May 28th

Clanton is again to have the opportunity to play host to a large gathering of men from various sections of the state in a day of events outstanding, when the first Field Day of the year for the Central Alabama Woodmen of the World will be held here on May 28th.

The program of activities is scheduled to begin at nine-thirty o'clock in the morning. There will be 10 degree teams here, semi-military, for drill purposes. Some of the outstanding speakers of the day will be Congressman Lister Hill and Dr. Crawford of Omaha, Neb.

A large band will be on hand for the day and night to furnish music for parades, etc. In the afternoon the unveiling of a monument to the late Dudley Thompson will take place at the Clanton cemetery by the Woodmen. At seven o'clock that night there will be a huge street parade with torches, and at a later hour the Woodmen will assemble and a class of approximately one hundred men will be initiated into the lodge, according to E. C. Evans, District manager, who makes his home in Clanton.

Clanton should feel proud that it has been selected as the place for this Field Day to be held. There is expected over two thousand Woodmen, local and visiting, will be here for these exercises. Other details will be given out later, Mr. Evans stated.

County P.-T. A. To Meet At Isabella

Miss Cora Belle Maddox, of Isabella, chairman of the County Council of the Parent-Teachers Association, stated this week that the County P.-T. A. will meet at the Isabella School, west of Clanton on April 25th, for an all-day meeting.

All local organizations are urged to send representatives to this meeting which is scheduled to open at nine-thirty o'clock a.m. A report from the District P. T. A. will be made. Lunch will be served at the noon hour.

Kiwanis Club To Present Blackface Minstrel Tonight

For an evening of entertainment—entertainment that is built upon the principle to bring laugh after laugh, one should not fail to see the minstrel to be staged by the Clanton Kiwanis Club at the high school auditorium tonight.

In last week's News it was stated that the minstrel would be presented Friday night, April 24th. But developments in the progress being made necessitated the moving up of the date one night so the Clanton Kiwanis Negro Minstrel will be shown tonight

Did you ever hear of a fog farm? No, well then you should hear Cohen Stapp as a member of the "lodge" tell about that huge fog farm he owned. And too, you'll get a big kick out of his prevaricating. Did you ever see a human automobile? Then don't fail to see the one made up of Kiwanians at the minstrel. Mack Wyatt as "Vesuvius" takes a most terrible stand on the way people are married in the East and in tht West. Hear him tell the difference

"Giggling Lizzie" comes forth in a most extraordinary manner and relates some of her experiences after becoming rather lost in directions in a large city. Earl Thomas has charge of that idea. And by all means if you want to hear an old time negro sermon, hear W. H. Sartor as "Brother Brown" deliver that masterpiece of a sermon he has, and try to follow him in it. E. E. Upchurch will burst forth without the least warning with conundrums on local situations.

Those are just a few of the many things that will keep one laughing throughout the performance. There will be an eight-piece orchestra taking part also as well as songs by those in the minstrel. Dr. S. J. Ezell fills the part of interlocutor and comes very near getting into trouble due to his questioning of the characters

The minstrel has been under the direction of Mrs. L. C. Warr, assisted by Porf. Warr. The curtain is scheduled to go up at 7:45 o'clock, and a large crowd is expected to witness the staging of this most unique performance by members of the Clanton Kiwanis Club

SENIOR CLASS PLAY OF LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL HERE MAY 1ST

The graduating class of the Chilton County High School is preparing now for the presentation of its Senior Class Annual play which is to be staged Friday night, May 1st. The play is titled "Crooks for a Month," and is a comedy in three acts

The play is woven around a story of a real estate man who is facing bankruptcy, and is very hard pressed for money. He has a son and a daughter, the former together with some college friends take it upon themselves to give the old man some money right away, and get busy hatching up a scheme by which they can secure five hundred dollars in two weeks. They do it—and how. They originate some kind of occult temple and sell horoscopes. The daughter gets the idea that she can dance, and secures a place dancing under an assumed name in order to help raise the money for her father, who objects strongly to it

Miss Mary Heard plays the part of the daring daughter, with Homer Carroll as the real estate man. John Ponder Lawrence takes the part as the energetic and daring young son, assisted in his schemes by Frank McMurray, who plays the part of 'The Great Kamjain." This play is a scream, and don't miss it

Miss-A-Putt Miniature Golf Links Are Now Open; Ladies Given Complimentary Rounds

The Miss-A-Putt Miniature Golf Course of Clanton is open this week to the public, having been closed all winter. Much work has been done to put the course in playing condition and to improve it to a great extent. The Miss-A-Putt Course is located on the northern edge of town, near Ellis' Filling Station.

In speaking of the re-opening of the course, L. D. Easterling, operator, stated that for the remainder of this week, ladies will be given a complimentary ticket to play two rounds each day and night. This, however, is thru Saturday night only, Mr. Easterling stated.

The Miss-A-Putt Course is the only miniature golf course in Clanton and proved very popular last summer, its first opening season here. Mr. Easterling also stated that the prices have been reduced to fifteen cents per round, day and night.

William Arthur Willis of the University was at home for the week end.

Mrs. Grady Heflin and James Duke are spending a few days in Randolph.

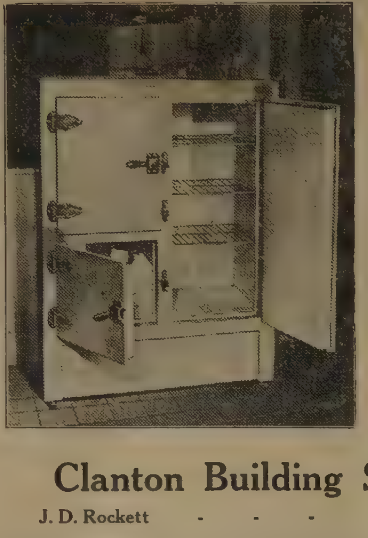
May Queen Contest In Clanton Grammar School Is Increasing In Interest As Days Are Passing

The contest now in progress to determine which little girl will be crowned May Queen of the Clanton Grammar School is increasing in interest as members of the various classes are putting forth every effort to have their candidate elected.

Votes are being sold over town and there is a candidate from each class room. The contest opened April 17th, and will close April 30th, the winner to be crowned Queen during the May Day program of the school.

The money being secured from this contest is going to a most worthy cause, being placed to the credit of the school to assist in making it possible for the school to operate a full nine months. Following is a list of the little May Queen candidates and the grades they represent:

First Grade: Sarah Nell Sessions, and Clara Marie Cooper. Second Grade: Frances Popwell and Lillian Smith. Third Grade: Kathleen Petty and Annie Cordelia Smith. Fourth Grade: Theda Wyatt and Nell Rockett. Fifth Grade: Thelma White. Sixth Grade: Jane Pitts.



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Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Raegan, Miss Naemi Turnquist and Mrs. J. A. Bosworth returned Friday from their trip in Minnesota. A very nice trip was reported. Miss Naemi Turnquist returned back to Selma to her work Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Townsend of Birmingham were visitors in Thorsby over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Villadsen of Lincoln, Alabama spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robinson. Mrs. Villadsen is spending this week with her parents.

Mrs. Nettie Sandifer of Ensley and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cick of Bessemer visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Carter Sunday.

Mr. nd Mrs. Edward Howard and children spent Sunday in Jemison.

Since Mr. Edward Howard has ceased operating his filling station he spends his full time in repairing radios. Your patronage will be appreciated.

Mr. Herbert Adams of Gadsden spent the week end with Miss Ruth Martin. He is planning on remaining this week also.

Mrs. Marion S. Smith spent the week end with her husband in Livingston, Ala.

Mr. Dewey Robinson was seen on the streets for the first time today since he recovered from the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robinson, Mrs. R. R. Franklin and little Peggy Mims spent Sunday in Greenville.

Rev. Jos, Each and Gerald Smith returned Friday from the Rural Church School held at Nashville recently. Gerald Smith gave an interesting talk in chapel Monday on the work done at the school. About 250 rural ministers were present. Miss Marguerite Davison also attended the school, but also attended a part of the time the Congregational Southern Regional Conference on Missions and the Southeast Advisory Board. Miss Jenkins was the Alabama delegate to the Conference and Board Meetings. She was not an attendant at the Rural Church School as stated in last week's paper.

Rev. Ernest Riggs, D.D., one of the Secretaries of the American Board of the Congregational Church gave a very interesting talk at chapel Thursday on Turkey. He was born in Turkey of Missionary parents.

The Russian operetta, "Sonia" will be presented by the Choruses of Thorsby Institute under the direction of Miss Thoroman on Saturday night, April 25, at 7:30. Admission is 15 cents for students and children and 25 cents for adults.

A group of college students, led by Sonia Markova, plan a surprise party for Professor Smythe, "the absent-minded professor." Sonia's Aunt Martha Mayflower, a prim lady of much lineage makes her appearance and is much disturbed by the frivolity of modern college life, and threatens to take her niece out of school. Sonia has never seen her father, a Russian nobleman who was imprisoned by the Bolsheviki during the revolution. She receives a letter that he is in a Siberian prison and will be able to escape if money is sent. Pat Dunn, the popular hero at college, is in love with Sonia. He mistrusts the source of the letter. The conspirators appear in Russian disguise and Sonia prepares to pay over the money, but decides to go to Rusisa herself and find her father. She arrives at the castle in Siberia, the ancient home of the Markovas. She and her American college chums decide to stage a rehearsal of a musical comedy in which there is a Bolshevik mob scene. During the rehearsal a real Bolsheviki revolt breaks out. Pat overhears a plot to have Count Ginwhiski impersonate the lost father. He waylays him and affects the disguise himself. Pat unreveals the mystery and wins his reward.

The "absent-minded professor," Maurice, Peggy and Aunt Martha furnish a lot of wholesome fun. Don't miss it!

This operetta is given by permisison of The Willis Music Company, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Miss Bertha Littleton of Birmingham spent the week end in Thorsby with her sister, Mrs. Emmitt Billingsley.

Master Thomas Hayes has returned home from the hospital where he underwent an operation for appendicitis. He is improving nicely.

Miss Jennye Mae Thoroman and Miss Odie Lee Arthur treated all who are taking part in the Operetta at Thorsby Institute to ice cream Saturday night during practice.

Mrs. H. M. Carlton of Dadeville and her granddaughter, Little Louise Carlton, spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Piper and Mr. and Mrs. Russell McCain spent Saturday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pate went to Birmingham shopping Saturday.

Mr. Turner Gamble of Dadeville spent the week end with Miss Ethel Thompson.

Misses Clara Vines, Juanita Each and Mr. Cecil Each accompanied Mr. William Each back to Montgomery Sunday afternoon.

Miss Freelon Marcus entertained a number of her friends to a picnic and a social Saturday evening. Those who were partakers in this were Misses Clara Hayes, Luticia Bean, Bonnie Honeycutt, Edna Childress, Jessie Martin, Lola Martin, Ethel Thompson, and Sallye Thompson and Messrs. Kenneth O'Barr, Herschell Hayes, Carlton Collins, Foster Miller, Paul Marcus, Cecil Armstrong, J. B. Deason, and Erchel Martin.

Miss Sadie Shannon of West Point, Ga., is visiting her sister, Mrs. N. C. Peterson.

Mr. Frank Wood is confined to his home with the measles.

The Faculty and students of the Thorsby Junior High School spent Tuesday on a picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pate and Roma Lee went to Kelsey Sunday to see Mr. Lester Pate.

The Sewing Circle met with Mrs. S. E. Norton Monday afternoon.

There will be Communion service at the Congregational Church next Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Schive and Mr. and Mrs. Lorrell of Birmingham were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Laurell.

Mrs. Carl Peterson had a coffee party Friday evening. Delicious refreshments were served.

One of the rooms of the Congregational parsonage is undergoing repair work.

Mr. Willis Peterson is another victim of the measles.

Mrs. S. C. Wood returned home Saturday evening from Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Robinson of Lay Dam and Miss Hilma Collins spent Sunday in Birmingham with Mrs. John Harrison Collins. Reports say that Mrs. Collins is still improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Marcus spent the week end in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Meade and Helen Louise and Mrs. Earl Meade of Calera and Miss Lillie Cooke spent Friday in Montgomery.

Mrs. Russell Peterson spent Monday with Mrs. C. A. Meade.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Meade, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Chambers and Billy took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Earle Meade Sunday.

Mr. Fred Boyd was the Sunday dinner guest of Mr. Conway Thornburg.

Miss Frances Wilson spent several days last week visiting relatives in and near Blocton, Alabama.

Mr. Willie Rhodes of Wilton spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

On Sunday night at 7:30 P. M. Rev. J. W. Jones will deliver the Commencement sermon for the Thorsby Junior High School at the auditorium of the Junior High School.

On Tuesday night at 7:30 P. M. the Eight Grade will present a play entitled, "Poor Father." Admission will be 10 and 20 cents.

An operetta by the junior grades of the Thorsby Junior High School entitled, "A Day in Flowerdom," will be presented Monday night at 7:30 at the auditorium of the Junior High school.

Mitchell Dam Girl Scout News

The Girl Scouts at Mitchell Dam are still progressing in their work. Their meeting was held in the forest Monday evening, at which time the test on fire making was finished, and I must say they are swell little firemen.

The Scouts are planning to have a grand time this summer in their little log cabin, just out of camp. They are also planning to help protect the wild flowers, so please cooperate with them by not destroying the flowers along the roadside.

Another interesting item of work underway at Mitchell Dam is the work of the Brownies, that is, the girls at the age of seven to ten. They are doing splendid work under the leadership of Sarah Hollis, one of our Scouts.

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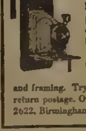

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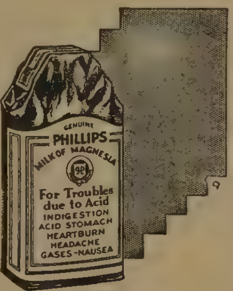

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Billingsley News

The Community Day at both schools Friday was in every way a success. Visiting the schools at work was the feature of the morning and the afternoon athletics were enjoyed, there being games of different kinds and two games of baseball.

The play, "Eyes of Love" at the Elementary school Saturday night was an interesting affair. The parts were well rendered and enjoyed by a well filled house.

Rev. A. S. Bentley was at his best Sunday morning, using as his theme, "Love." A big audience heard him attentively. The services Sunday evening were rained out.

Miss Nettye Mason Pattillo from the Womans College in Montgomery spent the week end with home folks. She had as her guests Misses Berk and Sellers from the college.

Mr. Paul Vinson from the University was at home for the week end. He had visiting him Messrs. Mitchell and Tandy from Tuscaloosa.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier Marlar of Birmingham spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Marlar.

Miss Willie Jeanne Patrick of Massey Business College, Montgomery, was at home for a visit the past week end. She had as her guest Sunday L. C. Lewis of Montgomery.

All of the Junior organizations of the W. M. U. were represented at the Young People's Council at Clanton Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. Hughes, Misses Mabel King, Gladys Hicks, Lorene Davis, Lillian Turner and Jonnie Mae Golson attended the funeral of Mrs. G. C. Harris at Clanton Sunday afternoon.

LETTER OF APPRECIATION

Clanton, Ala., April 21, 1931.

Chilton County News:

Please allow us space to thank the friends of our beloved mother, Mrs. M. M. Henderson, for their kindness and for the many beautiful flowers. We can't remember all their names, but may God's richest blessings rest on each and all of them, and may we especially thank Mr. Martin for his kindrichest blessings, and all those who lent richest blessing, and all those who lent a helping hand.

Especially de wo thank Bro. Deason for his wonderful words of encouragement. God bless him for what he said.

—S. J. Henderson, W. J. Henderson, T. A. Henderson, W. T. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. R. Q. Henley.

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will on or before May 12, 1931, make application to the Board of Pardons for the restoration of citizenship and political rights of Ed Mims, convicted at the April, 1928, of the Circuit Court of Chilton County for the offense of possession of still and sentenced to penitentiary of one year and one day to 13 months.

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Sardis News

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Misses Lela and Ellen Minor spent last week in this community among their relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Minor spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Minor spent Sunday and Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff.

Mr. Willie Bovar and Miss Alphia Ratliff attended the funeral of Mrs. Harris at Clanton Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Alice Deason and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Kendrick.

Mr. Grady Davis spent a few days last week with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ratliff.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Headley and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sansom.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ratliff and Mr. C. J. Ratliff motored to Jasper last Thursday to visit their sister, Mrs. Dora Patrick, who is ill.

Mrs. John Huston, three children spent last week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Deason.

The singing met Sunday afternoon. The services were opened by the president, Miss Mae Sansom, by singing the song, "Sweet Hour of Prayer." Following were the directors: Miss Clara Headley, Miss Melda Sansom, Miss Lucinda Sansom and Mr. Cadle. The closing song, "Safe in the Arms of Jesus."

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G. J. Headley, who resides just north of Clanton near the mill village requested the News to express this week his thanks and appreciation for the assistance rendered when his home and barn were destroyed by fire last Friday. He stated he especially wished to thank the members of the Volunteer Fire Department for the efforts put forth in combating the flames.

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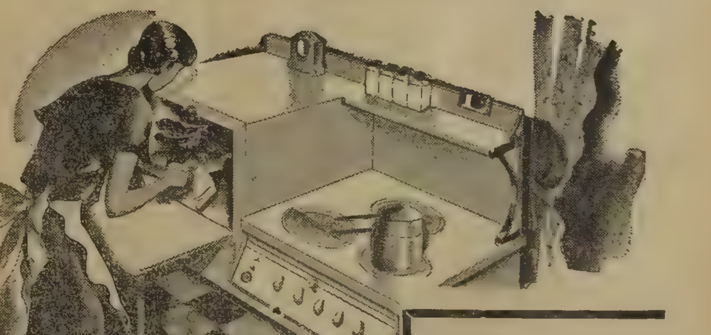

WHY let an out of date stove tie you to your kitchen, when that same stove can now help you buy an Electric Range and gain all-day freedom from cooking cares? During our Spring Range Sale, which is now in progress, we'll take your old stove as partial payment on the most modern automatic electric range that money can buy. With this new range in your kitchen you can enjoy a freedom you have never dreamed of before and the most delicious meals you have ever served in your home. Notice our special offer—good for a limited time only—in the column on the right.

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YOUR Newspaper

It is more than true that business men and citizens generally should not fail to realize that newspapers are in the public service—they are not parasites living for their own profits, and that the community needs for a newspapers are such that, should there be no newspapers as a private enterprise, then the public, for its own benefit, must tax itself to provide themselves with newspapers. It is too often that we find business men who regard newspapers patronizingly as an institution that lives and thrives off their business. They look upon newspapers as something that they are more or less privileged to forget if the times are dull, and something they can recall to mind in those days when richer profits are seen.

A newspaper is a function, reciprocating service in the community in which it is located, an integral factor in everything it assists to motivate, therefore it is as worthy of its hire as the judge in his docket, the treasurer or the tax collector. In fact, a newspaper as an institution, is far more embracing than any or all, being the completed expression of the daily rounds of Life, which without, we would have to go back to the real chaos of disorganized society.

Such facts as those are recognized by the advanced type of person, but is also sometimes ignored by the ignorant or indifferent. The latter aim to keep the newspaper "in its place" by withholding a more just tribute. That is due, perhaps, to them having their own inferiority complex to contend with and their only object is a kind of self-satisfaction that comes from retarding the wheels of progress

These un-named opponents of the printed enlightment usually demonstrate the fact that they need the inoculation of the very high-idealed spirit that goes to make a real newspaper. And, while they are keeping the newspaper "in its place," they are keeping themselves there also. Such backwardness of theirs will be clearly indicated by their tenacious clinging to such outworn practices, slow conceptions of competitive requirements.

Let the community that wishes to step ahead, make its newspapers the staunchly supported banner carriers of its forward movement. The newspaper always gladly undertakes the many challenges to leadership and will invariably push forward against every obstacle. The only time the newspaper shows signs of weakening is when those it serves are weak.

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Things Are Looking Up

We don't mean only the green things in field and garden. Economic depressions have no effect upon the processes of Nature the leaves come out and the grass comes up—to say nothing of the weeds—whether business is good or bad. And at this time of year it is always truthful, though not always the whole truth to say that things are looking up.

This year it seems to be true of other things besides the ones that grow. There are plenty of signs of improvement in business, not much in some lines, a good deal in others. Automobile production is increasing, which means more men working in the factories. The electric power output is higher than it was a year ago. That means not only that more people are using electric light but that industrial plants are buying more power. Building contracts reported for March show a gain over February. And it is hard to travel twenty miles in any direction from anywhere without running into a new highway or bridge under construction, or some other big piece of public work, giving employment to large numbers of men and putting in the aggregate hundreds of mililons of dollars into circulation.

There has been a great deal of unfriendly comment abroad over the situation in the United States during the past eighteen months. Unemployment, the breadlines in the big cities, and similar sensational items of news were printed in European papers, with the result that Germany, France and Italy picture the whole population of the United States reduced to destitution. Apparently they have never heard, over there, of our miniature golf craze, which began just after the depression hit us and so far has developed into a $150,000,000 business. Not everybody in the United States spends his time in the breadline!

And, to come back to the green grass and the weeds, Nature is doing a little better by us this year than last. At least there has been more rain this Spring all over the country than there was a year ago, and more snow in the North than for several Winters. There is still a lot of water to fall to bring up the average, but there doesn't seem to be any danger of another widespread drought in 1931.

On the whole, all things considered, we're doing pretty well, thank you.

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Power For Eight Cents A Day

The 20,000,000 customers of the electric industry pay an average bill of 8 1-2 cents each day, according to Samuel Insull, President of the Middle West Utilities Company. Half of them pay 5 cents a day—the other half pay 12 cents. In other words, ten million Americans receive all the advantages of electric power for the price of a daily package of chewing gum, and ten million more receive it for less than the cost of a package of ordinary cigarettes.

It is for this reason that the battle over power becomes, on investigation, an absurdity. America is now perplexed by abundant important problems—prohibition, the tariff, foreign trade, unemployment, overproduction in certain basic industries, the rising cost of government and the like. Any one of these problems is of vital interest to all citizens. They must be solved, or social and economic chaos will result.

And our bland politicians go on talking about power.

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

A thought struck me this week—I mean a thought what was a thought. It struck, and I grabbed it. I have been more or less writing of things, some serious and some not so serious, but this week, I am in something of a serious turn of mind. Thought I'd prepare you beforehand.

I'm basing my text on newspapers, especially the weekly paper, the press, The Fourth Estate, that line of profession that is regarded by those who know, as being a most high calling. Some have said that radios would eventually take the place of the newspaper. But, on the other hand, what would the radio be without the newspaper? Certainly the newspaper can do without the radio, but the radio cannot do without the newspaper. And anyway you can't wrap your lunch in a radio, neither can you stick a radio in your pocket to read when at leisure, neither can your picture be seen in a radio and there are millions of other items in favor of US.

You wouldn't start a fire with your radio, you wouldn't have a party written up and recorded over the air, unless maybe you pulled one of those million-dollar parties and give Austin automobiles as souvenirs.

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To hear Dr. Neighbors, Charlie Cox, Fenn Jones or Frank Callen tell about what they saw and heard in Texas would make most anyone wonder why Alabama couldn't be as near independent as that state. Why, they tell me that the farmers over there are about to forget how to raise cotton—because they want to forget. They are in the truck farming, poultry and dairying business, and some of the banks there report that their deposits are greater this year than they were last year. Well, if we can't make the whole state of Alabama like that, what is to hinder us from making Chilton County an independent county, that is I mean more independent than it is. There is perhaps one thing that would have to be done. Some fellows would have to forget about the dollar for just a short time, and get the farmers to plant the proper thing, or thumbs down on advancements.

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Folks, things are getting rather dry these days and our firemen say the weather is mighty hot to be rushing round fighting fires, so let's be a little careful this summer. Some folks think that winter time is the time when we have most of our fires in town, but by George, we had a couple of fires in one day last week. Let's be safe and not sorry.

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Speaking of newspapers. Did you know that when a stranger comes into a town, especially a small town, they draw a large amount of their opinion of the town from the newspaper that is published there. A town may be a dandy, but its newspaper a rather poor one, then that holds things down in a big way. I know that C. G. N. has had numerous requests for copies that come from various corners of the United States, from concerns and people that want to get an idea of what kind of a town Clanton is. And does C. G. N. speak in a big voice that Clanton is alive and booming? I should smile and say yes. Look at your newspaper—everyone else does. Clanton is very, very fortunate in having two good newspapers to speak to the outside world and tell what a good town am I.

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I not that the Nehi Plant has moved into larger quarters round in the section of town that Dief's, the News, etc., are located. A very good idea Mr. White. I welcome you to this section of our city that is riding high, wide and handsome. You'll have to get accustomed to the noise round there though, and watch yourself on the highway. Things get pretty rushing sometimes.

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I started this column off like I was going to tell something grave and serious. That was my intentions at first, but since giving it a second thought I've decided to lay off the subject I first started to write about. It's rather delicate, and I've got something of a hangover this morning. Nope, I didn't go to see that little blond teacher last night either. It was a red-head.

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The Great Dook Recommends Chaperones

On a letter to me this week, the Great Dooker Pooker, of the Magic City writes an additional letter after commenting in the Coal Bin Friday night, to the people down here. Dook has no doubt been places, seen people and done things, and ought to know something, and does know wherein he speaks. Here's his letter this week:

"Dear Doug:

"I heartily subscribe to the opinions expressed by you in the matter of public dances and if I was you, I believe I'd recommend that, when any more public dances is had down there, boys be chaperoned by their popper, pro their bono. But if the wimmin down there persists in wearin' these Eve-ning gowns, you had better get somebody to chaperon the poppers.

"Once I attended the spectacular opening of a magnificent dance hall, said to have cost about $350,000. The public was "cordially invited" at so much per head and partners was provided for any who came without them, there being a mob of ladies and gentlemen "in waiting." There were about 300 couples on the floor, and about one square yard of floor space was all that any of them required for the evenings dance. They simply locked horns and stayed where they was at. In the centre of the room stood a chaperon (bouncer) who was assisted by another such and stationed at each of the four corners of the room. If a couple danced too enthusiastically, the chaperon would tap them on the shoulder at the first offense; and at the second, out they went. During the evening, I saw several couples leave the floor after being approached by a bouncer.

"Then one time I went with a friend to a dancing school. He wanted to learn how to dance. He was registered and then assigned a teacher, who at once took her victim to a private dancing room, with waxed floors and a graphophone. The teacher is paid by the school but expects and gets a tip from her victim. My friend told me that he had to change teachers several times before he found one who made any effort whatever to teach him. It seems that most of them were fishing for a date after the lesson.

"Maybe Clanton ought to hire some bouncers at their public dances."

DOOKER POOKER.

Letters To The Editor

WHY NOT ALL THE ROADS?

Dear Editor:

I asked one of our mail carriers a few days ago why did the road machines go over all the roads around his route and scrape them good and smooth, including private roads, and did not scrape his road.

He said: "Well, I asked them why they did not scrape my road, and they said, 'We just forgot it.' "

Discrimination against Uncle Sam's employees, and little school children by our county officials will cause them to be a failure, and also the party they represent.

The county officials that renders impartial service are the ones the voters will remember favorably in the next election.

—Just A Voter.

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MORE ABOUT THE BOOSTER EDITION

Montevallo, Ala., April 20, 1931.

Chilton County News,
Clanton, Ala.,

Dear Sir:

Through a student from your county I have just come into possession of a full copy of your "Chilton County Booster Edition," of Feb. 26, 1931. I want to say to you that anyone interested in Alabama would be thrilled by this edition of your paper. I am placing this copy in my permanent files of "Alabama—County Information." Chilton is a great county and your paper is one of its distinct assets.

Very truly yours,
J. R. STEELMAN,
Prof. of Sociology, Alabama College.

W. W. HALL, DECEASED

W. W. Hall of Union Grove community was called in death Saturday afternoon at one-fifteen o'clock. He had been feeling fine and had recently moved from his son's in Collins Chapel community.

He was sick only six or seven hours.

Mr. Hall was 81 years, one month, and 24 days old. He and his wife were united in the year of 1878, and lived happily together these 53 years. There is left to mourn Mr. Hall's death: his wife and four children, two boys and two girls: Mr. T. D. Hall, Collins Chapel, Mrs. Zalia Atkinson, Pratt City, Ala., Mr. F. G. Hall, Pratt City, Mrs. Marie Dungan, Mobile, Ala.

He had many friends for one can truly say to know Mr. Hall was to love him. He was buried at Union Grove, Rev. Zack Appleton conducting the funeral services.

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MRS. MANDY HENDERSON DIED AT HOME SUDDENLY, APRIL 15

Mrs. Mandy Melvina Henderson, age 68, died very suddenly at her home four miles west of Clanton on Wednesday, April 15th. She was the widow of H. T. Henderson who died in 1923. She was a devoted member of the Samaria church.

Funeral services were held Friday, April 17th, at Samaria, with the Rev. J. P. Deason officiating. Martin & Sons of Clanton were in charge.

The deceased is survived by one daughter, Mrs. R. Q. Henley, of near Clanton. Four sons, Sam Henderson, J. W. Henderson of Mississippi; W. H. Henderson of Memphis, Tenn., and Tom Henderson of Coahoma, Tenn., all of whom are employees of railroads.

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J. M. Patterson of Tallassee was in Clanton on business last Saturday.

William Walker who resides near Maplesville, and a prominent citizen of the county was in Clanton Saturday.

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The Rev. J. W. Jones, pastor of the Thorsby Baptist church, was a visitor to Clanton Saturday.

J. T. Cobern, one of the county's progressive farmers, who resides on Maplesville Route 1, was a visitor to Clanton last Monday morning. While in town Mr. Cobern called at the News office for a chat with the editor and to have his subscription marked up for another year, being a regular reader of the News.

Charles Gulledge, prominent service station operator of Verbena, was among the business visitors to Clanton last Monday.

G. W. Melton of the Mount Pleasant community was in Clanton Saturday.

C. L. Baker of near Clanton was among the visitors to town last Tuesday.

C. O. Bell, one of the county's progressive farmers was in Clanton Tuesday attending to business matters. While in town Mr. Bell called at the News office and had with him several baskets of fine looking strawberries. Before he left the News managed to secure a basket of the berries. They showed they had been carefully taken care of and were well filled out. Looks like the crop this year is going to be good.

Concord-Billingsley

We are sorry to say that several in this community are on the sick list at this writing, but we hope to see them well again soon.

The quarterly conference which was held here last Saturday was well attended. Every church on this circuit was represented. Several visitors from other churches also attended. We were indeed glad to have them with us.

Rev. J. H. Limbrick was present and brought to us a wonderful message at the eleventh hour, and also Rev. F. A. Gibson was present. We were glad to have them with us, for they have both served as pastor of our church.

Our pastor, Bro. Headley, filled his appointment Sunday and delivered a wonderful sermon, but on account of rain there wasn't any services Sunday night.

Bro. Headley was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Lawrence and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Popwell and children and Mr. E. B. Popwell of Thorsby, Mrs. A. P. Wililams and children of Shiloh community, Mrs. Emma Williams, Messrs. T. J. Deramus and T. L. Williams were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams and family last Sunday.

Several from here attended the play at the Billingsley school last Saturday night.

We were planning on having a singing here last Sunday afternoon, but on account of the threatening weather, and sickness we didn't have it, but if nothing prevents we will try it over the first Sunday afternoon. We hope that everyone will be well again by that time. Those who came Sunday afternoon come back again and we will try not to disappoint you next time. All singers and lovers of music have a special invitation to come.

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"ON TIMERS" CLASS AND G. A.'s MET LAST TUESDAY AT CHURCH

The "On Timers" Class and the Girls Auxilliary met at the Baptist church last Tuesday afternoon for a point meeting.

Plans were made for each girl to bring ten cents to the G. A. meeting which will be held at the church this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

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J. L. RUFFIN TO HAVE PURINA MAN HERE FOR DEMONSTRAT'N

J. L. Ruffin, local Purina and Checker Board feed dealer, announces this week that on next Saturday, April 25, they will have a man from the home office here to discuss with the poultry raisers and dairy men, their problems on feeding poultry and cows. Those interested are invited to come to J. L. Ruffin's place of business Saturday and get such information as they wish in regard to feeding.

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FARM BUREAU WILL PURCHASE CHICKENS ONLY ON THURS., FRI.

The Chilton County Farm Bureau announced this week that they would buy chickens only on Thursdays, and Fridays in the future. This is being done, it was stated, so as not to keep the fowls too long before they are shipped. All persons seling chickens to the farm bureau are asked to comply with this announcement which will be effective, beginning next week.

Mrs. Marion Smith spent the past week end in Livingston, with Mr. Smith.

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CONCORD 4-H CLUB MET, 20TH

The 4-H Club of Concord community held a meeting Monday night, April 20th, at 7:30. There was not very many present. Our next meeting will be held Monday night, May 11th, at 7:30. We want all of the members to be present. We gave out the record books and farm bulletins to each member to make a talk on, at the next meeting. We have a total enrollment of 45 members, and are expecting others.

—Lewis Patterson, Reporter.

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Mr. Nelson Parrish who is attending school in Auburn was at home last Sunday to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. G. C. Harris.

Harris Hardy of Gadsden spent last week end with home folks.

Leroy Mims of Auburn was at home for several days last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus, Jr., and little daughter, Billie Ruth, Mr. Charlie Watson and Miss Mary Elizabeth Geiger, all of Birmingham, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus. Ben and Mr. Watson and Lewis Tyus went to Lay Dam Saturday morning fishing. They came back in the afternoon with 15 pounds of fish. All reported having a good time.

Mr. Jim Bowen, Miss Stella Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Goodgame, went to Lay Dam Sunday. They came back by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus's and spent several hours, on their return to Birmingham.

EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION BACKSPROGRAM

Outlined Program Will Aid Rural Schools To Maintain Usual Term Length

A program that is of wide interest over the state and of much interest to the rural elementary schools has been outlined and inaugurated by the Alabama Educational Association, according to information reaching the News this week.

This program of the association is to be placed before the present legislature. It is to ask the state to recoup to the counties any losses sustained as a result of a decrease in tax assessments. This is for educational purposes. And that the appropriation of the last legislature be continued. That an emergency appropriation of two million dollars be asked for rural public schools, and that all other units of the educational system such as colleges, etc., be asked to delay their efforts to secure an appropriation until the small rural elementary schools are taken care of.

This letter is being asked on account of the great need for immediate aid along the rural school side. This program is being pushed by the A. E. A. and state posts of the American Legion.

There is perhaps no doubt that this idea will meet with the hearty approval of everyone, and more so with those who are deeply interested in the securing of prompt funds for the rural schools.

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IN APPRECIATION

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our friends for the kindness and sympathy s us during our recent bereavement.

—G. C. Harris and Children.

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LITTLE HELEN PARRISH INJURED IN ACCIDENT MONDAY

Helen, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Parrish, was injured last Monday when she started across the highway and ran into a passing automobile, driven by G. H. Brown of Anderson, Indiana. Brown stopped immediately and rushed the little girl to the hospital where she regained consciousness shortly after arriving there.

No charges were placed against Brown as witnesses stated it was unavoidable. The car did not strike the girl, as she ran into it, it was stated hitting it near the middle. At this writing, Helen is rather ill at her home suffering from the shock.

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HUGH SIMPSON IS APPOINTED TAX COMMISSION AGENT HERE

News was received here this week to the effect that Hugh M. Simpson was appointed recently as an agent of the State Tax Commission of Alabama.

Mr. Simpson received his appointment sometime last week and has already assumed his duties as such agent who will meet with the tax boards and advise and consult. Mr. Simpson is qualified to give this position the best he has.

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SHERIFF REPORTS 10 ARRESTS OVER WEEK END; ALL V. P.

Sheriff Gillespie and his deputies have been having a rather busy time for the past several days taking care of cases for violating the Prohibition Law, according to records at his office here.

The reported up to Tuesday at noon ten arrests since last Thursday, and stated that all these were for violation of the Prohibition Law.

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WILLIS WARREN HALL DIED AT HIS HOME NEAR JEMISON, AL

Willis Warren Hall, age 81, died at his home on Jemison Route Four Saturday, April 18th. Funeral services were held on the following Sunday at Union Grove with the Rev. Zack Appleton officiating. Martin & Sons of Clanton were in charge.

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MAN BROUGHT TO HOSPITAL HERE FROM AUTO ACCIDE

W. W. Farmer was rushed to Central Alabama Hospital Monday suffering from injuries received in an automobile accident about noon on Birmingham highway between Coo and Verbena.

A Martin ambulance answered call, and hospital attendants stated Farmer's condition was painful but serious. He was driving a truck Dave Cody Company of Montgom and had collided with another truck.

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A. L. Pate of Thorsby was am the out-of-town visitors in Clan Saturday.

¡ HIGH SCHOOL NEWS ¡

We are glad to make a correction in the Senior Two honor roll for March in behalf of Lois Miller. Lois was neither tardy nor absent and made an average of ninety per cent in her school work and scholarship.

Who's Who In Junior Three Class

Most handsome boy, Wilson Maddox. Prettiest girl, Over Lee McCutcheon. Wittiest, Cecil Jones. Biggest booster, Jesse Frank Foshee. Most popular boy, Dan Smith. Most popular girl, Pauline Plyler. Best all-round, John Ezell. Most dignified, Joe Moore. Most dependable, Mary Charles Cox. Friendliest, Thomas Marcus. Most intellectual, Dan Smith.

Plans For Senior Two Picnic Changed

By Jane Roberts

Instead of a formal entertainment of the Senior Three class by the Senior Twos, they have decided to have a picnic on the river Friday evening, April 25. By this arrangement, quite a nice balance will be carried over from the proceeds of the Senior Two play which has already been put on time deposit in the bank for the purpose of buying a very expensive dedication to be left to C. C. H. S. as a memorial to the class of 1932.

Chief White Elk Visits C. C. H. S.

By Dan Smith

Everyone enjoyed Chief White Elk's visit to the high school last Tuesday. His talk was on "The Indians of Yesterday and the Indians of Today." This Indian is well educated. He holds a degree from the University of Chicago and has license to practice medicine, but can't do it because he has never given up his allegiance to his tribe. He asked the student-body questions relating to the Indians and the White man. The one answering the nearest to the correct word wanted, received a present from Chief White Elk. Frances Davis won the prize for the girls, and Paul Cox won for the boys. The Chief's talk was well received by all who heard him. He plans to come again September, bringing with him a number of native Indian girls who are musicians. They will put on a musical program.

Play Day At Montevallo

By Nell Neighbors

Physical education in high school is now a part of school work. This work begins in September, and continues until school closes. We receive points for different things we do during the year. We are supposed to make 1,000 points during the year. Our school did not make that many points, but we did make enough to qualify us to enter the Annual Play Day at Montevallo which is held each year in April. Those qualifying to enter and make the trip this year under the direction of Miss Wells as directress were: Nell Neighbors, Ethel Wilkerson, Roselle Gentry, Mary Charles Cox, Alice Petty, and Pauline and Grace Plyler. Miss Wells and the class wish to thank Mrs. N. R. Plyler and Mr. W. H. Sartor, who so kindly furnished their cars to make the trip.

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R. C. Lockhart of Route Three was a visitor to Clanton Saturday and while in town called at the News office on business.

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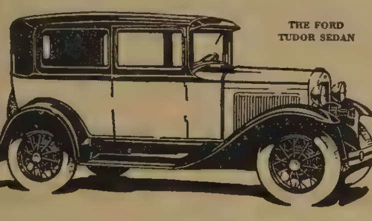
Womens and Childrens white slippers and oxfords in new patterns, Sample Shoe Store.

FORD RELIABILITY



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Attendance Ratings For Chilton County Schools, March, 1931

Junior High Grades

1. Maplesville: Luther E. Little, prin., 44 on roll, percentage 97.33
2. Mt. Pleasant: R. B. Johnson, prin., 53 on roll, percentage 96.14
3. Stanton Jr. High: Luther E. Little, prin., 40 on roll, percentage 94.75
4. Chilton Co. H.: L. C. Warr, prin., 115 on roll, percentage 94.03
5. Coopers: J. L. Wilson, prin., 19 on roll, percentage 93.82
6. Jemison High: J. A. Peterson, prin., 98 on roll, percentage 91.55
7. Union Grove: Harlem Daniel, prin., 36 on roll, percentage 91.14
8. Verbena High: W. E. G. Sutton, prin., 64 on roll, percentage 90.68
9. Thorsby Jr. High: W. T. Bean, prin., 43 on roll, percentage 89.43
10. Isabella: J. D. Griffin, prin., 78 on roll, percentage 89.40
11. Collins Chapel: Zac Y. Appleton, prin., 32 on roll, percentage 89.31
12. Enterprise: H. A. Harris, prin., 68 on roll, percentage 89.27
13. Thomas Jr.: G. C. Weldon, prin., 37 on roll, percentage 85.45
14. Concord: J. M. Parrish, prin., 33 on roll, percentage 82.27

Average for county: 803 on roll, percentage 90.45

Senior High Grades

1. Chilton Co. High: L. C. Warr, prin., 103 on roll, percentage 93.96
2. Maplesville: Luther E. Little, prin., 31 on roll, percentage 93.69
3. Jemison High: J. A. Peterson, prin., 61 on roll, percentage 93.47
4. Isabella: J. D. Griffin, prin., 37 on roll, percentage 91.83
5. Verbena High: W. E. G. Sutton, prin., 38 on roll, percentage 87.36

Average for county, 270 on roll, percentage 92.06

Hill Grocery Company is giving the Attendance Prizes for March to Concord Elementary, Maplesville Junior High, and Chilton County High Senior High Grades.

Elementary Grades

1. Concord: O'Dell Perkins, prin., 30 on roll, 19 perfect in attendance, percentage of attendance 98.15
2. Mitchell Dam: Mrs. Irene Miller, prin., 16 on roll, 11 perfect in attendance, percentage 96.53
3. Maplesville: Luther E. Little, prin., 39 on roll, 19 perfect in attendance, percentage 96.12
4. New Cedron: Nina Mae Harris, prin. 28 on roll, 14 perfect in attendance, percentages 95.53
5. County Line: Ruth Mize, prin., 20 on roll, 14 perfect in attendance, percentage 93.00
6. Union Point: Jewel Minor, prin., 43 on roll, 15 perfect in attendance, percentage 91.97
7. Lay Dam: Lois Primm, prin., 28 on roll, 18 perfect in attendance, percentage 91.96
8. Mars Hill: J. S. McNeill, prin., 31 on roll, 9 perfect in attendance, percentage 91.12
9. Mullins: Ruth H. Jones, prin., 28 on roll, 5 perfect in attendance, percentage 90.57
10. Stanton: Luther E. Little, prin., 180 on roll, 177 perfect in attendance, percentage 90.55
11. Oak Grove: Lesta Cobb, prin., 33 on roll, 6 perfect in attendance, percentage 90.00
12. Popwell: Mrs. J. F. Apperson, prin., 31 on roll, 15 perfect in attendance, percentage 88.62
13. Union Grove: Harlem Daniel, prin., 88 on roll, 35 perfect in attendance, percentage 88.58
14. Coopers: J. L. Wilson, prin., 125 on roll, 63 perfect in attendance, percentage 87.81
15. Providence: Irvin P. Kennedy, prin., 42 on roll, 8 perfect in attendance, percentage 87.61
16. Pates Chapel: Mrs. J. S. McNeil, prin., 50 on roll, 15 perfect in attendance, percentage 87.60
17. Shoults: Willie Barnes, prin., 20 on roll, 6 perfect in attendance, percentage 87.08
18. Jacksons Chapel: J. C. White, prin., 70 on roll, 27 perfect in attendance, percentage 86.90
19. Adams: Mrs. Louise Chambers, prin., 13 on roll, 4 perfect in attendance, percentage 86.74
20. Clanton Grammar: I. J. Quinn, prin. 332 on roll, 103 perfect in attendance, percentage 86.07
21. Pilgrims Rest: Leila Belle Smith, prin., 16 on roll, 13 perfect in attendance, percentage 85.29
22. Verbena: W. O. Bradley, prin., 220 on roll, 102 perfect in attendance, percentage 84.92
23. Providence: Ivy Harrell, prin., 44 on roll, 5 perfect in attendance, percentage 84.43
24. Collins Chapel: Zac Y. Appleton, prin., 146 on roll, 42 perfect in attendance, percentage 83.99
25. Concord: J. M. Parrish, prin., 128 on roll, 143 perfect in attendance, percentage 83.95
26. Enterprise: H. A. Harris, prin., 220 on roll, 67 perfect in attendance, percentage 83.63
27. Morganville: Mrs. Marion McGalliard, prin., 21 on roll, 9 perfect in attendance, percentage 83.57
28. Mt. Pleasant: R. B. Johnson, prin., 129 on roll, 70 perfect in attendance, percentage 83.12
29. Mineral Springs: J.E. Harrell, prin., 66 on roll, 1 perfect in attendance, percentage 83.00
30. Flint Hill: Martha Jane Mims, prin., 26 on roll, percentage 82.60
31. Shiloh: H. L. Davis, prin., 42 on roll, 3 perfect in attendance, percentage 81.90
32. Jemison: J. A. Peterson, prin., 326 on roll, 126 perfect in attendance, percentage 81.79
33. New Harmony: Mrs. Pearl Williams, prin., 17 on roll, 6 perfect in attendance, percentage 79.00
34. Vermont: Green Thomas, prin., 113 on roll, 26 perfect in attendance, percentage 78.53
35. Minooka: Jessie Lee Price, prin., 31 on roll, 5 perfect in attendance, percentage 78.06
36. Thorsby: W. T. Bean, prin., 159 on roll, 45 perfect in attendance, percentage 77.45
37. Thomas Jr.: G. C. Weldon, prin., 154 on roll, 41 perfect in attendance, percentage 74.73
38. Can Creek: Simuel Mims, prin., 59 on roll, 6 perfect in attendance, percentage 73.15
39. Cross Roads: Mrs. Georgia Billingsley, prin., 29 on roll, percent 72.42
40. Chestnut Grove: Alice C. Nolan, prin., 38 on roll, 4 perfect in attendance, percentage 71.68
41. Free Springs: Fraulein Lowery, prin., 20 on roll, 1 perfect in attendance, percentage 69.51
42. Smith: Murphy Bratton, prin., 35 on roll, 3 perfect in attendance, percentage 69.14
43. Pinedale: J. W. Moore, prin., 75 on roll, 6 perfect in attendance, percentage 67.33
44. Baker Jr.: G. G. Williams, prin., 109 on roll, 151 perfect in attendance, percentage 66.00
45. Corinth: Mrs. J. S. Ogletree, prin., 20 on roll, percentage 65.75
46. Isabella: J. D. Griffin, prin., 138 on roll, 56 perfect in attendance, percentage 65.52
47. Freeman: Willie Littlejohn, prin., 77 on roll, 14 perfect in attendance, percentage 65.39
48. Fairview: Mrs. Zella Scott, prin., 24 on roll, 2 perfect in attendance, percentage 60.00
49. Culp: Fannie LeCroy, prin., 24 on roll, 4 perfect in attendance, percentage 52.70

Average for county: 3753 on roll. 1604 perfect in attendance, percentage 81.65

Hill Grocery Company is giving the Attendance prizes for March to Concord Elementary, Maplesville Junior High and Chilton County High Grades for best attendance.

W. M. S. Association Will Meet At Sardis

The quarterly meeting of the Chilton County W. M. S. Association will meet with the Sardis church today, beginning at ten o'clock a.m. Following is the program as given out by Mrs. W. H. Raybon, secretary-treasurer of the association:

10:00 a.m. Song, "Joy to the World."

Devotional: "That the World May Know Aright Is Life Eternal," Mrs. Donald Merchant.

10:20 Business. Written reports from each society.

Recommendations from executive committee, Mrs. Merchant.

10:45 Reports, from each associational officer.

Superintendent, Mrs. Donald Merchant.

Group Leaders: No. 1, Mrs. Atkinson; No. 2, Mrs. S. J. Davenport; No. 3, Mrs. Devaughn; No. 4, Mrs. H. L. Ratliff.

Mission Study Chairman, Mrs. J. W. Jones.

Stewardship Chairman, Miss Eula Foshee.

Personal Service Chairman, Mrs. Geo. Naish.

Scholarship Chairman, Mrs. Harper.

Young Peoples Leader, Mrs. Griffin.

Echoes from State Convention, by those who attended the association.

Address by State Corresponding Secretary, Miss Wilma Bucy.

Adjourn for lunch.

Afternoon Session

1:30 Song and Watchword of all the W. M. U. organizations.

Devotional by Avolene Webb.

1:45 Round Table discussion on Young Peoples Work, led by Mrs. Griffin.

2:10 Mentone W. M. U. and Sunday School assembly by State worker.

2:15 Special Feature: "How My Society reached the Standard or Failed in 1930," by Presidents of each society.

2:35 Business.

1. Mark up the associational standard.
2. Check up on goals set at January meeting
3. Report of Committees:
   (1) Subscriptions to periodicals;
   (2) Next place of meeting;
   (3) Attendance award, banner to society having largest attendance.

3:00 Adjournment.

SUNDAY SCHOOL MASS MEETING AT BAPTIST CHURCH APRIL 25

There will be a Sunday School Mass meeting held at the Clanton Baptist Church next Sunday afternoon, April 25th. This is for the Unity Chilton Associations, and reports from schools that have been taking the study courses will be given, and plans for more study courses are to be made.

All workers and teachers in the association are urged to be present at this meeting at two-thirty o'clock.

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DR. BARSON TO BE IN CLANTON NEXT MONDAY, APR. 27, ALL DAY

Dr. S. A. Barson, optemetrist of Montgomery, will be in Clanton on next Monday, April 27th, filling his regular appointment here for his patients in this section. He is always located at the Exchange Hotel in Clanton the last Monday in each month.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Huggins and children, Penelope and Charles, Jr., of Birmingham were the guests of Mr and Mrs. B. L. Jones last week end.

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W. F. Glenn of Route Two was a visitor to Clanton last Saturday and while in town was a pleasant caller at the News office.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore of Gadsden spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thompson and family.

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Miss Alma Estelle Korner of Gadsden was the week end guest of Misses Lillian and Edith Mae Thompson.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the good people for their faithful work last Friday while our father's house was burning. If it had not been for the brave men, our whole row of houses would have burned. Everything in the kitchen was burned, and there wasn't any insurance at all. May the Lord bless each and everyone. Tongue cannot tell how we appreciate what they did for us.

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STRAWBERRY CROP IS DAMAGED BY THE STRAWBERRY WEEVIL

County Agent Stapp advises us that he is receiving many reports of seriously damaged strawberry fields by a comparatively new pest to strawberry growers of this section.

Mr. Stapp gives the following news article for the berry growers' information:

The strawberry weevil is a snout weevil, about one-tenth inch long, which is closely related to and resembles, except in size, the cotton boll weevil. It spends the winter in the beetle stage in the strawberry beds and emerges early in the Spring. After feeding for several days, the females start depositing eggs in the unopened buds. The stems of the buds in which the eggs are laid are cut by the weevil and the bud dies. This is the reason for the damage done by this pest. Plowing under of old beds, rotation of plantings, and applications of dust, made by mixing arsenate of lead and dusting sulphur or calcium arsenate and hydrated lime, usually will keep this pest under control.

Food Plants

The natural foods for the strawberry weevil are wild strawberries, blackberries, raspberries, and red bud. It seems to feed largely on the cultivated strawberries at times when most of these other food plants are not available.

Feeding Habits

The adult weevil may feed on the leaves of the strawberry plants, however, it feeds largely on the pollen of the strawberry. The female feeds for several days on the pollen of the unopened buds before any eggs are deposited. For this reason, damage can by escaped to some extent by planting varieties that produce very little pollen. The Aroma is a variety that is practically immune to the damage by the strawberry weevil.

Life Cycle

This insect produces only one generation each year. The adult passes the winter in the strawberry beds or in grass or weeds nearby. Early in the Spring these beetles emerge looking for food. As previously stated, they feed largely on the pollen of the unopened buds. After feeding on the pollen several days the females start depositing eggs in mature buds, but buds that have not yet opened. After the egg is deposited, the adult then turns and cuts the stem just at the base of the bud. This, of course, causes the bud to dry up and die. Quite often infested buds will drop to the ground, but usually enough of the dead buds are left hanging on the plants to clearly indicate the presence of the insect. The very small, whitish eggs, hatch usually within seven or eight days. The tiny grub then starts feeding on the pollen contained in the buds and the worm reaches maturity within three or four weeks. It then transforms to the inactive stage, which we know as the pupa. It spends from a week to ten days in this stage and then emerges as a beetle, taking from four to six weeks to complete its development from egg to adult. After the young beetles emerge, they start feeding on the foliage of the plants and do so until early Fall when the again seek protected places in which to spend the Winter.

This pest, like most other insects, does serious damage one year and then practically disappears for maybe two or three years when it again appears in such numbers as to cause serious damage. This most likely is due to the fact that it has insect enemies. There is a tiny wasp that is known to lay its eggs in the young grubs while they are in the buds developing. In the years that parasites or other natural conditions do not control this pest, artificial methods of control have to be resorted to.

Artificial Control

One of the first steps in keeping down numbers of this pest is the destruction of all old beds by plowing them under. It has been found that when this insect is covered with only an inch or two of soil that it is unable to free itself and, therefore, is killed. Quite often in beds that are to be used another year, a thorough plowing of the rows following the gathering of the crop will result in the destruction of many of these pests. Some few recommend the use of a mower to cut the leaves from the plants just after the crop has been gathered and as soon as the leaves have become thoroughly dry, the whole patch is burned over, thus destroying the foliage. If done with care, this burning process should not injure the crown of the plants. This method of control, however, is recommended only to those that will take unusual care in the operation.

The Use of Insecticides To Control The Weevil

Experimental work has shown that this insect cannot be readily poisoned. However, it has been discovered that dusting the plants with a mixture made of one pound of arsenate of lead and five pounds of dusting sulphur, or a mixture of one pound of calcium arsenate and four pounds of hydrated lime, is very effective in repelling the pest. The plants should be dusted at the rate of 12 to 15 pounds per acre with either of the above mixtures. The first application of dust should be applied as soon as fairly mature buds are noticed generally over the field. A week later the second application should be made. The most effective way of applying this dust is by the use of a dust machine. If a dust machine is not available for use; a hand sifter, made by covering an ordinary mule muzzle with 16 mesh screen wire, with a handle made of heavy wire, will prove fairly satisfactory. A fairly even distribution of dust over the plants can be made with this apparatus by walking along the row and rotating the apparatus back and forth by a twist of the hand.

W. A. RUFFIN,

Extension Entomologist.

Pilgrims Rest News

We are thankful to say that health of this community is very good at present, and after such a good rain everyone may continue planting their crops.

Sunday was our regular preaching day at Pilgrims Rest, and we had a fine sermon delivered by the pastor, Rev. Norris. We also had a good Sunday School, with several visitors.

Mrs. Alice Herrod from Haynes is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Stroud from Enterprise spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ousley.

Several from around here attended the play, "Eyes of Love," at Billingsley Saturday night.

Mr. Andrew McCollough spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ousley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Apperson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Browning.

Friday was the last day of school at Pilgrim, so Mr. E. M. Ousley carried a truck load of school pupils and patrons to Montgomery. All enjoyed the day fine, going through the Capitol and White House, also watching the airplanes. Mr. Ousley took an eight-minute ride in one which he enjoyed fine. We also visited the deer park at Prattville. The school was taught by Miss Leila Belle Smith, a fine young lady, whom we all regretted to see leave very much. Everyone seemed to love her, and we feel sure of the fact that she gained many friends while in our midst. She was a fine teacher, dearly loved by all her pupils, and not only this community, but surrounding communities. We al lare hoping she will be with us again next winter as our teacher, also looking for her to visit us this summer. We feel that she did her part in trying to teach her pupils.

Mr. E. M. Ousley, Mr. Eugene Walker and Mr. Henry Ousley made a business trip to Clanton Monday.

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The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against one Chevrolet Coach, 1929 Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 28th day of March, 1931, One Emmett McKee did transport in one Chevrolet Coach 1929 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama to another, and that said automobile was on said day seized by the Sheriff of said County, and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Ala., and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 7th, day of May, 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 6th day of April, 1931.

GEO. F. SMOOT,

Judge of the 19th Judicial Circuit.

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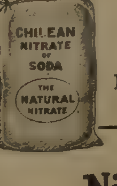

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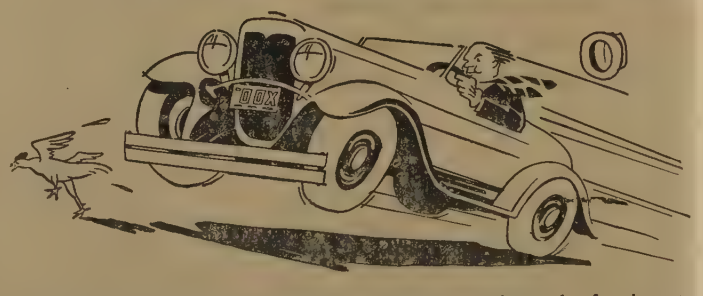

He's setting a fast pace and laboring under the delusion that he's burning up the road. In reality, he's burning up his old tires which were never meant to stand such speed. Pretty soon one of them will become overheated and collapse. And when the driver wakes up (if he ever does), he'll be a whole lot wiser—wise enough, in fact, to join the Big Swing to U. S. Tires and maximum tire safety!

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W. N. U. Service

"2. You will proceed with your staff to Europe. Upon arrival in Great Britain, France or any other of the countries at war with the imperial German government, you will at once place yourself in communication with the American embassy and through its agency with the authorities of any country to which the forces of the United States may be sent.

"3. You are invested with the authority and duties devolved by the law, regulations, orders and customs of the United States upon the commander of an army in the field in time of war and with the authority and duties in like manner devolved upon department commanders in peace and war, including the special authorities and duties assigned to the commander of the Philippine department, in so far as the same are applicable to the particular circumstances of your command.

Charles G. Dawes in War Time.

U. S. Forces "Separate."

"4. You will establish, after consultation with the French war office, all necessary bases, lines of communication, depots, etc., and make all the incidental arrangements essential to active participation at the front.

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"6. You will keep the department fully advised of all that concerns your command and will communicate your recommendations freely and directly to the department. And in general you are vested with all necessary authority to carry on the war vigorously in harmony with the spirit of these instructions and toward a victorious conclusion.

(Signed)

NEWTON D. BAKER."

Party Sails in Secrecy.

On the date of my sailing, May 28, 1917, my party assembled at Governor's Island, New York. All had been instructed to proceed with the utmost secrecy, even wearing civilian clothes until they were aboard the steamship Baltic.

Although we ourselves stole silently out through the fog and down the bay, the large number of quartermasters and other officers stationed near New York dashing around in uniform rather ostentatiously that day really amounted to an announcement something out of the ordinary was happening.

But it must be said to the credit of the press representatives that they were most discreet, as the papers generally published nothing about us until we were in Europe.

During the voyage most of my time was spent in conference with the heads of staff departments regarding their duties and plans. The study of French was taken up by many officers, and classes were in session at all hours.

In the Danger Zone.

June 6 the Baltic began to zigzag and we realized we were in the danger zone. Next morning an escort of two American destroyers gave us something of a thrill and feeling of restored confidence. No submarines were observed, however, and the weather was perfect throughout the voyage.

We steamed into Liverpool June 8. A cordial reception awaited us, with a guard of honor from the Royal Welsh fusiliers. This selection had a sentimental significance in that the regiment not only fought against us at Bunker Hill but fought beside us during the Boxer rebellion in China. As we stepped off the gangplank the band played "The Star-Spangled Banner" to welcome us, this being the first time in history that an American army ever was received officially in England.

A royal coach attached to a special train took our party to London. At Euston station we were welcomed by Lord Derby, secretary of state for war; Field Marshal Sir John French, Gen. Lord Brooke, Walter Hines Page, the American ambassador, Admiral Williams S. Sims, and many other British and American officials.

King George Not Optimistic.

I was received by King George at Buckingham palace June 9. His majesty was in the uniform of a field marshal and he talked with me in democratic fashion for a few minutes before the other senior members of my staff were presented. The king expressed his pleasure that America had come into the war, and dwelt upon the fact that Anglo-Saxon people were united at last in a common cause.

"The Anglo-Saxon race must save civilization," he added.

Certainly his majesty did not appear optimistic over the outlook, and asked me numerous questions about America's preparation for war.

Leaving the palace, we went to our embassy and during an informal talk Mr. Page remarked how happy he was that America was at last in the war, and added:

"Now I am able to hold up my head and look people squarely in the eye."

Through his service as ambassador he was beloved and honored by the British people, who admired his virile personality, but many Americans did not approve of his rather apologetic attitude toward his own country prior to our entry into the war in aid of the allies.

Admiral Sims Not Satisfied.

I had a talk with Admiral Sims, who was not in personal command of our fleet serving with the British navy, but remained in London with an office at our embassy and directed the movements of our naval vessels, especially destroyers, from there.

He was not satisfied with the support given him from home, and complained that the Navy department had not sent all the destroyers asked for. He said the department seemed to fear attacks along our coast and did not realize the danger to the cause in the enormous destruction of merchant shipping going on in European waters.

The admiral's report of these losses was nothing short of startling, but he thought they might be checked if he could have a sufficient number of destroyers. Without more of this class of vessels, Sims was not sanguine over the prospects of protecting our transports. However, he made it clear that every possible effort would be made to that end.

CHAPTER V

I was a guest at luncheon at Buckingham palace June 11, 1917, with the American ambassador, Walter Hines Page, and Mrs. Page. The king, the queen and Princess Mary were present. There was an air of charm and simplicity at the palace that permitted a freedom and intimacy in the conversation. The plain fare was quite in keeping with the food situation throughout England.

After luncheon the king, the ambassador and I stood near a window overlooking the garden, which, as his majesty explained, instead of growing flowers, was producing potatoes. The king told of the kaiser's visit to London a few years before and how he had brought his chief of secret service along and put him up at one of the hotels to learn all he could while the kaiser himself was a guest at Buckingham palace.

His majesty spoke bitterly of the inhumanity of the Germans, dwelling especially on the night bombing of London. Pointing to the beautiful statue of Queen Victoria just outside the window, the king suddenly exclaimed:

"The kaiser, God damn him, has even tried to destroy the statue of his own grandmother."

For a moment I was surprised at his words, but I quickly realized that it was a solemn expression of profound indignation, and not profanity.

Calls on Chief of Staff.

After leaving the palace I called on Gen. Sir William Robertson, chief of the imperial general staff. He was a rugged, heavy-set, blunt soldier, of Scotch descent, whose record in the army had been exceptional in that he had risen from the grade of private to his then high position.

As he sipped his tea I explained our plan for the organization of our armies by using the small regular force and the National Guard as a nucleus. As the British themselves had gone through the same experience two years before, I stressed the fact that it would take considerable time. Like all the British officials, he was much in favor of having our forces serve with or near their own. He pointed out that we were both Anglo-Saxons, spoke the same language, and gave other reasons to support his views.

It seemed necessary to explain in detail that as the American navy was working with the British navy we should probably plan to place our army beside the French if there was to be any preference. It appeared logical that we should do this, as we were to operate on French soil and use French ports, railways and material. The main thing, I went on to say, was to form our own army as soon as possible for use wherever it seemed best.

No British Aid in Shipping.

I emphasized our lack of tonnage and told him that we must have additional shipping if we were to bring over an army worth while, but his reaction to this was not encouraging. He said he thought that it was entirely out of the question for them to provide us with any British shipping, as they were already in sore straits to find vessels for their own national necessities.

I called on Mr. David Lloyd George, the prime minister. He went right to the point and asked when troops would be organized and trained and the numbers we expected to send over. He was cordial enough and expressed a desire to assist us in every possible manner, but when I stressed our need of assistance to bring over our troops he did not seem to be particularly interested and gave little hope that the British would be able to furnish us any shipping whatever.

Under the circumstances the apparent unconcern of the British as to our need of shipping is not difficult to understand. They were seriously alarmed regarding their own food situation. It seemed to me, however, that they had allowed their pessimism to carry them too far in the direction of hopelessness. At the moment, they could see no relief for the future and no prospect of aiding us in tonnage.

Great Ovation in France.

After leave-taking calls and numerous informal visits, conferring with various leaders and making one trip to a training camp, our party left June 13 for Folkestone and France. At Boulogne we again received an impressive welcome, and a few hours later we were in Paris.

The officials who met us at the station included M. Paul Painleve, minister of war; Marshal Joseph Joffre, Rene Vivian, Major General Foch, then chief of staff, and United States Ambassador William G. Sharp. There were many others. The station was packed and the atmosphere seemed electrical with pent-up enthusiasm.

Outside dense masses lined the boulevards and filled the squares along the route to our hotel, the Crillon. Cheers and tears mingled as men and women shouted acclaim. Women climbed into our carriages screaming "Vive l'Amerique" and threw flowers until we were buried.

It was said that never before in the history of Paris had there been such an outpouring of people. I was to see its parallel when the armistice was signed and on two other occasions, once when President Wilson arrived and later when the victory parade took place, July 14, 1919.

At Napoleon's Tomb.

Although I was very anxious to get to work, it was necessary for me to make certain official calls and attend a few entertainments that had been planned for us. The French suggested that we should first go to visit Napoleon's tomb in Les Invalides.

We were taken down to the crypt, where I was handed the great key and was asked to unlock the heavy wrought iron entrance door. We were shown uniforms and the baton that belonged to Napoleon and then his sword. Our veteran escort reverently removed the sword from the case and offered it to me, as if to transmit some of the genius of the great captain.

So much of French sentiment and tradition are associated with this tomb and its treasures that every one who visits there with Frenchmen must share their feeling of profound emotion. This incident, more than any other connected with my reception, impressed me with the martial spirit of the French people.

Finds Poincare Reserved.

I called next to pay my respects to President Poincare and to present greetings from President Wilson.

"The French people are very happy," he said, "that America is in the war. Your coming is a great satisfaction to us."

He inquired generally about our plans, seeking, as they all did, some assurance that we should soon be in the trenches. His attitude was rather formal and reserved, but he at once impressed me as a man of ability and force.

Petain "Most Agreeable."

A visit to French general headquarters at Compiegne was made, primarily to meet General Petain and the officers of his staff. Petain is above medium height and weight. He wore a full mustache, slightly gray, and was then about sixty. He has a kindly expresion and is most agreeable, but not especially talkative.

His keen sense of humor became apparent from the jokes he told at the expense of some of his staff. Our conversation after luncheon was almost entirely on military affairs, including America's probable part in the war, which, as matters stood, gave little promise of becoming effective until the following spring.

My impression of Petain was favorable and it remained unchanged throughout the war. Our friendship, which I highly treasure, had its beginning at this meeting.

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The Election of Troop 51

Last Friday night, April 18th, 1931, Troop 51 met at their regular meeting house and had their meeting. It lasted one hour and a half and every minute was taken up in business of work. We started by saying the Scout Oath, and we went on with our business. We have started two log cabins for each patrol to use as they like.

Then after the meeting we started electing "Who's Who," in our Troop. We had several officers to be elected.

Searcy Martin was elected most efficient Scout; Owen Deal the most handsome and friendliest; Horace Vinson, most trustworthy; Hayes Marcus, biggest booster; Thomas Marcus, best all round, and the most loyal; J. C Connell, the bravest; Bobbie Powers, best sportsman; Julius Martin, neatest Scout, and every Scout was well satisfied. Eugene Wilkinson was most pleasant and the wittiest Scout, and Irby Wood the most courteous. We closed by the Scout Law.

—Scribe of Flying Eagle.

WOMAN'S COLLEGE PREPARING FOR MAY DAY PROGRAM

Montgomery, Ala., April 22—Clanton students at Womans College of Alabama will take part in the annual May Day festival here on May 2. Not only will Chilton County college students participate in the event, but invitations have been sent to every high school student in this county and it is expected that a delegation from Chilton County will attend.

Program

In addition to the spectacular May Day festival, in which four hundred students will take part, the program includes a plan of play especially for visiting high school students, and also the impressive ceremony of the inauguration of the new student president, Montine Lisenby, of Dothan.

Beginning at 9 a.m. all visiting high school students with the directors will stage a striking and original parade over the college campus. After the parade, the sports will begin and play for the joy of playing will be the order of the day. The program of sports includes archery, tennis, volley ball, basket ball, horse-shoe pitching, swimming and informal games.

Inaugural Ceremony

At 3:30 the ritualistic ceremony of the inauguration of the new student president will take place. President Walter D. Agnew will administer the oath of office to Miss Lisenby, new head of the student government association. The various classes will pledge their loyalty through songs and gifts of flowers.

Following the inauguration, the gorgeous May Day festival will take place with the crowning of the May Queen as the central event. The theme of the festival is derived from the mediaeval period, it will portray the glamour and decorative richness of that time. The prince and princess, the maids, the courtiers, jesters, the jugglers, and all that goes to make up the mediaeval court will be made to live again in the pageant that will be presented on May Day.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method of extending our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the many deeds and words of kindness extended to us in our bereavement in the recent death of our beloved wife and mother. We especially wish to express our thanks to Dr. Napoleon Johnson, Miss Luela McDowell, and Mr. Mell Martin for their services. May God's richest blessings be your for these kind acts.

—C. L. Baker and Family.

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Preaching next Sunday at 11 a.m. and at 7:30 p.m. by the pastor. If you belong with us, we want you present every Sunday. When you allow other things to keep you away from church on Sunday, you are making God occupy second place. God is going to be first with you, or not at all. God is calling for you to enter His house on the holy Sabbath.

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Goodson Is Sentenced To Life Imprisonment

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on their way to the home of R. A. Arledge, where Pauline boarded. She went on to tell how Goodson came to the house and conversed with Ruby, and how she went for help when Goodson became somewhat unruly, and how she heard the first shot fired, and went to her sister's side, to take her in her arms where she died in a pool of blood, shot three times through the back, and struck over the head by a pistol as was testified to by Hub Griffin and R. A. Arledge, who were about to come into the room where the commotion was going on.

Hub Griffin was the third witness to take the stand, and he told how he had started into the room when he saw Goodson striking Ruby over the head with the butt of a pistol, after he had shot her. R. A. Arledge at whose home the shooting occurred, took the stand following Griffin and he also testified as to how he saw the boy striking the girl over the head, and how Goodson fled when he saw Arledge looking in the door of the room.

Goodson In Tears During Trial

All during the trial, Goodson sat at the table near the stand with his head bowed on his arms on the table, only raising it now and then to wipe tears from his pallid and slender face, and during recesses he would only raise it to speak to a relative for just a moment and then tears would flow and he would bow his head again. He was not placed on the stand during the trial.

Then followed the examining of witnesses who were summoned by the State. Robert Alred, employee of a drug store here, took the stand and testified that Goodson was in search of a pistol on April 4 or some cartridges for a pistol. Ernest Moore, operator of a cafe here, also stated that Goodson came to his place and inquired where he could secure some cartridges for a pistol. J. Mell Martin, undertaker and coroner, took the stand and gave information concerning the shots fired into the body of the girl, etc.

In the afternoon session of the trial, the witnesses caleld were in majority of cases for the defense. J. M. Willett of Autaugaville, the original home of Goodson testified that he had noticed Goodson doing things in a peculiar manner, and that he had known him for sometime, and that the boy's father also appeared slightly mentally unbalanced at times.

Mother Of Goodson Takes Stand

Mrs. Zeke Goodson of Autaugaville, mother of Collier Goodson, took the stand and was questioned. She told that her son had at times acted abnormally, and had pulled her hair at times and had been ugly. She also testified that her husband was now confined at home due to his peculiar actions, and that at times he appeared slightly insane, waving his hands and talking nonsense, and that he would at times become violent. She stated that her son read the Bible quite a lot, and that at times they were unable to get him to eat or sleep.

As soon as the State took Mrs. Goodson for questioning she soon collapsed on the stand, and was carried from the courtroom. Horace Lowe of Autaugaville took the stand and gave testimony that attempted to show that Goodson was mentally unbalanced. The Prosecutor asked him if he, Lowe, had been sent to the penitentiary, and the reply was that he had, for two years for forgery. He was dismissed.

Other witnesses taking the stand included H. M. Whetstone, W.R. Wheeler, G. W. Goodson, Alvin Jones, Will Faulkner, Horace Carter, all of Autaugaville, and Dr. R. J. Gholson of Prattville, and Walter Broadhead, Gaines Silas, Lloyd Martin,, Ben Tucker, G. L. Griffin, C. L. Wilkins, and Clyde Wilkins, all of the Enterprise Community in this county and the home of the slain girl, and where Goodson had been employed on a farm for sometime.

Mrs. Goodson was again called to the stand, in a very nervous state. She told that her son had written her a letter back to Autaugaville, after he had come to this county to work, telling her that he was sorry he had been a bad boy at home and that he wanted her to forgive him, as he was going to lead a better life thereafter.

Spectators Moved By Attorneys

When Hon. G. C. Walker, County Solicitor, took his place before the jury after all witnesses had been dismissed, his plea to the twelve men brought sobs to the mouths of many in the courtroom, while he pictured the murder as brutal and the dead girl as innocent, telling the jurymen to take it to their home, imagining the girl were their own daughter, as he asked for the death penalty.

He was followed by the counsel of the defendant, who in a most elaborate manner spoke to the jurymen, telling them of the vast possibility of insanity in the young man who was charged with the murder of the girl.

Alexander was followed by Huddleston, who brought more sobs to the mouths of the people and more tears to the eyes of many women and men as he pictured the murder of the girl.

Judge Smoot then gave the jurymen the rules and instructions pertaining to such cases as laid down by the law, and the court adjourned, the jurymen going to supper, to return to the jury room where they were to decide on their verdict.

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Essie White's Birthday Party.

The rain on Tuesday afternoon did not spoil the fun of about twenty-five little folks who helped Essie White celebrate her sixth birthday. Essie was six on Wednesday, April 22. Various games were played during the afternoon. Spring flowers were used to decorate the rooms while a color scheme of pink and green was carried out in the dining room. The table was centered with a large white birthday cake holding six tiny pink candles. The ring was drawn by Richard Hugh Lawrence. Lillian Smith drew the dime and Wilbur Prince drew the thimble. Delightful sandwiches, cake and punch were served. Essie received many lovely gifts from the following: Betty Jean Armstrong, Jerry Alred, Joan Atkinson, Junior Thompson, Paul Gowan, Richard Hugh Lawrence, Julia Nell Parrish, Lillian Smith, Inez Wyatt, Flem Higgins, Jr., Frances Smith, Annie Cordelia Smith, Joe Frank Higgins, Louis Benton Eubanks, Charles Mims, Jack Lowery, Gene Mullins, James Walker, Wilbur Prince, Aileen Popwell, Lois Rockett, Saradean Smith, Blanche Taylor and Thelma White. Mrs. White was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Milton Smith, Mrs. Joe Higgins, and Mrs. Reedie Taylor.

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A new harvesting machine reaps corn, shells and bins it and cuts the stalks so that they can be plowed under readily.

Mrs. Grover Harris Died In Montgomery Hospital

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time president of the Woman's Missionary Union, and was active in all work of the Missionary organizations.

Impressive funeral services were conducted at the Clanton Baptist church Sunday afternoon at four o'clock by Dr. S. J. Ezell, pastor of the church, who related before countless friends of the deceased, her Christian life. Interment followed in the Clanton cemetery, with Martin & Sons in charge. The floral offerings from various organizations and numerous individuals attested in a strong manner, the high esteem in which this woman was held and the love and respect always shown her.

She is survived by her mother, her husband, one daughter, one son, two brothers, three sisters, and hundreds of friends.

In the death of Mrs. Grover Harris, hundreds of people of this section will feel that they have suffered a keen personal loss. Mrs. Harris was widely known throughout this county. She has devoted her life to those things which are recorded in her favor, those things that bring close to her all who came in contact with her, whether through business or through social channels.

To those people who give deaths but little of their thought, the death of this highly esteemed lady has caused them to bow their heads and offer a prayer. They review in their minds the countless deeds of kindness, the hours and efforts spent by her in Christian work, and at the same time Mr. Harris will enter their thoughts, that will be made up of a life devoted to religious activities, a life of service to fellowmen at all times.

The sympathy of every person who has ever known our esteemed citizen, Grover C. Harris, Sr., will go out to him and his children in a voluntary and unselfish manner in this, his hour of grief, which is also an hour of grief to hundreds of others who knew Mrs. Harris.

In reviewing the life of Mrs. Harris, we find that we also review the life of Mr. Harris, who has served as rural mail carrier here for a number of years, and we reach the point, with a heavy feeling, a remorseful feeling in our heart, causing us to stop and ponder, wondering why God in His infinite wisdom saw fit to take for himself this Christian woman at this time.

From the day Mrs. Harris became confined to her bed, in places where the news spread, there was a feeling of utmost regret. Friends everywhere inquired each day, almost each hour concerning the condition of their beloved friend, whose death was a shock to the entire county. After her removal to the Memorial Hospital in Montgomery, the interest in her condition became more tense. Prayers were offered for her speedy recovery every day during the period in which fear was felt for her. It will be many, many years before the absence of Mrs. Harris among her friends, among those outside of her immediate family, will go unnoticed.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Leonard Harris of Birmingham were in Clanton Sunday for the funeral of Mrs. G. C. Harris.

The Home Makers Sunday school class and others of the Baptist church spent a pleasant day at the church last Friday sewing for the Community Chest. At noon a delicious luncheon was served by the class.

Pheasants Being Turned Loose By Dr. Gragg

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Mulberry at the place of Cleve Mims, and another group near Clanton at the farm of Dr. P. T. Hinkle. The hope of the promoter of these birds is that they may eventually grow and increase in numbers to such an extent that they may be classed as plentiful wild game birds in this part of the country. The experiment is certainly worthy of the interest and co-operation of every citizen and sportsman in our county.

Many years ago a certain Judge Denny introduced the pheasant to the State of Oregon, much in the same manner as has been pursued by Dr. Gragg here. Today it is said that there are more pheasants in Oregon than in the whole Chinese empire, which is their native home. There is every reason to believe that the pheasant will live and prosper in Alabama. If it can it will be a game bird that will challenge the sportsman's very best sense of strategy.

Absolute protection for the birds that have been liberated is necessary, however, and Dr. Gragg appeals to everybody to help out in providing this protection. It is said that effort has already been made by some in the neighborhood to kill the birds. This is regrettable, and every sportsman hopes that such attitude will be abandoned.

Doubtless in a few years if these birds are left alone they will be more plentiful in Chilton County than quail. Under favorable conditions the hen will raise two broods a season. They are large producers of eggs. Therefore, they increase rapidly if properly protected.

Investigation has proven that the pheasant is a valuable friend of the farmer, because it is a vicious destroyer of insects, snails, spiders, earthworms, acorns, berries, weed and grass seeds. From the standpoint of the agriculturist and forester, the pheasant is far more beneficial than injurious.

Judge Denny is memorialized in Oregon for the introduction of this finest of all game birds into the State. We hope that Dr. Gragg may some day be so acclaimed by the sportsmen of Alabama. Many have expressed an interest in his venture. Let us spread the news to every person in the county and get universal protection for the pheasants.

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FATE MADDOX NOW OPERATING GARAGE ON HIGHWAY

Fate Maddox, who is widely known in Clanton and Chilton County as an expert automobile repair man, is now open for business in the Maddox Warehouse building, on the highway opposite the Texaco filling station. In this issue of the News, Mr. Maddox has an adv. calling attention to this and extending to his friends a cordial invitation to visit or call him when in need of his services.

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"A KENTUCKY BELLE" IS TO BE GIVEN AT PLEASANT GROVE

"A Kentucky Belle" is the title of the play to be presented at the Pleasant Grove church on Saturday night, April 25th. This play is being put on by the New Harmony Merrymakers. Proceeds from this presentation are to be used on the church debt. The Pleasant Grove church is located seven miles west of Clanton and everyone is invited to come. Admission will be ten and fifteen cents.

SENIOR CLASS TO PRESENT PLAY IN VERY NEAR FUTURE

The Senior Class of the Marbury-Mountain Creek High School will present on Friday night, May 1st, their play, which is a most enjoyable comedy-drama, and is titled "The Winning of Jay." Admission wil lbe 15 and 25 cents.

The cast of characters includes Miss Mamye Culpepper, Miss Harriet Webb, Miss Nina Hollon, Miss Gladys Johnson, Miss Mary L. Northington, Lester Gilbert, Walter Grover, Leonard Cook, Rudolph Culver, Jack Price and Carl Cannon.

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Mr. O'Dell Headley spent the week end in Birmingham.

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Mr. Russell Parrish of Uriah was here Sunday to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. G. C. Harris.

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CHILTON HIGH PLAYS MARION HERE FRIDAY

Local Team Defeated Plantersville There; Plays Two Games With Marion

Again the baseball tossers and hitters of the Chilton County High school thowed their "It" when they sauntered over to Plantersville and came back last Friday afternoon with another victory. The local team defeated Plantersville by a score of 10 to 2.

Two substitutons were made for Clanton during the game. Arnold for Harris and Taylor for Tiffin. Nothing bad wrong with those taken out, just a matter of giving all the boys a little fun in the game. Fred Busby became tensely interested in the game and away went a home run for Clanton from his bat. Littlejohn took it upon himself to frail the ball a hard one just for fun, so it seemed, and off went another home run for the local boys. Simms went up to bat four times and tried to embarrass Plantersville's pitcher by getting three hits, but the Plantersville boys stood up exceedingly well, showing some real sportsmanship, although they met with defeat. But apparently the Plantersville players are of that type, scarcely found, that when defeated they go about to become stronger for the next attack. Morrow, playing 1st base, showed some good playing as did C. Willis.

Paul Cox, throwing the ball for the Plantersville boys to sling the bat at, showed what a Clanton arm can do when the opportunity presents itself.

Clanton Defeats Selma Here

The baseball team of the Selma High school motored over here last Tuesday afternoon to play against the local high school lads, and returned defeated by a score of 10 to 4. Paul Cox did some nice throwing as Selma only managed to get three hits during the game, while the Clanton boys took off 14 hits from Powell of Selma. Tom Tiffin caught those swift and sluggish balls of Cox, for Clanton. Ted Littlejohn just wouldn't the game go without a home run, so away he went with the only one made for Clanton.

The local high school team will meet the widely known team from the Marion Military Institute, of Mairon here tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock, and again on next Saturday afternoon at three o'clock. These two games promise to be real interesting. People here know the kind of football teams the Marion school turns out, and their baseball teams are just as dangerous. However, it is hoped that the Clanton boys will not allow that thought to interefere with their past good showing, and that they will show up just as well under the attack from Marion.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Baker, of Birmingham were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones here.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION AT MAPLESVILLE

District Convention Begins at Baptist Church 2 P. M. Sunday, May 3rd

The District Sunday School Convention scheduled for Sunday, May 3rd, will be held at the Maplesville Baptist church, Maplesville, Ala., according to W. J. Patrick, associate superintendent of the association.

The meeting will open at two o'clock in the afternoon with the devotional by Rev. Paul Oden. An invitation is extended to everyone to attend. Following is the program for the afternoon:

2 P. M. Devotional by Rev. Paul Oden.

2:15 Reports of allSunday schools in district.

2:40 Special song.

2:45 The Importance of a Well Balanced Sunday School Program, by Dr. S. J. Ezell.

3:10 The Value of a Pastor Leading His Sunday School, by Prof. R. E. Upton.

3:25 How to Have Bible Used in Sunday School to obtain Point on Standard of Excellence, by Rev. A. S. Bentley.

3:45 Conference.

3:55 Adjourn.

CLANT. LAUNDRY USING NEW 'LESS SERIOUS' ADVERTISING

Beginning in last week's issue of the News, the Clanton Laundry & Cleaning Company, launderers and dry cleaners, opened a series of what is known as "less serious" advertising. These ads will appear each week in the News for several weeks.

The "Less Serious" advertising idea is more or less new in its use at present, but advertising companies are gradually turning to the idea and the News is now able to furnish such series in a most up-to-date lineup. The Clanton Laundry & Cleaning Company received exclusive rights to the first release of such advertising from the News. These ads have a punch to them, being properly illustrated and worded.

BERRIES BEING SHIPPED WITH GOOD OUTLOOK

Scenes about Shipping Points Show Optimistic Spirit of Growers And Shippers

Strawberries are being brought to the shipping points of Chilton and Thorsby every day now, and the outlook for a fine crop is still getting better, according to those who are in a position to know at this time.

So far this week, two cars have been shipped from Thorsby and one from Clanton. It was stated that by the end of the week, Thorsby will have shipped approximately ten or twelve cars and Clanton almost that number.

The berries are not being loaded at Jemison as was done last year, but are being loaded on cars at Thorsby.

Scenes around the shipping points of the berries, where the growers are bringing in their berries for inspection and loading, show that a very optimistic spirit is prevailing among those who are raising the berries. The berries themselves are full and are some of the finest looking seen in this county for sometime. Tourists along the Birmingham-Montgomery highway are being met on every turn through the county with stands, where charming young ladies and others are offering strawberries for sale in quart baskets. This outlet, or sale, for berries alone is netting many farmers a neat little sum.

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Cooke Players Will Be In County Soon

An announcement was received from the Cooke Players that they will appear in Maplesville and in Thorsby in the very near future. They are scheduled to be in Maplesville for one week, beginning Monday, May 4th. The announcement came from H. M. Cooke, who is well known over the county, and whose entertainers are well liked.

Thorsby will be their stop after playing for one week in Maplesville. They will appear in Thorsby for one week, beginning Monday, May 11th, according to their ad which appears elsewhere in this issue.

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FARMERS HARDWARE CO. OFFERS REFRIGERATOR BARGAINS

On another page in this week's issue there appears an ad from the Farmers Hardware Company of this place stating they are offering some outstanding savings on refrigerators. On looking over the line of refrigerators carried by this well known concern, a representative of the News found they had almost every size. Lester Jones of the hardware store stated that they have refrigerators in many sizes, colors, and that the price was right. Read their ad, as other items are also listed in it.

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ERNEST DANIELS OF JEMISON DIED FROM AUTO ACCIDENT

Ernest Daniels, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Daniels, of Jemison, Alabama, died at the Central Alabama Hospital last Thursday from injuries received when the automobile in which he was riding with others, overturned at Thorsby late Wednesday night of last week.

Funeral services were held on the following day at Pine Hill, with the Rev. J. J. Honeycutt of Jemison officiating.

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Mrs. J. F. Apperson of Billingsley was in town shopping Saturday.

PICNIC COMING FOR FORMER COOSA PEOPLE

All-Day Get-Together Planned for People from Coosa Now Living In Chilton

An announcement was made this week that will without a doubt go to the heart of many persons in Chilton and Coosa counties. This announcement stated that a big all-day picnic is being planned for the third Sunday in May, which is May 17th.

It will be an all-day affair, and will be held at the new ferry, just below Mitchell Dam, on Coosa River, where the ferry connects Coosa with Chilton on the new Rockford road. This will be something of a reunion of the people who came from Coosa County and are now residing in Chilton County, and a large number are expected to be there from the Coosa side. All are asked to bring lunch, and the older people are especially invited to take part in this event. Any further announcements will be made later, but don't forget the date, Sunday, May 17th, when the people will meet their old friends and have a grand and glorious time together.

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Local Senior Class Presents Play May 7

Coming as something of the climax to entertainments in Clanton by schools the Senior Class play of the Chilton County High School will be presented on next Thursday night, May 7th.

It was at first stated that the play would be given Friday night, May 1st, but this was later changed to the former date.

The play is entitled "Crooks for a Month" and promises to be one of the best ever staged by a Senior Class in Clanton. The cast of characters and a synopsis of the play will be published next week.

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GRADUATE LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL AND AUBURN BECOMES INSANE

A story reaching the News this week shows that one of this county's most promising young men will no doubt soon become an inmate of the insane asylum. Jack Dickinson, whose home is in the lower part of the county is confined in the Montgomery jail, awaiting papers for his removal to Bryce's Hospital in Tuscaloosa, it was stated.

Dickinson is a graduate of the local high school of several years ago and is approximately 30 years old, coming from a fine family of this county. He attended the Alabama Polytechnic Institute at Auburn where he graduated with honors, specializing in electrical engineering, and later being employed by a large electrical concern at a handsome salary, doing some research work at the age of twenty-one. During his intense interest in his work, is said to be the cause of his becoming mentally unbalanced, he lost the use of one of his eyes. He refused to give up his work at that time, continuing to give the study of electricity his undivided attention.

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MR. AND MRS. DELBERT NORRIS PARENTS OF FINE BABY BOY

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Norris have announced the arrival of a fine ten-pound boy, born Wednesday, April 29. Both the mother and son are doing nicely.

MAY QUEEN TO BE CROWNED HERE FRIDAY

Contest of Grammar School Grows in Interest As Closing Day Draws Near

Interest throughout the city is becoming more and more intense in the May Queen Contest being sponsored by the Clanton Grammar School, as the closing time for casting votes draws near. The final posting of the votes will be made this afternoon at six o'clock, however, votes may be placed up until ten o'clock tomorrow morning, at which time the contest closes.

Some charming little Miss of the grammar school will be crowned Queen of the May as the result of this contest. No announcement will be made of the winner until Friday afternoon, May 1, at two o'clock at the courthouse, when Mayor J. Lee Smith will place the gaily decorated crown on the little girl's head.

The May Day parade of the grammar school preceding the crowning of the Queen will originate at the school building. The float which will be attractively decorated, carrying all the contestants will be preceded by a her-

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Time Near For Bids On Co. School Bus Routes

Information from the office of the County Superintendent of Education this week stated that bids will be asked for truck drivers on the various truck routes for school buses in this county for the next term of school.

The Board of Education is scheduled to meet on Tuesday, May 11th, for the purpose of looking over bids, and any other business that may come before them.

All bids on the school bus routes must be in the office of the superintendent not later than closing hours on Monday, May 10th, it was stated.

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"MON" WYATT SAYS HE HAS REAL BARGAINS IN NEW TIRES

Judging from an ad from the Woco Service Station, located in front of the courthouse here, and which is operated by G. M. (Mon) Wyatt, they have something interesting to offer a person contemplating the purchasing of a new set of automobile tires.

Mr. Wyatt stated that he has placed prices down on new Firestone tires so low that it would be folly for an automobile owner who is using old tires, not to buy at such prices. He also states in the ad that they will allow a very liberal trade-in on old tires, and that one's old tires will probably be worth more as trade-ins than otherwise.

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GASTON HEADLEY OF ROUTE 4 WINS IN HDWE. GUESSING CONT.

Gaston Headley who resides on Clanton Route 4, was the winner in the guessing contest at the Clanton Building Supply Company's window contents weight. This contest created quite a bit of attention. The total weight of all the articles in the window was 322 and a fraction pounds. Mr. Headley's guess was 320½ pounds. It was stated that several made a guess of 320 pounds.

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Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parrish spent Monday in Montgomery.

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Mrs. Julius Reynolds of Greenville came Monday to be with her husband who is quite ill at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds.

Thanks From Kiwanis Club

The Kiwanis Club of Clanton is highly gratified at the splendid patronage accorded by the people of Clanton and surrounding communities to the two entertainment features recently sponsored by the Club, the picture, "Just Imagine" and the blackface minstrel.

President J. Mell Martin has issued the following statement on behalf of the membership of Kiwanis:

"On behalf of the Kiwanis Club of Clanton I wish to say to those who so graciously accorded us your patronage at our town entertainment numbers that we fully appreciate your interest and cooperation.

"The picture show—Just Imagine—and the negro minstrel, were sponsored by the club in an effort to raise a fund which will be used by the club in its program of community service. Those who patronized our shows, therefore, have a part in our program of service to this community, and we thank each and everyone.

"The success of these two numbers is so gratifying that the club has planned to sponsor some other entertainment features during the summer. We will appreciate your continued interest and help.

"The Club at all times appreciates the help and friendly interest of anyone in carrying out its objectives for the betterment of our community. Kiwanis has only one purpose—to serve our community—and when you help Kiwanis, you thereby help our community.

"We thank you, one and all."

A REQUEST THAT ALL NEWS MAILED IN BE SIGNED

Quite often news items and articles mailed or sent to the News with no name signed to them, and as has been repeatedly stated, such items must be signed by the one sending them in, as it is the rule of the News and other newspapers not to use articles that are not signed.

That does not mean the signature will be published. It is never published unless deemed suitable. This week, several letters came in, well written and containing interesting news from over the county, but the writers failed to sign their names, and consequently the News was unable to use it. We gladly publish items mailed or sent in, if properly signed.

HUGO L. BLACK WILL SPEAK AT LEGION MEETING

Local Post Invites Public To Hear Senator Black Speak Here On May 4th

It was announced here this week by J. N. Calloway, Commander of the Chilton County Post of the American Legion that Senator Hugo L. Black has accepted an invitation to speak at the meeting of the local American Legion Post on the night of Monday, May 4th.

This announcement will be greeted with no small amount of pleasure by members of the local post and the entire county, and Senator Black is a forceful, deep thinging speaker. Many have had the pleasure of hearing him before and will not miss this opportunity, and those who have not heard him will surely take advantage of this time. Senator Black will be accompanied by his secretary, Mr. Grant, who is also an active Legionnaire.

The local post of the American Legion urges that the entire public hear Senator Black, and extends an invitation to that effect.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Littleton who reside on Clanton Route 1, were in Clanton attending to business and shopping last Tuesday. While in town Mr. and Mrs. Littleton called at the News office.

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Dr. F. J. Lee Now Located In Thorsby

For the past several weeks, accounts of new business concerns opening in Thorsby have been carried in this newspaper, and this week another piece of evidence that Thorsby is among the growing little towns of this section of the state comes forth. Dr. F. J. Lee, physician, has recently located in Thorsby, where, although he has been there only a short time, he is becoming well known in that section

Dr. Lee comes to Thorsby from Birmingham where he has had fourteen years of active practice and from where he comes well recommended. Dr. Lee does a general practice. His office is located in the building formerly occupied by the office of the Alabama Power Company, on the street south of the Bank of Thorsby. The interior of the building has been remodeled to suit the needs of Dr. Lee.

He stated to a representative of the News that he will eventually move his family to Thorsby from Birmingham and make his home there.

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SHERIFF REPORTS SEVERAL ARRESTS DURING PAST FEW DAYS

The office of W. H. Gillespie, sheriff of this county, reports something like twelve arrests since last Thursday. It was stated that these arrests were for assault and battery, use of obscene and improper language in the presence of ladies, violating the prohibition law, etc. Several arrests were made from warrants sworn out to the sheriff, it was stated.

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Mrs. Nix of Maplesville and Mrs. Newt Alridge of Birmingham were shopping here Friday.

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Mrs. J. S. McNeill and daughter have gone to Jacksonville, Ala., where Mrs. McNeill will take advance work in the State Teachers College this summer. Mrs. McNeill has been one of the popular teachers in this county.

21 STUDENTS TO GRADUATE IN CLANTON

Dr. Knapp Of Auburn Will Deliver Baccalaureate Address at School May 25

Announcement was made here this week by Prof. L. C. Warr that Dr. Bradford Knapp, president of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn has consented to be here on May 25th to deliver the baccalaureate address at the Commencement exercises of the Chilton County High School.

Clanton and the entire county should feel signally honored to have Dr. Knapp here for this purpose. He is known throughout the South for his broadness and his depth of knowledge. The News understands that Dr. Knapp declined an invitation elsewhere in order to be in Clanton to address the graduating class Monday night, May 25th.

The Chilton County High School will give diplomas to twenty-one students on May 25th, who have completed their high school courses here, according to Prof. L. C. Warr, principal of the school, Preparations are beginning to be made now for the commencement exercises. Following are the names of those who will graduate from the local high school this year:

Rudolph Jasper Burks, Curtis Carter, Homer Carroll, Paul Cox, Alvin Davis, Janice Danforth, Ora Devaughn, Virgie Giles, Joe Earl Gowan, Mary Heard, Clotilde Johnson, John Ponder Lawrence, Melvin Lockhart, Harvey Melton, Gladys Melton, Frank McMurray, Stanley Nivens, Charles Rasberry, Benson Simms, Edwin Wagoner, Bernice Williams.

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KIWANIANS IN CONTINENT-WIDE OBSERVANCE

Joining with the 1,875 Kiwanis clubs all over the United States and Canada, the Kiwanis club of Clanton will observe "All Kiwanis Night" at James Camp, Mount Manning, May 4, at 8:15 P. M. This special meeting will be held during the 15th annual International convention at Miami, May 3 to 7, and the clubs throughout Canada and the United States will meet to observe a united expression of tribute to the fellowship and accomplishment of the organization.

All clubs have arranged the time of their meetings so that a fifteen minute period will be observed simultaneously with the convention in Miami. Nearly 100,000 Kiwanians on the continent will assemble to observe the standard program of "Fellowship Hour."

A message to the clubs by the president of Kiwanis, Raymond M. Crossman, of Omaha, Nebraska, will be read at Monday's meeting. This is to be the eighth time in the history of Kiwanis that such a meeting will be held

Kiwanians C. E. Stapp, Mell Martin, Maurice Lande, and W. M. Wyatt from the Clanton club are delegates to the convention.

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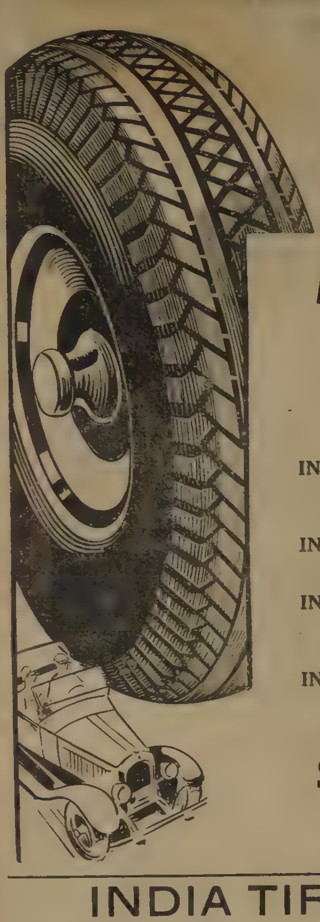
LOCAL DISPLAY WINDOW GETS SPECIAL NOTICE

Window Of Clanton Building Supply Co., Photogaphed For Hardware Magazine

The Belknap Hardware Company recently sent a photographer from Yearger's Studio, Montevallo, to Clanton for the purpose of taking a picture of a Window Display at the Clanton Building Supply Company, which has been attracting attention here for some time, due to its unique arrangement and purpose.

The window contained numerous articles of hardware, most of these suspended from the ceiling of the window. The local hardware store put on a guessing contest for the nearest correct guess as to the total weight of all the articles in the display. The window was very attractive as well as effective.

It is understood that the company having the photograph made will use it for publication in various hardware magazines in the very near future. The comments from the concern having this done were very complimentary to the Clanton Building Supply Company. The window is not at present displayed, as a new display has been arranged in its place.



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Eastview News

Mr. Earl Vinson, age 18, was burned to death last Wednesday, April 22, in the home of B. Dukes, near Poplar Springs. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Newt Vinson of our community. He was laid to rest Thursday at 11 a.m. at Maple Springs. Rev. A. C. Nelsou officiated. Martin of Clanton was in charge of the body. He leaves to mourn his death a father and mother, one brother, Mr. Julius Vinson, of Montgomery, one sister, Mrs. Elva Mims of Eastview, besides a host of relatives and friends.

We had a real good singing Sunday evening. We were glad to have with us some visiting singers from Corinth, and Montgomery. We welcome them back at any future time.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson motored to Mt. Springs Saturday where he conducted services Sunday.

There will be a working at the church next Thursday a.m. for the purpose of planting the plot of ground to be cultivated by the church. Anyone wishing to help is invited to come with mule and planter, plow, or fertilizer distributor.

Mr. Newt Vinson is sick with flu. We hope he will soon be well again.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dobbs.

Miss Birtie Patterson visited Miss Maudie Ree Traywick Sunday.

Mrs. Alva Patterson was the guest of Mrs. Veda Glenn Sunday.

Mr. Jimmie Williams visited his brother, Willie, Sunday.

Mrs. Sallie Strength spent Saturday night with her brother, Mr. Jim Rushing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Mims were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mims Sunday evening.

Mr. Julius Vinson of Montgomery is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Vinson.

The Christian Endeavor rendered a good program Sunday night after which the pastor preached a sermon.

The C. E. was conducted by Miss Catherine Strength.

The Ladies Aid will meet next Thursday evening at Mrs. Lola Mae Nelson's. All the ladies of the community are invited to meet and unite with us.

Mr. S. P. Smith and family were the all-day guests of Mr. O. D. Deloach and family of Clanton Sunday.

Come to Sunday school next Sunday and worship with us.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Nelson were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gray.

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The most powerful X-Ray apparatus in the world, a million-volt machine installed at the University of California, is capable of penetrating an inch of lead.

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

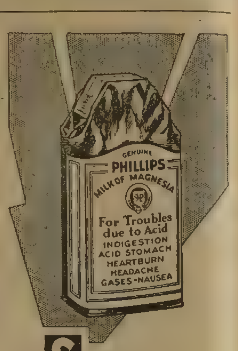
With Spring here in its beauty, how can you remain away from God's house on the Sabbath Day? We have a place for all who do not worship elsewhere. Come thou with us and we will do thee good.

Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. We have a class for all ages and grades. Snap out of that lazy indifferent feeling on Sunday morning. Come to Sunday school and church.

Preaching by the pastor at 11 A. M and at 7:30 P. M. Our congregations are growing, but we are not satisfied The more we have the more we want Our aim is to do you good.

Prayer service each Wednesday night at 7:30.

Be honest, when you stay away from church on Sunday, do you want your family to do as you have done? Set an example of church loyalty. If churches are worth having, they are worth having for all. Everybody ... church is our program.



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MAIL ORDER PRICES BEING MET BY LOCAL CONCERN ON TIRES, TUBES

Clanton Building Supply Company Secures Agency For Widely Advertised Make of Automobile Tires; Using Advertising Space In News

The Clanton Building Supply Company is announcing this week that they have secured the agency in Clanton for the well known India automobile tires and tubes. In commenting on these items, Mr. J. D. Rockett said, "We are glad that we are able to offer the people of this county these tires, because it is now possible for automobile owners to buy these tires at home, and yet we are able to meet the prices of mail-order houses, at the same time the buyer can see the tire he is buying at our store. It was with pleasure that we found this could be done. We have made a thorough investigation of the India tires and found that we are also able to guarantee them in such a way that it is pleasing to the customer."

In this week's issue of the News, the Clanton Building Supply Company is using space to advertise the India tires and tubes. They have an attractive window display at their large store here on India tires also. There is quite a large amount of money sent away from this county to mail-order houses for tires and tubes, and now the buyer of an automobile tire who sends his money away for tires, should investigate in Clanton before sending his order off. Mr. Rockett stated they would be glad to show anyone why they are able to offer these tires at such low prices.

J. F. Armstrong of Clanton Route 7 was among the visitors to Clanton last Tuesday. Mr. Armstrong was also a caller at the News office while in town.

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J. W. Hopper, who resides near Mt. Creek, was among the visitors to Clanton recently. Mr. Hopper called at the News office to have his name added to the subscription list of this newspaper.

Scout Jamboree To Be Held May 1

Auburn, Ala., April 29.—The annual Scoutcraft Jamboree held at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute will be staged on Drake Field, May 1, with approximately two hundred scouts attending from the Central Alabama Area Council.

The day's activities of varied contests will come to a climax at 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon when President Bradford Knapp of Auburn will present the awards. By special wire arrangement, this feature will be broadcast over Alabama from Station WAPI in Birmingham direct from Drake Field.

Scouts will attend from Lee, Macon, Clay, Coosa, Chilton, Dallas, Lowndes, Wilcox, Tallapoosa, Russel, Butler, and Elmore counties. For many years previous to 1930 Troop 2 of Opelika has been the jamboree winner, but Troop 9 of Tallapoosa took the prize last year.

The jamboree will include a general inspection of all troops, and contests in archery, rescue race, scout window displays, water boiling, first aid, morse signalling, fire by friction, and tower building.

At noon the Scouts will be guests of the college at a barbecue luncheon held at the local scout headquarters near Drake Field. They will be entertained by the local theatre with the showing of a picture.

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MT. PLEASANT SCHOOL NEWS

School closed at Mt. Pleasant last Friday, April 24. There were eight Junior Three pupils who finished the course of study offered in Junior Three work. They were the following boys: Renfro Price, Grady Miner, Woodrow Price, Lawson Bell; girls: Eunice Holley, Julia Edwards, Luettie Cooper, Vera Jones.

Dr. D. W. Haskew, pastor of the Clanton Methodist Church, delivered the address to the graduating class. His subject was, "Reliable Men and Women," and was delivered in a most highly pleasing manner.

Prof Warr, from the Chilton County High School was present, and also gave an inspirational talk to the class, touching on the subject of, "The Purpose and Object of Education."

The exercises were held Friday morning at ten o'clock in the large Junior High Classroom. A large number of the patrons were present.

The following day, Saturday, the Mt. Pleasant School went on their Annual Picnic. This year it was given at Log Cabin Beach, below Mitchell Dam; 109 pupils from the school, besides a good number of parents and young people, not members in school were present.

The members of the faculty were present, those being the principal, R. B. Johnson, Miss Mildred Raney, the primary instructor and Miss Littlejohn, the sixth grade teacher.

Among the forms of amusement were boat-riding, games for the little folks, kodaking, swimming, flower gathering, music, etc. Everyone seemed to enjoy the day. No accidents or misfortune came to a single one. The day was fair and warm making it ideal for picnickers.

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The use of separate cars propelled by high pressure steam engines is increasing on branch lines of British railroads at a saving in expense.

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My Experiences in the World War

By General John J. Pershing

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At the luncheon there were several general officers, among whom was Maj. Gen. Franchet d'Esperey, then in command of a group of armies under Petain. He was considered one of the ablest and most aggressive officers in the French army and was very popular with his men.

As we wished to get a glimpse of the actual front he took us by motor as near as possible without drawing the fire of the enemy's artillery, although at that time there was little activity on that part of the front. The point of observation that we reached was opposite St. Quentin, which was then within the enemy's lines, and which was later near the center of the great German drive of 1918 against the British.

On the return trip the chauffeur, after being cautioned several times, continued to drive at a somewhat dangerous speed, which so exasperated the general that he finally threatened the chauffeur with violence, whereupon the speed was greatly reduced.

CHAPTER VI

As soon as the formalities incident to our arrival in Paris were over—and I made them brief as possible—we got down to work, as it was urgent that we should begin at once to lay the foundation for the development and employment of the American army.

To expedite handling the many questions that must arise, especially in our relations with the French war office, which controlled practically all industrial facilities and transportation, it was War Minister Paul Painleve's idea that there should be a group of French officers placed at our disposal.

Marshal Joffre was designated as head of this liasion group. The instructions received by Marshal Joffre from the minister of war were transmitted to me in a polite note. Naturally, it was pleasing to think of being associated with Marshal Joffre, but I thought the adoption of the plan at this time would only add an extra channel through which requests must pass and that this would complicate rather than simplify matters.

The scheme indicated that a sort of tutelage was contemplated, which also made it objectionable.

In my opinion, it would be more expeditious to utilize the French officers on duty at my headquarters and develop a workable system through experience. I explained my views to M. Painleve and readily arranged for the officers of our supply department to confer directly with the chiefs of the coresponding bureaus of the French organization. But this was only the beginning and we soon found that we had much to learn of the difficulties of dealing with French bureaus, either directly or indirectly.

There was no question that under the great enthusiasm the afternoon of our arrival there existed serious despondency among all classes. The terrible strain of the previous years of continuous fighting, with heavy losses, was telling against both the French and the British. Temporary success in different theaters of war had brought small comforts, followed as they had been all too frequently by disastrous reverses.

With actual conditions in mind, one could fully understand why the allies had been so insistent that a contingent of American troops be immediately sent to France to bolster their morale. While not yet prepared to do any fighting, we could and did furnish men for service behind the lines. We also provided raw material and certain manufactured supplies as rapidly as possible and financial aid without stint.

U. S. Inaction Shows Effect.

The more serious the situation in France, the more deplorable the loss of time by our inaction at home appeared. It is true that a committee at the war college in February had presented a brief outline report on the organization of a limited force, yet no comprehensive general plan had been considered for the formation or employment of such a force, much less for a larger one.

It was finally decided we should use the ports of Bordeaux and St. Nazaire. It was likewise estimated that the rail lines leading to the Lorraine sector, with collateral routes available, could be improved to meet our needs.

Then it became necessary to determine the sector where our forces, fighting as a unit, would be most effective. After lengthy study and consultation with allied leaders it was logical to conclude that from the purely military standpoint the employment of the American armies on the Lorraine front would prove the most beneficial. In conference with General Petain, who had reached the same conclusion, the decison was made accordingly.

It was necessary to have a particular sector in mind to plan definitely and construct requisite rail and distributing facilities. It was tentatively understood between General Petain and myself that the American sector should include the St. Mihiel salient. I suggested that the first American offensive would naturally be its reduction. He fully agreed.

Place of Red Cross Decided.

Maj. Grayson M. P. Murphy, head of the Red Cross in France, and his assistant, James H. Perkins, called at my headquarters June 17 to discuss co-operation with the army. It was decided the Red Cross could best handle its work if given a semiofficial status, so Major Murphy was attached to my headquarters.

It was the French situation that gave me the gravest concern. Pacifist sentiment was prevalent in France and in many quarters there was talk of a peace parley. This pessimistic and despondent mood of the people further depressed the morale of their armies as men at the front contemplated another winter of suffering and distress for their families.

To help meet these conditions I suggested to Major Murphy that the first task of the Red Cross should be to aid needy French people. As a result he and Perkins proposed that funds be distributed to soldiers' families wherever necessary.

When the idea was presented to General Petain he expressed the keenest appreciation and at once undertook through his military organization to obtain the necessary data. The Red Cross arranged to make 5,000,000 francs (nearly $1,000,000) available to be distributed by local charitable agencies as rapidly as the information could be furnished as to where funds should be sent.

Sees First Troops Arrive.

I went to St. Nazaire June 28 to meet the advance elements of the first division and inspect the port.

The first section of the first division convoy had brought to St. Nazaire the headquarters, the Sixteenth infantry, two battalions of the Twenty-eighth infantry, one battalion of the Fifth marines and some motor transport troops and stevedores. To see the naval vessels and transports flying the American flag in the harbor gave us all a thrill of pride. It was a pleasure to meet the naval commander, Rear Admiral Albert Gleaves, who was to have general charge of the convoy system.

The regiments of the division had all served under my command at one time or another. They were now, however, composed of a large percentage of recruits and would have to go through a long period of training. After a few days spent in the cantonment at St. Nazaire the infantry of the division was sent to the training area of Gondrecourt, north of Neufchateau, and the artillery to Valdahon, near Belfort.

Arrival "Tipped Off."

Maj. Gen. William L. Sibert, who had won distinction as an engineer in the construction of the Panama canal, was in command of the first division.

The two infantry brigades were commanded by Brig. Gens. R. L. Bullard and Omar Bundy, both of whom had many years of line service behind them. I had known all three of the general officers, as we were cadets together at the academy, although all belonged to classes ahead of mine.

It had been arranged that the regulations restricting reference to the allied armies by the press should apply to the American forces. But to my utter surprise the French and British papers, in their eagerness to let their people know that the elements of the American army had really reached France, carried full accounts of the arrival of this convoy, giving the port of debarkation, the designation of units and the number of men.

Tighten on Censorship.

The publication of this piece of news was in open contravention of the censorship rules and called for immediate steps to prevent further infractions. My vigorous protest resulted in our placing in the French press bureau an American representative, to whom all matter regarding our army was to be submitted for approval.

There is no doubt, however, that the suppression of news prevented our people from obtaining a clear and contemporaneous conception of the great and often brilliant achievements of our armies and left such knowledge to be gleaned from menger accounts by participants or from the later writing of historians. It was unfortunate that such rules had to be enforced, as otherwise much that might have been published at the time may never be known, but there was nothing else to be done without serious risk.

CHAPTER VII

As the French authorities wished to honor our national holiday they requested that some of our troops parade in Paris July 4, 1917. We were not prepared to make much of a military impression, as our men were largely recruits. But to stimulate morale the French wanted to demonstrate that the Americans were actually coming, so a battalion of the Sixteenth infantry was brought up from Saint Nazaire.

The untrained, awkward appearance of this unit, which was accepted as the cream of our regular army by the French officials, no doubt tended to confirm their belief that it would be some time before we should be able to organize an effective army.

If they could have foreseen the triumph of this same battalion at the peak of the great counter-offensive on the field of Soissons just one year later we might have been spared many delays and difficulties in carrying out our plans.

Troops Bring Joy to French.

Nevertheless, the first appearance of American combat troops in Paris brought joyful acclaim from the people. On the march the battalion was accompanied by a great crowd, many women forcing their way into the ranks and swinging along arm in arm with the men. With wreaths about their necks and flowers in their hats and on their rifles, the column had the appearance of a moving flower garden.

With only a semblance of military formation the animated throng pushed its way through avenues of people to the martial strains of the French band and the still more thrilling music of cheering voices. Many dropped on their knees in reverence as the column went by.

The battalion marched to the cemetery where the tomb of Lafayette is located. The ceremony there consisted of a few speeches, the principal speaker being Brand Whitlock, our ambassador to Belgium. I had been asked to deliver an address but had designated Col. C. E. Stanton of my staff, an old army friend and something of an orator, to speak in my place. However, I was prevailed upon to speak extemporaneously.

"Lafayette, We Are Here!"

It was on this occasion that utterance was given to an expression that could be born only of inspiration, one that will live long in history: "Lafayette, we are here!"

Many have attributed this striking utterance to me, and I have often wished it could have been mine. But I have no recollection of saying anything so splendid. I am sure those words were spoken by Colonel Stanton, and to him must go the credit for so happy and felicitous a phrase.

The parade of our troops through Paris doubtless fortified the morale of the people to a certain extent, but we all knew that eventually something very much more effective would have to be done.

The real question was whether the allies could hold out until we were ready. It was clear that no halfway measures on our part would answer and that allied hopes lay in American military assistance on a vast scale at the earliest moment.

Cables for 1,000,000 Men.

The allies thought an American force of 500,000 men the maximum that we could have in France in 1918, but in my opinion that would not be enough to meet the situation. If we could have had half a million fighting men in France in the early spring it would have been a different matter.

But looking ahead it was necessary to allow from 35 to 40 per cent for the services of supply, which would leave out of this number only approximately 300,000 fighting troops. Although this would aid, we could not be content merely to lend a helping hand but must prepare to strike a decisive blow.

While the appearance on the front of any American force was still months away, yet there was little doubt that if we could induce allied co-operation we should be able to give much greater assistance than they believed possible. Our study having confirmed the correctness of my tentative estimate made on the Baltic, I therefore called Washington, July 6, as follows:

"Plans should contemplate sending over at least 1,000,000 men by next May. . . . This estimate would give practically half million men for trenches. Inasmuch as question affects all allies whose common interests demand that we exert maximum military power consistent with transport problem, suggest early agreement be reached among allies which would provide requisite transportation . . . and limit sea transportation to food and military supplies and the exclusion of every kind of luxury as well as other supplies in excess of immediate needs of countries dependent upon oversea supplies."

Question of Transportation.

The question was, therefore, one of sea transportation, but so far all efforts to get the allies, especially the British, to consider giving help to bring over men and supplies had been futile. They did not seem to realize that America would be practically negligible from a military standpoint unless they could provide some shipping. Nor did they seem to appreciate that time was a vital factor.

But the spirit of full co-operation among the allies did not then exist. They seemed to regard the transportation of an American army overseas as no concern of theirs. This apparent indifference also gave further color to the suspicion that perhaps after all an American army as such was not wanted. The situation from our standpoint was grave and embarrassing, for it looked as though it might not be necessary for us to save either the allies or ourselves.

An entry in my diary notes: "Two of the Roosevelt boys, Theodore, Jr., and Archie, reported. Unable to participate himself, their father's fine spirit is represented by his sons."

CHAPTER VIII

As the details of our mission abroad developed it soon became evident that in all that pertained to the maintenance and supply of our armies as distinguished from the purely military task, men with expert knowledge and broad experience in business, industry and transportation would be needed.

In the technical branches of the army there were many officers with theoretical training in special lines, but with some notable exceptions they generally lacked broad constructive or administrative experience. From the very start I determined to obtain the best talent available, and was fortunate in practically every field to find able men who were anxious to do their part.

The earliest application of the principle was in connection with timber and lumber procurement. The call for lumber would be enormous, and since it would be impossible with our limited tonnage to bring a great quantity across the Atlantic, most of it would have to be obtained in Europe.

A cable to the War department early in July, 1917, recommended the immediate organization of a forestry service, consisting of sawmill units, to be composed of experienced lumbermen and 8,000 to 10,000 unskilled laborers to build roads and transport lumber. Special request was made for the appointment of Prof. Henry Graves, chief of the United States forestry service, who was then on the ground, as the man to take charge of this service. A number of other specially qualified men were requested as we entered the task of building up the supply service, but as this was the first intimation given to the War department that such a force would be needed naturally it was some time before it was actually at work.

(continued next week)

THE PASSING AWAY OF MISS RUBY DAVIS

Ruby Davis was shot and instantly killed on Saturday night, April 4th, 1931 by Collier Goodson.

She was attending school at Talladega, Ala., where her brothers are located in business, and had returned home to spend the Easter holidays with her mother and home folks.

Ruby was a kind, loving young lady. She was 17 years old. She gained the friendship of everyone she met or knew. She was very kind and considerate of her mother and brothers and sisters, or anyone else in time of need.

The idea of this sweet one, begging to come back home once more to see mother, and perhaps kiss her good-bye again as she did before leaving her home, to see her sister, Pauline, at Clanton, Ala., and the last time returning was sweeter than ever before. She arrived at home about ten o'clock Sunday morning and was laid to rest at Mt. Pisgah cemetery April 6th, Martin in charge of the body.

The funeral was conducted by Rev. Gipson and prayer by Rev. Ezell.

It greatly grieved us all to hear of the passing on of this sweet one. She was so wonderful in all her loving ways and thoughts, that her good works commenced here will continue to grow and remain a loving monument to her virtues and beauty.

She leaves her mother and four brothers, Augusta, Luther, Stanley and Baker, and two loving sisters, Bernice and Pauline, a host of other relatives and friends are left to mourn her.

May the One who comforts and sustains all be ever with them through this vale of tears. The sweet spirit of Ruby on April 4th found its way into the portals of heaven, and into the presence of her Saviour and loved ones who were waiting to welcome her soul to its heavenly home.

We miss her, oh, so much. But she is transplanted to a more glorious home there to await the coming of those she loved and who loved her

The beaconed angels kissed the loving eyes of her and closed the white fringed keeper.

This precious one is now at rest. God keep the silent sleeper. But let's not think of her death—just waiting over yonder; in that fair and happy land with loving hands to welcome us there.

We'll see her sweet smiles again some day on that eternal shore where there will be no more parting and no tears to be shed for she has gone on to meet her loving father and dwell with him forever more. Weep not, dear Ruby, for we'll meet you by and by.

—A Loving Friend of Ruby,
Alice Williams.

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Alpine Notes

Health of this community is fine at present.

We had a fine Sunday School Sunday with a large attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. A.B. Jones had as their guests Sunday Mrs. Jones' mother and sisters from Selma.

Miss Mollie Belle Ousley, Miss Lula Johnson and Mr. Earl Johnson went fishing Saturday evening, but didn't have much luck, only caught three fish.

Mr. Bruce Ousley and Mr. Andrew McCollough were out riding around Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Walker and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Ousley and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ousley and children dined with Mr. and Mrs R. L. Ousley Sunday.

Mr. Henry Johnson from Selma spent a short while with Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Jack Jones called on Miss Mollie Belle Ousley Sunday night.

The Pound Supper given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Glaze Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd, and had a good supper.

Miss Thelma Ousley spent a short while with Miss Mollie Belle Ousley Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Walker and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Walker.

Everybody come to Sunday school next Sunday.

—A READER.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RESTORATION OF CITIZENSHIP AND POLITICAL RIGHTS

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will on or before May 12, 1931, make application to the Board of Pardons for the restoration of citizenship and political rights of Ed Mims, convicted at the April, 1928, of the Circuit Court of Chilton County for the offense of possession of still and sentenced to penitentiary of one year and one day to 13 months

4-16-2tc ED MIMS.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Prince entertained their mother, Mrs. S. J. Prince, and daughters, at a dinner on last Thursday evening honoring their mother's birthday.

Mr. Julian Evans of Atlanta spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Gene Evans.

Miss Clyde Young, a former teacher in Clanton, now in Birmingham, was a visitor in Clanton Sunday.

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Going Back To The Farm

We have been hearing for many years about the movement from the farm to the village and the city. Commentators who have let their imaginations roam have pictured a future civilization for America in which there will be no rural life at all. Everybody will live in cities, and food will be produced by chemical processes in factories to which these city dwellers will go every day to work. Light and sunshine and ventilation and exercise and all of the other essentials of health will be provided, according to these dreamers, by artificial means devised by engineers.

As a matter of cold fact, it turns out that the tide of migration from the farm to the municipality has been slackening for many years, and now has definitely turned in the other direction. For the first time in twenty years the records of the United States Department of Agriculture show that there was a gain in farm population during 1930. There are 208,000 more people living on the farms than there were a year ago. One reason for this is that life on the farm is more comfortable and less strenuous than it used to be. The average farmer is no longer isolated from the world. Most farms today have electric light and power, access to communities in every direction over good roads, and automobiles with which to go to town to see the movies or take part in social gatherings. Most of the farmers who haven't already got radio sets will soon have them, while the telephone, now almost universal, brings the whole country within speaking distance.

The commercial farmer—the farmer who makes a business of farming—has been affected by the present wave of economic depression even more than the manufacturer. But the great majority of small farmers, with whom life on the farm is more a mode of living than it is an industry, are the people of America who have suffered least by reason of the economic slump. The drought, to be sure, has hit hundreds of thousands of these, but the drought hasn't been universal, and in the sections where nature has not interfered there seems to be little doubt that the greatest security and contentment to be found anywhere in the United States is found on the nation's one-family farms.

That sense of security, of having a piece of solid ground under one's feet from which at least a living can be obtained by whoever is willing to work, is doubtless the reason why, in a season of widespread industrial unemployment, there has been what amounts to a rush of migration back to the farm. And it seems to us that the unemployed industrial workers who have removed themselves and their families from the congested industrial centers to the healthful security of the farm, have displayed a high degree of prudence and intelligence.

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Business Is Better

Careful inquiry at the retail stores along Capitol Street brings the conviction that prosperity is on the way, if it has not actually returned.

At least ten per cent of the male population, according to haberdashers, has been able to buy new straw hats.

One store reports the sale of a pair of knickers and several golf sticks to a newly-elected member of the Country Club.

At the University Club the young lawyers no longer order two luncheons to be served to four people.

A filling station employee says only a few motorists act like they were trying to wean their engines.

A Ford owner actually chugged up Sunday afternoon and said, "Fill 'er up; I don't give a damn for expense."

Kress and Woolworth stores report a sharp decline in sales of bridge game prizes. Evidently the wimmen folks are buying 'em at costlier establishments.

Only this morning an automobile whizzed around the corner on Capitol and President with two spare tires on the rack, one of them new.

Bootleggers say that customers can no longer ask, "Haven't you got a cheaper quality?"

The custom of getting a haircut at least once per month has been resumed in the best social circles by both men and women.

A report to Mayor Scott from the street cleaning department says that cigar butts found in the gutters are not as short as those of sixty days ago.

Fewer members of the Rotary, Kiwanis, and Lions clubs sit on the sidelines during the weekly luncheon, claiming that doctors have ordered them to diet.

You can get on a street car anywhere in town and drop a penny in the aisle without creating a panic.

Indications are that hotel bellhops will be able to get new Summer uniforms by next Autumn.

A woman walked into a chain grocery store this morning and ordered a double porterhouse steak. The butcher looked groggy, but he did not faint.

Radio dealers report an increasing number of prospects who express willingness to make the first payment.

There has been a noticeable decrease in the number of persons who shop around before buying razor blades.

Winter suits are being placed in moth balls without first being dry cleaned, but laundry agents had a very fair business in wash suits last week.

All in all, it looks like we are gradually working our way towards what Warren G. Harding called "a return to normalcy."—Jackson Daily News.

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ELLEN N's NICKNAME

Robert M. Rawls, editor of The Alabama Courier, Athens, Ala., is said to be the man who gave the L. & N. Railroad its familiar sobriquet, "The Old Reliable," according to the L. & N. Employes' Magazine for April. Rawls first called the road by that name in an article in his paper in 1884.—Sylacauga News.

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Opportunities are now on every hand for Clanton and Chilton County. Are you giving this thought?

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

"Why should I say the world is gray,
Because it is gray to me?
There's some who think it's bright
And just as rosy as can be.

Why should I gloom when blossoms bloom
For others that I know?
Have I the right to scorn and spite
The whole blamed flower show?

What if I have no friend to lend
A hand across the space.
That does not mean this earthly green
Is not a friendly place.

Do blind men doubt a sky's above
Because its blue seems black?
Do deaf men swear at those who hear
The thunder rolling back?

Must I confess that happiness
Has passed the whole world by,
Because it shuns of all the ones
This little one called I?"

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For this column to be interesting, it must have a bit of something like the above now and then, from yours truly. Nope, that doesn't mean I'm IT, altogether, although sometimes I do think I am.

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In my opinion, after passing judgment, the Kiwanis Minstrel last Thursday night was a success, all around, and I believe those who saw it will agree. It is perfectly natural that the things sponsored by the Clanton Kiwanis Club are worthwhile.

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Sometimes I get pretty sore at some officials round about. Seems to me like everyone is afraid to do anything, for fear it may not click with the other fellow. How in the dickens do you ever expect to get anywhere like that? I sometimes wonder if some men are minus a backbone, or the one they have is like so much rubber. Most anything that is worthwhile, takes a leader to carry it on, and yet when something in the way of improvement is mentioned in some circles each fellow is afraid to start anything. Even if you fail, that is better than NOT having tried at all. I can see two or three leaders in the making already round Clanton, and some of these days they are going to make things hum or something.

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Clanton's really first murder trial in a long time sure brought out the spectators last week. People of all classes were pushing and turning to get seats at the courthouse to hear that trial, and yet there really wasn't anything sensational about it, unless maybe, it was Winston Huddleston's speech to the jury, or the one by Hon. G. C. Walker. Some ladies who like to weep for the pleasure could have had a splendid flow of tears if they had heard these two men. Farmers—farmerettes—doctors—lawyers—merchants—mothers—near-mothers—fathers—sons—daughters—social lions—social lionesses—gossipers—teachers—and I have no idea of the varied assortment of folks who crowded into the courtroom morning and afternoon for that trial. Funny things, these humans.

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I'M WONDERING—

Just how naked is "naked as a jay bird."

At what age a jay-bird puts on its cloak of feathers to keep from being naked.

Whether jay birds are embarrassed when they are naked.

Just how drunk is "drunk as a boiled owl."

Whether boiled owls are ever drunk.

Who has ever seen a boiled owl.

Why would one want to boil an owl.

What is one supposed to say when a person asks, "Whatcha say?"

Why I received two letters the other day from the little blond teacher.

Why one was in one type of handwriting and one in another.

Why some people stay up so late in Clanton.

Why some people are so snooty.

What it is a certain young lady said she'd tell me sometime.

What man registered as Joseph Anderson and wife at a certain city hotel.

Why bring that up.

What has become of B. Fair and A. Resenter.

Who took that shower bath on top of a building.

Why someone doesn't put up a big dance hall and ball room in or near Clanton.

Who would take it in if someone did.

When my little red-head is going to become friendly again.

Who wrote me that letter saying this is the best column going, and forgot to sign a name.

Why the ed was late coming to work the other morning.

Why a certain young man said what he did to a certain lady on the corner last Friday afternoon.

Why his plans failed to be carried out as he expected.

Isn't that just too bad.

What I will wonder next.

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Here's a clipping from The Birmingham Post, that I am passing on to you this week. I think it is good:

The Home Town Paper

"The more we read the newspapers published in the smaller cities and rural communities of Alabama, the more convinced we are that they deserve the support not only of the citizens of their own vicinity, but the support of their former readers who have left for larger cities.

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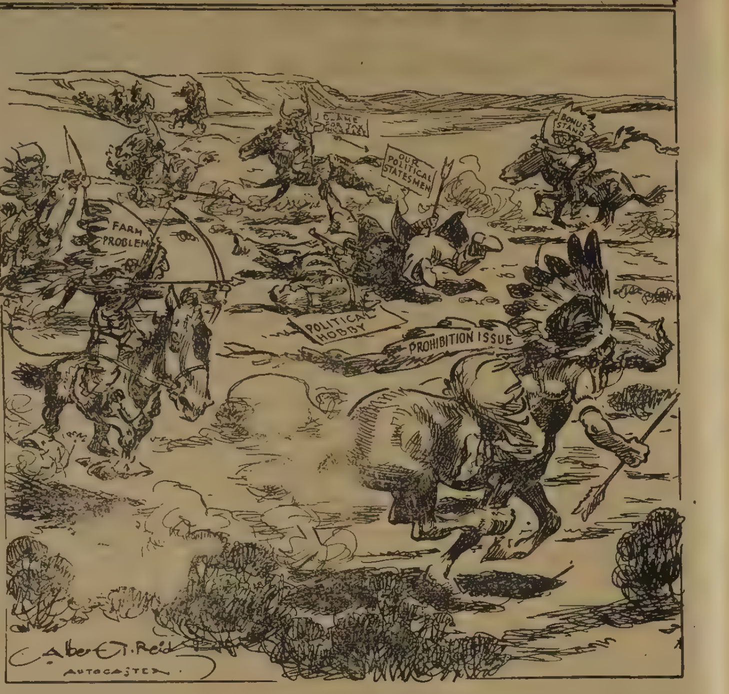
"Their editorials alone are worth the price of subscription. The fact that the editor in the smaller town and city is more intimately in contact with his readers brings forth editorials far more pertinent to the topic of the day than most of those vapid diatribes published in metropolitan dailies.

"The citizen who refuses to subscribe for his community newspaper in Alabama brings to our mind the picture of the ostrich burying its head in the sand because it would rather hide from the facts in life than face them courageously."

The Last Stand — By *Albert T. Reid*



Letters To The Editor

A LETTER FROM SECRETARY OF STATE

Editor Chilton County News,
Clanton, Ala.

When informing Mr. Feagin of my reasons for declining the services of the flying squadron I asked him to advise why he declined to appoint the competent clerks I requested, preferring to substitute therefor ladies who, however competent they may be, had no knowledge whatever of this office, one of whom I had not met. I also asked him how he arrived at the conclusion that I needed fewer clerks than requested without any investigation whatever. In replying he ignored these requests, and merely informed me that the two clerks of his selection were still available for duty in my office.

There is no more economy in sending me these ladies who are entirely unfamiliar with my office instead of those I requested who had long served therein, than there was in tying up checks I hold estimated to total $150,000, interest on which would have paid the salaries of all necessary clerks, while the State borrows money at 4½% and the City of Birmingham pays 2.95%.

I have more than a hundred unanswered letters, which are quite critical of Governor Miller and Mr. Feagin. I believe the people of Alabama will back my contention that replies to these letters should not be dictated to a lady loyal only to them, and that she should not handle money for which I am under bond. Not that I have any objection whatever to these gentlemen knowing my opinion of them, which is, I think becoming rather general, but before I would participate in such a base betrayal of my friends, their critics, I would permit the severance of my right arm.

Mr. Feagin and Governor Miller, in attempting to destroy this office because I happened to have been elected to it, undoubtedly overlook the fact that it does not belong to me personally. While it is more nearly mine than theirs, it belongs to the people of Alabama, who have merely said that I should run it for four years. It is the people of Alabama who are suffering from their determination that I not be permitted to properly do so. Nor do I believe that the members of the Legislature will shirk the duty resting squarely on their shoulders to permit the functioning of this office for the people. They know it can not do so with the clerical force provided in 1907, as admitted by Feagin in offering me clerks of his selection. In insisting that it be permitted to function while I hold it, I, therefore, feel that I am doing so in the name of the people of this State on whose side I will always be found in any public question. As between Democracy and Autocracy I unalterably take my stand for the former. We have labored under this handicap during more than one-sixteenth of my term already and our only hope for a "square deal" is in legislative relief. The great majority of our citizens believe in fair play, and I request all those who agree with my position that they are entitled to service, whether the Feagin-Miller administration likes the Secretary of State or not, to insistently communicate their desires to their Senators and Legislators during the next few weeks.

PETE B. JARMAN, JR.

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ABOUT THE GOODSON TRIAL

Editor, Chilton County News,
Clanton, Ala.,
Dear Editor:

I wish to correct an error in the report of the trial of Collier Goodson on April 22.

When the boy's mother, Mrs. Ezekiel Goodson, Sr., was on the stand and was near collapse, Huddleston asked her if the boy had at any time become violent and fought her. She informed him that he had at one time pulled her hair. Later he asked her if Collier had written to her while he was away from home. She told him that he had frequently done so and she attempted to tell that he had recently written to her that he had made up his mind to live a better life and wanted her to pray for him. Before she finished what she intended to say, Huddleston, finished it for her. He "framed up" the entire speech, something like this, "Yes, the young man was a bad, ugly boy, would at times pull his mother's hair. Then he came up here to live and wrote to her, asking her to forgive him for being such a bad ugly boy, that he was sorry and would try to live a better life." He also tried to make the impression that Collier left home in a rage of temper. This positively is not true. When he first came to this community about three and one-half years ago, he came to our home to live, because father was in need of an employee and asked him to come.

It is a fact that he often wrote to his mother but not to ask for forgiveness for anything.

When he was a child he and a brother were engaged in a fight and when mother interefered he pulled her hair, but that mother didn't wait until he was a grown young man to forgive him. As for his being a mean, rough boy, since he has grown up there is not a word of it true. He had uttermost respect for that mother and his character was notable, until this crime he recently committed.

Thanks for this space.

MYRTLE PIERCE.

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Soy Beans Will Make Hay This Year

By County Agent Stapp

It will soon be time to plant soybeans for hay. A large number of farmers over the county made splendid yields of hay from soybeans last year.

Mr. L. G. Posey, west of Jemison, reports that on 12 acres last year he baled 165 bales of oat hay, averaging about 100 pounds to the bale, and that he followed his oats with soy beans and put up 214 bales of soy bean hay that averaged 65 pounds to the bale. Mr. Posey plants about one peck of soy beans to the acre and has bought four bushels of soy beans to plant this year. Mr. G. A. Plier of the Mineral Springs Community, planted one gallon of O-Too-Tan soy beans for hay last year and saved three good, two-horse wagon loads of hay from them. He says his mules quit eating corn to eat the soy bean hay.

One of the club boys last year reported 14 large two-horse wagon loads of hay saved from two acres of soybeans

Mr. O. R. Robinson, east of Clanton, says that he has never had any land to turn out as high quality hay as he got from a piece of land planted to soy beans last year.

The Experiment Station recommends O-Too-Tan and Laredo soybeans for hay and Mammoth Yellow soybeans for grazing with hogs. Let's make an effort this year to grow plenty of hay for every head of livestock in the County

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The teacher was putting questions to the class.

"What do we call a man," he asked "who keeps on talking and talking when people are no longer interested"

"Please, siir," replied a boy, "a teacher."

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IN MEMORY OF OUR DARLING CHILD, OLLIEDELLE PENTON

The first link in our sweet little home was taken when the good Lord came and got little Olliedelle, the 24th of March, 1931. She was three years and nine months old. She was sick almost two weeks. We tried to keep her, but could not. She had to leave us and go to a better world where there won't be any pain nor sorrow any more. We sure did hate to give her up. But God needed her to sing for Him. She left mamma and daddy and sister with a broken heart forever. Oh! how we did hate to give our darling child up, but I know where to go to find her, for she is in Heaven singing praises to God. Oh! Lord, how can we live without her. Her little chair and plate and everything sits vacant. She can't ever call daddy any more.

She was so sweet and pretty for her little hair reached her shoulders and had a perfect doll face. She weighed 38 pounds and did talk so sweet. She could sing and keep time to music so pretty. She often told me what would I do without her. She said she was company to me while Willodean went to school. She would always tell us good night and kiss us before retiring. Now I can't hear her little voice, never any more. She loved us so good and she can't ever ask mamma for something to eat anymore. Oh! Lord, how can I live without her. Little Willodean is so lonesome without her too.

We sure do thank all of our good friends for their kindness and help. May God bless me and my little family. I pray that we can meet our darling child in Heaven some time, and won't that be a happy meeting. May God bless my dear old father and mother and our sisters and brothers and good friends. I pray that they will be blessed too.

She would often talk about dying. She said she would have to leave me. I didn't think it was so near the time. Now, Oh! God forgive me for everything that wasn't pleasing to You that I may live right and meet my sweet child sometime. May the Lord bless me in my weak bad health.

Hear my prayer, O Lord, and let me cry, come unto Thee, hide not thy face from me in the day when I am in trouble. Incline Thine ear unto me in the day when I call. Answer me speedily, I pray, I may walk the right way and meet Thy shining face sometime.

I close with a sad heart, from its father and mother and sister.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Penton,
Speigner, Ala.

JEMISON HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

Department of Vocational Agriculture

The Vocational students have gathered 20,000 big stem potato plants off of the two flue-heated beds at the school house. Also several thousand tomato plants. These beds were built to serve as a model in this community. They have proved highly successful. Numbers of farmers have visited them. If the big stem jersey potato enterprise proves successful this season there will no doubt be a number of flue heated beds built next year.

The boys in Horticulture have sprayed a number of orchards lately. More emphasis is being laid each year to the teaching of the control of insects and fungous disease of the orchard, garden and truck crops. The interest in spraying fruit trees is growing in this section. The department of vocational agriculture keeps on hand a supply of spray materials for the convenience of the farmers.

The vocational boys have just finished making twelve screen windows for the home economics department. These screens extend the entire distance of the windows and are hinged at the top.

The boys taking field crops have just completed their four year project outlines. The desire of the vocational teacher is that each boy plan to have continuation projects as much so as possible. The field crop boys are now sharpening scooter plows and scrapes in the shop. The sharpening of scooter plows and scrapes is not so difficult but the setting of a scrape is difficult and they have not yet mastered that practice.

The students in vocational agriculture have had some very practical experience lately in working on the bus body building that has just been constructed on the campus. It would be fortunate if the vocational boys had an opportunity every year to do carpentry work on some frame building.

The purpose of the department of vocational agriculture is to teach a practical course in agriculture. Any constructive suggestions from parents or interested individuals will be appreciated by the teacher.

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MR. AND MRS. LUTHER LITTLE MOVED TO KIMBERLY, ALA.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther E. Little, who have been residing in Maplesville, left this week for Kimberly, Ala., where they will make their home for several weeks before returning to Birmingham where Mr. Little will enter Howard College and Mrs. Little will enter Birmingham-Southern College to do advanced work. Mr. Little was principal of the Stanton Junior High School and later went to Maplesville to take charge of the high school there. While in Clanton Saturday, Mr. Little had the News sent to him and Mrs. Little, and to have The Rockford Chronicle sent also, while they are away from home.

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Have you had your horoscope read? See what the Great "Ramjah" tells there in "Crooks for a month."

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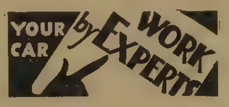

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A government medical official says that gas is an aid in the cure of insanity. Then why do so many Senators act like that?

Americanism: Appropriating half a billion to dispose of surplus farm products and another half billion to irrigate more farm land.

News From Billingsley

Too Late for Last Week

The Woman's Missionary Society met at the Baptist church Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. F. King was in charge of the Royal Service program.

Misses Thelma Baxter and Lucile Dickinson visited Mrs. Powell in Verbena the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vinson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. Howell Vinson, Misses Lucile Dickinson and Thelma Baxter enjoyed a picnic at Vinson's Mill last Wednesday.

Messrs. Paul Vinson, Jimmie Mitchell and Bill Gandy of the University spent the past week end with Mr. Vinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vinson.

Messrs. Paul Vinson, Bill Tamby and Miss Lucile Dickinson motored to Montgomery Thursday to visit Miss Nettye Pattillo at Woman's College.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wyatt entertained with a spend-the-day party at their country home near Billingsley, in honor of Messrs. Bill Tamby and Jimmy Mitchell. At the noon hour a delicious luncheon was served to the following guests: Messrs. Paul Vinson, Henry Apperson, Bill Tamby and Jimmy Mitchell, Misses Lucile Dickinson, and Thelma Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. Howell Vinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vinson.

Misses Nettye Pattillo, Dee Sellers and Pauline Bert of Woman's College spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Pattillo's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pattillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell Vinson entertained a number of the younger contingent at a brige party, Friday evening in honor of the visitors from the University. Those present were Miss Lucile Dickinson and Mr. Bill Tamby, Miss Pauline Bert and Mr. Jimmie Mitchell, Miss Nettye Pattillo and Mr. Paul Vinson, Miss Dee Sellers and Mr. Letcher Thompson, Miss Anne Turner and Mr. Henry Apperson, Miss Mary Collier and Mr. Robert Oglesby.

Messrs. J. J. Traywick, W. C. Wilson, and J. C. Gibson motored to Montgomery Sunday.

Miss Augusta Missledine is visiting friends and relatives here.

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Are You On?

Below is a list of names of persons who have had their subscription marked up, or have been placed on the mailing list of the News during the past several days:

James M. Robinson, Clanton, Rt. 4.
Col. Wm. T. Ward, Montgomery.
J. A. Sims, Jemison.
W. T. Robinson, Randolph.
Miss Annie Mae Harper, Tuscaloosa.
J. T. Cobern, Maplesville.
Mc. D. Messer, Clanton.
S. P. Smith, Verbena, Rt. 2.
H. B. Owen, Clanton Rt. 3.
J. O. Wilson, Clanton, Rt. 4.
Hill Foshee, Maplesville.
J. W. Hopper, Mt. Creek.
Hugh Foshee, Clanton.
G. F. Harper, Thorsby.
Mrs. W. I. Mullins, Clanton.
Mrs. J. Watts Moore, Clanton.
Mrs. E. M. McCraw, Clanton, Rt. 7.
Eddie Wyatt, Clanton.
Mrs. J. A. Bockholdt, Clanton.
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W. T. White, Mt. Creek.
L. L. Courtney, Clanton Rt.
J. F. Armstrong, Clanton, Rt. 7.
Mrs. J. Q. Wade, Clanton.
W. T. Hand, Jemison.
Dr. F. J. Lee, Thorsby.
C. L. McCutcheon, Clanton.
M. C. Marlar, Tuscaloosa.
Mrs. E. M. Ousley, Pletcher.
Ed Mims, Clanton, Rt. 5.
West End Grocery, Clanton.
Miss Ruth Prince, Clanton.

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ORDER FOR PUBLICATION TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court In Equity. No. 908.
Buna Wallace Fowler, Complainant, vs.
Charlie Fowler, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of G. C. Walker that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Charlie Fowler, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 28 day of May, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 25th day of April, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
4-30-4tcS Register.

A motorcycle side car designed in England is completely enclosed and is upholstered and equipped to form a limousine for one person.

MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

I was in a community not long since where a man had passed through. He spent several days in that community fixing cook stoves. He charged for his work and then collected for all broken parts saying that he would order them from some Hardware firm. He was able to get from five to fifteen dollars cash out of farmers where the cook stove was in bad repair. That was months ago, and that man has never been heard of since. No one ever received the parts that he claimed to order. He was one among many of the rascals who feed on the trusting public. When will we ever learn not to trust Tom, Dick and Harry as they go around with high sounding promises? They make fair promises and we cash in.

"My brother started to Sunday school but he went back home," said a young fellow to me not many Sundays ago. I asked if his brother would come on later. "Yea boy," replied the little fellow. "If he does not, he will get a whipping." I bowed my head and thanked God that there were yet a few parents who had a conviction on the question of having their children in Sunday school. There are too many parents in Chilton county who do not seem to care if their children never attended a Sunday school. They let them rove about the house when they should be on their way to God's house. If your child does not want to go to Sunday school, it becomes your duty to see that he is made to go. A little Hickory oil and a touch of elbow grease, should double the attendance at Sunday school in the most of our churches. But, let all parents first lead out by attending themselves.

While attending the graduating exercises of a nearby school I found something new under the sun. The principal of the school called upon the historian, the poet, the prophet of the class and then he called for the "grumbler." The young man arose and he let his pent up feelings grumble. For years the class had found many things to grumble about, but they dared not say a word. Now they were going out from that school and they let their grumbles grumble. The "Grumbler" is not only found in the graduating students of a Junior High School, but they are found everywhere. They are in the church, they are in the school, they are in the home, they are in the store, they are in the lodge. Old man Grumbler is on hand all the time. He grumbles about the weather, he grumbles about the hard times, he grumbles about the streets, the highway, the preacher, the school teacher. It must feel good to be a grumbler.

One day I saw a mother making a fuss over her baby. The little trick was a beauty and the mother had a right to be foolish about it. Soon after that mother had made such a fuss over her little baby, that mother's great big baby came walking in. That mother made no fuss over him. He had brought mud into the room on his shoes. He had failed to bring in wood enough to do until his return. He had left the gate open and the calf and the cow had gotten together. That mother's big baby got a scolding from start to finish. Had it ever occurred to you that many a divorce has had its beginning when a mother made a fuss over the little baby, and administered a rebuke to the big baby. It is good advice for a mother when she is instructed not to neglect that big baby in her home. If there are children in your home, do not forget to make a fuss over the father of those children.

Before coming to Clanton I saw a thing that made my blood run cold. There was a fine young man in my church. He loved the church, and he was anxious to attend Sunday school every Sunday. He wanted to attend prayer meeting on Wednesday night, but, alas, that man had married a young woman who cared but little about the church. She wanted to attend parties, she wanted to glide around on polished floors to the echo of jazz music, and she led this splendid youg fellow away from the ideals of his childhood. Soon he started to drinking. At the bar of God the blood of that young man's life will be on the hands of that giddy girl who led him astray. There is no more heart breaking condition than when a young wife holds her husband back in his spiritual life. They are like the soldiers who drove the spikes through the hands of Jesus, "They know not what they do," and they will live to sorrow over their act.

A new apparatus has just been received at Brooks Field, Texas, which materially accelerates the starting of planes not equipped with electric start-

When a Chinese girl gets married her attendants are usually the oldest and ugliest women in the neighborhood.

A PETITION TO MR. HOOVER

O, mighty Hoover, who are in Washington when not fishing on the Rapidan, thy name is Hants. Thy will and the will of thy campaign contributors be done in the rest of the country as it is done in Washington.

Give us this day or daily bread—and a bowl of free soup—for our turnip greens, and when sweet potato vines are almost gone. Forgive us our debts, and if you can't forgive them, for the love of Mike help us get a job so we can pay them.

Thou knowest, O mighty Hoover, that thy subjects are a dumb bunch, so dumb that we believed your campaign promises. If we had not been so dumb, you would not be President. And since you know how dumb we are, have mercy on us, for our pockets are empty with a great emptiness—also our stomachs. Some of us voted for you in belief that you would continue our great prosperity, and behold, our prosperity has gone to the favored fellows of Smoot and Grundy. Some of us voted for you because thy handmaiden, Mabel, told the preachers and the preachers told us we would go to h— if we voted for Al Smith. So we voted for you, and the country has been in a h— of a mess ever since.

We thank thee, O mighty Hoover,, for the relief thou hast given the farmers, for thou hast relieved them of all they had except their debts and a few old clothes. We thank thee for the relief thou hast given the laboring man, for thou hast relieved him of the necessity of rising early to get to his job. We thank thee that thou hast relieved us of the annoyance of factory whistles for no factory whistles are blowing and no wheels are turning (except those in the heads of those who voted for thee).

We thank thee, O mighty Hoover, that under thy watchful care the "noble experiment" of prohibition has been made effective, for if Mrs. Willebrandt and the holy farm board were not peddling their fermentable grape juice for two bits a barrel, we couldn't buy a drink.

Thou makest us to lie down in green pastures—and eat grass with the sheep Thou leadest us by the still waters of Muscle Shoals where no wheels are turning to make a noise. Thou anointest our heads with oil—stolen from government oil lands—and we can't buy soap to wash it off because of the holy tariff.

We know, O mighty Hoover, that we are but forms of the dust and are as nothing in thy sight, for we had no money to contribute to thy campaign fund or to gamble on Wall Street. We are but dogs which eat of the crumbs that fall from our master's table. When they fall, we wag our tails; when they fall faster, we wag faster; when they don't fall at all, we wag slow until they do.

Lead us not into the temptation of high living, lest we be taken to the hospital to be coured of gout like one of thy famous supporters.

Yea, though we walk through the valley of hard times and the shadow of starvation, we wil lfear no evil, for thou art with us and hath appointed many commissions to watch over us. Thy taxgatherers pester us and thy snoopers spy upon us.

Surely the landlord and the sheriff shall follow us al lthe days of our life, and the poorhouse hath not one vacant room wherein we may die in peace.

Hear and answer us, and may the squirrels nest in our hats if we are ever fool enough to follow another Jack-o' Lantern labeled "Republican Prosperity."

So tendeth this prayer, and thank goodness "Hoover Prosperity' 'is gone and we are on the road to better times. —Southern Democrat.

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See ! ! ! "Doreen, the Masked Dancer," in the Senior Class play, on Thursday night, May 4.

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Chicago police experts have developed a chemical preparation to detect numbers on automobiles and other metal articles that have been obliterated by thieves.

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Sardis News

Sunday School met Sunday at ten o'clock with a good attendance, and we invite all those who don't attend Sunday school to come and be with us on every Sunday morning.

The Vermont Community Club has changed its meeting to twice a month instead of every week. Their next meeting will be the 6th of May. Everybody is invited to come and attend this meeting.

On last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff were called to Selma to their son, Mr. F. G. Ratliff, who was badly hurt in an automobile accident, and is doing nicely in the Baptist Hospital at Selma.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Deason, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Patterson and little son spent a while Sunday night with Mr. G. W. Ratliff.

Mr. W. M. Headley and family spent Saturday night with his brother, Mr. Phillip Headley.

Miss Melda Sansom spent Saturday with Miss Alphia Ratliff.

Mr. Cecil Davis is spending this week with his sister, Mrs. Lena Ratliff

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Minor spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff in order to attend the W. M. U. Quarterly meeting which was held at Sardis Baptist church on Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ratliff spent Saturday night with her mother, Mrs. Zula Davis.

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ALABAMA WAGON SCALES TESTED FOR ACCURACY

All wagon scales in Alabama have been tested for accuracy by the Weight and Measure Division of the Department of Agriculture and inspectors of the division have started their second test of the scales of the State reports H. S. Holloway, chief.

Mr. Holloway reports that all the wagon scales will be tested yearly for accuracy. "This assures correct weights" said Holloway when he declared that the service is being appreciated more than ever before and that he is receiving calls frequently for special service.

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New Cedron News

Sorry to learn that there are several on the sick list this week.

Sunday was our regular preaching day at New Cedron, and we had a fine sermon delivered by the pastor, Rev. Carroll. We also had a good Sunday school with several visitors.

We were glad to have Mr. and Mrs. William Billingsley with us. We invite them to come again.

Miss Ruby Collins was the dinner guest of Miss Marie Penton Sunday.

Mrs. Lula Jones was the dinner guest of Mrs. A. J. Culver.

Mrs. J. F. Devaughn spent Sunday night with Mrs. Lula Jones.

Misses Ollean and Lorene Terrell were the dinner guests of Mrs. Ozella Cox Sunday.

Miss Everee Jones spent Sunday with Misses Rena and Ressie Devaughn.

Little Myrtle Jones is spending this week with her aunt, Mrs. G. B. Jones.

Miss Ruby Collins is spending this week with friends in Birmingham.

We are very glad to see Brother M. F. Wagoner able to be out again.

Misses Rena Devaughn and Ollean Terrell spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Ethel Devaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burnett spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Burnett.

Miss Myrle Burkhalter of Enterprise spent Tuesday night with Willodean Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughie Williams spent this week end with his mother and sister, Mrs. Eliza and Alice Williams.

Mr. William Devaughn was the dinner guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Devaughn.

Our singing was enjoyed by a large crowd Sunday afternoon. We were glad to have some of the singers from Billingsley. We invite them to come again. Remember, every fourth Sunday is our singing afternoon. Everybody is invited to come.

Remember, Sunday school every Sunday morning at ten o'clock. Everybody come and bring someone with you.

A READER.

April Marriages

C. R. Ray and Mrs. Ruby Driver.

Kent Miner and Ada A. Ratliff.

Herbert Ratliff and Miss Mirtis Turner.

Burnie Collum and Miss Lurena Smith.

John O. Wilson and Miss Lennie Headley.

Eulous Courtney and Miss Lena Mae Deloach.

Floyd Wright and Miss Zora Bell Payton.

Horace Dennis and Miss Gertie Patterson.

J. W. Whales and Miss Mittie McFarland.

W. D. Liggett and Miss Gussy Carry Payne.

Otis Deloach and Miss Donnie Green.

Roy Baker and Miss Hattie Clinner.

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¡ HIGH SCHOOL NEWS ¡

Dr. Bradford Knapp To Deliver Baccalaureate Address At Chilton County High School

Clanton and surrounding community should esteem it a distinct honor to have Dr. Knapp, President of Alabama Polytechnic Institute deliver the graduating address to the Senior Class of Chilton County High School, Monday night, May 25. Dr. Knapp is known throughout the South for his broadness and depth of knowledge. He is ripe in experience, and never fails to draw packed houses wherever he speaks.

Graduating Class Of 1931

The student-body and faculty of the Chilton County High School are now beginning to make preparations for the 1931 Commencement. Much interest and enthusiasm is being manifested by everybody and we are looking forward to making this an instructive occasion for all concerned. The chief concern centers around those who on May 25 will have conferred upon them the greatest honor offered by the institution. This group is commonly termed the "Senior Class." The personnel of our present class is made up of young ladies and young gentlemen who show much promise of worth, and of whom the school will be proud.

Below will be found the names of the Senior Class who are candidates for graduation May 25: Rudolph Jasper Burks, Curtis Carter, Homer Carroll, Paul Cox, Alvin Davis, Janice Danforth, Ora Devaughn, Virgie Giles, Joe Earl Gowan, Mary Heard, Clotilde Johnson, John Ponder Lawrence, Melvin Lockhart, Harvey Melton, Gladys Melton, Frank McMurray, Stanley Nivens, Charles Rasberry, Benson Simms, Edwin Wagoner, Bernice Williams.

Mrs. Stapp Presents Pictures for Highest Attendance in County

The entire student-body welcomed Mrs. Stapp to our assembly period last Friday when she presented the school with two very appropriate pictures won for the highest attendance in the County for March. We thank Mr. Moore of Moore's Cafe, Hill's Grocery Company, for donating the pictures, and Mrs. Stapp for her untiring interest and enthusiasm in making Chilton County Schools what they ought to be.

Who's Who In Junior One Class

Most dignified, Ruth Gowan; most friendly, Eloise Rasberry; most popular boy, Milton Diefenderfer; most popular girl, Celia Gerald; wittiest, Dan Sanford; best all-round, Bill Armstrong; biggest booster, Louise Boockholdt; most dependable, Mae Vinson; most beautiful girl, Margaret Connell; most handsome boy, Charles Wilson; most intellectual, Joe Hall Johnson.

Who's Who In Junior Two Class

Most intellectual, Helen Roberts; most dignified, Roselle Gentry; most friendly, Earl Gray; most popular girl, Grace Plyler; most popular boy, Phillip Nelson; wittiest, Mary Edith Jones; best all-round, Alice Petty; most beautiful girl, Roberta Marcus; most handsome boy, George Popwell; most dependable, Dixie Johnson; biggest booster, Velnor Heath.

Welcome Given To Newly Transferred Students

Our school welcomes the following new students who entered last week: From Thomas Junior High, Gertie Wilson, Myrtice Smith, Kathleen Parrish, and Osmond Glenn; from Mount Pleasant Junior High, Julia Edwards; from Concord Junior High, Howard Wyatt. All the above have already passed the County Junior High Examination, and will be admitted to senior high school next September. In the meantime, they are reviewing junior three work.

We are glad to have the following from Maplesville Junior and Senior High School: Margaret Nix, Jesse Hayes, Annie Laurie and Mary Dee Potts. These students spent last summer at Livingston State Teachers College, and are to graduate from high school this year. Work was completed through the eleventh grade at Maplesville this year.

Senior Class Play And Memorial

The annual senior play is always looked upon as a part of the commencement season. It means more than was formerly thought of. It is really the spirit of the occasion rather than the form of it.

Another side of the custom of the senior play is the volunteer movement on the part of the seniors who graduate each year to leave a memorial of some type that will be dedicated to the school by them. This year, the class plans to leave a system of lights on the two brick columns first started by the class of 1930. This will add a great deal to the attractiveness of the campus at night when it is lighted up. The class hopes also to leave an art square and some rugs for the stage.

The above expenditures will come out of the proceeds of the play. The class very urgently requests that a full house greet them on next Thursday night, May 8. This play is not only entertaining, but some good amateur talent will be seen that night. Miss Bernice Williams is coaching the play.

Junior-Senior Picnic

By Ethel Mae Jones

On last Friday night the Juniors entertained the Seniors at a delightful picnic at Log Cabin Beach. Several of the teachers were present, and the majority of the two classes.

After arriving at the place of destination large camp fires were built, and everyone gathered around them. Later on an enjoyable picnic lunch of sandwiches and drinks was served. Among the features enjoyed was a stump speech by Coach Walker. Despite the inclement weather, everyone seemed to have a most enjoyable time.

Biology And Chemistry Classes Present Program

Last Wednesday the biology and chemistry classes under the direction of Mr. Varnell, presented a combined program at the chapel hour. The first scene showed the life of Luther Burbank. This part was aptly played by James Tiffin, who was interviewed by Margaret Jones, a reporter for the New York Times. The stage was decorated with flowers and other plants to typify Mr. Burbank's famous garden.

The other scenes depicted the lives of the following famous biologists and chemists: Antonius Van Leevenhock (Clarence Fiquette), Charles Darwin (Durward Robinson), Lewis Pasteur (Warren Riggins). The entire story of each was told in the first person. A chemical experiment, that of the preparation of the valuable nitrogen gas from the air was successfully completed by Herman Harris and Homer Carroll. This program was greatly enjoyed, and was educational as well as interesting.

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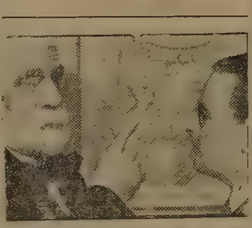

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News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

A Russian Operetta, "Sonia" was given Saturday night by members of the Helen Keller Literary Society of the Thorsby Institute. Miss Thoroman, Music teacher at the Institute, directed the Operetta. It was one of the finest productions that have been given at the Institute. Over sixty took part in it. Katherin Foss as "Sonia" and Fred Boyd as "Pat Dunn" had the leading parts.

The Quarterly meeting of the Chilton County Associational W. M. U. was held at Sardis Church the 23rd with good attendance. Miss Wilmer Bucy, State Corresponding Secretary was present and delivered several helpful messages. The following women of Thorsby attended: Mesdames Donald Merchant, G. F. Harper, S. J. Davenport, M. E. Willis, T. L. Robinson, W. H. Raybon, J. W. Jones, Ella Hall, Leonard Lowery, and J. W. Jones. They reported a good day and brought back the attendance banner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Jones spent the week end with Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Jones.

A Sunday School Teacher Training Class was held last week at the Baptist Church.

Miss Vivian Roebuck and Miss Mildred Lankford of Birmingham were the attractive week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray.

It would be difficult to find a more delightful comedy than "New Brooms," the successful play written by Frank Craven and played in by him for several seasons, that will be presented here on Friday, May 8, at 7:45 o'clock by the well known Bergmann Players of New York City. The production is under the auspices of the Thorsby Institute, Lyceum Course.

"New Broom," a comedy in four acts, written and acted by Frank Craven, ran on Broadway a full season, with the reputation of being the best of the clean plays produced that year.

Father Tests Old Saw

In the story of the play there is a lovable but irascible old father whose son, just graduated from college, criticises in the management of his factory that manufactures brooms. The son advocates what he calls more up-to-date methods and quotes the old saw about a new broom speewing cleaner.

The father, really wishing his son to have a clear field and a chance to prove his theories will work out in practice, arranged with him to retire from the management of the factory, leaving the son in full charge. The father is to remain away from business for a year and during that time he is to have an allowance equal to the amount he had sent his son during his last year in college.

Enter The Girl

This arrangement is no more than completed when the daughter of an old friend of the father comes asking him to help her find employment. The father engages her as housekeeper and then the fun begins. Complications follow complications, humorous situations more funny than the last follow each other in rapid succession. Things don't go so wel lat the factory and everybody takes advantage of the young man's good nature until facing failure, he finds it necessary to adopt the strict disciplinary methods he had so strongly criticised in his father. Of course, it all ends happily and the young man finds out that new brooms won't sweep cleaner unless good common sense is used in handling them.

Admission will be by season ticket or 50c for adults: 35c for students and teachers.

Thorsby Institute Honor Roll
Fifth Term, 1930-31

First: No grade below 85 per cent, general average of 90 per cent or above

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Second: No grade below 75 per cent, general average of 85 per cent or above

Mable Bass, Louise Bates, Byron Bean, Winnie Boring, Fred Boyd, Helen Diefenderfer, Kathryn Foss, Edith Foss, Dorothy Franklin, Wilma Goodgame, Ella Howard, Olean Hybart, Mildred Jeffries, Mayme Johnson, Helen Lowery, Albert Mims, Mary Ruth Nix, Odell Rowe, Gladys Smith, Eunice Williamson.

Third: Perfect Attendance,

Brady Billingsley, Christina Bosworth, Myrtis Canington, Hilma Collins, Charles Croker, Helen Diefenderfer, Fred Boyd, Juanita Each, Kathryn Foss, Hal Broadhead, Olean Hybart, Mayme Johnson, Alice Polk, Louise Bates, Janie Kelley, Donald Long, Oliver Lyon, Louise Maddox, S. E. Maddox, Lola Martin, Albert Mims, Camilla McCallum, Mary Ruth Nix, T. A. McCallum, Conradine Pate, Roma Lee Pate, Elma Roof Pitts, Cynthia Barr, Pauline Pool, Ruth Primm, Phares Raybon, Evie Lee Rowe, Odell Rowe, Preston Shaw, Gladys Smith, Catheryn Stallings, Edna Lee Wilder, Eunice Williamson, Travis Wood, Lawrence Gerald, Jr., Mable Bass, Louise Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Peterson returned from Birmingham yesterday.

There will be Song Service at the Congregational Church next Sunday night.

The Regular Monthly meeting of the Womans Missionary Society of the Baptist Church met Wedndsday afternoon at the Church with Circle No. 1 in charge.

Miss Ethel Thompson and Mr. Turner Gamber were married Thursday evening at the home of the bridegroom's parents at Dadeville. The pair will make their home with the bride's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson, in Thorsby for the present.

Mrs. J. H. Goddard entertained ten ladies to a quilting party on Wednesday. They quilted two quilts and tied one comforter.

Mrs. Burt Higgins and Mr. and Mrs. Wililam Higgins spent the week end with old time friends at Deatsville.

Mr. P. S. Littlejohn and mother have gone to Birmingham for several days.

Mrs. W. H. Sharp has gone to Hillman Hospital in Birmingham.

Miss Willie Littlejohn left Sunday morning for Jacksonville.

Mrs. Byrdie McNeil left Sunday for Jacksonville where she will enter school for the summer.

Mrs. Leslie Mixon returned home yesterday from a two weeks visit at Union Springs.

Mrs. Edward Howard is improving slowly.

Mr. Sumner Gerald was home for the week end, also his sister, Ruth, both of Birmingham.

Mrs. J. H. Collins is not doing as well as she was a few days ago.

Mr. Grady Collins is spending the week with his sister, Mrs. Walter W. Robinson, at Lay Dam.

Mr. Thomas Hayes is out again and doing fine.

Mrs. A. N. Laurell went to Birmingham last Friday and returned Tuesday.

Mrs. Arthur Villadsen returned to Lincoln, Alabama Sunday after spending the week with her mother, Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

Miss Jessie Mims had as Sunday dinner guests Mrs. M. A. Wright, Mrs. Marion S. Smith, and Misses Ruth Martin and Clara Vines.

At Public School Auditorium April 30th, at 7:30 P. M. the P.-T. A. is giving a benefit party in order to pay off as much as possible of the remaining debt for the electric pump at the Public School. Three games will be played, dominoes, carum and rook and a prize will be awarded the highest score in each. Refreshments will be served. Price of tickets, 25c.

Misses Brown Russell, Ruth Pitts, Cathryn Stallingss, Camilla McCollum, of Thorsby Institute were guests of Mrs. W. H. Raybon Sunday Juanita Each, Miss Effie Lou Nugent, Mrs. Morgan of Birmingham spent Sunday evening with Edna Raybon.

Dr. Horace Franklin spent the week end with home folks

Mrs. R. R. Franklin, Peggy Mims and Mrs. Mack Gray spent Tuesday with Mrs. Jack Robinson of Jemison.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jackson of Wadsworth made a quick visit with Mr and Mrs. Mack Gray.

Mrs. R. R. Franklin and Peggy Mims spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Gray, Miss Vivian Roebuck and Miss Mildred Sanford

Mrs. J. W. Perkins and son, W. T., of Cullman, Ala., spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. A. F. O'Barr.

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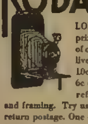

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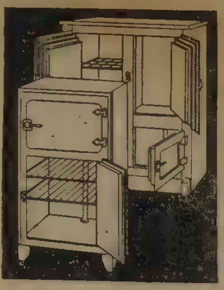

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ald in the person of Guy Alred, who announces the arrival of the Queen. He will have as his assistants Norman Harris and Jimmie Wyatt. The heralds will be followed by the float carrying the contestants who will be dressed for the occasion. They will have as escorts, walking beside their float, the ten little girls who came in second place as candidates. James Carl Martin will carry the May Queen Crown on a satin pillow in one of the floats. In another float the high school orchestra will appear, followed by the entire group of grammar school pupils.

The parade will terminate at the courthouse where the climax of the day will be reached, the crowning of the May Queen of the grammar school. At the count up to Tuesday, this week the following candidates were in the lead: First grade, Sarah Nell Sessions; Second grade, Lillian Smith; Third grade, Anne Cordelia Smith; Fourth grade, Nell Rockett; Fifth grade, Thelma White; Sixth grade, Jane Pitts.

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Concord-Billingsley

We regret to say that health is still not very good in this community this week.

A small group of Sunday School workers met and had school Sunday morning at ten o'clock. We had a very interesting subject to study, "What is True Prayer?" Our superintendent and two of the teachers were absent, but we hope to have them, and others with us next Sunday morning.

Also the Christian Endeavor program was very commendable, although there is room for improvement. We would like very much to have a larger attendance.

Miss Myrl Buzbee of Clanton Route 3 visited Miss Doris Waites during the past week end.

Mrs. W. A. Shaw and daughter, Lena Pearl, and Mrs. O. Y. Sims visited Mrs. C. D. Foshee Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fonza Williams and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cowart and little daughter were the Saturday night guests of Mrs. Cowart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw.

Mrs. W. W. Williams spent the latter part of the past week with her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Sheppard, of Clanton.

There will be a singing here next Sunday afternoon about two o'clock. We are going to use the Stamps-Baxter books (Cheerful Chimes). All singers and listeners are invited to come and be with us.

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ALABAMA THIRD IN COTTON PRODUCTION

By producing 1,472,992 bales of cotton in 1930 Alabama took third position in the list of states in the amount of cotton produced for that year, reports the Department of Agriculture and Industries. Alabama was surpassed by Texas which produced 4,029,141 bales and Georgia which produced 1,592,319 bales. Mississippi with a production of 1,464,247 bales, took fourth place.

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Switzerland sends more children's shoes to the United States than does any other foreign country.

IMPROVEMENT MADE IN GRADE AND STAPLE

Of 13,730,600 bales of American upland cotton ginned during the past season, 87.1 per cent was estimated to be white in color, compared with 84.3 per cent ginned last year; 69.3 per cent was white, middling and better compared with 63.3 per cent; cotton other than white and extra white was 9.3 per cent, compared with 12.5 per cent last year, reports the United States Department of Agriculture.

From the standpoint of tenderability in settlement of contracts made subject to the U. S. cotton futures act, and analysis of the figures indicates a total of 11,621,100 bales, or 84.6 per cent tenderable, compared with 75.7 per cent tenderability in the case of cotton ginned last year. Of tenderable cotton, 10,221,100 bales or 74.4 per cent of total upland, ranged in staple from 7-8 inch to 1 1-32 inches, inclusive, and 1,400,000 bales were over 1 1-32 inches in staple.

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Some two billion dollars has been invested in the pipe lines which carry crude oil from field to refinery and natural gas from well to market.

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A 200-horsepower motor which weighs 14 pounds and uses liquid air mixed with gasoline is the latest creation of Paul Heylandt, inventor.

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A new wrench for tightening airplane wires' turnbuckles is small enough to be operated within a space of an inch.

Maplesville News

The third quarterly meeting of the County P.-T. A. Council was held at Isabella Saturday, April 25. Miss Cora Bell Maddox, the president of the County P.-T. A. was in charge.

Song, by P.-T. A., Miss Scarborough at the piano. Devotional by Miss Maddox. Prayer by Prof. Earl Thomas.

Mrs. F. A. Shanks was the director of songs and stunts.

Mrs. A. F. Collins made the report of the district meeting.

Talk on Benefit of P.-T. A. by Mr. Howard Oden and Mr. Collins.

Business plans for the work were made by our chairman, Mrs. Collins.

The nominating committee not being ready to report, it was extended more time and the report will be made later.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins and Miss Watson of Eclectic, Ala. attended the meeting.

A delightful plate lunch was served by the Isabella P.-T. A.

Misses Helen and Hazel Wainwright of Vida, Ala., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hampton.

Mr. Jack Northrup of Kerrville, Tex., will arrive here Tuesday night, April 28; to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Northrup.

Those on the sick list include Mr. W. E. Northrup, Mr. Deramus and Mr. Perry. We hope for them all a speedy recovery.

Mr. Benson of Birmingham delivered a most interesting address to graduating boys and girls at Maplesville High School Auditorium last Friday. School days are over and the town lonely since the teachers are all gone.

Mrs. Edd Cothran and Flora Jane Abney of Selma were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Abney Saturday.

Flora Jane Abney and Helen Nix, members of Children of Confederacy, took part in Memorial exercises in Selma Sunday afternoon.

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DR. V. J. GRAGG USES LOCALLY SOLD FEED FOR FINE POULTRY

Besides being one of our most prominent physicians and surgeons, Dr. V. J. Gragg has recently become one of our most progressive poultrymen. It is real interesting to visit his place and see several different breeds of chickens and four breeds of pheasants. He has some breeds of chickens that are not found elsewhere in this section, among these are some of the finest White Giants in the South.

Dr. Gragg has some of the latest poultry equipment on the market which consists of a battery brooder of 3,200 baby chick capacity. He has grown chicks of various breeds this season that weighed 1 pound and thirteen ounces at seven weeks of age, and some White Giants that weighed 2 1-4 lbs.

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HOME OF E. W. BURT BADLY DAMAGED BY RECENT FIRE

The home of E. W. Burt, negro, was badly damaged by fire late Wednesday night of last week. The alarm was sounded about midnight, and the volunteer firemen answered the call without any loss of time. Although the home of Burt is located in the negro quarters, a hose was stretched from West End down to the house.

Some of the furnishings of the little bungalow were saved from the flames, but quite a number of articles of furniture were destroyed. The origin of the blaze was not learned at this time. Some insurance was carried it was stated.

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Mc MESSER BUYS OUT INTEREST OF G. O. WELDON IN BUSINESS

Mc D. Messer has purchased the interest of G. O. Weldon in the concern of Messer & Weldon, wholesale fruit and produce dealers, according to an announcement made this week. The change took effect last Saturday.

Mr. Messer is well known throughout this section. He stated that in the future the business would go under the firm name of Mc D. Messer, dealer in wholesale fruits and produce. Mr. Messer placed an order for job printing with the News this week to comply with the new concerns policies.

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Listen! You tired business men, a visit to the "Temple of the Occult" solved Mr. Bentwood's problems in

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Mrs. T. R. Burdette Hostess To "As You Like It Club."

Mrs. T. R. Burdette delightfully entertained the "As You Like It Club" at her home Thursday afternoon. The living room was decorated with varicolored cut flowers. Late in the afternoon the hostess served delicious refreshments to the following: Mesdames D. W. Haskew, D. C. Alred, J. B. Atkinson, W. W. Fox, L. H. Reynolds, H. C. Falkenberry, W. M. Polk, Flem Higgins, V. J. Gragg, M. A. Gore. Invited guests were Mrs. B. Jones and Mrs. G. C. Powell. The club will meet with Mrs. W. M. Polk May 7th.

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Mrs. J. C. Hill Hostess to Circle 6.

Mrs. J. C. Hill was hostess to Circle 6 Monday afternoon. Mrs. A. C. Smith conducted the devotional, after which a brief business meeting was held. Those present were Mesdames E. G. Hyman, P. D. Wilson, G. C. Powell, J. W. McEathern, F. M. Connell, J. B. Atkinson, J. D. Broadhead, A. C. Smith, J. H. Hardy, C. V. Heath, Miss Laura Robinson.

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The Faithful Workers Sunday school class will have its next meeting at Mrs. E. E. Upchurch's camp. All members are urged to be present next Sunday as this will be the last meeting for the contest.

Mrs. J. B. Atkinson and children spent several days with her mother, Mrs. W. T. Darnell, at Vincent last week.

Mrs. D. H. Perry of Selma spent the week end in Clanton as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geiger, two sons, Freddie and Ralph, one daughter, Mary Elizabeth, of Birmingham came down Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Geiger's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus.

Mrs. George Blalock of Birmingham spent last week with relatives in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wililams and Dr. and Mrs. Clayton of Birmingham spent Sunday with Mrs. L. H. Williams.

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Woman's Auxilliary Met Monday Afternoon.

The Woman's Auxilliary of the Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs. Woodson at Lay Dam Monday afternoon. An interesting program was led by Mrs. N. S. Johnson. Those present were Mesdames N. S. Johnson, N. Roberts, Green, J. M. VanDerveer, L. F. Gerald, H. G. Reynolds, V. J. Heard, H. C. Falkenberry. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Askins.

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Circle No. 1 Met With Mrs. Clyde Jones.

Circle No. 1 met April 27th at the home of Mrs. Clyde Jones with Mrs. Mack Broadhead as joint hostes. The devotional was conducted by Mrs. C. R. Mullins and a very interesting program followed. After the business the meeting adjourned for the social hour during which delightful refreshments were served.

J. L. Conway, a progressive fa who resides in the Isabella Comm was in Clanton Tuesday.

Friends of Julius Reynolds will gret to learn that he is seriously the home of his parents here.

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Jerry: "Why not tell her what income really it?"

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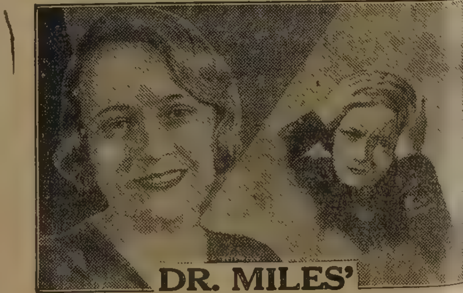

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CHEVROLET CO. PRESIDENT IS VISITOR HERE

W. K. Knudsen Pays Visit To Polk Bros. Motor Co., Local Chevrolet Dealers

Polk Brothers Motor Company, local Chevrolet dealers, played host to perhaps two of the most distinguished visitors Clanton has had in sometime, when W. K. Knudsen, president of the Chevrolet Company, and B. E. Ralston, assistant general sales manager of the Chevrolet Company, visited here last Sunday night.

These two men were accompanied by P. Sever, zone sales manager of Birmingham, and were traveling through the country from Detroit, Mich. The party was traveling in one of General Motors most modern automobiles, a Cadillac of the latest type.

They arrived in Clanton about seven o'clock Sunday night, stopping at Polk Brothers Motor Company for sometime, where they asked George C. Polk, W. M. Polk, and assistants questions concerning the reception the new Chevrolet car is receiving in this section. Mr. Knudsen was very much interested in knowing of any suggestions or criticisms on the new Chevrolet car, stating that they were ever on the alert to give the people a car to suit them.

They were shown through the plant of the Polk Brothers Motor Company and commented very favorably on it.

VERBENA SERVICE STATION TO ERECT GARAGE IN NEAR FUTURE

Chas. Gulledge, proprietor of the popular Verbena Service Station, at Verbena, Ala., stated this week that work is to start right away on a modern repair shop at his place.

This garage will be in connection with his service station known in all parts of the state for its excellent service and courteous treatment to customers.

Just when the garage will be completed was not stated but it is believed that it will be ready for occupancy within a few weeks. It will occupy a vacant lot, adjoining the Verbena Service Station, on the south side. Mr. Gulledge also stated that other improvements will be made as fast as possible, in order that their service will not be lacking in a single item. The Verbena Service Station is also headquarters for the bus running from Verbena to Montgomery by way of Mt. Creek, Marbury, Elmore, etc., on the old high-

GASTON ROBINSON ACCEPTS POSITION WITH INS. CO.

An announcement was made this week that Gaston Robinson has accepted a position with the Industrial Life & Health Insurance Company, of Atlanta, Ga. Mr. Robinson has been connected with the Robinson Department Store for some time. He is at present traveling with another representative of the insurance company, P. W. Echols, who is in charge of this district.

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Miss Celia Baldwin of Mt. Creek was in Clanton shopping last Tuesday.

MASONS WILL HEAR GEORGE THIGPEN SUN.

Hon. Geo. Thigpen Will Also Speak At Maplesville Baptist Church Sun., May 10

An announcement was made this week stating that the Hon. George H. Thigpen, prominent citizen of Montgomery, will speak to the Masons at Maplesville, Ala., at two o'clock next Sunday afternoon, May 10th. This address will be made in the Masonic Lodge Hall.

He will also speak at the Baptist church in Maplesville at three o'clock Sunday afternoon, and everyone is invited to hear this distinguished speaker and citizen. All Masons, regardless of their standing are invited to hear him in the Masonic hall.

Mr. Thigpen is a most forceful speaker. His philosophy of life and conception of human relations will be interesting and instructive to all who are at all concerned about the civic and spiritual status of the people.

COUNTY BOARD WILL ELECT TEACHERS AND DRIVERS TUES.

The County Board of Education is scheduled to meet on next Tuesday, May 12, for the purpose of electing teachers for those schools in the county where no teachers have been named yet.

They will also open bids for all the school truck routes in the county on that day. It was stated that all bids should be in the office of the county superintendent by next Monday to assure proper consideration.

HOME ECONOMICS SUPT. VISITS SCHOOLS IN CO. THIS WEEK

Miss Kathryn Forney, State Superintendent of Vocational Home Economics, from Montgomery, has been in Chilton County for several days visiting the high schools. Miss Forney has assisted materially in the conducting of the instructing in the clasess of home economics.

S. S. CONVENTION WILL MEET AT VERBENA SOON

Unity and Chilton Baptist Association Baptist Con. To Be Held May 10th

The next Sunday School Convention for the District south of Clanton of Unity and Chilton Baptist Associations will be held at the Verbena Baptist church on Sunday afternoon, May 10th, according to an announcement from C. D. Huges, vice-president of the association.

The convention will be called to order at two o'clock. The program promises to be good, with some fine speakers present. Following is the program for the afternoon:

2:00 Devotional by Mr. Lee Robinson.

2:15 Reports.

2:30 "Facing our Record," by Rev. M. Lockhart.

2:50 Special Music.

3:00 Who Is Responsible for the Religious Development of the Youth of the Community? by Rev. J. C. Hill.

3:30 Adjourn.

Julius Reynolds Died At Home Here Sunday

Julius Reynolds, age 29, died at the home of his parents in Clanton, last Sunday morning, May 3, about four o'clock, following a serious attack of pneumonia. He became ill while at his duty at Reynolds Mill, south of Montgomery, and was brought to Clanton, being ill only for a few days.

The deceased was well known thruout the state, especially in South Alabama where he had scores of friends. Funeral services were held last Monday morning at ten o'clock at the home with Dr. D. W. Haskew, pastor of the Clanton Methodist church officiating, assisted by Dr. S. J. Ezell, pastor of the local Baptist church. Interment followed in the Clanton cemetery with Martin & Sons in charge. Surviving is the widow, Alice Stanfield Reynolds and two children. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds, four sisters, Mrs. Lessie Hammack of Childersburg, Mrs. Annie Roberts, Mrs. Percy M. Pitts of Clanton and Mrs. Willodean Box of Birmingham. Two brothers, Reuben Reynolds of Atlanta and Hoyt of Clanton and a number of other relatives.

The deceased is a nephew of Judge L. H. Reynolds of Clanton. He attended the local high school, and Marion Institute.

His popularity among the people who knew him was shown by the large number present to pay last rites at the funeral. These people came from all sections of the state.

Pallbearers were Otto Jones, Crutcher Ross, James Wade, Julius Burnett, Barney Burnett, Mallie Armstrong.

CLAUDE CALLOWAY OF FLORIDA VISITING BROTHER IN CLANTON

Claude Calloway of Miami, Florida, is the guest this week of his brother, Joe N. Calloway, of the Calloway Drug Company. The former Mr. Calloway has been connected with the drug business for several years in Florida.

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Miss Elizabeth Parker, Miss Lola Jamison, Prof. Harold Johnson and Mr. Arden Allen of Birmingham spent Sunday with the former's niece, Mrs. Agnes McNair.

Special Mother's Day Service At M.E. Church

Dr. Haskew, pastor of the Clanton Methodist Church, has announced a special Mother's Day Service at his church next Sunday at 11 A.M. The public is most cordially invited to be present. The subject of the sermon delivered is "Mothers of Men." The occasion will not be a time of shedding tears, but a time of grateful appreciation of mother and her influence.

Each member of the church has been asked to bring as many pennies, or cents, as is the age of his mother. This special donation to be given as an expression of gratitude for the mother. This amount will be applied on the Conference assessments for the church, and it is thought that a neat sum will be given. It is Dr. Haskew's opinion that love without sacrifice loses its sweetness, and he is calling for this sum as an expression of appreciation of Mother and her influence.

LITTLE LILLIAN SMITH CROWNED MAY QEEN OF LOCAL SCHOOL

At the close of the intensely interesting May Queen contest sponsored by the Clanton Grammar School, little Miss Lillian Smith, daughter of Mayor and Mrs. J. Lee Smith, was crowned as the May Queen, winning over nine other contestants.

The crowning of the May Queen climaxed a program which included a large parade with gaily decorated floats, put on by pupils and teachers of the school. The money derived from this contest was to go to a fund to be used for the extension of the grammar school term, and quite a neat sum was realized from the sale of votes.

The May Queen was crowned at the courthouse where the parade terminated. Mayor J. Lee Smith, officially crowned the Queen, before a large crowd.

W.O.W. FIELD DAY PLANS NEARING COMPLETION, EVANS SAYS

E. C. Evans, local district manager of the Woodmen of the World, stated this week that the plans for the gala field day of the organization which is to be held in Clanton soon, are nearing completion.

Mr. Evans stated that the outlook for a successful district meeting is very promising. Uniform degree teams from Tuscaloosa, Birmingham, Montgomery, Greenville, Phoenix City and four newly organized teams of this county will be present on that day to participate in the exercises. The ladies circle auxialliary to the W. O. W., will have two teams from Birmingham and Montgomery here to give a demonstration of their work. Further plans and details of the program will be published later Mr. Evans stated.

MISS LOIS MILLER BECOMES BRIDE OF CLYDIE CLECKLER

The marriage of Miss Lois Miller to Mr. Clydie Cleckler took place Sunday morning, April 26th, at the home of the Rev. T. J. Deason, the latter performing the ceremony.

Mrs. Cleckler is the attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Miller, who reside in the Friendship Community near Clanton, and was a student in the Chilton County High School. The groom is one of Clanton's promising young business men, and is at present connected with the Calloway Drug Company. They are making their home in the Gowan Addition.

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Mr. T. L. Lecroy of the Mulberry Community was among the visitors to Clanton Tuesday.

Inzer-McSwain Wedding Is Solemnized

A marriage that came as a complete surprise to the people of Clanton took place last Sunday night when Miss Louise McSwain became the bride of Burt Marshal Inzer. The ceremony was performed at the Methodist church in Clanton by the Rev. D. W. Haskew, pastor of the church, in the presence of friends of the couple.

Mrs. Inzer is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. McSwain of Clanton. She is a graduate of the Chilton County High School, and a popular member of the younger social group of Clanton.

Mr. Inzer is the eldest son of the Rev. and Mrs. I. W. Inzer, of Leeds. Rev. Inzer is pastor of the Baptist church in Leeds. The groom is also a nephew of the pastor of the First Baptist church of Montgomery. He is a graduate of the Leeds High School, later attending the Alverson Business College, where he also received his diploma. He has been employed by the Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company for several years, working during summer vacations from school, and now is connected with the A & P Store in Clanton.

CHICAGO SALES CO. NO. 2 HAS BEEN MOVED TO CLANTON

Reedie Taylor, manager of the Chicago Sales Company, has announced this week that the Chicago Sales Company No. 2, located at Jemison, Ala., has been moved to Clanton, the entire stock of goods of that store having been placed in the stock of the Chicago Sales Company of Clanton.

Mr. W. A. Kemp, who has had charge of the Jemison store will in the future be connected with the Clanton store. be connected with the Clanton store, Mr. Taylor stated. Mr. Kemp has been with the Chicago Sales Company for sometime, and his addition to the Clanton store will add to the already efficient corps of clerks there in a large way. He stated that he wanted his friends and customers of the Jemison territory to come down to Clanton to see him at his new location, where they will be assured of the same buying satisfaction they received at the Jemison store.

SEN. HUGO BLACK SPEAKS TO LOCAL AMERICAN LEG. POST

Senator Hugo L. Black addressed a large audience at the courthouse last Monday night, at the regular meeting of the Chilton County Post of the American Legion. Mr. Grant, the Senator's secretary accompanied him to Clanton from Birmingham.

This county should feel very fortunate for the opportunity to hear this distinguished speaker at this time. Sen Black's talk was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone present judging from comments from those who were at the meeting. Plans for the fish fry of the local post of the Legion were also discussed. This will be held on Friday, May 22. Further plans will be announced later, according to Joe N. Calloway, Commander.

MEMBER OF "MELODY PALS" VISITING IN THORSBY, ALA.

Gresham Lowery, known to radio audiences as "Gene" of Thorsby has had as his guest this week, Luke Denton, who is a member of the popular radio group, "The Melody Pals," along with Lowery. They were visitors to Clanton Tuesday enroute to Montgomery where they appeared on the program of Station WSFA, Tuesday night.

SENIOR CLASS WILL PRESENT ANNUAL PLAY HERE TONIGHT

The Annual Senior Play which will be staged at the high school tonight bids fair to excell any attraction offered here in a long time. Miss Bernice Williams, who has coached quite a number of entertainments that were pleasantly received in Clanton, states that she feels that this type of amusement will appeal to anyone desiring to attend a good clean show. Then, too, some real acting of their parts well, will be observed if you will follow closely the general trend of the plot of the play.

Homer Carroll, a young ministerial student, and an outstanding individual in every way in school, plays a leading part in the role of characters. You must not miss seeing him as "Mr. Brentwood, the worried real estate man." Frank McMurray plays the part of the great "Ramjah," the Hindoo Mystic, who sells horoscopes for a fee. He and his college friends, Jack Burks and John Ponder Lawrence, assist in raising money to put over a big deal.

Mary Heard, as "Doris Bentwood," dances under an assumed name, and thereby aids her father financially.

Janice Danforth and Berniece Williams also have prominent parts in the play.

Clotilde Johnson plays the part of "Mrs. Brentwood," and Alvinn Davis as "Fosdick," Mr. Brentwood's salesman, is interestingly portrayed thruout the program.

Don't fail to come and see this show because this is your talent made possible by the seniors who have been lighting their candles at dear old C. C. H. S. for the last four years, and who are leaving it to take up further work along life's pathway.

M. L. WARE RESTING WELL IN BIRMINGHAM HOSPITAL

Reports from the Birmingham hospital where M. L. "Matt" Ware, operator, of the popular Matt's Lunch Shoppe of Clanton, is confined stated that he is resting well. Mr. Ware underwent three operations last week, and has been greatly missed from his place of business and from Clanton since he has been away. The last reports received by the News concerning Mr. Ware's condition were received Tuesday night.

MRS. T. C. McSWAIN RECOVERING FROM AN OPERATION

The many friends of Mrs. T. C. McSwain will be glad to learn that she is recovering rapidly from an appendicitis operation at the Memorial Hospital in Montgomery. It is expected she will be able to return to her home here in a very short time.

EARTH TREMORS FELT SLIGHTLY LAST TUESDAY

Residents of Clanton and This Entire Section Receive Slight Shakings

An occurence that caused old timers to recall something of an earthquake many years ago in Clanton, causing dishes and pans to rattle on the shelves, and houses to seem to rise for a moment from their foundations, occurred here last Tuesday morning early when slight earth tremors were felt thruout this section.

The exact time of the occurence was not determined. Some say it was a little after six o'clock Tuesday morning, while others say about six-thirty o'clock. The slight trembling of the earth caused houses to shake, and sounded like a low slow rumbling of heavy thunder.

Tracers sent out by this newspaper brought in reports that it seemed to be general in this, the central part of the state. Whether it was a slight earthquake or not, has not yet been determined.

Mrs. T. P. Parrish Died Here Wednesday, 29th

Mrs. Louisa Elizabeth Parrish, age 62, died at her home in Clanton on Wednesday, April 29th, following a lingering illness. She was the wife of Tom P. Parrish, one of this county's prominent farmers.

She was born May 22, 1868, in Coosa County, the daughter of Louisa Wyatt and J. W. E. Gulledge. The latter is one of the most prominent and oldest citizens of Chilton County, being known not only throughout the county but in many sections of the state as well, and a member of one of the county's most prominent families.

Funeral services were conducted at the Samaria Church, near Clanton by the Rev. J. W. Jones, pastor, and Dr. S. J. Ezell, pastor of the Clanton Baptist church. Interment followed in the Samaria cemetery with Martin & Sons of Clanton in charge.

At the impressive services Mrs. L. C. Ross and Mrs. W. A. Willis rendered songs, with Miss Kathryn Hayes at the piano. The large number of floral wreaths and designs that decorated the grave, and the large number present at these last rites attested to the love for this fine woman. She was a member of the Samaria church. She is survived by her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Leonard Farley and Miss Tommye Parrish, of Birmingham. Three sons, Jim, of Clanton, Willie, of Mitchell Dam, and Grady Parrish, of Birmingham, and her father, General J. W. E. Gulledge.

TWO PERSON TO BE SENT TO INSANE ASYLUM FROM HERE

Information given a representative of the News stated that two persons are to be committed to the insane asylum from this county soon. One is a negro woman, Claudie Jett, who has already been carried to Mt. Vernon. The other is Jimmie Dykes, an aged white man, who has been carried to Montgomery where he will be confined until proper papers are prepared for his removal to Bryce Hospital in Tuscaloosa.

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W. C. Hubbard of Thorsby, Ala. Rt. 1, was a visitor to Clanton last Saturday and while in town called at the News office.

MERCHANTS ARE OPPOSING THE FARM BUREAUS

Farmers Protest Bill Against County Agents and Cooperative Organizations

Various merchants of Alabama, including wholesale feed and supply dealers are ready to put up a fight against the operation of stores by the Alabama Farm Bureau Mutual Supply Association.

On April 23rd, a mass meeting of merchants was held at the Jefferson Davis Hotel in Montgomery, who asserted their rights in this question. Many of the something like three hundred merchants in attendance, stated that the corporation stores of the farm bureau were being operated without paying license or taxes and were doing a rather extensive mercantile business, being managed by county agents who are state paid teachers. A bill was scheduled to be introduced in the Alabama Legislature on May 5th, by the organization of Alabama Merchants and supply dealers, to prevent the further operation of the farm bureau stores.

On April 23rd certain interests were represented in a meeting in Montgomery at which bills were prepared that if passed by the Legislature would practically eliminate the services of county agents, vocational teachers and specialists from Auburn from aiding farmers and their various associations in any of their marketing problems.

According to the proposed bill it will be unlawful for county agents, vocational teachers or specialists to aid in the forming of associations for the marketing of farm produce or even aid in the placing of any farm product a farmer may have for sale, or aid any farmer in the purchase of any seed or any other materials he may need.

The proposed bill provides that when it becomes a law, a penalty of one hundred dollars and six months hard labor for any agent or vocational teacher or specialist guilty of violation of said law.

A meeting of some two hundred farmers and other interested citizens of Chilton County met at the Courthouse in Clanton Saturday, May 2, in protest of the proposed bill prepared by the group who met in Montgomery on April 23rd.

The following resolutions were drawn and approved some two hundred signed a petition to the Governor and Legislature to consider the resolutions.

To the Honorable B. M. Miller, Governor of Alabama, and To The Members of The Alabama Legislature:

Gentlemen:

In view of the fact that certain interests met in Montgomery April 23rd, and prepared certain bills to be presented to the Legislature, practically eliminating a much needed service of county and home agents, vocational teachers and other educational interests working directly with the farmers of the State, and prohibiting the cooperative buying and selling of materials that go into production of farm crops and livestock and sale of farm crops and livestock, and whereas,

We, of Chilton County, have been and now are benefitting from cooperative sale of such farm products as

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KIWANIANS OBSERVE ALL KIWANIS NIGHT

Local Members Attending International Convention In Miami, Fla.

Members of the Kiwanis Club of Clanton observed the international program for All Kiwanis Night, last Monday night, May 4th The program was carried out at the camp of Frank James at Mount Manning, with the minute of silent Kiwanis fellowship opening the program. This program was carired out by every Kiwanis Club in the United States and Canada at the same hour and also at the Kiwanis International Convention which closes in Miami, Fla., today.

Those members from the Kiwanis Club of Clanton who are attending the convention in Miami this week, left last Saturday, and will probably return the latter part of this week. The

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My Experiences in the World War

By General John J. Pershing

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W. N. U. Service

(continued from last week)

Heavy Work for the Staff.

During the first two months in France the work imposed upon the few staff officers who had accompanied me was very heavy. After urgent and repeated requests I was fortunate in having at my disposal later in the summer a small group of men which included some of the most brilliant and highly educated officers in the army.

In addition to those already with me, the officers included in the following cable I regarded as especially fitted for the duties for which they were desired:

"Request Robert C. Davis, adjutant general, be sent these headquarters earliest date. Request Frank Moorman or J. O. Mauborgne be sent these headquarters earliest date for duty as code expert. Request Samuel T. Hubbard, Jr., signal corps, now here, be called to active service and ordered to report to me. Request ten of following named officers be sent to report to me by second convoy for general staff duty: Frank R. McCoy, George Van Horn Moseley, Malin Craig, Alfred W. Bjornstadt, H. B. Fiske, Allen J. Grear, Paul B. Malone, Edgar T. Collins, Samuel R. Gleaves, Laurence Halstead, Nicholas W. Campanole, A. R. Moreno, Preston Brown, LeRoy R. Eltinge, W. B. Burtt, Frank T. Hines, Edward L. King, J. P. McAdams, W. C. Sweeney, J. B. Barnes, Kerr T. Riggs, W. H. Winters, Wait C. Johnson, Stuart Heintzelman, Upton Birnie Kirby Walker, Berkeley Enochs. . . ."

ERICAN RED CRO
CANTEEN

Red Cross Canteen Girls.

Having this nucleus and selecting the best features of the French and British systems, a general staff organization was created, which efficiently met every demand made upon it throughout the war and which remains today as a model for present and future guidance.

Source of Guns a Problem.

The question of artillery procurement caused me much concern. The almost negligible amount on hand when we went to war consisted mostly of field guns of the tree-inch type, then largely in the hands of troops in the Philippine islands and elsewhere and unavailable for issue. Moreover, for calibers heavier than the three-inch type our ordnance department had adopted nothing which was really up to date.

The enormous proportion of both light and heavy guns used by both sides, the knowledge of our deficiency and the realization of the length of time that must elapse before we could manufacture and deliver them made it imperative that we seek other sources than our own to help equip our armies.

Following up an intimation it was learned definitely that, although not fully supplied themselves, the French could increase the output of their factories provided they could get steel from the United States. As it seemed probable that we should operate in proximity to their armies we adopted the French types for the usual calibers and sought their assistance in obtaining the guns needed, at least for the first two years. We secured an agreement that our troops as they came along would be provided with French guns and ammunition, including not only the 75s and 155s but 37 mm. guns and 58 mm. trench mortars as well.

It was most fortunate that we were able to get these guns from the French, as up to the end of the war no guns of American manufacture of the types used, except twenty-four 8-inch mortars and six 14-inch naval guns, were fired in battle.

Trench guns of the three-inch and six-inch mortar types, with ammunition, were purchased from the British, as they were considered superior to those used by the French.

Progress of Red Cross.

The Red Cross reported excellent progress at this time, especially in its first effort to assist the French as agreed upon with General Petain. Its organization by Maj. Grayson M. P. Murphy for war work with our own armies was now about completed. The establishment of canteens and huts at the ports and other important points had already begun and the numbers increased as fast as needed.

These centers of service later maintained dispensaries and provided beds and bathing facilities for men traveling under orders or on leave. When the necessity arose the Red Cross actively co-operated with the medical corps in the field, contributing large quantities of supplies and often additional nurses. The work of the society, directed from a central office in Paris, eventually embraced practically every endeavor touching the health of the armies.

CHAPTER IX

I left Paris July 20, 1917, for a visit with Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, the British commander in chief, whose headquarters were in an old chateau half hidden away in a magnificent grove at Beldiques. I was accompanied by Colonels Harbord and Alvord and Captain Patton of my staff.

At dinner the subject of conversation naturally turned on the military situation of the allied armies, our own in particular. They were keen to know about our army, its organization and size, and the prospects of our putting troops in the field. As our active participation depended on many factors, such as training, equipment and shipping, my replies, of course, were indefinite and no doubt disappointing.

In turn we asked many questions, and it was especially interesting to hear the importance of artillery emphasized by its chief, Major General Birch, who spoke of the difficulties they had experienced in supplying themselves with guns that matched the enemy's.

Referring to their lack of artillery in the beginning, General Birch said there was reason to believe that they had finally attained a superiority over the Germans.

Real Teamwork Lacking.

Sir Douglas told me some of the details of Nivelle's unsuccessful attack in the spring, how it was known far and wide, beforehand and spoke particularly of the consequent serious disaffection among the French troops. Although he had placed himself under Nivelle's command for these operations, he had, he said, little confidence in the outcome from the start. He also commented on the failure of the French to co-operate fully on various occasions. His remarks entirely confirmed the belief that I had long since held that real teamwork between the two armies was almost totally absent.

Scarcely anything more strikingly impressed upon me our unpreparedness than what I saw during a few hours spent with General Trenchard at the British flying field, where we witnessed flyers doing every imaginable stunt, and saw planes of all classes, bombing, pursuit and observation, motors of different types and the thoroughly equipped repair shops.

The outstanding thing, however, which it was gratifying to note later on in our own aviation personnel, was the incomparable spirit and alertness of the young officers and the enlisted personnel. Every man seemed to be disappointed when a flight of planes departed for the front without him.

This visit to British headquarters was most instructive, as every opportunity was given us to study intimately the details of their wartime organization. After similar studies of the French system we selected from each those features best suited to perfect a well-balanced staff for our own army.

The cordial relations and good understanding established between Sir Douglas Haig and myself and between the corresponding members of our staffs and with a number of the leading British officers with whom we were later to have official dealings proved very advantageous. In London, long after the armistice, Sir Douglas, in an after-dinner speech, referred to this visit, which happened during a period of depression, and said that our timely appearance at his headquarters had aroused in them a strong feeling of hopefulness for the future.

Meets Other Leaders.

My diary at this time notes the following:

> Paris, Thursday, July 26, 1917.—Had breakfast yesterday at the Crillon with Lloyd George. He is alert and energetic and has a clear conception of allied problems. Took lunch with Mr. Balfour, who thinks we have reason to feel easier regarding submarines. Representatives of the various allies met for conference on general situation. In the evening M. Ribot, the prime minister, gave a state dinner to officials attending conference.
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> Today attended luncheon to allied representatives given by the President and Mme. Poincare at the Elysee palace.
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> In conference this afternoon with Petain, Cadorna, Robertson and Foch at latter's office. Discussed military plans, talked about tonnage possibilities and shortage of personnel. All pessimistic and reserved.
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> James Stillman, just returned from a tour of France, confirms reports of serious depression.

Situation Not Hopeful.

The meeting of the allied military leaders July 26, which was my first, brought out little that was hopeful. The political relations of the allies were touched upon in a general way, but only so far as they might affect the military situation. The most significant recent event, of course, had been the crisis in Russia.

With reference to American assistance, I gave in detail the situation as to our man power, immediate and prospect, especially in the light of the latest plans of the department, and laid particular emphasis on the necessity of additional shipping. A cablegram had just been received in response to mine of July 6 in which I had requested that at least a million men reach France by the following spring.

This message, indicating that the War department foresaw small chance of securing the necessary tonnage, was read to the conference in part as follows:

"By using all shipping which is now in sight for the purpose and which will be available after month of November, the plan proposes to transport to France by June 15, 1918, twenty-one divisions, comprising about 420,000 men, together with auxiliary troops and replacement troops, line of communication troops, and others, amounting to 214,970 men, making a total of 634,975 men."

More Tonnage Needed.

Although short of my recommendations, even this schedule could be carried out only by a very large increase of tonnage. The other members of the conference were of the opinion that if new adjustments could be made there might be shipping for nine or ten of our divisions before spring. So for the moment there did not seem to be the slightest chance of transporting a million men to France by the following June.

After canvassing the whole situation, the conference expressed the unanimous opinion that a defensive role should be adopted on all secondary fronts. The British and French representatives hoped that the surplus troops resulting from this course might be available to strengthen their armies in France and General Cadorna, of course, thought the Italian armies should have their share.

CHAPTER X

About this time (July, 1917) disturbing reports were submitted to me confidentially by one of our naval officers sent by Admiral Sims from London. Calculations based upon tonnage losses for May, June and July seemed to confirm the conclusions of a month previous that there would soon be insufficient allied shipping left to bring over an American army of required strength, and that the allies would find it difficult to keep up their food supply from overseas.

The data presented by the naval officer proved that if this rate of destruction could not be reduced the war would be lost before we could fire a shot.

This report was certainly most pessimistic, but it did not dispel my confidence in the success of the plan that had been tested and was about to be inaugurated of sending ships over in convoys under the protection of naval vessels. Additional destroyers requested by Admiral Sims had by this time largely increased such craft in European waters, and as a result the activities of submarines had been somewhat diminished for July as compared with April.

Need of Speed Evident.

Yet for the time being ship construction in British yards continued below losses and our shipping board at home had scarcely stopped wrangling over materials and types. All these facts caused everybody to realize the extreme urgency of speed, and that in turn gave some hope that the prospects might soon become brighter.

It was my belief, even in the face of the heavy losses, that with complete co-operation under expert management and distribution, the shipping would be ample for all purposes. This would require, of course, that it be placed under some central authority, but the governments, especially the British, that controlled most of it, while apparently desirous of helping, did not seem inclined to think they could make any concessions. They had entered into arrangements to assist each other with shipping for foodstuffs, but there was no such thing as pooling of allied tonnage for general purposes.

However, the discouraging reports on the situation did make such an impression on the military leaders that they suggested the possibility of pooling all available shipping and accordingly recommended a commission to consider the question, with especial reference to the transportation of the American army.

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NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court In Equity. No. 908.
Buna Wallace Fowler, Complainant, vs.
Charlie Fowler, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of G. C. Walker that the Defendant is a nonresident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Charlie Fowler, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 28 day of May, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 25th day of April, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
4-30-4tcS Register.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity No. 916.
Jettie McCray Laston, Complainant, vs.
Duff Laston, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of J. B. Atkinson that the Defendant is a nonresident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Duff Laston, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 2nd day of June, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 2nd day of May, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
5-7-4tc Register.

Ollen G. Barnes of Chicago complained in a suit for divorce that his wife brought down an unabridged dictionary on his skull as she announced she wanted "to inject some knowledge into his head."

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MUSCLE SHOALS GRANT COMPLETED TO STATE

The completion of the Government's grant of 400,000 acres to Alabama for the improvement of the Tennessee River at Muscle Shoals has finally been secured by the State Commission of Forestry. The grant was finally authorized by Congress over a hundred years ago, but failure of the State to take advantage of its provisions prevented the acquisition of the entire amount until recently. The Commission of Forestry has just been advised of the issuance of the final patent in the case.

Most of the land authorized for title through the grant was selected many years ago, but a shortage of several thousand acres was permitted to stand until the State Commission of Forestry was directed by the State Land Act of 1927 to act for the State in securing the completion of all Federal grants. The Commission was chosen as the agency for this purpose for the reason that its technical staff contains trained surveyors, timber experts, and classifiers and valuation engineers.

For about a century a balance of approximately 9,679 acres remained be selected and patented. The term of the grant required that the lands b chosen from the counties of Madiso Morgan, Limestone, Lawrence, Frank lin and Lauderdale. It was a matte of some difficulty to find a sufficien amount of unpatented Government lan in these counties to satisfy the gran However, this was finally accomplishe Of the balance due the State 8,579 a res were patented in 1929, the remain er being suspended pending the term nation of certain adverse claims. The were decided in favor of the State, an the remaining balance of 1,118 acr has now been patented, closing th grant. While the original grant wa for 400,000 acres, the total area paten ed to the State amounts to 400,018 being the amount of available land com puted to the nearest forty acre trac

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An Announcement

We have moved the entire stock of the Chicago Sales Company No. 2, of Jemison, Ala., to Clanton, where it is now in the Chicago Sales Company Store. The addition of this stock of up-to-date merchandise to the already complete stock of the Clanton Store, will give us a more complete stock for our customers to select from.

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May Day Festival Is Gala Event

By GUY H. de SHAZO

The May Day Festival and meeting of the Alumni Association of Womans College at Montgomery, events which are held annually on the first Saturday in May, were held on the campus of that institution on last Saturday, May 2. In connection with the regular events connected with the meeting of the Alumni and the staging of the regular court of the Queen o' the May, there was held also field day exercises for girl athletic teams from several of the high schools of the state. There were approximately two hundred of these girls present and taking part in the field day activities.

During the morning hours and while the Field Day trials were being held on the Campus, the Alumni Association held its business sessions in The Hut. Considerable enthusiasm was manifested at this meeting and a wholehearted support of the school and its drive for a million dollar endowment fund was pledged by the members of the association who were present. At the conclusion of the field trials and the Alumni meet, a picnic luncheon was served to all the visiting high school girls on the south side of Julia Pratt Hall. The Alumni association, the members of tht class of 1931 and their friends and members of their families were served an elaborate family style luncheon in the main dining room of Pratt Hall. The luncheon menu included fruit cocktail, fried chicken, stewed potatoes in cream, asparagus tips, pickled peaches, frozen fruit salad, hot rolls and butter, strawberry shortcake and coffee, salted and roasted almonds. The writer has attended a number of similar luncheons and we feel safe in saying that this luncheon was the best we have ever had the pleasure of attending.

During the course of the luncheon, which by the way, lasted about two hours, a specialty program was put on by the entertainment committee. This program was in the nature of what those in charge were pleased to call a radio broadcast, in which some unique features were introduced, including an experiment in "visible broadcasting" which proved a decided success. A number of short talks were made by various members of the faculty, notable among whom were Dr. Walter D. Agnew, president of the college and Miss Stone. Owing to the hub-dub in the dining room, it was impossible for the writer to get all the names of those who made short talks.

The May Day Festival was staged in the natural amphitheatre just to the south of Flowers Hall. Adequate seating arrangements were provided for the crowd of more than 2.000 friends of the college who witnessed the crowning of Miss Mary Pruitt as Queen o' the May.

The festival was opened with the Inaugural procession which included the members of the class of 1931, the incoming and outgoing executive boards of the student council, the retiring and incoming presidents of the student body, and Dr. Agnew. The inaugural tradition was given by Miss Fannie Corbitt, the retiring student president, who returned the gavel of authority to Dr. Agnew who in turn gave the gavel to Miss Montine Lisenby administering the oath of office as president of the student body for 1931-32.

Next came the presentation of gifts and tokens of love and fidelity by each class of the school. At the conclusion of these activities the Primrose Festival was held.

The entire story of the May Festival and the fair Princess who must on that day choose a husband, was pantomined. Practically the entire student body took part in this huge and colorful carnival which was staged for the amusement of Her Highness. There were ten beautifully costumed dances which included jesters and fools, gypsies and jugglers, marionettes, hoops and balloons, suitors, gnomes, clouds, fairies, drama and priests. The transfiguration of the dwarfed prince into a spry and lovely suitor took place during the dance of the Clouds and won the love of the fair Princess, the twain being wedded by the High Priest during the Dance of the Priests and legend has it that they lived happily ever after.

The Inaugural reception was then held in "The Hut" to which every friend of the College was invited. In the receiving line were Miss Corbitt, the retiring student president, Miss Lisenby, the incumbent with her father; Dr. and Mrs. Agnew and their Royal Highnesses, the King and the Queen, Saidee Crook and Mary Pruitt, respectively.

Aside from the activities of the day, the writer was impressed with the cordiality of each and every member of the faculty and student body with whom he had the pleasure to come in contact. No effort was spared to make the day one of pleasure and comfort for every visitor. Being single, the writer of course was interested in the girls more or less, and we would say here that a fellow certainly could find one to his liking no matter how hard he might be to please! There are short girls, long girls, blond girls, brunette girls, thin girls, older girls, younger girls, fat girls and—Jap girls! Walk right up fellows and take your pick!

Personally, the writer wishes to take this occasion to publicly thank Dr. Agnew and his able faculty and the entire student body for one of the most enjoyable days we have spent in many a moon.

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SLEDGE HAMMER BLOWS

Would you hit your automobile with a sledge hammer? It sounds like a ridiculous question, yet that is the effect on your car when it strikes a depression in the road, even when traveling at slow speed. Only the resiliency of tires, springs and shock absorbers tends to save it.

Every time a road or street is dug up, the fill is bound to settle, making a depression, and, as one writer expresses it, "an unseen giant rests beneath the road ready to strike your tires and nerves with his sledge hammer as you drive by—and the faster you drive the harder he strikes."

The way to prevent the activities of this giant is to avoid excavations under the streets by placing a main on each side. This is cheaper in the long run, safer from a fire standpoint where water is concerned, and in the case of wide streets actually uses less pipe than when a single main is used.

Progressive communities are now placing their gas and water mains behind the curb. This avoids the bad appearance, danger and noise of torn-up streets, saves wear and tear on cars and nerves, and is real economy from every standpoint It is a modern and sensible plan which should be adopted generally. Certainly everyone who operates a motor vehicle of any kind would vote for its adoption, in the interest of smooth streets and highways.

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Dr. Frank Shufflebotham of Newcastle, Eng., stated in his bankruptcy case that fighting his wife's divorce suit had wrecked his finances.

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When a policeman of Norwalk, Conn. stopped a motor car and asked the tiny driver his age, the midget replied, "I am 25 and married."

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Eastview News

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Mr. J. P. Rushing and family had for their Saturday evening guests Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Henson, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins and Mr. Edgar Patterson.

Rev. A. C. Nelson and family motored to Eclectic last Friday where he conducted services at Watson Chapel and Union church on Saturday and Sunday.

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Mr. Tarpit Prickett visited Mr. Howard Smith Sunday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wililam Rushing was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rob Morris.

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The Ladies Aid Society met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Lola Mae Nelson. They made some beautiful flowers and planned some work for the future. They will meet next Saturday at 10 a.m. at the church. All members are requested to come.

Visitors are welcome.

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There wil lbe preaching services here next Saturday and Snuday. Everybody has a cordial invitation to attend.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Smith motored to Montgomery Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Comer Nelson are reported to be sick this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Henson spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dobbs.

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Mrs. Tom Traywick is reported to be sick this week.

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We had several visitors at Sunday school and Christian Endeavor Sunday. Come back again, you are always welcome.

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Rev. A. C. Nelson and Mr. Otis Coggins motored to Mt. Springs community Monday evening.

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Next Sunday is Mothers' Day. All mothers and fathers are invited to attend the eleven o'clock service at Eastview. If you find a welcome at Eastview tell others, if not tell us.

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Mr. S. P. Smith made a business trip to Clanton Tuesday.

KIWANIANS PLAN GOLF AND TRIPS AS MEETING ENDS

Decide on '32 Convention City —Six Trustees Continue in Office For New Year

Miami, May 7.—The sessions of the 15th annual convention of Kiwanis International come to a close today.

Six members of the board of trustees of Kiwanis International will today end their two-year term of office. They are: Carl E. Endicott, of Huntington, Ind.; T. Harry Gowman, Seattle; William O. Harris, Los Angeles; Howard T. Hill, Manhattan, Kan.; Herbert A. Moore, Du Bois, Pa.; and Edmond C. van Diest, Colorado Springs, Colorado. Two vice-president, Harper Gatton, of Madisonville, Ky., and Capt. C. E. Jeakins, of Brantford, Ontario, and Dr. Walter R. Weiser, of Daytona Beach, Fla., treasurer, will also retire from office today.

Trustees to continue in office for another year are: Dr. William J. Carrington, Atlantic City, N. J.; Joshua L. Johns, Appleton, Wis.; Jerry H Lammers, Wessington Springs, S. D.; Rev Ernest F. McGregor, Norwalk, Conn.; Albert Snedeker, Wheeling, W. Va.; and Dr. C. C. Tatham, Edmonton, Alberta.

Delegates wil today decide the 1932 convention city for Kiwanis. Five cities, Toronto, Washington, D. C., Detroit, Cleveland, and Chicago, seek the honor.

The 4th annual championship golf tournament is to be played at the beautiful Miami country club this afternoon. Visitors after the close of the convention today will leave on tours to Havana, throughout the southland, and along the Atlantic coast.

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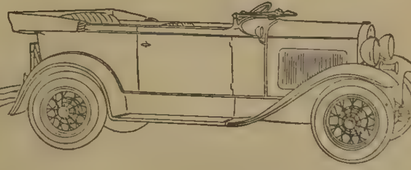

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Our MOTHERS

Sunday, May 10th, is Mothers' Day the day set aside for special honor to all Mothers. It is the day when Mothers will come first in everything all over the world.

To some it is perhaps queer that only one day in each year should be designated as the day when special honor is paid to Mothers, when Mothers should receive special honor every day in the year. "Honor thy Father and Mothers" rings in the mind and heart of every true man and woman, boy and girl every day But we use the word special, when we say honor to the Mother on Mothers' Day.

What a splendid sight it would be if every Mother living now and able, could be seen at church next Sunday morning, escorted by some one of her children or near relative

Modern Mothers may be rouged and powdered. They may play bridge and golf. They may do less cooing over their babies, but the tenderness of Motherhood is theirs as it was their own Mothers'. A few women in every generation may have been callous and indifferent to their maternal duties and pleasures, in this time as in all others, a Mother is the most influential factor in a child's life.

Mothers may be somewhat forgotten when things are rosy, but who is first to receive a thought when trouble and misfortune stalk one's path? It is Mother. It is Mother who always understands and believes, when others fail to understand and lose confidence in times of need. It is Mother who is always at home to receive you. It is Mother who brought you into this world and sacrificed many of her pleasures that you would be happy and comfortable. It is Mother who would gladly give up her life to save yours.

All honor to Mother, the one who gives and asks little in return.

So let's pile her lap high with gifts and let's sing songs of praise to her on Mothers' Day. Her unselfishness and sacrificial spirit have made her worthy of all we can do and give, and her love will follow us around the world, the one proof of an abiding faith and a constant affection

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What About Our Almshouse?

A letter comes to the attention of this newspaper this week concerning the almshouse of Chilton County. The letter is being published. It states that there is a lacking in the food being given the inmates of the farm. No investigation of the conditions of the county almshouse has been made by this newspaper up to now, but some thought was given the letter that comes here this week.

"The practice of selling the poor to the lowest bidder who will feed and clothe them the cheapest is a vicious and wicked custom, and has no place in the heart or mind of a man of compassion, and is without authority of law," are some of the words used in the letter addressed to this newspaper.

There is possibly some grounds for this statement, and this newspaper wonders if there is really anything worthwhile looking into the conditions at the county almshouse. Has the government made any attempt to investigate the conditions there? It is true that although a person does become old and unable to earn his daily bread, he is certainly entitled to life, although not a luxurious one. But just because one is poor and unable to work for himself, and with no relatives to care for him, is certainly no reason why he should be mistreated, if he has been placed in a county almshouse.

Chilton County should not allow anything in this line to mar its record, if this is true.

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Can Politics Teach Farming?

Politics, undiscouraged by many failures, is still trying to tell the farmers how to run their business. A growing group of legislators have suddenly turned their attention to prohibiting the organization of farm corporations, apparently in the belief that corporation farming is a deadly peril requiring an immediate scotching.

The Kansas legislature, for instance, has just passed a law which absolutely prohibits the organization of any new farm corporations in that State. Senator Capper agitated in favor of the law before its passage, and lustly approved its enactment.

But the real truth, according to Thomas E. Cathcart, the eminently practical and plain-spoken editor of the Country Home, is that corporation farming is not now an important practical question in this country. The overwhelming majority of farms are run by owners or renters. The corporate-owned farms are at present insignificant in number and output.

"Still, anti-corporation agitation always makes good political talk," comments Mr. Cathcart. "But a real danger lies in its spread to other states than Kansas. Corporation have always been the objects of prejudice. Some have been good, some bad. But if American farmers find that they are happier, more prosperous and freer by managing their affairs through corporations, they will establish corporations. The decision will be made by farmers and not by legislators. Farmers will be governed by their own interests and nothing else. If farmers want corporation farms they will find ways of repealing or circumventing the laws. The entire economic history of our country proves this.

"Propaganda against corporate farming is as unnecessary today as Big Bill Thompson's campaign in Chicago against King George V. There are enough real agricultural problems in this country to call forth all the intelligence and good will which farmers and all other classes possess. When a politician begins to stir up the embers of ancient prejudice, he merely attempts to divert attention from issues which actually affect the lives and welfare of the people he pretends to serve. It is political humbuggery."

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

"There Was A Wise Old Owl
Who Sat Silent in A Tree.

The Less He Did
The More He Saw

The Less He Told
The More He Heard

Why Can't We Be
Like This Wise Old Bird?"
—Selected.

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Yes, a wise old bird is the owl. He sits and sits and sits, saying very little, doing very little. Looks like he just sits and thinks. And I wonder why the owl is usually referred to as being wise.

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When I start to wondering things, so do others start to wondering. I wondered about a lot of things last week, and good gosh, how some other people started to wondering about the same things. I've got some more wondering to do shortly.

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Politics and Persons

To have politics we must have persons. When we have persons then we will have politics. Perfectly clear, that. Way back when folks were running around campaigning for B. M. Miller for governor, they told all about the way he was going to decrease the expenses of the State, and how he would not increase the taxes. Great campaign stuff, if you ask me, but what's the use of making such promises in a big way as that? Especially if they are not to be lived up to. Why, here we are facing trouble already, and there is a lot of talk of increasing the taxes in the state.

It is true that Governor Miller went on a firing rage shortly after taking office, and just fired employees of the State on every hand. Nope, not on every hand. I understand that in one place where there was a man drawing $12,000 a year, now there are two drawing about the same as that. What is the idea of firing the man who has a family and receives about $100 or $150 per month for his services, and really needs the work, and at the same time hiring another man at an enormous salary? Does that seem like cutting expenses. I should frown and say no. Sometimes I wonder just what would be happening if Mr. Davis or Mr. Watt Brown had been elected. I got confidence in some men, but not others.

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Was just thinking the other day how great it would be to win about $25,000 of that money the Camel cigarette folks are going to give away. I just thought over the things I would do if I had that much cash handed to me gratis. Here's some of the things—go step on a certain man's pet corn—sleep late enough to combine my breakfast with my lunch—buy some automobile salesmen a good farm and move them out there—go see what Lande, Stapp, Martin and Wyatt are doing in Miami, or Cuba—resign my office in the pen-pushers association—tear down certain old wooden buildings in Clanton and erect new brick buildings in their place—give some rather popular young social lions in Clanton some keen competition with certain young ladies—go home and take a good nap—tell the ed that this would be the last of the Round Town column—put a "Welcome Sign" up at each end of the paved highway into Clanton—pave the road from here to Selma, and the one to Piper—give a certain little red-head a present—try to persuade her that I'm a changed man—give our Mayor an or atorical prize—buy a horse—spend two weeks in Birmingham—spend two days in Montgomery—pay all my bills—including my board bill—ride all over Chilton County for one time—and put the balance left in the Peoples Savings Bank and the First National Bank to buy gum drops with.

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What is the younger generation coming to? Instead of being mother's darling daughter, somebody suggests that we punch out the L in darling. Have been reading of some rather distinguished writers concerning this idea and I find that the majority of people are of the opinion that our forefathers and mothers were just about as bad as the younger generation now. They were just not as open with it as at present, and anyway we find that the discussions of various subjects pertaining to life are being done more freely by the younger generation. When a boy becomes rather frank in his opinion of things, in the presence of a young lady, he does not get his face slapped, but the young lady usually joins in the conversation giving her ideas on the subject, with no humiliation whatever. I don't know but if that isn't best after all. It is really not leading up to the place where men will have little respect for a woman. However, it is possible that the women are being shown less respect by men in these days than they were years ago. But at the same time the men are not to blame for that. But for a man to keep his respect for the women of today, he has to be a darn good man.

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Read an advertisement the other day that said, "You Are Paying for a Packard, Why Not Own One?" Now, I see where my money has been going to.

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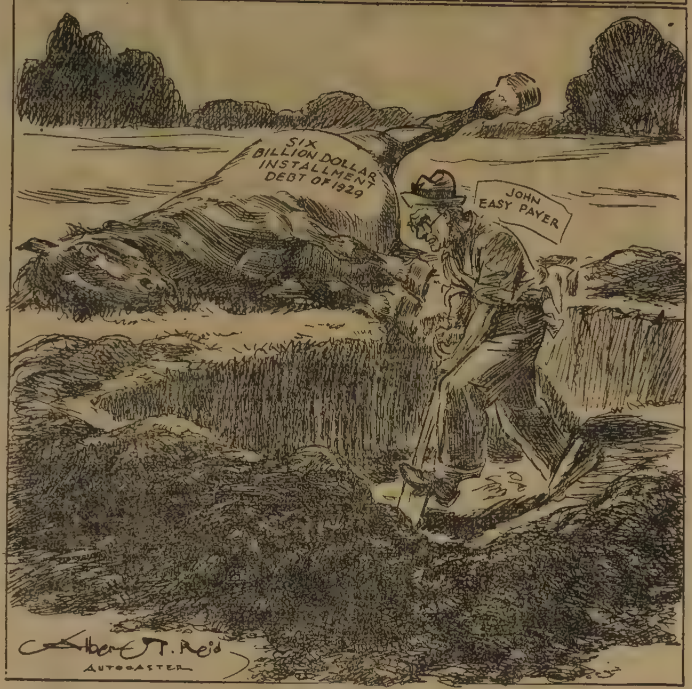
Some Things I'll Never Do Again

Start reading a story in a magazine without first seeing if it is a serial. Stamp my foot at a dog, especially a large one. Order veal croquettes at the Pickwick. Try to drink coffee after the night before. Try to get ten hours sleep in three hours. Ask a certain young lady for a date. Drive fast on the Piper road. Try to find a house in a city without first getting specific directions. Ask for a room on the top floor of a hotel. Dance with a certain stout lady. Park my car by a fire plug in Birmingham. Try to drive with one hand. Buy a blue suit of clothes. Try to drink more than John Ashley. Forget where the Chateau Avalon Apts. are. Call —W when I want —J. Be rude to a telephone operator. Try to put on when in a big cafe. Run over a dead chicken or dog on the highway. Sleep under too much cover at night. Go to bed with a certain young lady on my mind. Open a can of pineapple with a pocket knife. Wear a bow tie with red dots. Race with a street car. Forget where Cascade Plunge is.

Anyway, We're Burying Our Dead—

By Albert T. Reid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Letters To The Editor

ABOUT THE CHILTON COUNTY ALMSHOUSE

Editor Chilton County News:

It is most regretable that there has been little or no improvement in conditions at our county almshouse, especiall in regard to food—(that first essential). A pretense on the part of State authorities to the contrary notwithstanding, and the humane citizens of Chilton County have cause to bow their heads in shame.

This institution should not be commercialized for high profit, nor its use ever be permitted for political aggrandizement.

The practice of selling the poor to the lowest bidder, who will feed and clothe them the cheapest, is a vicious and wicked custom, and has no place in the heart or mind of a man of compassion, and is without authority of law.

If a county is unable to provide a Worthy and Proper Guardianship to administer this unrestricted and delicate trust and its indifferent and intimidated citizens are unmoved that county has reached Bottom.

W. T. HAND,
Jemison, Ala.

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Editor Chilton County News:

To Whom It May Concern:

A legal notice appeared in this paper, last issue, of complaint by State of Alabama against one Chevrolet Coach, owned by E. M. McKee, and that he did transport prohibited liquors and beverages.

These charges were brought against me, but they are absolutely untrue. I have never transported any kind of beverages in any County or State.

The writer was not shown any courtesy when arrested. They would not allow me to use the phone to send a message to my home, neither would they allow friends to see me. And a number of friends who were willing, also O. K. were not permitted to make my bond, in fact, my opinion is, that I was regarded more of a criminal than a citizen, who was born and raised in Chilton County, a citizen who was unfortunately placed in a set of unavoidable circumstances. Understand, I didn't expect any more courtesy than a prisoner should be shown even tho' I am a respectable citizen.

I came clean with the truth to the sheriff and officers and I am coming clean with my friends in Clanton and Chilton County, also Autauga County, where I reside, that I have never transported any liquors, and will never do so.

Thank you.

E. M. McKEE,
Mt. Creek, Ala., Rt. 1, May 4, 1931.

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Verbena, Ala., Rt. 1, May 5, 1931.

Editor Chilton County News:

Will you permit me space to say a few words of warning to the people through your paper?

There has been some book agents going over Chilton County selling books and leaving literature, when they could not get the cash they took eggs, chickens, turnip greens or a piece of cake and left the books. Their aim was to leave some books in every home. They are fighting all the churches and teaching dangerous doctrines. Those books are not fit for young people or children to read and will not do older ones any good to read them. Don't be deceived and buy those books and if you have already bought some of them burn them as some have done. Jesus spoke a parable and said a man sowed good seed in his fied, but while men slept the enemy came and sowed tares, Matt. 13:25.

Are the ministers going to sleep and let the enemy sow his field full of tares? Why not wake up? When you ask those agents where their home is, they answer we have no home. They say that they do not belong to any church. Why not spend your money with people who have a place they call home, and who you know something about the lives they are living. If you want good books get them from some reliable book store or from someone that you know something about their life and what they stand for. Take a stand for Christ and the church.

Yours for Christ and the church.

A. CALVIN NELSON.

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IS THIS FREE AMERICA?

Editor Chilton County News,
Clanton, Ala.

Mr. Editor:—Some articles have appeared in your paper recently suggesting that the people should not read the books written by J. F. Rutherford. I wonder if the reading, thinking public likes to be told what to read and what not to read. Are we still living in the dark ages when it was customary to burn Bibles to keep the dear common people from reading it? Or are we removed far enough from it to think for ourselves? Do we need dictators, priests or preachers to think for us?

Mr. Rutherford is known as one of the best Bible students in the world today, whose publications have reached the circulation of 93½ million, and are published in 48 languages, and whose voice is heard each week over more than 200 broadcasting stations. He has been referred to by the President of the Church Federation of America as the best authority on some Bible subjects. Who are the narrow-minded little 2x4 men who presume to tell the Chilton County people to not use their own good judgment about what they should read.

The truths in these books are not man's truths, but God's. One book of 360 pages cites and quotes 2110 Scriptures. We are responsible for the way we handle the word of God. Those who do not wish to read are at perfect liberty to leave it alone. But they should beware lest they come under the condemnation pronounced by Jesus in Luke 11:52 where He accuses them of not entering into the knowledge of the gospel, themselves and hindering others who would do so if let alone. They call the Rutherford books dangerous and they truly are dangerous to hypocrites and to all selfish interests. The old saying that "the hit dog always howls" shows the reason for the aforementioned articles that have appeared.

Many people are sick and tired of the collection plate or hat being shoved under their noses every time they enter a church house. "Pay, pay, pay," continually as one contributor suggests, and what do they get in return? Husks and that which does not satisfy. Isaiah 56:10-11 very fitly describes some of the religious leaders and D. D.s. Jeremiah 50:6 also tells the effect upon the people of the bad advice of these false shepherds.

Jesus is the Good Shepherd and He tells in John 10:12-13 about the hirelings who ask always for money and more money. Columbus once said that the earth is round. People then said "Rot," and put him in prison. When the automobile was first invented many people said, "Rot," a horseless carriage is impossible." When Jesus preached His message of the Kingdom, the religious leaders said, "Away with Him." Now in this enlightened twentieth century in "Good Christian America," Judge Rutherford is proclaiming that same message of God's Kingdom on earth, and narrow-minded people cry "Rot." Many, however, rejoice in the truths contained in these books.

If all men would take the advice of Gamaliel to the religious fanatics who were opposing Peter and John (Acts 5:38-39) to let them alone lest they should be found fighting against God, they would save themselves much trouble and sorrow.

"Truth is mighty and shall prevail."

W. S. BOWEN,
Clanton, Ala.

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A PSALM OF COTTON

Cotton, thou art my shepherd and I am in want;

Thou hast caused me to feed in a dry pasture, thou has destroyed my credit; thou hast led me into the paths of poverty, liens, lawsuits and near nakedness;

Thou hast destroyed my soul and my happiness.

Thou hast caused me to go to a banker with my hat under my arm and mortgage the muscle and produce of my farm;

Thou hast caused me to live in a rented house in full view of the moon, while stars come twinkling thru the cracks;

Thou preparest a naked back and an empty stomach for me in the presence of my friends;

Thou aniontest my head with ignorance, superstition, poverty and unpaid account—how can I trust thee?

Thou hast kept my children out of school, church and society, thereby robbing them of that which is good and noble, elevating and refining;

Thou hast caused me to go to the barn and bring out the old fertilizer sacks and ask my wife to make me a shirt;

Now, behold, as I stand amidst my friends in my new shirt with these inscriptions in full view: "Eighteen per cent acid phosphate" on the breast and "12-4-4" on the tail.

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Aluminum, which now sells for less than 25 cents a pound, was valued at $545 a pound in pre-Civil War days.

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The longest air route with regular plane service is from New York to Buenos Aires, a distance of 5,880 miles.

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Workmen razing one of the first skyscrapers in Oklahoma City found a copper whiskey still cemented in the walls of the second floor.

HILL'S

Specials For Friday & Sat.

Sugar,	10 lbs.	50c
Flour	Split Silk 24 lb. bag Per Barrel $5.20	65c
Potatoes	5 lbs.	15c
Lemons	Per Doz. Large Size	16c
Lard	Pure Hog 8 lb. pail	95c
Mayonnaise,	large jar	15c
White Meat	Best Quality Side	13c
Pork & Beans	Campbell's 4 cans	25c
MILK	All Brands 3 Large or 6 Small	25c
SHORTS	Best Grade 100 lb. bag	$1.75
COFFEE	7 lbs. Guaranteed to please or money back	$1.00
Soap, Export	8 bars	25c
Snuff	Large Bruton Per Box	15c
DRIED PEACHES	Per lb.	10c
TOBACCO	Prince Albert 2 Cans	25c
CHEESE	Full Creme 3 lbs	55c

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AVIATION NOTES

aptain Frank M. Hawks is at his re- rd breaking stunts again. He flew m London to Rome in 5 hours and minutes, the best previous record ng approximately 12 hours. He tried fly back the same day, but a storm rced him down without mishap near ris. He later flew from Paris to ndon in 55 minutes.

Miss Helen Keller, the famous blind thor, has taken her first airplane e, from Newark to Washington, ere she had luncheon at the White use. She declared she got a great ill out of the experience.

he dirigible Graf Zeppelin recently ried 25 passengers on a round trip ween Germany and Cairo, Egypt.

ssistant Secretary Ingalls, in charge naval aviation, calls the auto-giro missing link among aircraft, and ieves the safety it offers will be an ouragement to prospective flyers.

taly is preparing to build three fast planes in an effort to win the next neider cup race.

ermans are building a powerful ne of new design, which they expect each an altitude of 50,000 feet.

merican air line operators trans- ted 8,324,255 pounds of mail last r for which they were paid $17,- 601, or a little more than $2 a pound.

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t took Alice Hurd of Bridgeport, n., 70 years to find the right man, when she did she promptly prom- to marry him.

Brief News Items

During the month of March retail feed prices in the United States declined about one-half of one percent, according to the U. S. Department of Labor.

The 59th annual commencement of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, will be held May 17, 18, and 19. There are 225 candidates for degrees at this commencement.

In 1930 fifty thousand school buses went the daily rounds carrying two million children to and from seventeen thousand schools in the United States. A government estimate places the cost for the year at forty million dollars. School buses operated in practically every state.

The United States now has a Jewish farm population of more than 80,000 against a population of 216 Jewish farm families in 1900 or thirty-one years ago. Approximately one million acres of land are under Jewish operation, according to the thirty-first annual report of the Jewish Agricultural Society.

E. L. Deal, former county agent in Lauderdale County, Ala., has been named secretary of the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation, taking the work of Edward A. O'Neal, who resigned as president to become president of the American Farm Bureau Federation. Deal was reared in Tuscaloosa County.

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VERBENA SERVICE STATION

The Verbena Service Station, of Verbena, Ala., of which Chas. Gulledge is proprietor and operator.

The Billingsley Service Station, of Clanton, Alabama, of which W. C. Billingsley is manager. Both the above stations are dealers for Mansfield tires and tubes and are pushing sales in this section.

"Mansfield tires are coming to the front more than ever," says Mr. Chas. Gulledge, operator of the popular Verbena Service Station at Verbena, Alabama. In this issue of the News there appears a full page ad from the Verbena Service Station on Mansfield tires and tubes, and from the Billingsley Service Station of Clanton, branch dealer of the Verbena Service Station for Mansfield tires.

These two popular stations are striving to give their customers the very best in service. A talk to either of the operators of these stations about the tire they are handling will show one that they are firm believers in the merits of the products. Mr. Gulledge states that he is well pleased with the sales they are receiving on these tires.

These two stations also dispense the Texaco oil products. Read the page ad in this issue from these stations.

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B. Y. P. U. Entertains On Moonlight Picnic.

Members of the Senior B. Y. P. U. of Clanton and invited guests were delightfully entertained on last Friday night on a moonlight picnic on the Coosa River near Lay Dam. The party gathered at the Baptist church and motored from there to the place designated.

After exploring along the banks of the river for a while the party gathered and sandwiches and drinks were served in a real picnic style. Those taking part in this outing were Misses Ruth Sessions, Carrie Foshee, Gladys Williams, U. L. Foshee, Annie Mae Foshee, Berniece Williams, Vivian Gray, Vera Jones, Messrs. Green, Lanier Moore, Arthur Burnet, Billy Smith, John Ponder Lawrence, Robert Alred.

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J. T. Traywick, and daughter, Marzelle Traywick, and granddaughter, Sarah Traywick, were among the visitors to Clanton last Friday. Mr. Traywick was here attending to business. The young ladies wanted to find out something about how a newspaper was printed, so while in town they all visited the News plant, where they were shown through the mechanical department.

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G. E. Sansom and S. S. Sansom of the Sardis Community were in Clanton last Thursday. While in town they called at the News office.

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W. M. Smith of the Sardis Community was among the callers at the News office last Thursday.

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Miss Sibyl Whitley, a student of Alabama College, Montevallo, was the attractive week end guest of Miss Nell Sumners.

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H. T. Williams, merchant of Verbena was among the visitors to Clanton last Thursday.

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J. W. Johnson, who resides on Clanton Route 4 was among the visitors to town Monday.

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E. S. Jones, who resides on Maplesville, Route 1, was in Clanton last Thursday.

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J. B. Deason of Maplesville, Route 1, was among the out-of-town visitors to Clanton Saturday.

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E. H. Culp who resides on Maplesville Route 2 was among the visitors to Clanton last Saturday.

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J. C. Maddox of Clanton Route 7, was a caller at the News office last Saturday.

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Miss Ruth Aylene Maddox, popular student of the Senior II Class at Chilton County High School, left recently for Thorsby where she will make her home for the time being. She will continue her studies here during the remainder of the present term.

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Mr. and Mrs. Claud Reynolds and children, Marvin and Harry, will leave Sunday for Tuscaloosa to attend the Centennial celebration as guests of Mrs. Reynold's sister, Mrs. Harry Tarpley.

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Mrs. R. W. Taylor, Misses Gladys Williams, Berniece Williams and Vivian Gray motored to Auburn and spent the day last Sunday.

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Embarrassed because he ran into the street in his night clothes when the house next door caught fire, Louis H. Mears of Washington sued his neighbor for $10,000 damages.

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Miss Alma Gentry and Guest
To Dine With Us

Sunday, May 10, 1931

As Our Guests.

THE DIXIE CAFE

Brick veneer only an inch thick has been invented by a Detroit man for covering frame buildings.

Union Springs News

(Jacobs Chapel)

Editor of the News:

Please allow me space in your paper for a few words, as I have not seen anything in the paper from this community.

Farmers here are getting along just fine with their work, but if this rain lasts much longer Mr. Grass will get a good hold on our crop

Our Sunday school is progressing nicely under the management of Mr. W. T. Robinson as superintendent, and our teachers' training class begun last Sunday evening, studying the 1st Book of the Sunday School manual had 13 pupils enrolled the first day. We expect several more before we close.

Rev W W Dyer is teaching the class for us. He is a very able teacher

Sorry to hear Mr. Olen Crumpton is sick with pneumonia.

Mr Jacob Smith is still lingering along He has been very low for sometime

Mr Joe Waldrop has been on the sick list for some time, but he is improving now. Hope he will soon be all right.

Mr Eldridge Robinson of Sylacauga is spending a few days with his nephew, W. T Robinson

Mr and Mrs W. T Robinson had as their guest for dinner Sunday Rev. Frank Swann of LaGrange Ga Rev W W. Dyer and Mr and Mrs Newman Crumpton and son, Millard, Mr. and Mrs Robbie Crumpton, Mr Dave Posey and mother, Mr Guy Hatcher and Mr. Jim Chapman

Mr. Frank Swann preached for us Sunday night at Union Springs church. He delivered a very good and inspiring sermon. A large crowd attended the service We were glad to have Mr. Swann, and hope 'tis the Lord's will for him to be with us again

I've just been informed that Mr Sim Waldrop is on the sick list Hope he will soon be up.

Mr Roy Waldrop and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ermon Crumpton motored to Jemison Friday to a show

Mr T J Hubbard is visiting in Jemison this week

We are very glad to hear that Mr. Joe Smith is improving.

Well I'll stop, if this misses the wastebasket, I'll try again

Signed BILL.

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No. 1 Soles, No. 1 Heels, bought together	$1.00
No. 2 Soles, No. 1 Heels, bought together	$1.25
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Ladies' Half Soles	$ .75
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I. D. Armstrong

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News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

Mrs. J. W. Jones and Mrs. Donald Merchant attended the W. M. S. at Jemison Monday afternoon.

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Mrs. I. E. Jones of Birmingham and Mrs. Herbert Cooper of Mobile visited Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Jones last Friday.

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Regular services will be held at the Baptist church Sunday. The morning service will be in keeping with the Mothers' Day spirit. Special music and sermon by the pastor. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and worship with us.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bean of Birmingham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mims of South Thorsby.

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The men teachers and the dormitory boys of Thorsby Institute were the dinner guests of Rev. J. E. Each and family Sunday.

Mrs. Lilly Maddox, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nix and Mrs. Alma Cleckler spent Sunday afternoon visiting with Mrs. Elizabeth Merchant who has been on the sick list for a few days but is now improving.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bean of Birmingham spent Sunday with Mr. H. O. Bean and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Thompson of Birmingham spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Thornburg.

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We are glad to announce that Mrs. J. H. Collins who has been in a sanatarium in Birmingham is back home.

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Mr. Chas. A. Peterson left Tuesday morning for Greenville where he will enter the hospital for an operation. Mr. Peterson has been in bad health for some time and we hope to have him back at home with us a well man in the near future.

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Mrs. Leonard Hays, Mrs. Wilbert Marcus and Miss Hilma Collins went to Birmingham shopping Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Laurell had Miss Klingelhoefer, Miss Thoroman, Miss Arthur and Mrs. Gerald as their dinner guests Sunday.

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Mr. Lester Pate spent the week end at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pate.

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Mr. Herbert Peterson and Miss Ruth Peterson of Birmingham spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Peterson.

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Mr. James Thomas of Birmingham, Mr. Clyde Camel of Buffalo, N. Y., and Miss Mabel Johnson were the visitors of Miss Edna Rayburn Sunday afternoon.

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Miss Ruth Gerald spent the week end here with her mother.

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Miss Mabel Collie is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. M. Gray, this week.

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The fololwing persons enjoyed a fishing party Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin and little Peggy, Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood and Frank Wood at Dr. Wood's Camp on Coosa River.

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Mrs. S. C. Wood entertained the following at a Bridge party Friday evening: Dr. and Mrs. Joe Edgar, of Clanton, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pate, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray.

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Mr. William H. Shell. diamond broker of Indianapolis, Ind., and Miami. Fla., stopped a while here with his uncle, Mr. John H. Goddard Wednesday.

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Miss Naemi Turnquist of Selma. accompanied by Miss Kitty Rogers spent the week end here with homefolks.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson of Fairfield visited relatives here Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Turner Gamble and Mrs. Frank Thompson spent last Wednesday in Dadeville.

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Miss Louise Thompson spent the week end with Miss Mary Nell Jones of Clanton.

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Miss Frances Wilson is spending several days visiting relatives in Bibb County.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Jerome Wilson of Jacksonville, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

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Mr. Willie Rhodes of Six Mile spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

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Tuesday afternoon, April 28, a part of Thorsby Institute Field Day events was given. On May 5 the rest took place. On April 28 the Juniors were ahead. Which class is final winner will be told in next week's paper.

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Saturday night, May 2, 1931, the Junior Class of Thorsby Institute entertained the Senior class at Ella Howards' home. The plans of entertainment showed careful arrangement. The home was adorned with beautiful roses and flowers from the greenhouse. After several interesting games were played everyone was served delicious punch.

The refreshments were very attractive and delicious. They were carried out in the color scheme of the Senior Class colors—green and white. Two kinds of cookies with green and white frosting were served with green and white brick ice cream.

Each person was given an address book as a souvenir and some time was spent in writing names and addresses in these books. As each person left he or she was also given a beautiful rose as a souvenir by Mr. Howard.

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Next Friday night at 7:45 in the Thorsby Institute auditorium the last lyceum number will be given. A comedy in four acts, "New Broom," will be played by the Bergmann Players. Admission is fifty cents for all not students or teachers at the Institute or Public school, for al lothers it is thirty-five cents.

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Raspberries, like other small fruits, are dependent on an ample supply of moisture in the soil. The soil should be tilled and should be supplied with humus not only during the growing and ripening of the fruit but also while the canes are developing. Some gardeners mulch their raspberries to a depth of several inches with straw, leaves, or green hay.

Poultry manure is a good fertilizer for the farm garden, but it is so rich in nitrogen that it may burn the roots of shrubbery, trees, flowers, or vegetables if placed in direct contact with the roots or spread on the surface in considerable quantities. Don't apply more than 8 or 10 pounds to 100 square feet.

ONE WAY FARE PLUS 20%

for the round trip (minimum excursion fare 50 cents)

WEEK-END EXCURSIONS

Tickets on sale each Friday and Saturday and for Sunday forenoon trains to and including October 25. Return limit to reach original starting point prior to midnight of Tuesday, following date of sale.

These fares apply to and from points in the South, east of Mississippi River and south of Ohio River including St. Louis, Mo., Evansville, Ind., Louisville, Ky., Cincinnati, Ohio and Washington D. C. (with a few exceptions.)

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THE FAMILY DOCTOR

By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

Periodical Examinations

I am 100% in favor of health examinations at regular intervals. It is my purpose in this letter, to persuade you into the same view, if possible.

If you were setting out on a long journey in your automobile, now wouldn't you have an expert look the car over, to see that it is in first-class order, that the trip might be made with maximum ease and comfort? You certainly would, if you used the plainest variety of common sense.

I know of no more important trip than this journey that we call human life; we are all on the highway; and, a happy, successful journey is what of all things we most want.

A contemporary tells us that the doctor is by your side when you are born —and he will probably be there when you pass into the great beyond. And, during your active years, you do your best to keep away from him: you use every nostrum that you can hear of for your ailments that are sure to come—and you send for the doctor only when you are "all shot to pieces," and fear you are going to die!

This seems to me, the most inexcusable form of short-sightedness that a sensible man or woman can exercise. Do you wait till your automobile is reduced to a pile of junk, before going to the expert repair man? Is your body of less importance than the car? Think about it.

It is every man and woman's privilege and DUTY to go to their family physician at stated intervals and be carefully looked over; here is the moment above all others that "a stitch in time saves nine." I am sure nine cases of sickness out of ten would be eliminated, if the rule of periodical examinations were faithfully observed. Wouldn't that be a pay proposition?

A dangerous rise in blood pressure may be nipped in the bud; a serious kidney disorder may be recognized at the easiest stage for cure. I could instance many more; see if you can't.

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Commercial fertilizers won't give satisfactory results in the garden unless the soil is well supplied with humus and moisture. Turning under green crops or coarse manure will furnish humus and increase the moisture-holding power of the soil.

Cutting too much pulpwood without an assured market is risky for the farmers, according to the Virginia extension forester. If the wood is not sold, it will be only a few months until decay sets in, and much work and wood will be wasted.

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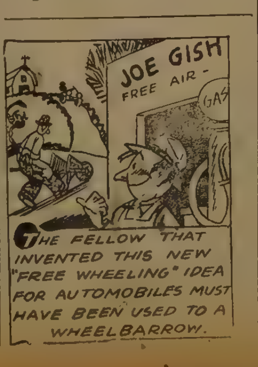
Most farmers judge the effect of green manureing by the quantity and quality of the succeeding crops, but failure to produce an increase in crop yield can not always be blamed to green manuring, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Both temperature and moisture of the soil greatly influence the decomposition of green manure. Lack of moisture, as well as temperatures lower than about 65 degrees F. retard growth of the bacteria. Experiments have shown that under the best conditions succulent green manure was nearly all decomposed in 7 days, but at low temperatures more than 14 days were needed.

Someone has said that "Thrift is telling your money where to go, while shiftlessness is asking yourself where it went." The beginning of any month is a good time to start a budget.



THE FELLOW THAT INVENTED THIS NEW "FREE WHEELING" IDEA FOR AUTOMOBILES MUST HAVE BEEN USED TO A WHEELBARROW.

Vast Nitrate Fields Once Floor of Ocean

Entire Region Now Barren Desert High Above Sea Level

Piece by piece, scientific discoveries have been put together to reveal the story of one of the great mysteries of nature, the origin of the nitrate fields in South America.

According to geological history, the vast, barren desert of Northern Chile in which the nitrate deposits are found was once the bottom of the Pacific Ocean. Millions of years—no one knows the number—have probably passed since Nature buried this treasure in that desolate plateau thousands of feet above the Pacific.

Authorities who have studied the deposits believe that, either as a result of a sudden upheaval or the gradual rising of the continent, great bodies of waters from the Pacific were completely enclosed by rising land. A beating sun, pouring down upon the inland lakes in this new region, gradually dried up the salt water, destroying plant and animal life. Then followed slow oxidation which, with other natural processes, produced almost by magic an entirely new substance—Chilean nitrate of soda, as it is called today. The nitrate, with other minerals, is now found in beds in an area covering 75,000 square miles, where it has been baked and seasoned for centuries.

It is generally thought that the natural origin of Chilean nitrate accounts for its unusual record of service to farmers of the world. It contains, besides nitrogen, a number of other important elements—potassium, calcium, magnesium, iodine, and boron. All of these are essential for the growth and health of plants. It is because of the presence of these elements that Chilean nitrate is frequently called "nitrogen plus." It is more than a source of nitrogen.

The commercial exploitation of the nitrate deposits commenced in 1830. The fertilizer has been used ever since, and it is now recognized as the oldest of the commercial fertilizing materials. In this country about three quarters of a million tons are used annually. According to conservative estimates, the supply is adequate to meet the need of the world for several centuries, even if the rate of consumption is materially increased.

Try strawberry pie or tart, m with a baked shell filled with fr ripe strawberries, over which is pou a sauce made from a cupful of ex juice thickened with 1 1-2 tablespo of cornstarch, sweetened to taste.

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Before washing a sweater, mea it and write down the dimensio ter it is washed and rinsed, sprea back side down, with sleeves outstre ed, on several thicknesses of c soft material. Shape it according the original dimensions. Turn oc sionally until dry.

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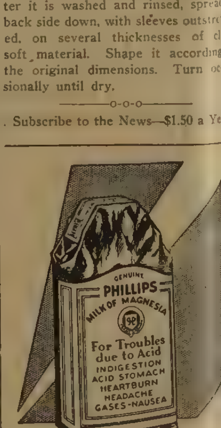

Too Much ACID

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Alabama Must Improve Quality Of Cotton To Regain Lost Position, View

Alabama cotton growers must improve the quality of their cotton if they are to hold their place against competition with the rest of the world, President Bradford Knapp, Alabama Polytechnic Institute, said in Birmingham at the annual meeting of the Railway Development Association of the Southeast.

Increasing the length of the staple, he said, was of prime importance, although that had faced the cotton grower since the advent of the boll weevil.

The production of a good quality of any product is one of the important elements in maintaining a position in a world market, Dr. Knapp declared. If America is to maintain her position in the cotton world we must give attention to quality cotton produced in this country. Before the boll weevil came there was a time when we maintained our position and boasted of a monopoly of cotton production because we produced cotton of excellent quality almost unchallenged by any other country. We had not only quantity equal to more than two-thirds of all the cotton produced in the world, but we had the best quality cotton produced. Our large supply of white upland cotton of seven-eighths to an inch in length of staple was not matched anywhere in the world.

Weevil Caused Change

The advent of the boll weevil brought a different situation. The question was not the quality of the cotton produced, but whether we could produce any cotton whatever. The amount of cotton which we were able to produce in spite of the boll weevil was a struggle for many years. In that struggle we began to think more of early maturity and percentage of lint rather than length of staple and character of cotton. Seed breeders began to talk about cotton with 40 and 42 per cent lint and then came half and half and an almost utter disregard of the length of staple or the quality and character of the cotton.

In the meantime there is another challenge. Rayon was invented. Silk began to be used for more purposes. And then the quality of foreign grown cotton began to improve. Our varieties have been taken to foreign countries. Generally they have been our best varieties and in these foreign countries with virtual dictatorship they have done the things that we have advised, but they have done them better. Their communities under orders produced the same variety. Their gins under orders do everything to preserve pure seed. Their plant breeders concentrated upon a few specialized highly valuable varieties. In our country we have let the economy program be based upon large yields and high lint turnout.

More recently the textile industry began to advance rapidly in the South and certain fundamental changes have taken place in textile machinery. The manufacturing industry began to understand the great importance of evenness, length, quality and character of the staple in the manufacture of yarn and cloth. There is no industry in the world advancing any more rapidly than the cotton textile industry and there are yet new discoveries to be made.

We cannot maintain our position in cotton production when more than 40 per cent of the crop is non-tenderable. That very fact has a serious effect upon the price of cotton in Alabama. Of all the states in this country apparently, from the reports of the Department of Agriculture, Alabama stands at the bottom. It is, therefore, high time that we took pains to change our reputation.

Since 1926-27, when American cotton was at its highest consumption on foreign markets, there has been a steady decline in the use of American cotton and a distinct increase in the use of Egyptian, Indian and sundries cotton. There was a 2,000,000-bale reduction in the world consumption of American cotton during 1929-30, probably due almost entirely to business depression in America and in European countries. However, there was some turning to foreign grown cotton in foreign consuming countries, because they are cheaper in comparison with American cotton.

This acceleration in the use of foreign cotton at a time when the use of American cotton was declining ought to be significant enough to make any thoughtful man regard this condition as startling.

Work To Bring Results

Apparently if we are to hold our place or win back our prestige in the markets of the world for American cotton we must produce a quality that will attract and hold the buyers of the world. In other words if anybody else in any country can raise a better cotton at a lower price than we can in this country our problem is a pretty serious one. I do not mean to overlook the ability of our cotton spinning industry to convert our cotton into finished products of high value and great attractiveness, but even they cannot compete unless we put into their hands cotton of the type and quality which will produce thread and cloth to put them at least even with the foreign manufacturers.

I do not believe we need to be alarmed unless we are disposed to give up and quit. The important thing for us to do is to use what America is supposed to have a good supply of, namely, brains and skill and ingenuity, things which are natural to our American people. There is plenty of evidence in every experiment station in the South that cotton of good quality and good staple can be produced under boll weevil conditions with as high yields and as good lint turnout as the inferior quality of which we produce so much at the present time.

What we need to do is to get for farmers a fair consideration of the real comparative value of his variety of cotton. Supposing apple growers in Virginia were to sell their product "hog around." How long would they remain on the market as apple growers? It takes a better cotton to spin a 60 thread or higher than it does the coarser and lower grades. The finest thread is needed for the firmer and more expensive cloth, to make the broadcloth, the shirtings, and these other things which stimulate the use of cotton and it seems to be a perfectly natural thing for this movement toward discrimination in buying to come forward as it has. Another thing, new machinery is being invented for more accurate testing of length and strength of the staple. Today cotton is sold as seven-eighths inch cotton in which there may be 30 or 40 per cent of the individual lint in the sample much below seven-eighths. I aprehend that a sample of cotton with 80 per cent fairly and fully up to the staple length ascretained would be more valuable than another one with only 60 percent. Breeding and control measures must take these facts into account.

In Alabama we are attempting to set up machinery for dealing with this sort of a situation. The Alabama Farm Bureau, the extension service of our institution, the state experiment station, the Alabama Industrial Development Board, hundreds of farmers and even the governor and the whole state administration are interested in this enterprise. Through this organization we will attempt and are attempting to organize communities where uniformly acceptable varieties will be grown and the seed carefully handled and sold back to farmers. The same thing may be done on many state farms. There will be this Fall certain gin days in many parts of the state when only the seed cotton from certain varieties is handled and the seed carefully preserved. Our institution proposes to test varieties and to develop new ones, to help in the supervision of the work. I think there might be two or more communities in the state ultimately where thousands of acres are planted in the same variety and where through the county agents and experiment station workers we would get the seed controlled with care, sacked and sold back to farmers at a slight advance over ordinary seed and thus gradually redeem the name of the state in the quality of its cotton.

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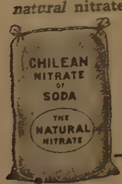

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After the opening song, prayer was offered by Mr. T. L. Williams. Mr. Hudson Williams was elected chairman of this singing society. The directors were as fololws: Olin, Hudson, R. P., Charlie and Horace Wililams. Misses Virginia Little, Bessie Williams, and Mrs. Girtie Mae Little. The organists were Messrs. Olin, Hudson Wililams and Mrs. Girtie Mae Little.

Two quartets were sung, "Sitting at the Feet of Jesus," by Messrs. Olin, Hudson, R. P. and Horace Williams. "Prayer Is The Key," by Messrs. Olin, and Hudson Wililams, Miss Virginia and Mrs. Mrs. Girtie Mae Little.

We hope that it will be convenient for us to arrange a quartet band for each singing afternoon.

We didn't have many visitors with us but everybody will learn about our regular singing afternoon, which is every first Sunday afternoon, and come every time possible, especially the singers.

Health in this community seems to be improving some. The flu is dying down we are glad to say, and we hope the C. E. and Sunday School attendance will be better now.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams and family attended the singing
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That minor personal habits have no important bearing upon one's ability is illustrated by a little joke that the late General Goethals, builder of the Panama Canal, was fond of telling on himself.

Long before the now obiquitous "coffin nails" became popular, or even respectable; the general became an inveterate cigarette smoker. He also parted his hair in the middle.

When Goethals, then a major, was assigned the difficult task of building the canal in 1907, after other eminent engineers had failed, a Washington newspaper editor commented unfavorably on his selection for the job. After recounting the failures of others to accomplish the task, the newspaper said: "And what in heaven's name can we expect of a man who parts his hair in the middle and smokes cigarettes?"

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Engineers say that a stabilizer of this size will prevent a 450-foot ship from rolling more than two degrees in a heavy storm.

A new 45,000 ton Italian liner now being built will have three huge gyro-stabilizers, it is understood, and it is expected that this device will be adopted for use generally in the finest ocean passenger ships of the future. Stabilizers have been successfully used for some time on yachts and other small craft, and it is believed that they will be equally effective on the largest ships.

If expectations are realized, ocean passengers of the future may be able, regardless of the weather, to eat their meals in comfort, and, best of all, retain them after they are eaten.

In all his 73 years, Lincoln Nehunt of Dawsonville, Ga., has never had a haircut, worn a hat, been inside a schoolhouse, church, or court, used tobacco in any form, or tasted liquor or coffee.

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A Secret of Vegetable Cookery

By FREDERIC FRANCOIS GUILLOT
Chef, Hotel Astor, New York City

IN wise seasoning often lies the sole difference between a flat and tasteless vegetable dish, and one that presents an irresistible appeal to the most fastidious appetite. Salt and pepper have their supremely important parts to play, but in addition there is a third vegetable seasoner that deserves to stand on an equal footing.

Chef Guillot

This third fundamental seasoner is sugar, used not as a sweetener, but to point up the original flavor which the vegetable possessed when in the garden, but which it always loses to a greater or less degree before reaching the table. The proper proportions are an equal amount of sugar and salt for most of the green vegetables.

Carrots Dauphine — Cook until tender one quart thinly sliced carrots in boiling water to which has been added one teaspoon salt and one teaspoon sugar. Chop fine two medium-size onions and saute in three tablespoons butter until a light brown. Stir in four tablespoons flour. Cook until completely blended and smooth. Add gradually two cups meat stock; then one-fourth teaspoon paprika, dash of cayenne and one teaspoon lemon juice. Bring to boiling point, stirring constantly. Drain carrots, re-heating if necessary. Arrange on strips of hot, buttered toast in serving dish. Pour over them the sauce, and serve very hot.

Squash Turrene — Mash three pints steamed squash and add one teaspoon salt, one teaspoon sugar, one-fourth teaspoon ginger, three tablespoons butter, and three tablespoons thick cream. Beat until very light. Pile lightly on hot serving dish, re-heat if squash has cooled, and serve.

Billingsley News

Rev. E. E. Stafford of Plantersville filed his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday morning, basing his theme on "The Beatitudes" bringing out helpful thoughts in Christian living.

Miss Mabel King was the week end guest of her aunt, Mrs. O. E. Olive, in Birmingham. Mr. and Mrs. King motored up Sunday spending the day, Miss King returning with them.

Twenty-seven from the Baptist Sunday School attended the Sunday school convention at Maplesville Sunday afternoon, reporting a very helpful meeting.

Mrs. T. L. Patrick is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Zack Pennington, at Northport.

Messrs. G. T. Dickinson, E. E. Overstreet and J. C. Hughes heard Senator Hugo Black's address at Clanton Monday night.

Rev. J. W. Mitchell of Brent was a pleasant visitor here late Sunday afternoon, having conducted the funeral of Mrs. Jesse Cherry of Vida, at Big Springs church, at two-thirty o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Parnell of Verbena were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baxter Sunday.

Mrs. Hattie Dickinson, Mrs. Ernest Wilson of Birmingham and G. T. Dickinson spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Jones at Autaugaville.

A committee from Billingsley and surrounding school districts met the county school board Wednesday at Prattville, putting forth every effort in behalf of the accredited high school here for next year.

A Mothers' Day program will be given at the Baptist church next Sunday morning in connection with Sunday school.

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MITCHELL DAM SCOUT NEWS

A Girl Scout's Honor Is To Be Trusted

The Mitchell girls held their meeting Friday evening at 6:30 o'clock. They had an interesting program, after which they took a short hike for the purpose of studying nature.

The girls are hard and faithful workers in all phases of their Scout work. They show an interest worthwhile and an earnest desire to do good. What great comrades they are; each striving for the best interest of others. They are also working for an honor worthy of the first Scout law, which is—A Girl Scout's Honor Is To Be Trusted.

Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School Lesson for May 10

THE PARABLE OF THE POUNDS

Luke 19:11-26

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

A good story with a real point is effective in its teachings. Jesus often made use of a parable to drive home the truth. A parable can be defined as "An earthly story with a heavenly meaning." This time it is about a man of means who went away to receive an additional inheritance. Before leaving he handed over a pound, about $17 in value, to each of ten servants, and told them to make use of the money until he returned. It was mutually understood that there would be an accounting at that time. A pound then represented pay for 100 days of unskilled labor, and was an amount to command real attention.

We may idle time away or be busy meanwhile, but at last the hour comes when we must face the auditor. When the nobleman returned from the far country he asked for an accounting from the ten who had been tested by their use of the revolving fund. All do not have the same ability and equal results ought not to be expected. A bit of understanding and sympathy would help the plodder who may be equally faithful as the one who can produce the larger result. The first man presents ten pounds as the result of his trading and is heartily commended for his ability. The next man declares that his stewardship resulted in a gain of five additional pounds, and he too is praised.

The last man to meet the auditor comes with excuses only as he returns the original pound without any increment. Fear is the reason that he gives for the failure to even attempt to accomplish anything. His lack of energy shows that he is unworthy of any advancement and he is further distressed by utter condemnation.

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Auburn Workers State Farm Rule

Instead of being a self-sustaining business as it was in the main a half century ago, successful farming today requires the production of food, feed, and other products plus the production of sufficient products for sale to bring an income commensurate with family needs.

This was declared by workers in agriculture of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute at Auburn in connection with the suggestion that Alabama farmers return to the old practice of log-rollings, corn-shuckings, rail-splittings, house-raisings, and other such things of this nature.

"Such things," said the statement, were essential in the pioneer days when land was being cleared and homes built. In those pioneer days farmers needed only a very small income because they did very little buying. They made most of their tools and implements, instead of buying wire they made rails for fencing, they produced their own food and feed supply, and they even made or bought very little household equipment. Most of their clothes were made at home. Hence, very few things were bought. Consequently, there were few merchants because there was little demand for them.

"Under present conditions the successful farmer provides (1) for living at home and (2) for an income in order to have for himself and his family the numerous things which they need but can have only by buying with money.

"It is suggested that farmers provide for living at home and also for producing as much as they can for sale. All costs should be reduced to the minimum in order that the net income may be large, because the net income determines the extent of the farmer's purchasing power."

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THE INDIAN PROBLEM

There has been an Indian problem in the United States ever since its earliest settlement, but that problem is being solved by the gradual absorption of the Red Man into our general population, according to Secretary Wilbur of the Department of the Interior.

We have about 350,000 persons of Indian blood in the entire country, of whom about one-third are in Oklahoma. The rest are widely scattered among 26 states, but even the reservation Indians are intermarrying with the white population and are rapidly assuming the white man's manner of living. A notable exception to this general trend is seen among the Navajos of Arizona, who have a reservation as large as the state of New Jersey and still hold aloof from the paleface.

It is the policy of the government to encourage the remaining Indians to obtain education and training with a view to their giving up reservation life and taking their places among the independent citizenship of the country. There are maintained 203 day and boarding schools for Indian pupils, where instruction, food, lodging and clothing are furnished free by Uncle Sam. These are privileges granted to no other element of our population.

Secretary Wilbur declares that it has become obvious that the Red Man eventually must lose his identity and become as the rest us us, and adds: "From a sentimental standpoint there is much to regret in this fact, but it is none the less inevitable."

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Several days after Edward Hood of Solvay, N. Y., reported his wallet containing $6 stolen he received in his mail a package with the wallet and the money.

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Isn't it equally as foolish to buy a farm without looking it over as to buy it and not know whether the titles are good or not? Without an abstract you do not know where you are getting the land you looked at or not.

Before investing in land in any way have an abstract made and be safe.

M. D. Foshee Clanton, Ala.

J. T. ROCKETT HAS SECURED SHELL AGENCY

Succeeds Mack Wyatt As The Wholesale Distributor In This Section

J. T. (Tom) Rockett is now the wholesale distributor in Clanton of the Shell Petroleum Products, according to information given out several days ago.

Mr. Rockett succeeds Mack Wyatt as such distributor, who was the first to hold this place in Clanton when the Shell Petroleum Corporation opened here. The Shell gasoline and oil has become well known throughout the county since it entered here with Mr. Wyatt as distributor and its further advancement is assured with Mr. Rockett. Mr. Rockett stated to a representative of the News that he has as his assistant and truck driver, M. Z. Atchison. Mr. Atchison is also well known thruout this section, having had quite a bit of experience in the wholesale gasoline business. He was at one time connected with the wholesale distributor in Clanton of the Gulf products. Mr. Rockett also stated that in the very near future they hoped to have open a modern service station in Clanton dispensing the Shell products, but no definite announcement was made this week.

AFTER A PERIOD OF 50 YEARS S. E. BRUCE VISITS OLD HOME

After a lapse of something like fifty years, S. E. Bruce of near Clanton paid his old home place a visit. Mr. Bruce accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Duff, Mrs. G. D. Robinson and Miss Rexine Hines, of Birmingham, motored to Danville, Ala., in Lawrence County last Sunday where they attended a Memorial Day service at the Friendship church, near Danville.

Mr. Bruce appeared to have been rather invigorated over seeing his old home community again. He is one of this county's progressive farmers and well known throughout this section. He said he had a grand time seeing the men up there who he used to go to school with, and get into all kinds of mischief in his boyhood days. The old church at Friendship is still there, although some modern work has been done on it.

On the trip, Mr. Bruce stated that he saw very little land that was not under cultivation, and everybody in that section seemed to be in optimistic spirits and very busy at their farming, but not too busy to take Sunday off for a grand time together at the old Friendship church.

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MAIN STREET
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Travel Songs—

Whether they realize it or not, the organ music and the playing of a radio in the big Pennsylvania station that the jostling crowds hear are part of an experiment to speed the moving of passenger traffic.

The railroad has installed a full size organ of 35 stops and a combination radio and phonograph to find out if music will clear the building quickly by getting people to move faster.

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It Hath Charms—

Right now, everyone is a bit puzzled as to the effectiveness of the project.

While it is true that music places travelers in a pleasanter frame of mind, it doesn't work so well when it comes to clearing the station. Last fall, Princeton alumni joined in the singing of their school song—then coming over the radio—so enthusiastically that the radio had to be shut off to get the rooters on the train.

What type of music shall be played on the organ is a problem. On religious holidays, church music alone is suitable; at the death of notables, funeral marches should be performed. Now the question is, does slow, mournful music pep up the passengers' actions, or the reverse? Then again, the music can't be too peppy, for they don't want the negro "red caps" to go into a Dixie jig when they play those down South tunes.

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Mechanical Market—

The latest step to speed us into a put-a-coin-in-the-slot existence is the automatic grocery store right in your own apartment building.

A New York apartment has installed this device—called the Delemat—which responds to the click of a coin by disgorging a can of beans, a lamb chop, a bottle of milk or anything that can be bought at a regular grocery. The Delamat consists of a series of chambers with glass doors in which are displayed packages of food which rest on holders fastened to an endless belt. At the insertion of the proper coin and a turn of a handle, the belt lowers the package to an open compartment. The customer reaches in and takes out the package. The entire operation takes but five seconds.

Food requiring refrigeration is dispensed by the same mechanism from an electrically operated refrigerator.

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Help Wanted—

There's one person, a hardware dealer, who doesn't believe all these stories about unemployment any more. Twenty-five young men answered his "Help Wanted" advertisement, but when they heard that the job was selling electric light bulbs, 24 of them firmly declined.

The one who did take it came rushing back in an hour with a fistful of orders that earned him $7.80 commission. Needing more salesmen, the dealer took the successful one to the city employment agency to tell the men what a lucrative job it was. Two out of 100 interviewed took the job. The others said they were "waiting for a salary job" or one that paid $50 a week.

The dealer went home, wondering how bad unemployment really was.

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Big Chance—

On the other side of the picture we have the case of Mr. Kirchenberg, who advertised for a stenographer. When he arrived at his office, he found the entrance to the building blocked with literally hundreds of girls.

When he opened his door, a railing was torn down, tables were overturned and Mr. Kirchenberg was almost trampled underfoot.

Then one of the girls with a sporting idea yelled, "Let's all take a chance. Raffle the job off."

So they all pitched in and made up 500 numbers with duplicates. Then they drew. The lucky number was "42." Just to prove that they were all good sports, the other girls left the building cheering the winner.

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Breeze From The Southland—

A southern music teacher blames New York for the ruin of public taste, saying that the "jazz music from the slums is impure, sentimental rot, a squawking, rasping, clanging jargon of instrumental noises."

Pass that corn-pone and let's have "St. Louis Blues" again.

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LIQUID or TABLETS

Cure Colds, Headaches, Fever

666 SALVE

Cures Baby's Cold

Kiwanis Club Observes All Kiwanis Night

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party is composed of Mr. and Mrs. M. Lande, Cohen E. Stapp, Mell Martin and W. Mack Wyatt, who are representing Clanton at the convention.

The fellowship period lasted fifteen minutes, during which time every club on the North American Continent conducted an identical program with one carried out at the International Convention. There was a fellowship moment of silence, singing of "America" and "God Save the King" and a message from Raymond M. Crossman, of Omaha, Nebraska, president of Kiwanis International, was read.

In Miami the four local Kiwanis delegates Monday attended the opening business sessions. They heard outstanding Kiwanis officials and attended administrative conferences.

Various kinds of sandwiches, cake, chicken, iced tea and cold drinks, and other items made up the menu for the meeting of the local club last Monday night. Members brought guests to participate in this program, which took the place of the regular weekly luncheon held on Thursdays, and there will be no luncheon today at the regular meeting place.

MR. AND MRS. JACK McMURRAY PARENTS OF FINE BABY GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McMurray of Clanton have announced the arrival of a fine new baby girl, born at home last Sunday, May 3. Both the mother and baby are doing fine.

Hemstitching, Silk and Cotton 5c per yard.—All work guaranteed.—Robinson Dept. Store, Clanton, Ala.

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Calotabs purify the blood by activating the liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels. Trial package, 10 cts. Family package, 35 cts. All dealers. (Adv.)

Merchants Are Opposing Farm Bureau Stores

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strawberries, sweet potatoes, watermelons, cream, poultry, eggs, and etc., and whereas,

The rural elementary schools are facing an emergency, be it resolved, that:

1. We deplore the fight of certain interests headed by Mr. J. C. Hodges of the Cosby-Hodges Milling Company, Birmingham, Alabama, manufacturers of Jazz feeds, and by Mr. Tom Kidd of the Farmers' and Ginners Oil Company, Birmingham, and their associates, placing such restrictions on the operation of the farmers' cooperative organization in Chilton County, and the other counties in Alabama, as will interfere with the service of this organization to the farmers.

2. We endorse cooperative buying of materials as go into economical production, which includes: fertilizers, feeds, seeds, spray materials, strawberry crates, plants, and etc.

3. We endorse the activities of the Federal Farm Board in aiding in cooperative selling of cotton, eggs, pecans, and other products the Board may be able to give us assistance in marketing.

4. We endorse cooperative selling of poultry, strawberries, watermelons, eggs, pecans, cattle, hogs, and other farm products that we may think to our advantage to market cooperatively.

5. We endorse and pledge active support of the bill sponsored by Dr. A. F. Harmon and the County Superintendents of Education for an increase of two million dollars for the public rural schools of Alabama.

6. We express our appreciation for Auburn and its Experiment Station and Extension Service, and their complete confidence in the work of these, our agencies, set up for our instruction, leadership and benefit.

Classified Ads

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE

Five-room house with modern conveniences. Outhouses, garage, and a garden. Located on Eighth Street, Clanton. If interested see J. C. Jones at Jones Grocery Store, Clanton.
5-7-2tc

FOR RENT

Good house in Clanton, with modern conveniences. Located four blocks from Grammar School and four blocks from business section of town. Large enough for two families to occupy comfortably. Apply at Wilson Hotel, Clanton, Ala.
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One beautiful broach pin with 30 diamonds. Three one-half carat diamonds in rings with ladies mountings. Also one cluster of nine stones. Must raise money, and these diamonds will be sold at a sacrifice. If interested write Box 205, care The News, Clanton, Ala. 4-30-3tcpd.

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PORK & BEANS Campbell's	Can	7
STRING BEANS Sumter Brand — 2 Large Cans		25
TABLE SALT—I. G. A. Plain or Iodized—2-lb. Round Pkgs.		8
MAYONNAISE I. G. A.	Large Jar	16
APRICOTS — I. G. A. Ripe	Large Can	25
GRAPE FRUIT HEARTS I.G.A. Fancy	Large Can	19
CALIFORNIA PRUNES Medium Size	2 Lbs.	17
TEA — I. G. A. Finest Orange Pekoe ¼-lb. Pkg.		21
COFFEE "I" Blend	Lb. Pkg.	
COFFEE "G" Blend	Lb. Pkg.	
COFFEE "A" Blend	Lb. Pkg.	
WAR-ON-INSECTS, Effective Economical, spray free, pt. bot.		39
PICNIC HAMS Sunlight Shankless	Lb.	16
ICEBERG LETTUCE Fancy	Head	10
PREMIUM CRACKERS NBC	2 Lb. Box	24
FLOUR — I. G. A. Plain or Sel Rising	24-lb. Bags	98
FLOUR—Duchess Self Rising or Columbia Plain, 24-lb. Bags		80

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CHAMBER GIVES SUGGESTION ON STATE FINANCE

Resolution Presented To Gov. Offering Cooperative Suggestion On Problem

Gov. B. M. Miller was presented on last Friday, May 8th, with a resolution adopted by the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce, offering a cooperative suggestion for working out the state's financial program.

Among those comprising the committee who went to Montgomery from Birmingham, were some of the outstanding men in the business world of the state, who are recognizing the joint responsibility with the governor and the legislature of Alabama in their effort in solving the financial problems of Alabama.

The resolution as presented to Governor is as follows:

Resolution

Whereas, the business men of the State and certainly those represented by the membership of the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce, recognizing the joint responsibility with Governor B. M. Miller and the Legislature of Alabama, in an effort to provide funds for the difficult task the Administration faces in solving the financial and economic problems of the State of Alabama, and,

Whereas, the State of Alabama occupies a very unusual and favorable position in the Southern States with reference to its financial affairs by compari[illegible] and,

Whereas, the State of Alabama has an excellent opportunity at this time to attract the attention of the industrial

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Breach Of Promise Suit Here Tonight

An entertainment that promises to be one of the most laugh-provoking affairs seen in Clanton for sometime is the breach of promise suit to be tried at the courthouse in Clanton tonight. This entertainment is a mock trial, and [illegible] put on by the grammar school to raise much needed funds.

One will see some of Clanton's business men on the witness stand testifying pro and con. Miss Madelyn Orr is to be sueing Otto Jones for breach [illegible] promise in this mock trial. Attorneys are Hon. J. B. Atkinson, Hon. G. Walker, Hon. Raymond Smith and [illegible]. The presiding judge will be Lawrence F. Gerald.

[illegible]nesses have been selected and the testimony they give as to whether the suit should go one way or the other will bring about laugh after laugh. [illegible] good thing about it, the judge [illegible] not fine anyone for laughing or [illegible]mpt of court. Don't miss this mock trial tonight at the courthouse. Admission will be fifteen and thirty-[illegible] cents.

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VERBENA HIGH ANNOUNCES COMMENCEMENT

President Judson College To Deliver Commencement Sermon Sunday, May 17

Commencement plans announced by [illegible]cipal W. E. G. Sutton for Verbena [illegible] School show that a very high [illegible] of closing exercises will be pre[illegible]d in the high school auditorium [illegible] the period, May 15 to 22.

[illegible]nday morning, May 17, at eleven o'clock Dr. Harry Clark, President of Judson College, will deliver the Commencement sermon. Verbena is to be complimented on securing the services of this much-sought-after speaker, who is not only prominent in position but is noted as one of the most pleasing and instructive speakers of the state.

Tuesday evening, May 19, at 8:00 p. m. will be presented Senior II Class play, "Educating Esther," a farce in three acts, by J. C. McMullen. This is a royalty play, full of interest and replete with humorous situations. Miss [illegible]ae Wible is directing the production. This play is produced by special arrangements with Walter H. Baker Co., Boston, Mass.

Thursday evening, May 21, at 8:00 p. m. the Senior III Class play, "It

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ADV. IN NEWS SELLS 800 BARS OF SOAP FOR TAYLOR

Last week Grady Taylor of the West End Grocery, ran a small ad in the News on groceries. One of the items listed was on soap.

Mr. Taylor told the News Tuesday that he was more than pleased with the results from that ad, and that he sold eight hundred bars of soap from it. Mr. Taylor uses space in the News frequently, stating that he certainly gets results from it.

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TEACHERS ARE ELECTED FOR CO. SCHOOLS

Only Partial List Completed; Truck Drivers Selection Is Not Settled

The Chilton County Board of Education met in regular session Tuesday and the larger part of the day was taken up in the naming of teachers for various schools in the county. The business of naming drivers for school bus routes was not settled. Following is a partial list of schools and teachers selected for them for the next term:

Junior High Schools

Thomas, Jr.—G. C. Weldon, principal, Pearl Grantt, Mrs. Zebbie Vinson, Nell Stubblefied, Mrs. Clara Boockholdt.

Stanton—Luther E. Little, principal, Mrs. Luther E. Little, Icie Belle Cobern, Houston Robinson, Eunice Log-

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14 Are To Receive Diplomas, Jemison

The Commencement calendar at the Jemison High School will begin Friday, May 22, and continue through Tuesday night, May 26.

The opening program will be the Junior High School class exercises at 10 a.m. Friday, at which time diplomas will be awarded to the sixth and ninth grades. At 8 p.m. Friday the Elementary School will give a miscellaneous program—suited to the different ages.

Dr. Haskew of Clanton will preach the baccalaureate sermon Sunday, May 24. The Senior Class play, "Brown-Eyed Betty" will be presented at 8 p.m. Monday, May 25.

The graduation exercises will be held at 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 26, with Dr. P. H. Carmichael, of Alabama College, delivering the commencement address.

Candidates for graduation are Ensley Atkinson, Emeral Davis, Irene Dennis, Gwendolyn Clements, Carl Glass, Irene Lessley, Erin Littlejohn, Robert Martin, Hollis Merchant, Ruby Merchant, J. C. Satterwhite, Tommie Lee Sims, Eva Varden, Lila Watson.

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Mrs. W. T. Darnell of Vincent Buried Sun.

Funeral services for Mary Jane Steeley Darnell, age 81, were held last Sunday afternoon, May 10th, at Vincent, Alabama. She is the mother of Mrs. J. B. Atkinson of Clanton.

Mrs. Darnell died in the Citizens Hospital at Talladega, Ala., last Friday afternoon following an illness which lasted for several weeks. She is the wife of W. T. Darnell, one of the oldest residents of Vincent, Ala., and who is widely known throughout that section. She was the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Steeley of Rockford, in Coosa County, where she was born.

She was married to Mr. W. T. Darnell on January 4, 1872, and to this union were born seven sons and two daughters. Mr. and Mrs. Darnell moved to Vincent something like forty

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MISS BESS ROGERS TO PRESENT PUPILS IN RECITAL, MARBURY

The pupils of the music and expression classes of Miss Bess Rogers of the Marbury-Mountain Creek school will be presented in a recital on next Wednesday night, May 20th.

This recital will be presented in the school auditorium at eight o'clock. The public is extended a cordial invitation to attend this recital.

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SUMMER SCHOOL TO BE TAUGHT AT CLANTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Announcement was made this week by Miss Louise Pack to the effect that she will conduct a summer session of school the coming summer. Miss Pack stated that anyone wishing to attend to please communicate with her not later than May 23.

Blackface Minstrel At Verbena School

An evening of laughter is promised those who attend the black-faced minstrel next Friday evening, May 15th, at eight o'clock, at the Verbena High School auditorium. The minstrel, which is being given by choice local talent, under the direction of Prof. H. C. Hiten is for the benefit of the school and has been rehearsed for several weeks.

Come and forget "Depression" for a couple of hilarious hours. Admission is twenty-five and fifteen cents.

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ALABAMA SHIPS 1,500 CARS OF TRUCK CROPS

During the past thirty days Alabama farmers have shipped over 1,500 cars of strawberries, cabbage and potatoes from which they received over $1,000,000 reports the Department of Agriculture.

The 1,500 cars included 728 cars of strawberries, 522 cars cabbage and 346 cars Irish potatoes. Over 800 of these were shipped during the past week.

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THORSBY HAS SHIPPED OVER SIXTY CARS STRAWBERRIES

Reports coming from the Thorsby correspondent of the News stated that sixty-six cars of strawberries have been shipped from there so far this season, with promise of many more.

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CHILTON CO. IS WELL AHEAD IN ACTIVITIES

Visitors From Other Sections Say This Co. Appears Most Active Seen Lately

"Chilton County is certainly on the go all the time," is a comment heard time after time by persons who are visiting in this section, or passing thru, stopping for a short while.

In conversations with visitors to Clanton and Chilton County, representatives of the News have found that this section impresses them all in a most favorable manner. These comments come from persons from distant parts of the United States.

Two of the most recent visitors, who

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MRS. BARNEY ROBERTS TO PRESENT PUPILS IN RECITAL SOON

The pupils of the piano classes of Mrs. Barney Roberts will be presented in a recital on next Tuesday evening at eight o'clock.

The public is cordially invited by Mrs. Roberts to attend this recital at the high school auditorium. For the past several years Mrs. Roberts has presented her well trained pupils in recitals, and these have been thoroughly enjoyed by those attending, as each pupil taking part shows excellent tutoring.

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The City Court docket shows that six names of young boys are entered there charged with gambling. They were caught up near the mill village last Saturday night by Officer Sherrod. All made bond, City Clerk C. H. Pipes, stated.

Cemetery Cleaning At Providence

All those who are interested in the cemetery and church at Providence, Beat 16, are urged to meet there on Thursday, May 21, for the purpose of cleaning off the cemetery lots and church grounds, according to J. M. Robinson, church clerk.

Those who come are also requested to bring tools necessary for this work.

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DAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. WILLIE JONES DIED SUNDAY

Ruth Elizabeth Jones, age 17, died at her home in Clanton last Sunday afternoon, May 10th, at four-fifteen o'clock, following an illness lasting only a few days.

She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Jones of Clanton, and popular among the high school students here and among the younger church workers of the Baptist church, of which she was a member.

Funeral services were held last Monday morning at eleven o'clock at the Baptist church here, with Dr. S. J. Ezell, officiating. Martin & Sons in charge. Interment followed in the City Cemetery. She is survived by her parents, one brother, J. C. Jones, of Clanton and other relatives.

Pallbearers were Renfroe Jones, Lonza Parrish, Horsley White, Macey Jones, Tom Parrish and W. H. Sartor.

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BIG DAY IS SET FOR FORMER COOSA PEOPLE

Gathering at Coosa River On Next Sunday Promises To Be Of Wide Interest

The day when those people from Coosa County who are now living in Chilton County will gather together for an all day affair is near. The day is set for next Sunday, May 17th, and the old people are especially invited to come.

A program has been arranged, according to C. F Woodfin of Rockford, and much interest is being shown thruout Chilton and Coosa counties concerning this day. The welcome address is to be made by Hon. A. C. Smith, attorney of Clanton. Hon. F. A. Gulledge of Verbena will also be one of the speakers on the program.

Everyone is requested to bring a lunch and prepare to stay all day The meeting place is the ferry landing on the Coosa River, just below Mitchell Dam, on the new Rockford Road Many from Coosa County are expected to be present.

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FINDS LARGE SNAKE IN STORE LAST SATURDAY MORNING

When Grady Taylor went to his store in West End to open up for business last Saturday morning, he was confronted at the outset with a large snake laying in the floor.

The snake was dead, and approximately three feet long, called by some a King snake. The building was searched for a possible place for the snake to have crawled in, but no place could be found. It is believed that it became entangled with an electric motor and became sufficiently injured to die.

LOCAL CONCERNS SPONSOR "USE MORE ICE" CAMPAIGN IN COUNTY

Advantages Of Using Ice In Bulk To Be Shown In Series Of Advertisements From Furniture Dealers And Ice Manufacturer

The advantages of using clear, large blocks of ice in bulk and the use of the refrigerator ice box will be shown by local furniture dealers and manufacturer of ice in a campaign starting this week in the News.

In this issue there appears a large ad from the Clanton firms who are putting on this campaign. In this ad are figures and statements in behalf of the ice manufacturer and the refrigerator ice box, and in ads to appear week after week, informative material will be contained.

Ice Complimentary

One of the features of this campaign is the free delivery of ice to those who purchase refrigerators from the furniture dealers sponsoring this "Use More Ice" Campaign. They have arranged with the Clanton Ice Company, local manufacturers of ice to give complimentary, ice to fill any refrigerator purchased from either of them on date of purchase. The Clanton Ice Company will deliver the ice to the home of the purchaser at no cost.

The concerns who are sponsoring this campaign are the Clanton Ice Company, James Wade, manager; Clanton Building Supply Company, Farmers Hardware Company, and Tiffin-Klinner Furniture Company. These furniture dealers have placed special prices on

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KIWANIS DELEGATES RETURN FROM CONVENTION IN MIAMI

The delegates from the Clanton Kiwanis Club to the International Convention held in Miami, Fla., last week, returned to Clanton Sunday after spending a week in Miami These are J. Mell Martin, M. Lande, Cohen E. Stapp, and Mack Wyatt.

Mr. Lande was accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Lande and they extended their trip on to Cuba and returned to Clanton yesterday.

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ERRORS FOUND IN RECOUNT OF SENATOR VOTES

Tallying of Alabama Votes Shows Bankhead 854 and Heflin 599 Shy

An Associated Press report of the recount of the votes cast in the Senatorial election in Alabama, now taking place in Washington, shows that John Bankhead is 854 votes shy and Heflin is 599 votes shy. The report stated that the ballots for Colbert, Mobile, Montgomery and Tallapoosa counties have been completed and 19 boxes in Jackson county. The report was dated May 9, and was according to a statement by W. B. Smith, Jr., one of the Senate elections committee investigators.

The statement of Smith referred to the 10 points of the Alabama election

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Isabella School Commencement

The program of the Commencement exercises of the Isabella High School has been completed and announced according to Prof. J. D. Griffin, principal of the school

On Thursday night, May 21st, the Senior Class Play entitled, "The Call of Youth" will be presented, at eight o'clock, in the school auditorium.

Friday night, May 22, at eight o'clock the Senior Class exercises will be presented. No charge for admission.

Sunday morning, May 24th, the Commencement sermon will be delivered by Dr. Horace G. Williams, at eleven o'clock at the Mulberry church

Monday night, May 25th, at eight o'clock, Senator [illegible] will [illegible] liver the Baccalaureate address. The diplomas will be awarded to members of the [illegible] class by Judge [illegible] H Reynolds. This takes place in the school auditorium.

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Miss Voncile White is confined to her home on account of illness. Her many friends will be glad to learn that she is doing well at this time.

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"Our Band" Expresses Thanks To People

The group of string musicians known throughout the county and in other sections as "Our Band" sends a letter to the News expressing their thanks for the cooperation from the people in a recent contest conducted by Station WAPI in Birmingham. Following is the letter:

Editor Chilton County News,
Clanton, Ala.,

Dear Sir:

Please allow me a space in your paper to express our appreciation to our friends who were kind enough to send us their votes in the contest recently conducted by Radio Station WAPI. We also wish to thank The [illegible] and the Chilton County News for the help they have given us

We only won second place in this contest but we appreciate your votes just the same as we would have if we had won first place. We wish also to thank our friends for the numbers that they have requested that we play and we will play these numbers as soon as possible. We will also be pleased to hear from our friends in regard to how our program is coming in, as we are always glad to receive letters commenting on our program, as well as the requests.

Very truly yours,
OUR BAND, By Alton Culp.

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The many friends of Mrs. J. A. Hester will be glad to learn that she has returned to her home after being confined in a hospital following an operation. Latest reports state that Mrs. Hester is doing fine.

STATE NON-JURY TERM OF COURT HERE MAY 19TH

Twenty-Nine Cases on Docket for January Term Court On May The 19th

Following are cases on the docket of the State Non-Jury January, 1931 Term of Court which is to convene here on Tuesday, May 19th:

State vs. Willie Pilgreen, Fraudulent Check.

State vs. Homer Ratliff, D. R. Worship.

State vs. Harry Weissbuck, R. Driving.

State vs. Richard Palmer, R Driving.

State vs. Barney Littlefield, P Drunkenness.

State vs. Esley Johnson, Hunting without License.

State vs. Gordon Howard, D Auto While Intox.

State vs. Murl Dotz, A. & B

State vs. Albert Mims, V. P. I.

State vs. Earnest Smith, A & B

State vs. Hern Wilson, V. P. I.

State vs. Mose Davis, V. P. I

State vs. Laura A. Holderness, V. P. I.

State vs. T. Gilliland, V. P. I.

State vs. Gordon Hudson, V. P. I.

State vs. C. E. Faulkner, V. P. I.

State vs. Tillian Niamon, V. P. I.

State vs. Robert Cleckler, V. P. I.

State vs. Albert Robinson, V. P. I.

State vs Homer D Henson, A.I.O.I.

State vs. Homer D. Henson, A. & B.

State vs. Roberta Henson, A.I.O.I

State vs. Roberta Henson, A. & B

State vs. Jack Dickerson, A. & B

State vs. Lonnie Cleckler, V. P. I

State vs. Elijah Thomas, V P I.

State vs. Dewey Powell, V. P. I.

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Religious Debate Here Monday, 18th

Announcement was given out this week stating that there will be a debate at the courthouse in Clanton on Monday night, May 18th, at seven-forty-five o'clock.

The question for discussion is: "Resolved that the Scriptures tea[illegible] all the wicked will be destr[illegible]" The Rev. J. C. Hill will take th[illegible], with W. A. Bowen th[illegible]

[illegible]

TWO ARE FINED IN MAYOR'S COURT HERE MON. MORNING

Two persons appeared in Mayor J. Lee Smith's court late Monday morning to answer to charges [illegible]. They were [illegible] and [illegible]. Both were fined [illegible] and costs.

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HART SERVICE STATION HAS BEEN OPENED

Eric Hart Manager Of Newly Opened Standard Station On The Highway

The Standard Oil Company has opened another service station in Clanton [illegible] Birmingham [illegible] next to Jones' Place.

Eric Hart is manager of this new station, which dispenses Standard Oil Products. Mr. Hart has as his assistant Mack Wyatt, who is widely known throughout this section in the gasoline and filling station business, having had several years experience in that line.

Mr. Hart stated that they have the only steam auto laundry in Clanton. His feature of the Hart Service Station is really something out of the ordinary. Jobs done on cleaning automobiles by this method of using steam show that it is thorough in its work. This department is in charge of M. H. Marcus, who has done this particular work for some time.

The Hart Service Station also carries a full line of a well known make of automobile tires and tubes, as well as accessories. The station has recently been repainted. See the ad from this station in this issue of the News.

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Today and Tomorrow

By Frank Parker Stockridge

Quakers—

The Religious Society of Friends, whose members are usually called "Quakers," has just amended its book of discipline, removing some of the restrictions on the dress and speech of its members. It still adheres to its fundamental tenet, which is simplicity in external things, as well as in spiritual things.

President Hoover, the most distinguished member of the Society of Friends, habitually wears the plainest and simplest clothes that any President has ever worn, the dark Quaker grey being his favorite color. But Quaker girls are no longer forbidden to dress modishly, although they are still warned against the extremes of fashion.

The vitality of the Quaker sect has been remarkable. Its moral influence has always been very powerful. And I have never heard of a Quaker in need of charity.

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Sunlight—

Every scientist knows that the energy of the light rays from the sun, striking the earth, amounts to many million times the amount of energy developed by all the power plants in the world. Means of capturing this solar energy has long been discussed. Now Dr. Bruno Lange, of Berlin, has found a method of converting this sun energy into mechanical power. Sunlight striking a new type of photoelectric cell sets up an electric current which will turn a motor.

All that remains to be done to make the sun run all of the world's machines is to find a way of doing it cheaply enough. At present the cost of the apparatus is about two hundred and fifty times as much per unit of power generated as a modern steam or hydro-electric plant, but some day it will be cheaper than water power.

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Ford—

To me the most interesting thing about Henry Ford is his inquiring mind. No other individual, and few institutions, spend so much time and money in the effort to find basic remedies for social and economic evils as Mr. Ford does. When he has an idea that he thinks will work he doesn't have to ask anybody else to finance it, but goes ahead and tries the experiment on a full-sized scale.

His latest plan to insure continuous employment to his workers is to shut down his plants for the annual inventory in summer instead of in winter, and to give all of those laid off a chance to work on his own and other farms, thus increasing agricultural production and maintaining the workers' incomes.

Mr. Ford has long believed that sixty days' work in the year is all that is really needed to produce most food crops. It will be interesting to see how his experiment works out.

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534—

The City of New York has begun to dig away part of the shores of Manhattan Island in order to provide dock space for the new Cunard Liner, which will be 1,018 feet long—the first ship to exceed the thousand-foot length.

This giant of the seas is still known merely as number "534." It will probably be named the Britannia. She will cost thirty million dollars, and displace seventy-three thousand tons of water. She is expected to be not only the world's largest ship, but the fastest large ship.

When the airship replaces the water-borne ship for fast passenger service, as it certainly will, the Britannia and her like will still be useful cargo carriers.

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Authors—

Arnold Bennett, the English novelist who recently died, left an estate of $500,000. That is not much for a successful novelist to accumulate in these days. Mary Roberts Rinehart has earned more than two million dollars with her pen. Sinclair Lewis can count on at least $100,000 profit from every novel he writes.

There are more people reading books in America today than ever before, and even obscure authors are earning more money than most bankers and business men ever get.

I know one newspaper man who wrote a book that was published a month ago, and which has already sold 13,000 copies. He gets twenty-five cents for each copy sold, and it took him six weeks to write the book, which makes its first month's earnings high pay for a newspaper man.

A recipe for riches: Write a book, but be sure it is an interesting book that people will want to read.

Union Springs

(JACOBS CHAPEL)

I'm very grateful that my last week's letter missed the waste basket. So, I'll take leave for another chat.

Farmers here are very busy this week working in their crops, but my, the cold weather lasts so long until crops in this section of the county are not growing much.

We are glad to know that Mr. Olen Crumpton is improving. Mr. S. N. Waldrop is up and going about now. Health in general here is good.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chapman are the proud parents of a fine baby girl, who came to their home Friday night. The mother and baby are getting along nicely. Also Mr. and Mrs. Houston Pate have a fine baby boy, weighing 12 pounds, who came to their home Sunday afternoon.

Our Teacher Training Class will finish the first book of the Sunday School manual next Sunday and will have the examination the same evening.

We are to have a special service at Union Springs church next Sunday night, beginning at seven-thirty o'clock. A special sermon is to be delivered on "Consecration." We cordially invite everybody to come and worship with us.

Several of our people went to the singing at Macedonia last Sunday and reported a very nice time, also several went to Providence.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Robinson and sister spent the day in Clanton Tuesday, also Mr. Joe Waldrop was with them. He was taking a treatment from the eye specialist. Hope that he soon gets all right.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Erwin spent last Saturday and Sunday in Bessemer.

Rev. W. W. Dyer spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Crumpton.

News is scarce, so I'll stop.

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Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskow, Pastor

If you care to hear a pastor in Clanton who believes in "Peace," then come to the Methodist church next Sunday at 11 a.m. There will be a terrific indictment of war in this message.

We have a full program for next Sunday. Sunday school at 9:45, an object lesson for the children at 10:30, preaching at 11 a.m. Preaching at Isabella at 3 p.m. Leagues at 7:15, and and preaching at 8 p.m. Please note that we have changed our night services from 7:30 to 8 o'clock.

We had a good day last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Marcus united with our church. They reside at Lay Dam. The pastor preaches at Lay Dam every Tuesday night at seven o'clock.

When you come to church with us, if you are a stranger, pause long enough for us to speak to you. We want to be friendly. Help us and we will be happy.

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FERTILIZER SALES OFF 35.6%

Through May 8 this year fertilizer sales showed a 35.6 per cent decrease compared with the sales to the same date last year, according to a comparative statement of fertilizer tag sales released by the Department of Agriculture.

The tag sales to date amounts to 411,500 tons compared with 639,150 tons to the same date last year and 666,400 tons to May 8, 1929.

J. B. ATKINSON
Attorney-At-Law
Office Over Robinson Department Store
Clanton, Alabama

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My Experiences in the World War

By General John J. Pershing

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W. N. U. Service

(continued from last week)

Spies Get Sailing Dates.

The success of submarine warfare had been largely dependent upon advance knowledge concerning movements of vessels. As there was no doubt that the sailing dates of much of our shipping reached Germany through spies, one way to reduce the danger would be to close such sources of information.

In the beginning the practice by our War department of transmitting secret information was extremely loose. The data regarding sailing was, of course, sent to my headquarters, but at the same time, or often before. It was also given to both French and British military and naval attaches and missions in Washington. They immediately transmitted the information by cable to their respective governments, with the result that it usually became almost common knowledge.

But there were other sources of information possessed by the enemy. One message intercepted by the French, sent from some wireless station in Spain to the German general staff, announced the arrival of several American vessels at Nantes and of 10,000 American soldiers at St. Nazaire, and also gave the routes taken by our transports.

Another, evidently intended for submarines, reported the departure of a convoy of transports from New York. These and similar facts were cabled at once to Admiral Sims and to Washington.

Leadership Big Problem.

Probably the most important factor in building up an aggressive army is the selection of leaders. Without sufficient leadership the finest of troops may suffer defeat by inferior forces skillfully led.

The following was my recommendation to Secretary of War Baker:

"My observation of British and French armies and most exacting arduous service conditions at the front fully convince me that only officers in full mental and physical vigor should be sent here. Contrary course means certain inefficiency in our service and possible later humiliation of officers concerned. General officers must undergo extreme effort in personal supervision of operations in trenches. Very few British or French division commanders over forty-five or brigadiers over forty.

"We have too much at stake to risk inefficiency through mental or physical defects. Strongly recommend conditions be fully considered in making high appointments and suggest that no officer of whatever rank be sent here for active service who is not strong and robust in every particular. Officers selected for appointment general officer of line should be those with experience in actively commanding troops. Officers not fulfilling above conditions can be usefully employed at home training troops."

Little Effort at Selection.

These recommendations were not altogether followed at home. In fact very little effort seems to have been made at selection, so that some officers without ambition or initiative, whose inefficiency should have been well known, and others whose age and physical condition were such as to disqualify them for strenuous service, were given important assignments.

Most of them were known to me and not a few who, under the rule of seniority, were commanders of regiments and departments, had lacked the energy even to train their commands or themselves in battle exercises, here favorable opportunity had been offered.

The policy of the War department from beginning to end seemed to be to appoint officers to the higher grade, according to seniority, with the intention of weeding out the inefficient later on. This appears to have been the department's idea of selection and the result was practically no selection at all. After the appointment of such officers it was a slow process to eliminate them.

In the Training Area.

The First division was now well settled in its training area in the region of Gondrecourt, south of Bar-le-Duc. The troops of the division had already established friendly relations with the French peasantry and had quickly adapted themselves to their new mode of life.

As the natural consequence of the financial condition of the frugal French provincial, he was wont to profit by the presence of the British and ourselves, and the open-handed payday habits of the Americans served to give some encouragement to this inclination. As a result some coolness grew up later between our men and their early friends.

In all history I do not believe there has ever been an army on foreign soil so considerate and observant of the rights and interests of the people. The peasant class made a strong appeal to every man in the army. Their simplicity, their love of the soil and the long hours of work in the fields by the old men and women and young boys and girls remained the constant admiration of our soldiers.

I am inclined to think, however, that the excellent behavior of the men in the first contingent, their rather unmilitary appearance in ill-fitting uniforms and their apparent lack of formal discipline created the impression in the minds of the French officials that they were too kind-hearted to become aggressive fighting troops.

At the conclusion of my inspection of various places Chaumont was selected as the best site for our general headquarters. It was on our line of communications to the front and centrally placed as to probable sectors of our operations. The fine stone regimental barracks became our headquarters and we were able to obtain ample billeting accommodations in houses for all except the enlisted men, who were provided with temporary barracks.

CHAPTER XI

In the organization of our armies for the World war it was evident that if any considerable numbers were to be sent abroad an additional force would be needed over and above the regular army and the National Guard.

The War department therefore established what was called the national army, to be composed principally of men who were to come into service through the draft. Most of the divisions of the national army were organized in August and September, 1917.

As the time approached to begin the training of the smaller units it was found that after equipping the special troops urgently needed in France there was little equipment left even for the additional men required to fill up the National Guard.

Yanks Learning to Use the Bayonet.

Unfortunately, this made it necessary to delay calling out men for the units of the national army. However, considerable numbers were called into service and proceeded with preliminary instruction, but the lack of equipment seriously delayed their progress.

Visiting Billeting Areas.

My diary notes the following:

Paris, Tuesday, August 21, 1917. —Visited billeting areas of Forty-seventh French and our First division with General Petain on Sunday.

Inspected St. Dizier regulating station and witnessed attack near Verdun yesterday. Visited French hospital at Souilly.

Returned this morning with M. Painleve, minister of war, on his train.

As I had accepted General Petain's invitation to see the French offensive that was to take place August 20, I motored to French general headquarters on the 18th, accompanied by Colonel Palmer and Captain Boyd, and after dinner left with General Petain and two or three members of his staff on his train for an inspection of French and American troops the following day. We reached Gondrecourt the next morning and began the day with a review of the French Forty-seventh infantry division, which was paraded on a prominent plateau near Houdelaincourt.

This division had been in every serious engagement of the war and its losses had been very heavy, as could be easily surmised from the youthful appearance of the officers, most of whom had risen from the ranks to replace casualties among their seniors. General Petain told them that because of its fine record the division had been given the special honor of assisting in the instruction of the American First division.

Visit Our Troops in Training.

Accompanied by Brigadier General Bundy, Colonel Cruikshank and others, I took General Petain to see some of our troops being trained in throwing grenades and in the use of the French automatic rifle. An amusing story was told us in connection with grenade instruction. One of the men insisted on throwing his grenade immediately after setting the fuse instead of waiting till he slowly counted seven, which was necessary so the explosion would occur as the grenade reached its destination.

After being cautioned several times by his officer the man said: "Captain, I just can't hold these grenades any longer because I can feel them swelling in my hand."

We visited several villages occupied by French and American troops. As we passed through our billets and inspected the kitchens, Petain particularly inquired about the components of our ration and the manner of cooking and serving meals. The French soldiers were furnished wine in place of coffee provided for our men and the allowances differed in other respects, ours containing a larger meat component. But when it came to cooking the French were ahead of us, although our men preferred our own food to either the French or British ration.

Wounded Nurse Decorated.

Motoring to Souilly, the headquarters of the French Second army, we met Major General Fayolle, commanding the group of armies of the center, and Major General Guillaumat, commander of the Second army, whose chief of staff explained in detail the plan of the battle that was to take place next day. We had luncheon with General Fayolle, whom later I came to regard as one of the ablest of the French generals. In appearance he was rather frail, no longer young, but active and alert.

On our visit to the military hospital at Souilly General Petain decorated Mdlle. de Baye, a nurse, with the croix de guerre, as she lay on a cot suffering from a severe wound inflicted by a piece of shell two days before. When he told her who I was she said: "I am glad you are here, general, to see how a French woman can suffer for her country." She was so happy, however, that I am sure that for the moment she had entirely forgotten her pain.

Sees French Attack.

The attack of the Second French army, although made astride the Meuse river, was directed principally against Hill Mort Homme and Hill 304, both famous in the struggle of 1916. To destroy the wire entanglements and demolish trenches, as a precaution against heavy losses, the infantry assault was preceded by four days' continuous bombardment, and relatively the amount of artillery ammunition expended exceeded that of any previous engagement, its value being, as I remember it, some $75,000,000.

The proportion of the artillery force as compared to the infantry in this battle was as eleven to ten. The firing attained such precision and volume that the German troops in the forward positions were submerged and the attacking infantry reached most of its objectives by nightfall the first day, making an advance of five kilometers and capturing 6,000 prisoners.

The sector where the French attack took place was to have a peculiar interest for me before the end of the war. My headquarters as commander of the first army one year later occupied the building in Souilly, then used by Major General Guillaumat, and the line reached by Corvisart's troops in the battle became our jump-off line in the Meuse-Argonne battle. In fact, every foot of the ground covered in this inspection with General Petain became associated later with America's greatest effort in the war.

Petain's Contact Valuable.

After visiting the French installations and the manifold activities carried on behind this front with the shifting masses of combat troops and the thousands engaged in the services of supply and transportation, it seemed quite improbable that we should be able to marshal a sufficient army in time to replace the French on this front before 1919.

I found it most agreeable as well as instructive to be with Petain in this intimate way and have an opportunity to hear something of his experience. His discussion of the defense of Verdun, in which he played an important part, being second in command, was especially entertaining. As we drove about he spoke of the courage of his troops and of the tremendous losses they had sustained. He pointed out the vast amount of road work, including the Voie Sacree from Bar-le-Duc to Verdun, rebuilt under his direction for the constant movements of large bodies of troops and supplies necessary to maintain the defense.

In lighter vein his comments on French politicians during this trip were amusing, if not always complimentary, and he congratulated me many times on being so far removed from political interference. One afternoon the conversation drifted to painting and he asked me how many times I had sat for my portrait. "Several times already," I said. "The last one, which was very good, was done by a distinguished artist by the name of Jonas (English Jonah) for l'Illustration."

Immediately he said: "Don't let them publish it! Don't do it! Every officer whose portrait by Jonas has appeared in that journal has been relieved from his command."

Not that I am superstitious, quite the contrary, but I immediately forbade the publication of the portrait and to this day it has never appeared

Builds Up French Morale.

From the time of Nivelle's failure in April the depression in the French armies had been so great that Petain, who succeeded him, had been content simply to hold the trenches, and no French offensive operation of consequence had been attempted until this one. From the moment of his assignment Petain began to build up the shattered morale of his armies and probably no other officer in France could have performed the task so well.

Petain's immense success in the defense of Verdun had won for him the confidence of the army and the country, and yet he remained the same modest, unassuming character, consistent and conservative. He, perhaps better than any other, understood the temperament of the French soldier, whom he handled with infinite patience and tact.

CHAPTER XII

In view of the gravity of our tonnage situation, it was highly important that it be brought forcibly to the attention of the allies. Apropos the approaching inter-allied conference on shipping, I cabled Washington August 23, 1917, in part as follows: " . . . The British and, especially, the French have reached absolute limit of man power and any augmentation their military force cannot be expected. Imperative hasten our organization and training so that we will have the troops contemplated your project in Europe for active service by May or June.

"Military activities of allies on land should be strongly reinforced by combined navies and destruction U-boat bases accomplished if possible. High British army officers confidentially condemn waiting policy British admiralty. . . . In view of gravity of shipping question recommend our government insist upon aggressive policy by combined British and American navies.

" . . . Our position in this war very strong. . . . Allies now fully recognize dependence upon our co-operation and we need not hesitate demand both aggressive naval policy and full share commercial shipping. Recommend American representative shipping conference be instructed accordingly."

Numbers of officers of all armies felt very strongly that to check the losses by submarines the two navies should take some risk and attempt to destroy the bases from which these boats operated. It is not known whether any steps were ever taken to convey this suggestion to the combined navies.

(continued next week)

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity No. 916.
Jettie McCray Laston, Complainant, vs.
Duff Laston, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of J. B. Atkinson that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Duff Laston, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 2nd day of June, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 2nd day of May, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER.
5-7-4tc Register.

NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court In Equity. No. 908.
Buna Wallace Fowler, Complainant, vs.
Charlie Fowler, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of G. C Walker that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Charlie Fowler, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 28 day of May, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 25th day of April, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER.
4-30-4tcS Register.

NOTICE

State of Alabama, Complainant. vs. One Ford Touring, 1926 T. Model, Respondent.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against one Ford Touring Car, 1926 T. Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 19th, day of April, 1931, One Phil G. Parker did transport in one Ford Touring Car 1926 T. Model, certain prohibited liquor and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama to another, and that said automobile was on said day seized by the Sheriff of said County, and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Alabama, and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 15th, day of June, 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 9, day of May, 1931.

5-14-3tcs GEO. F. SMOOT.
Judge of the 19th, Judicial Circuit.

NOTICE

State of Alabama, Complainant vs. One Whippett Six-Coach, 1929, Model, Respondent.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G.C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against one Whippett Six Coach, 1929 Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 19th day of April, 1931, one J. A. Dollar did transport in one Whippett Six Coach, 1929 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama, to another, and that said automobile was on said day seized by the Sheriff of said County and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Alabama, and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 15th, day of June, 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 9th day of May, 1931.

5-14-3tcS GEO. F. SMOOT.
Judge of the 19th, Judicial Circuit.

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP DISSOLUTION

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between J. D. Straiton and G. E. Jacks, partners, doing business under the firm name and style of Clanton Novelty Shop, has been dissolved.

Signed J. D. STRAITON
This the 9th day of May, 1931.
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Miss Myrtice Vines of Selma, Ala., was the attractive visitor of Miss Mary Goodwyn Jones during the past week.

"I've got what I want . . . now"

● "Tell me—what can I do to improve my lot? Sure, I'm a farmer. I like farming. I was raised on the soil. So were my folks.

"I ought to be able to sell my stuff as soon as it's ready. Well—I'm doing that now. I take my butterfat, eggs and poultry to the nearest Swift & Company produce plant.

"And I ought to have ready cash just as soon as I make delivery. I get that too. Swift & Company pays me for all they take, as they take it, at the full market price.

"I ought to patronize my own community, and deal with other people who do. Yes—that's true. Well, Swift & Company has 55,000 employes in over 500 towns and they all work for the company in their own home towns and spend their money there too. They pack and distribute the Swift brands right where they live. Many of them are our own townsfolk, helping this town to grow, helping to support our schools, stores and banks.

"It seems to me that I'm getting a good, square deal now. And it gives me a real feeling of security to know that I'm part of an organization of 55,000 employes and 48,000 shareholders; that it is able to make a reasonable return on their investment and operate successfully on an average profit from all sources of only a small fraction of a cent per pound."

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"Saving The Railroads"

Writing in Collier's Weekly, John T. Flynn, associate editor of that magazine, says that saving the railroads is a major national problem. "It is a problem," he states, "which affects the investments of a million people, the jobs of a million and a half men and women directly and as many more indirectly, and the servicing of countless industries which cannot otherwise exist. . . "

Mr. Flynn points out that railroad net earnings increased between 1921 and 1929, at a time when gross earnings were steadily declining. This was accomplished by decreasing expenses. A tremendous drive against inefficiency and waste was carried out, with the result that the lines established an amazing record for service per dollar received. The railroads have managed to haul about 20 per cent more traffic with 20 per cent less operating expense

But the time has been reached, according to rail executives, when it is impossible to further cut operating expense. Further savings can be effected only at the expense of service. And thus the problem of "saving the railroads" arises.

The main question, of course, is how? Mr. Flynn says that there are only two ways—by getting more business or higher rates? There are great obstacles in the path of either course. The best thought of the nation is now needed to save one of the most essential of all industries from disaster.

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This Business Of Talking

Since the World War eleven Armistice Days have been observed and always there are repenting speeches and mournful reflections. For the past five years there has been held annually a session of the so-called World Disarmament Conference. But those members attending, after leaving the Armistice Day ceremonies evince a sudden change of mentality when they step into the assembly room of the Disarmament Conference. They immediately begin to struggle and vie with each other for supremacy of armed strength. The result is usually another conference. This procedure costs nations much money.

Such business of talking and doing nothing does not confine itself to disarmament conferences. It is spread over other such meetings even down to consul meetings of small municipalities.

If the leaders of world powers were really interested in the welfare of the people, and take that under consideration, they would easily win the support of the people. The same will apply to smaller conferences of men in power. But what can such men expect from their people, when the idea is obvious that they expect to rule or ruin? Conditions are such now that the people want something to run smoothly in their government. They place a man in office as president, governor, judge, or mayor, hoping and trusting that he is the man for the job, basing their hopes on speeches and statements made by the candidate before election. But when he is elected and allows outsiders to influence him in his actions, and tries to seek revenge after being elected, to rule or ruin, then the government, although it be only a small town, is usually corrupt. Maybe there is too much talking and not enough doing, not only in national affairs, but in state and city affairs.

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Governmental Waste

It is a sad commentary on the efficiency of governmental methods that practically every state and municipality in the country is faced with a financial crisis, as a result of mismanagement or worse, while the Federal government exhibits a mounting deficit.

Still, our countless departments, bureaus and other agencies for the spending—and often squandering—of tax money clamor for more and more funds. Bureaucrats lie awake nights, it would seem, thinking up new ways of spending the public revenues, while legislators also lose sleep trying to discover how to impose new tax burdens. Through the operation of this vicious circle the cost of government in the United States has increased to more than four times what it was in 1913.

An increase of governmental expenses from year to year is to be expected, owing to the growth of population and wealth, but the rapidity of increase in recent years is entirely out of proportion to that growth, even making liberal allowance for the improved public facilities which have been provided.

Too much of the public money is devoted to purposes foreign to the legitimate functions of government. For example, hundreds of millions of dollars are appropriated for the purpose of bringing more farm land under cultivation through irrigation, while other hundreds of millions are appropriated in an effort to aid in disposing of the surplus farm crops that are raised on the land under cultivation already. The mania for investigations is costing the taxpayers many millions, with practically no resulting benefit to anyone. Still other millions are expended in the attempted enforcement of a multitude of laws and regulations of doubtful advantage to the public.

All this governmental waste will continue until taxpayers themselves are aroused to the point of calling a halt, through relegating to private life the legislators and other officials who are responsible for it.

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It is claimed the worm will turn, but if he does, the fishermen digging for bait will probably discover him before long.

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The pen is said to be greater than the sword, but many of our most learned people can't make any legible marks with the first named implement.

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Motto of the speculators: If at first you don't succeed in losing your money, try, try again.

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

"We awake and find ourselves a race
of people with nothing to do and plenty
of time to do it in."

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Have just been reading up on this Robot business. To those who are not so well posted on Robots I will tell that Robots are these mechanical men. Mechanical beings with limbs and trunks of steel, photo-electric brains, nerves of copper, and go to sleep by the thermometer and are awakened by the same.

Robots pump water, keep tab on the filling of reservoirs, do unheard of mathematical problems that the human brain would ponder over for months. The Robot does it in a few minutes. The Robot answers the telephone, sweeps the floor, washes your clothes, and will maybe mind the baby if properly coaxed. The Robot does your cooking, washes dishes, dispenses soft drinks.

Now all that kind of worries me when I give it a lot of thought. Suppose Clanton should have something of an epidemic of "Robots" so to speak. Then Albert Davis, Bob Alred, Happy, Sunshine and all the soda jerkers here would be out of a job, because all a customer would have to do would be to drop a coin in the slot and get his drink. All our cafe waitresses would be out of work. Our negro washer-women would strike it hard. The wives could just sit around and play bridge, go swimming, etc. We would just have nothing to do and plenty of time to do it in. After all that don't worry me so much. I suppose if science and inventions keep on, we wouldn't even have much need for the old Stork and his deliveries.

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Spruce Up, company's coming. Clanton has in store for it several events. Some of these events will bring hundreds possibly from other towns and cities. Of course we want to look our best, as if our girl-friend was going to call on us, or maybe her parents will make a call. So, let's spruce up, because company is coming.

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And we'll do it almost every time. When things are beginning to look up, and we've got a little money on hand, we will almost every time grasp at the least little thing that we think, or have been told will aid in increasing business. Better watch our step, there are a lot of sharpers out now with good times tales—just to get your money.

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We still have a few extremely modest girls round town so I've found. Went to a fire the other morning and left before many arrived on the scene. Just as I was leaving I passed some girls, two of whom happened to recall they had on no hose, and hesitated for a moment before going any farther. Be modern, little girls, and you will be noticed.

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Dignity is all right, but walking around like a cathedral, as some folks do, arouses a desire to pray rather than to purchase.

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Who said opposites attract? Perhaps they do. But I know of one incident where opposites didn't attract. It was the other day when I was coming out of a certain cafe out-of-town, and ran head-on into one of the daintiest little girls with hair almost the color of mine. The impact was so sudden and hard that our heads butted together. Naturally that called for apologies, etc., and then you know one thing sometimes leads on to another and another ,ad infinitum, and I was late coming home.

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I wonder whose idea that was to put that banner with the words, "Old Economy Himself" down in the gutter here the other day.

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Found out something rather good about a certain filling station operator here the other day. Hadn't been stopping there at all, until I got caught short of gas and had to stop there, but I'll be dropping round every now and then hereafter, because he is certainly friendly. More so than I had expected.

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Maplesville strikes me as a rather friendly sort of town to visit. There is a fine bunch of business men there, but I wonder why they haven't created a market over there for their farmers' products. Not a bad idea, you people of Maplesville, and farmers over in that section ought to be raising a lot of strawberries, too.

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I've been trying to keep up with all that is going on in the state and nation, and by George, it's a job to try to keep straight on who's who round these parts. And I been wondering who is keeping all this down so our great-great-great-grandchildren can read about it in their history books.

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I'll bet that mock trial at the courthouse tonight is gonna be a wow. I'm gonna see it, if possible. I think i am going to bet on Otto, but then again, I think maybe to win. I'd bettes bet on Miss Orr.

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Folks, I am afraid I am going to have some bad news for you soon. I'm not sure but there is a possibility of me bidding you adieu, within a very short time. But it will be only for a short time. I got to go off to school for awhile and learn a thing or two maybe, and then I'll be back. I know the ed will miss me, and I hate to think of you readers missing me. But fret not, because I'll only be away for a week or so. I need a rest, and maybe you do too.

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I wonder if the stores here are gonna close up for Thursday afternoons during the shmmer. Does anybody know yet?

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I extend heartfelt sympathy this week to the family and relatives of Mrs. W. T. Darnell of Vincent, Ala., who died last Friday night in a Talladega infirmary. Mrs. Darnell is the mother of Mrs. J. B. Atkinson of Clanton.

Sympathy is also extended to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Jones and family on the death of their beloved daughter, Ruth.

Letters To The Editor

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HOW MUCH DEFICIT?

Editor Chilton County News:

Having been the "Daddy" of the Chilton County News, it affords me great pleasure to observe the constant strides it is making up the tortuous hill of success.

It was born Sept. 15, 1921, and will soon be ten years of age, and I hope you will give it a birthday blowout on its next birthday that will be fitting to its wonderful progress and improvement during the management and guidance of its present force. I tender you my sincere congratulations, Billy, for having put the Chilton County News at the very top of the ladder that Alabama weekly newspapers must climb.

Had you thought much about the Revenue Bill that Gov. Miller is trying to put over? Talk about sublime gall, that bill is the limit. How he can face a single voter in Alabama, after all of the great and glorious economy he promised us on the stump during the campaign, passes my comprehension. If I was in his shoes I would feel just like I was branded. All of the members of the legislature who support the wild and undemocratic Revenue Bill submitted by Miller, Feagin & Co., may fold up their habiliments of official attire and return forever into darkest pits of oblivion. Never again will the voters permit them to even smell of the feed trough. They can all write "d.d.d." very appropriately after their signatures, so far as political recognition is concerned forever afterwards.

So far as a bond issue is concerned, the calling of an election to vote on that subject is a willful waste of time and money. That question is already settled for a long time. With taxes already so high that the state is robbing thousands of good citizens of their homes, it is worse than folly to suppose that these very victims of the waste and profligacy of the political crooks who are pretending to manage the affairs of the State, will "stand and deliver" any more right soon.

How about this "Great State Deficit," we hear so much about? Only a fraction over $3,000,000 behind on January 19, 1931 and now they claim the amount is somewhere "between 12 and 20 millions" already. Why don't they get some high school boy to go down there and figure the exact amount up and tell the people precisely how we stand. The experts down there have had over three months to find out this very thing, and yet, they tell us it is "about so and so." They evidently can not frame the story up so it will hold water.

There are two very palpable reasons for this "Deficit" story. One of them is they want more money to "play with" and the other is they hope to scare the voters up and make them cough up a few more millions to satisfy their greed.

The voters have been an easy mark in years gone by for these crude stories that the tricksters frame up, but that good day has gone forever and hereafter they are going to see and know what they are buying before they pay for it.

Your $45,000,000 Bond issues and your income tax law to be left to the people are already dead and it's up to the legislature to announce the date of the funeral.

I thought a good many times during the Miller campaign that a person who had lived 28 years in a town that was properly electrified and when the citizens used electric lights in their homes and still burned lamps for illumination was too far behind the times to be a suitable man for governor, and I have seen no cause to change my mind yet. It would be a graceful thing for him to tender his resignation.

W. B. CORLEY.

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MORE ABOUT THE ALMSHOUSE

Chilton County Newspaper:

There appeared in your paper on Thursday May 7th, 1931, an article by W. T. Hand, of Jemison, Alabama, which was relative to the County Poor House and as I am the Keeper of the Poor House I think in justice to myself and to the County as a whole that this article should be answered and some facts be given to the people. I do not know Mr. Hand's purpose in writing this article other than about one year ago he came to the poor house and asked me to show him around the place which I did, and Mr. Hand stated there that he was very much surprised at the way the poor of the County were being treated and that they were being treated much better than he expected to find. He came back on two or three occasions and in the meantime I learned that he was causing quite a bit of dissension and trouble and was criticizing to the inmates and was causing trouble in general among them. This information I received from the inmates at the poor house and the people outside. Upon one occasion when Mr. Hand came there I approached him concerning this and told him what I was doing and it resulted in a more or less personal difficulty between Mr. Hand and myself. Mr. Hand has never been back to the poor house since and I might say here that Mr. Hand has never seen a single meal served at the poor house. The next thing I knew was when three investigators from the Governor's office, as I understand, came to the poor house and stayed some two or three days and left. The next thing I knew Mrs. Davis and a man came out of the State inspector's office, Dr. Andrews, and stayed about five days and I might say that neither of them have ever filed any report against the poor house, and that no report of anything wrong was filed with the Commissioners court, and so far as I have ever learned or that was ever filed, no criticism was made by them of the poor house.

I might state also that the Grand Jury in March of this year made no criticism against the poor house, but on the contrary commended the conduct of the poor house and several members of the Grand Jury told me personally while making this investigation that they were well pleased with conditions and that they did not see how it was handled and kept as clean and nice as it was.

I might also state that at various times and immediately after Mr. Hand was there the county commissioners made a thorough investigation in the absence of Mr. Bean, and found the conditions to be properly handled and had no criticism to make.

Mr. Hand mentions in his letter of selling the poor to the lowest bidder, and in reply I would like to state that he is either ignorant of the fact or else has willfully mis-stated the situation, for the commissioners court does not award the contract to the lowest bidder and this has never been the practice.

I would like to state here that Mr. Hand often goes to see Oliver Smith, who once had the poor house and who has been prejudiced against most everyone of the Keepers since he was Keeper, and Mr. Smith is personally unfriendly with me and these two have seen fit to stir up all trouble possible at the poor house.

I would like also to take this opportunity to invite any citizen at any time to visit the poor house and to investigate the clothing, the food and general surroundings and I am sure that he will be convinced that these poor people are being treated and cared for in a manner far above the average person of the county and without exception in a far better condition then they were ever accustomed to. The county has just erected a new building which is modern and cleanly kept, with provision for fresh air and sunshine and is properly screened and with every provision made for the comfort of these old people. I do not ask you to take my word but simply invite you to come and see for yourself.

I think any citizen has a right to criticize the poor house if sincerely made and I think any citizen has the right to see and know the conditions of the poor, and I blame no man for criticizing the conditions but on the other hand, I think when a man of W. T. Hand's type and his past record attempts to harm me in criticizing the poor house for things that he knows are absolutely untrue that I fear they are injustice to the county and to myself, that I should also have a right to give my views. It has been the practice of W. T. Hand for the past ten years to stir up strife and trouble wherever possible and through personal grievances, it is well known by the people that he has been left some money, and has nothing to do but to cause trouble and dissension where-ever he could. I believe tho' I am truthful in saying that during all of this time that he has failed in every point he has attempted. Mr. Hand was the one who secured the State Officials to investigate the poor house and now because they would not perjure them-selves to give a false report he has turned against them. It is clear that Mr. Hand is not seeking the truth but is seeking to harm and hurt some one for his own personal grudge.

I think that the people of the County by this time know Mr. Hand, but I deemed it my duty to protect Chilton County from the slurs thrown at it by Tom Hand when in fact and truth his criticisms are wholly unfounded as shown by the various investigations made.

I invite you to come and see for yourself and let you be the judge as to the conditions and as to Tom Hand.

J. D. BEAN.

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A DEBATE ON RELIGION

Editor Chilton County News:

You will find somewhere in this paper the announcement of a debate to be held in the courthouse Monday evening, May the 18th, 8:00 p.m., between W. L. Bowen and the writer. You may recall an article in last week's issue headed, "Is This Free America," by Mr. Bowen. I want to say this much to the public concerning this debate.

I consider it a matter of great importance to every Christian and all who love and appreciate the Bible an believe it, as a whole. I have neve thought much of debates between denominations and would not enter int such a debate, but here is a compan of people who belong to nothing an who make bold to say that all of ou denominations are organizations of th Devil and all ministers are Satan's representatives and they are selling thei literature by the rankest kind of deciet. Therefore, knowing them as I do and knowing the rottenness of thei literature I have consented to this debate in order that the people of thi county and surrounding country migh know the truth.

I hope the people will come. Your for the whole Book.

J. C. HILL,

Clanton, Ala.

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WHO STARTED THIS ANYWAY

Editor Chilton County News,
Clanton, Ala.,

It Only Hurts The Hypocrites!

One writer in last week's paper accuses Rutherford of fighting th churches. His fight is against the Devil, and Devil religion. He is 100% fo true Christianity. There is only on true church; but tradition of the elder spoken of in Matt. 15:2,3 has cause hundreds of so called churches. Th particular blind guide described i Matt. 15:14 says we should not patronize these people because they have n home. If he had read Matt. 8:20 h would have found that Jesus had "no where to lay his head."

Another critic who has Reverend i front of his name is warning agains the Rutherford literature. Does he no know the Bible says to reverence Go and His son Jesus Christ; and then only? Some religious leaders have D. D. on their names. How many peopl know that "Doctor of Divinity" is no a scriptural term but "Dumb Dogs" is! Read Isa. 56:10, 11 and see if it don' fit the D. D.s. It calls them shepherds and watchmen. Read it! It is in th dear Old Bible. If it is too hot ge after old Isaiah. He don't care wha you think!

The Devil and all his hosts can't sto the truth now. We have tried hundreds of denominations for years. W have tried politics, prohibition, leagu of nations, and the sick old world i getting worse fast.

Lets try God's way once. He says we must have a brand new world "ne heaven and new earth wherein dwelleth righteousness." 2 Pet. 3:13. That i what Rutherford says is the only hope Dangerous to Hypocrites. Yours fo truth.

L. M. DEROVEN.

Clanton, Ala.

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Verbena High Announces Commencement Exercise

(Continued From Front Page)

Happened in Hollywood," a three-ac comedy, by Katherine Kavanaugh, is a royalty play also, and is produced by special arrangements with the Dramatic Publishing Company, of Chicago This play is built around the theme o a young man breaking into the movie by impersonating a prince. This theme is developed in a much more pleasing way than is usual, in most plays, situations full of humor arising, and much comedy resulting. This play is directed by Mrs. W. E. G. Sutton.

Verbena High School assures the general public that these plays are good they measure in quality with the best that have been presented, and the acting is on the high standard usual with plays presented at Verbena. Prices will be, for the plays, 15 cents for children and 25 cents for adults.

Friday night, May 22nd, graduating exercises will be held for the Senior III Class. Ten students are candidates for diplomas: Mary Frances Boyd, Rachel Messer, Queenie Pinson, Ad[illegible] Sue Sharp, Mabelle Stange, Justin Dupree, Lloyd Pinson, Milton Sharp, Archie Stroud and G. C. Weldon. V[illegible]ma Patterson, Class of '27, is also a member of the class doing special study

The commencement address will be delivered by Dr. W. L. Spencer, head of division of secondary-education of the state. Dr. Spencer is a forceful speaker who knows more of the high schools of Alabama, possibly, than any other man. He is a hard worker, a very earnest and forceful speaker, direct and pleasing. This who will come to hear him are assured of food for thought.

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HILTON DEFEATS CENTRE-VILLE; PLAY MONTEVALLO

The baseball boys from the Chilton ounty High school motored to Cen-reville Tuesday afternoon to meet the ibb County high team. The score at he end of a ten inning game showed he Clanton boys ahead, 4 to 3. Chil-on played an errorless game, which is ery commendable for the local boys. ox in the pitchers box for Chilton al-owed only five hits for the Bibb Coun-y team, while Chilton managed to nab ine hits from their opponents.

Montevallo High School will come to lanton next Friday afternoon for a ame with the high school here. This romises to be good. Centreville will eturn their game here on Friday week.

The team of the local high school as played ten games this season, los-ng only two of them, proving to the aseball fans and others here that lanton has a splendid team and they eserve support. Attend the games hen possible.

Mr. Chester Hand and Miss Edith Hand of Birmingham spent Saturday nd Sunday with their parents, Mr. and rs. W.W.Hand, of North Clanton.

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ROBERTA CURRY WILL SOON MOVE TO CHICAGO FROM N.Y.

Mrs. William T. Darnell, who is known to countless Clanton friends as Miss Roberta Curry before her marriage, daughter of Mrs. Clara B. Curry, will soon go to Chicago, where she will make her home. Mr. Darnell, who is a geologist, has recently received a promotion in his work and sent to Chicago from New York, where they have been for some time.

At present Mrs. Darnell, in company with Dr. Mary Sue Mullins, daughter of Mrs. P. D. Wilson of Clanton, are spending some time vacationing and visiting friends at Castle-on-The-Hudson, in New York.

M. L. WARE'S CONDITION MUCH IMPROVED IN BIRMINGHAM

Reports from the South Highland Infirmary in Birmingham last Tuesday concerning the condition of M. L. (Matt) Ware, stated that he is resting well, following recent operations.

Mr. Ware, operator of the popular Matt's Lunch Shoppe of Clanton, has been confined in the Birmingham Infirmary for over two weeks. His condition was not so good the middle of last week, but he is improving now, and appears to be on the road to recovery. Mr. Ware has been greatly missed from his daily haunts and his familiar place in his lunch shop here, and his many friends sincerely wish for him a very speedy recovery.

MRS. J. D. CONWAY IS ILL IN CENTRAL ALA. HOSPITAL

Mrs. J. D. Conway was brought to the Central Alabama Hospital last Saturday suffering with an illness which appears very much like that due to the death of two of her children sometime ago. Mrs. Conway resides in the Mulberry Community and is the wife of one of that community's' best citizens.

Dr. Joe Johnson of Chattanooga has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Wilson and other relatives in Clanton recently.

CARD OF THANKS

It is our sincerest desire to express in the best manner our deep appreciation for the many words of sympathy spoken and deeds of kindness done by others during our recent bereavement at the death of our daughter, Ruth. We especially want to thank Mr. and Mrs. J. Mell Martin and Dr. N. S. Johnson for their kind efforts. Our best wishes and expresisons of gratitude go out to them, and to those who sent floral offerings.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wilile Jones and Family.

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Fidelis Class Met Monday—

The Fidelis Class of the First Baptist Church held a business meeting Monday night at the home of Mrs. J. Renfroe Mullins, teacher. The meeting was called to order by Mary Lee Pyron and a contest which begins Sunday was discussed by the class. Vera Jones and Carrie Foshee were selected as captains and names were drawn for sides. The purpose of the contest is to gain new members and to cause more enthusiasm among the present members of the class. Dues were paid and plans for a camping trip the latter part of May were discussed. After the business meeting there followed a social half hour during which time delicious sandwiches, cakes and iced drinks were served by Mrs. Mullins. The members present were Charlsie Pyron, Vivian Gray, Gladys Williams, Melna Dial, Mary Foshee, Bernice Williams, Glennie Mims, Mary Lee Pyron, Carrie Foshee, Vera Jones, Flora Harris, and Mrs. Mullins.

We ask that all old members come to Sunday School Sunday and bring a new member with you. We need all of you and we are sure you will find it worthwhile to come again if you come once.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus, Jr., daughter, Billie Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Veitch, came down from Birmingham and spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus. Ben, Mr. and Mrs. Veitch went to Lay Dam and caught a large string of fish, 20 pounds.

Among the out-of-town people in Clanton Monday morning to attend the funeral of Miss Ruth Jones were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones and Mrs. W. T. Patterson, of Laurel, Miss. Mrs. Sallie Bates and daughters, Frenchie and Dora, of Montgomery. S. E. Elmore, manager of the Coca-Cola Bottling Company of Montgomery, and Joe Hilson, also with the bottling company.

Mrs. Ida Hamilton, Mrs. Gus Bryan and daughter stopped over in Clanton last Friday for a visit to Mrs. J. P. VanDerveer. They were en route from Birmingham to Opp, their home.

Missionary Society Met Last Monday.

Members of the Missionary Society of the Methodist church held their regular meeting at the church last Monday afternoon. The meeting was opened by a song, "I Love To Tell The Story," followed by Scriptures and response. The business session was presided over by Mrs. D. W. Haskew, president of the society.

The program was opened by the story of Winston Ting Koo, by Mrs. Marvin Carter. This was followed by A Choctaw Rider in Oklahoma, by Mrs. Haskew which was followed by a round table discussion of Christianity on Trial. The meeting was closed by prayer.

Leon Evans, of Kansas City, Mo., spent sometime with his mother, Mrs. Gene Evans, in Clanton last week.

Dr. C. N. Parnell, prominent physician of Maplesville, was among the callers at the News office last Friday.

Friends of Mrs. Alice Calloway who resides on South Clanton will regret to learn that she is still very ill.

Dr. J. J. DuBose and Mr. John Maples, of Maplesville, were in Clanton Sunday.

Mrs. C. E. Stapp spent last Sunday with her parents in Fernbank.

Lamar Calloway who has been studying medicine at the University is spending the summer with his parents in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Elmore and daughter spent last Sunday with the former's mother in Elba. Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Dyke of Dallas, Texas, and daughter, Mrs. M. A. Moore and children, spent last week with Mrs. J. Q. Wade in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Powers of Thorsby attended church here Sunday.

Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald of Thorsby spent Friday in Clanton with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence F. Gerald.

Mrs. J. H. Williams had as her guests last Sunday at her home in Clanton, Misses Florence Carlton and Julia Thigpen, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Williams, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Lancaster of Birmingham, Misses Exer and Ann Apperson of Omaha, Texas, Miss Faithie Ware of Salem, Mrs. J. F. Apperson and sons of Billingsley, and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Williams of Mount Pleasant.

Mrs. Amzi Gowan of Brewton has been spending several days with relatives in Clanton.

Latham Ellis of Birmingham spent several days recently with his parents in Clanton, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Ellis.

Miss Helm of Brundidge, Ala., was a recent guest of Miss Kathryn Hayes.

Joseph Hester of Atlanta is spending several days in Clanton with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hester.

Mr. and Mrs. Horsley White attended the funeral of Mrs. W. T. Darnell in Vincent, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Gowan attended the funeral of Mrs. W. T. Darnell, in Vincent, Ala., last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mollie F. Moss arrived in Clanton last week end from Fitzpatrick, to spend some time with Mrs. Mamie C. Smith and family.

Miss Nell Sumners, a student at Alabama College, spent the past week end in Clanton with her father, R. J. Sumner.

Udah Curlee, who has been in Hokes Bluff, Ala., during the school term is spending some time in Clanton with his mother, Mrs. J. M. Curlee.

Mrs. A. J. Lecroy, who resides on Maplesville, Ala., Route 1, was in Clanton shopping last Saturday. While in town Mrs. Lecroy was a pleasant caller at the News office.

Harlem Daniel, of Clanton Route 4, was among the callers at the News office Saturday.

Miss Mary Ellis of Piper spent the past week end in Clanton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Ellis.

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NOTICE OF SUMMER SCHOOL

There will be a six weeks summer school at the Clanton Grammar School beginning June 1st. Anyone who is interested please see me before May 23.

MARY LOUISE PACK.
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LOCAL CHAPTER O. E. S. RESOLUTION OF RESPECT FOR MRS. G. C. HARRIS

The local Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star passed the following resolution on the death of Mrs. G. C. Harris:

Resolutions of Respect

Whereas, God, in His infinite wisdom, has seen fit to call from our midst unto Himself our beloved and faithful sister, Bessie Belle Harris, therefore be it resolved by The Julia Beauchamp Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of Alabama:

First, That our order has sustained an irreparable loss in influence and beauty in life and spirit in the departure of the deceased.

Second, That we miss her presence, her wise counsel, and her spirit of devotion to the higher virtues of our order.

Third, That we humbly submit to His will and love, trusting in Him whose wisdom never makes a mistake.

Fourth, Be it further resolved that we extend to the family our deepest sympathy; that a copy of these resolutions be spread on our minutes and that a copy be sent to the family as an expression of our love for her and them.

—J. Z. Mims, Mrs. P. T. Hinkle, Lula Arant. Committee.

RESOLUTIONS

The following resolutions on the death of Mrs. Bessie Harris were adopted by the Faithful Workers Sunday school class of the Clanton Baptist church.

Whereas, on April 18, 1931, God removed from our midst Mrs. Bessie Harris, faithful and beloved member of the Faithful Workers Sunday School Class of the Clanton Baptist Church, therefore be it resolved. First, that we extend our deep sympathy to the bereaved family and especially to the husband, children and mother, and rejoice that though she be absent from the body yet is she present with the Lord.

Second, that we cherish her memory, influence and example, and may we be inspired to a greater devotion and larger service that we may attain unto the measure of the stature of Christ.

—Mrs. Watts Moore.
—Mrs. H. T. Pipes.

Concord-Billingsley

Remember next Sunday is our regular preaching day. Come and bring someone with you.

At the request of one of our teachers we have changed our Sunday school time to 9:30 o'clock every Sunday morning

Everyone is invited to come and be with us in Sunday school and preaching services Sunday morning.

We are glad to say that our C. E. is growing lately in membership. We have received five new members during this month.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Little and family had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Miss Seymore, Miss McClain, Miss Keener, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Wilson and Mr. Push.

Mr. J. P. Williams and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Preston Deramus of Maplesville, Alabama.

Misses Annie Klinner and Gertie Mae Owens of Sardis Community were the guests of Misses Connie and Sallie Shaw Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Lawrence and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

Mrs. C. D. Foshee and daughter were the Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs W. A. Shaw.

Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Surles visited Mr and Mrs. C. H. Herod of Haynes Sunday

Mrs. Emma Williams spent Sunday night with her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Little.

Our regular singing afternoon is every first Sunday afternoon, but by special request we are going to have singing here next Sunday afternoon. Everybody invited to come, especially the singers. We are hoping to have a large crowd with us.

Mr. Cliance Hand of Cedartown, Georgia is spending several days with relatives in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robinson of Havana, Fla., are in Clanton visiting friends and relatives.

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MR. AND MRS. EARL PARRISH TO RETURN TODAY FROM MISS.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parrish and little daughter, Julia Nell, are to return today from a motor trip to Biloxi, Miss., where they have been spending several days. Mr. Parrish was awarded this trip for outstanding work for the insurance company which he represents. He is also connected with the First National Bank of Clanton.

MR. AND MRS. DAN MATHIS TO MOVE TO BIRMINGHAM SOON

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Mathis and family will move to Birmingham, where they will make their home, in the near future. They will be greatly missed from the midst of their many friends in Clanton.

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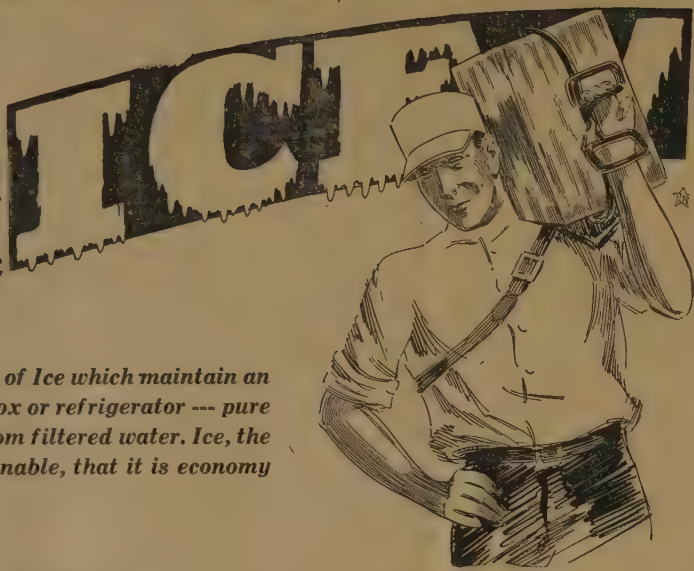
Send us your name, address and date of birth, if you haven't done so already. We want to remember you, and give you a pass to our show on your birthday. We also give three passes on each picture from names drawn from our birthday list. We give a birthday present on the 1st Saturday of each month, beginning May 1st, 1931.



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5 years at $30 per year	$150.00
Refrigerator 5 years use	$ 25.00
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Net Saving	$600.00

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Poems Of The Week

By OUR READERS

"Our Railroads"

There would be quite a good bit more
of this old world's goods to spare
If we'd praise the bridge which carries us across and help to keep it in repair.
Too soon we forget, I fear,
Our country's condition before the railroads were here.
When our forefathers on a journey did go
The mode of travel was extremely slow.
Just a short trip was a long way.
They had to get up before day—
And before the sun sank in the west
Camp was pitched, horses taken out to rest.
Then countless numbers of dollars were spent,
And relief through railroads everywhere was sent.
All over the whole creation, a railroad has meant civilization,
And now that the world is a network of track,
On such an organization,
Are we going to turn our back

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"The Invitation"

By Mrs. Newton Cooper

Won't you give your life to Jesus,
And accept His love today?
He will give you peace and comfort,
Roll your burdens all away.

He will rescue you from danger,
Lift you over prison walls,
He is able, He is willing—
He will save both great and small.

On the cross His work was finished.
His blood was shed for you and me,
And through His we have redemption.
And from sin and death made free.

He alone is our Redeemer,
He alone can save our soul,
Only thru His grace and power
Can we walk the streets of gold.

Jesus is the Life from Heaven.
He raised Lazarus from the dead,
He raised the widow's son at Nain.
For death He gave them life instead.

Jesus is the Resurrection—
He won the victory at the grave—
He triumphed over death and Satan,
And thru His blood we may be saved.

O, yes, He is the Resurrection—
For us He left His Heavenly throne.

O, won't there be a great reunion
On the resurrection morn.

Friends, accept the invitation,
Come to Jesus while you may—
You might not live to see tomorrow,
Come to Jesus, come today.

This poem was written by Mrs. Newton Cooper of Mitchell Dam and sent to a friend who thought it so good that she desires to pass it on to others.

ASCENSION DAY

The last of the church year's festivals based upon incidents in the life of Christ is Ascension Day, or Holy Thursday, which is observed forty days after Easter. It falls on May 14, this year.

At Florence, Italy, a curious custom peculiar to that city is observed on Ascension Day, as the result of a legend that when Christ ascended to heaven a cricket was carried with him. Before the day arrives each person who takes part in the observance provides himself with a cricket, which can be bought on the street, confined in a little cage made of cane.

On Ascension Day after Mass the people gather with their crickets in parks along the River Arno, where amidst much feasting and merrymaking each releases his or her cricket. If it flies away it signifies a year of good luck, but if it remains on the ground it means bad luck. It is said that the superstition is so strong that lovers will often postpone their marriage a year if their crickets fail to fly away.

Eastview News

The services at church were not well attended Sunday and Sunday night. Many visitors met with us. We welcome them back again.

Mr. N. O. Griffith and family of Birmingham spent Saturday night with Rev. A. C. Nelson and family.

Miss Ida Bell Dobbs was the week end guest of Mrs. Cornelia Coggins.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Cramer of Birmingham spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mims.

The Ladies Aid will meet next Friday afternoon at the church. Come early. All members requested to attend if possible.

The church plans to begin a revival on Saturday before the second Sunday in July and run the following week.

We are planning on getting Rev. G. D. Hunt of Roanoke to help our pastor in the revival. Let us begin to pray now for the success of the revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Carmell Mims were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mims.

Mr. Albert Nixon and Mrs. Heath were the guests of Mrs. Jessie Taylor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Moore and Mrs. Jewel Hurt of Thorsby visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Hunt of Floyd Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Glenn had for their Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Patterson, Mrs. Elsie Patterson and Mrs. Bettie Patterson.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson, Mr. J. A. Dobbs, Mr. Charlie Mims and Mr. John Sorrell motored to Montgomery last Friday. While down there Mrs. Nelson consulted Dr. George Blue for treatment. We hope she will soon regain her health again.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins and Mr. and Mrs. Eulos Courtney attended the singing at Walnut Creek Sunday.

Mr. J. F. Nelson was the Sunday dinner guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nelson.

Mrs. Minnie Nelson visited Mr. and Mrs. Comer Nelson of Pine Flat Sunday. She reports that Mrs. Comer Nelson is very ill.

Mr. Jim Rushing and family had for their Sunday dinner guests Rev. and Mrs. A.C. Nelson, Mrs. Mollie Strength and Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Gulledge.

Misses Mary Sue and Emma Dean Smith were the all day guests of Misses Ida Bell and Edith Dobbs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Lott of Sylacauga spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Nelson.

Misses Lillian and Evelyn Devaughn visited Misses Mae Sue and Emma D. Smith Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Moort of Thorsby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Griffin.

Come to Sunday School next Sunday.

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THOUGHTS OF MOTHER

The one who was so precious to ou
hearts has gone, the voice we lov
is still:
The place made vacant in our home
can never more be filled.
Oh, Mother, thy gentle voice is hushed
thy warm true heart is still,
And on thy pale and peaceful face
resting death's cold chill.
Oh the hope, the hope is sweet,
That we soon in Heaven may meet
There was an angel band in Heav
that was not quite complete,
So God took our dear mother to f
the vacant seat.
Through all pains in life she'd smile
smile of Heavenly birth;
And when the angel called her hom
she smiled farewell to earth.
Peaceful be thy silent slumber
Thou no more our sorrows know
We miss thee from our home, dear,
miss thee from thy place;
A shadow o'er our life is cast, we mi
the sunshine of thy face.
We miss thy kind and willing hand
thy fond and earnest care.
Our home is dark without thee, we mi
thee everywhere.

—Mrs. J. B. Atkinson

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IN APPRECIATION

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson wish
express to their friends in Clanton th
appreciation for the kindness and sy
pathy shown to them during the rec
illness and death of the latter's mot
er, Mrs. W. T. Darnell.

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Miss Dody Wells, a student at Ala-ama College, spent the past week end ith her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. ells, in Jemison. She had as her ests Misses Martha Sparks and Jim thune, also students at Alabama Col-ge.

John M. Parrish of Clanton Route 5 as in Clanton last Thursday.

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A Few Of Our

Week End

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N-JEL, Superior for Pre-ving and Jelly Making, Pkg.	15c
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FFEE "G" Blend — Lb. Pkg.	25c
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Billingsley News

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robertson of Tallassee were the guests Sunday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Culp.

Mrs. C. D. Golson of Prattville spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baxter.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar had as their guests Mothers' Day Mrs. Willis Lawrence of Eoline; Mrs. Mary Lou Wonder of Birmingham; Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Willis, and daughters, Floriede, Lady Beth, and Dorothy Willis, of Jones; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gregg of Stanton; Mrs. R. A. Williams of Montgomery; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Marlar and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hughes of Billingsley.

Rev. and Mrs. A. S. Bentley and Mr. James Bentley were the guests of friends at Jones Sunday.

Messrs. B. W. and Letcher Thompson left Tuesday for Pennsylvania, where they were called to resume work.

Mrs. J. J. Traywick and daughters, Mrs. Irving Golson and Mrs. W. C. Wilson, spent Monday and Tuesday with Mrs. J. H. Roebuck in Montgomery.

Mrs. J. N. Carter returned Sunday from Clanton where she had been visiting her brother and sister, Mr. and Miss Raspberry.

Miss Laura Apperson of Birmingham was the week end guest of her sister, Mrs. J. F. King.

Mrs. J. C. Hughes is attending the S. B. C. W. M U. in Birmingham this week

Rev. A. S. Bentley and Mr. T. L. Patrick were in Birmingham this week attending the Southern Baptist Convention.

A LENIENT WIFE

How much personal freedom a husband and wife should permit each other is a question that has been the subject of much discussion both in public and private. It is suspected that a good many husbands grant their wives as little liberty as possible, while taking all they can get for themselves. And in a good many cases the wife adopts a similar attitude.

The grand prize for leniency to a husband, if such is entitled to a prize, would seem to be due Mrs. Rhoda Hood of Louisville, who gave her husband, James E. Hood, a card signed by her reading as follows:

"This is to certify that I hereby permit my husband to go where he pleases, drink what he pleases, and furthermore to enjoy the company of any lady or ladies he sees fit, as I know he is a good judge. I want him to enjoy life while he can, as I know he is going to be dead a long, long time."

Whether Mrs. Hood's attitude was a wise one is open to question, but it probably saved a lot of argument. Her card of manumission came to light when it was found in Hood's pocket after he had been killed by an automobile, while walking alone and sober on a Baltimore street.

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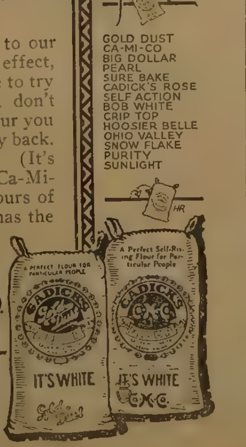
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News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

Miss Thoroman, Music Teacher at Thorsby Institute, will present her pupils in a recital to be given at 7:45 p.m. Saturday, May 16, in the Institute Auditorium. Everyone is invited. No admisison is charged.

Miss Edna Raybon had as her Sunday dinner guests the following: Misses Evie Lee and Odelle Rowe, Janie Kelly and Mrs. Frances Pate.

Little Miss Dian Raybon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Raybon of Birmingham, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Raybon.

Mrs. Charles A. Peterson spent the past week end in Birmingham visiting her children.

Little Miss Helen Merchant spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Maddox of Pates Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Raybon are improving the residential section of Thorsby by having their home painted,

Mrs. Bob Davenport and Mrs. Elizabeth Merchant spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Maddox of Pates Chapel.

Mr. Wilbur Maddox and Miss Melvinia Childress were married Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cleckler and family and Grandma Childress left Thursday for South Alabama to be gone a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Maddox and little daughter spent Sunday with Mr. Maddox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Maddox.

Mrs. Leonard Moody of Birmingham is spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald.

Mr. R. S. Rhodes of Ashby, Ala., was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

Thorsby has thus far shipped 66 cars of strawberries.

Misses Catherine Foss, Mabel Bass, Christine Bosworth and Mrs. A. E. Raegan spent Saturday in Birmingham shopping.

Mrs. Clyde Sims, Mrs. G. F. Harper, and Miss Edna Raybon spent Saturday in Montgomery shopping and visiting relatives.

Mr. Rascoe Maddox spent part of Sunday visiting at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Gray's parents in Prattville.

Mr. Morrison Smith of Livingston, Alabama spent the week end with his wife in Thorsby.

Mr. Astro Wright spent a day last week in Montgomery on business.

Mr. Donald Merchant spent Friday in Birmingham shopping.

Miss Bertha Littleton of Birmingham spent the week end at home.

Mr. Sidney Davenport spent the week end at home.

Mr. Oscar Campbell of Warrior, Ala., spent the week end visiting Miss Era Robinson.

Miss Jennye Robinson went to Birmingham Monday.

Mr. D. L. Ward left Wednesday for Florida where he will take treatment in a Government hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Parrish, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Billingsley, Mrs. Herbert Peterson and Miss Bertha Littleton were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goodgame.

Mrs. R. L. Hearn of Birmingham, Mrs. C. S. King of Selma, Mrs. Alexander of Birmingham and Mrs. Parnell of Birmingham spent Tuesday with Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood.

Miss Margaret Butler of Birmingham spent the week end with her parents.

Mr. Horace Colley of Prattville is spending this week with his sister, Mrs Mack Gray.

Mr. W. J. Brown, buyer for Gentile Bros., of Cincinnati, has recovered from measles.

Mrs. Tandy Robinson will entertain the Baptist social at her home Thursday afternoon.

Miss Clyde Jones was the guest of Miss Mary Sue Robinson Monday night.

A very enthusiastic audience enjoyed the final Lyceum number at the Thorsby Institute Friday evening entitled, "New Brooms."

Miss Jennye Mae Thoroman entertained the Thorsby Institute Trio, which consists of Misses Catherine Foss, Lois Thompson, and Mr. Fred Boyd, at a dinner at the New Exchange Hotel Saturday evening.

Any person desiring to enter Thorsby Institute at the beginning of its next term which will begin in September, please see Mr. H. R. Maddox. The rates for the ensuing year have been lowered.

Mr. F. C. Collins of Sylacauga, Ala., was a visitor in Thorsby Friday.

Mrs. Jim Collins and children spent last week in Birmingham. They returned Monday bringing with them Mrs. Collin's sister and brother, Miss Essie Hester, and Mr. Louis Hester.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Moody and Mrs. Herbert Peterson and little daughter, Imogene, spent Sunday in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McCullar and daughter, Eula, of Sanford, Fla., spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

TILTING AT TRAINS

Don Quixote's tilting at windmills was hardly less foolish and much less disastrous than the habit of present day motorists who assault railroad trains.

Figures covering accidents at railroad crossings during a period of six months show that in 27 per cent of the cases the automobiles ran into trains, instead of trains running into the automobiles.

One railroad company reports that in a single year 500 of its crossing gates lowered to protect the public were run into and smashed by motorists. Another company checked the performance of 3,589 drivers while crossing its tracks. By actual observation it was found that of this number 2,907 failed to look either to the right or left before crossing, 602 looked in one direction only, while only 80 drivers looked both ways.

With such evidence of recklessness on the part of motorists before us, it is not difficult to understand why 32,000 persons were killed and 900,000 injured in automobile accidents last year.

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STORRS WARNS FARMERS TO BEWARE OF BAD SEED

Seth P. Storrs, commissioner of Agriculture and Industries, Saturday issued a statement warning Alabama farmers against buying and planting bad cane seed and velvet beans.

Warning farmers to beware of the kind of cane seed they purchase, commissioner Storrs said: "Cane seed are being placed on the market by a certain concern whose seed are specifically marked: 'Forage Cane' Amber Type, or 'Forage Cane' Orange Type. Many farmers will buy these cane seed for sorghum and lose their crop, never knowing what they are doing. The forage type of cane seed is not suitable for syrup and does not yield sap for sorghum."

Commissioner Storrs also urged farmers to "be careful what you pay for velvet beans and be sure to find out how much they germinate. Good seed will show 90 per cent germination."

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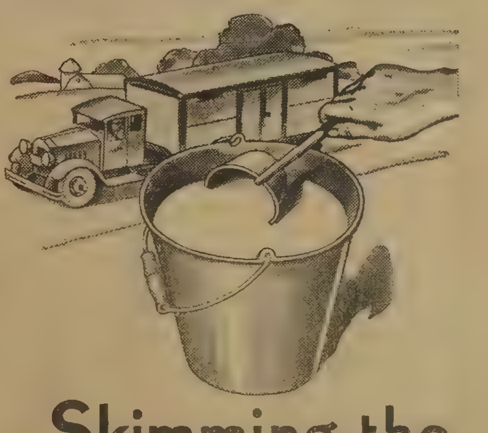

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The railroads are not fighting any form of transportation. They are simply asking for fairness, to the end that buses, trucks, and other forms of transportation shall be operated under equal tax and regulatory conditions.

Consider one point: the railroads must transport all forms of freight offered by shippers, while the truck lines are permitted to "skim the cream"—take what they want and what is profitable and pass on to the railroads the less-profitable traffic.

The Railroads Must Earn To Spend

The problem which confronts the railroads today is your problem. Their impairment will be your loss. The railroads built this Nation—they must continue to be the backbone of its transportation system. They cannot do this unless they are fairly regulated, fairly taxed and liberally patronized and unless they are permitted to operate on a basis that gives them equal opportunity with their competitors.

Additional facts concerning the inequalities under which the railroads are now operating have been put into a little booklet by this Railroad, a copy of which will be gladly sent to anyone addressing the general offices of the Company at Louisville, Ky.

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Chilton County Is Well Ahead In Activities

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called at the News office were Mr. and Mrs. William H. Bradford, of San Antonio, Texas, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howard in Thorsby for several days. Mr. Bradford stated that he observed carefully the farming lands and activities in this county during his trip and stay here, and stated that he has not seen such activities going on that speak of a more progressive class of people.

In their tour Mr. and Mrs. Bradford passed through Missouri, Louisiana, Mississippi and Iowa. It is very pleasing to hear such comments from so many out-of-town visitors to our town and county, and the people of Chilton County have all the right to be justly proud of their home county.

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S. J. M. Webb of the Mulberry Community was in Clanton on business Tuesday.

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Local Concerns Sponsor "Use More Ice" Campaign

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the refrigerators they carry in stock during this campaign which will continue for the next two months.

The Clanton Ice Company, owned by J. Q. Wade, with James Wade as manager, has served this section faithfully for a large number of years. It is at all times ever on the alert to improve its already modern manufacturing plant in Clanton. A tour of the plant will show one the efficiency and carefulness with which ice is manufactured in Clanton from filtered water. The fleet of trucks in service for the Clanton Ice Company cover the county delivering ice whereever it is wanted.

The Farmers Hardware Company, local furniture and hardware dealers, carry a most complete stock of refrigerators in their store here. Their line shows them in various colors and sizes, with low prices.

Another concern with attractive prices on refrigerators is the Clanton Building Supply Company, another local furniture and hardware dealer. This concern carries a line of refrigerators in attractive colors and sizes.

The Tiffin-Klinner Furniture Company, widely known furniture dealers of Clanton are also taking part in this campaign. Their large show rooms carry a full stock of refrigerators in various sizes and colors, and attractive prices.

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Chamber Gives Suggestions On Finances of The State

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and commercial world by its emergence from this period of financial difficulties without imposing additional tax burdens other than for the current indebtedness which would be temporary and which we believe would bring to our State government the sympathetic interest and hearty cooperation from the public at large:

Therefore Be It Resolved that this body, on account of its interest and willingness to cooperate in establishing a basis of a solution for these financial difficulties, respectfully suggests that his Excellency, the Governor, consider the following proposals:

First, the early appointment of a firm of business engineers and certified public accountants of outstanding character, reputation and ability, to be selected by the Governor and members of the Legislature, to make a thorough survey of the activities of various branches and departments of the government, the income of the State and its unfunded obligations and to make such recommendations as seem pertinent to the demands of the State;

Second, that when this report is in the hands of the Governor and Legislators that consideration be given to the appointment by the Governor of a fiscal commission of five representative [illegible] and business men accustomed to dealing with financial and administrative problems—to study the survey and report and to recommend to the Governor and Legislature a program of raising the necessary amount of revenue as revealed by the audit and survey to operate the State government efficiently and to pay interest on and amortize any additional bond issues found to be necessary. The further purpose of this commission should be to attempt to formulate a plan that would least disrupt business and industry and complicate as little as possible the efforts of the State toward recovery from the present economic depression.

Third, that such action would inspire full confidence and that a fiscal commission would be able to formulate with the Governor and the Legislature a budget calling for a revenue plan that would gain the desired results without alarming or disturbing business or interfering with the resumption of employment.

Fourth, that the final report to the Governor and the Legislature from the fiscal commission could be submitted by the Governor to an adjourned or extraordinary session of the Legislature as might seem best to the Adiminstration, that all present proposals for constitutional amendments and increased taxation be held in abeyance, other than necessary measures for temporary relief.

That a copy of this resolution be submitted to the Governor, members of the Senate and House of Representatives and the Chambers of Commerce of the State of Alabama.

This resolution was unanimously adopted by the Board of Directors of the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce Wednesday, May 6th, 1931 at 3:00 P. M. in regular session.

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MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

Some men were sitting around a stove in a filling station where the Prattville road makes off from the Montgomery highway. I listened in on the topic of conversation, and found out that they were discussing how to get Negroes to pick strawberries on Sunday. One man said, "If you will give a cent more for each basket picked on Sunday, you can get all the help you want." I knew that the speaker was about right. If a man is getting a dollar and a half a day for work, he will not work on Sunday if you offer him that same amount, but if you will raise his Sunday wages to two dollars, he will trade with you. Some folks are mighty "Cheap" when it comes to breaking the Sabbath. I have known them to sit around a little joint all day on Sunday for the profit on a few bottles of soda water. When the devil is fishing for Sabbath desecration suckers he puts on an extra worm.

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Suppose that you make a visit to the Kilby prison and see if you can find many empty wards. State officials are crying out over the crowded condition of the penitentiaries, and prison camps throughout the state. Did you know that there are 4883 State prisoners in Alabama, and that the counties have another 1043? Think, if you please, about 5886 men wearing stripes in our own state. Here is how the thing has been produced—when churches are poorly attended, the penitentiary is crowded, and when the churches are crowded, the penitentiary becomes almost vacant. There are five times as many people in Chilton County as can be housed at one time in the churches of our county, and yet our churches are rarely ever crowded. If you want to crowd your penitentiaries, just empty your churches.

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One day a boy caught a small Trout in a creek near his home. He took that fish and hurried to his Dad's fish pond and threw it into the water. A few weeks after this the same boy was sitting on the banks of his Dad's fish pond and he was trying out his luck with a live minnow. Something gave his fishing line a vigorous pull, and he drew out the Trout that he had thrown into the pond weeks before. On taking the hook from the Trout's mouth the boy remarked, "At least I got out of this pond all I put into it." That is the kind of luck that we have in our church devotion. The church is one fish pond out of which we draw no more than we put into it. When you hear a fellow complaining about the poor luck that he has in attending church, you can just put it down that he is putting nothing into it. Put much into your church life and you will get much out of it.

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I went to a street show to see what I could see. There was a white man there and two white men painted black. They put on their "Big Stunts" and they were nothing but two long drawn out yarns, with a vulgar background. When the story was "Cracked" and the foul vision came to view, the crowd Ha hawed. I was at the Kiwanis minstrel and enjoyed myself to the fullest. The actors were in order, and not one vulgar suggestion was given out by the entertainers. It goes to show that people can have decent things when they want them. The thing I can not understand is why people will flock in scores to get a whiff of a bad odor.

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I heard a man say that he could not lounge around on the street corners Sunday morning during the Sunday school hour and the church hour. He said that he felt so ashamed of himself, that he would either go home, or else go to his church where he belonged. For a man or a woman, to be seen lounging around in town, while church services are in session at our churches, it is like a soldier lounging around a place of entertainment while the battle is being fought. It is nothing short of dishonor for us to be street loungers on the Holy Sabbath. Our place as good citizens is where good citizenship is being maintained, and that place is where God is worshipped. During church hours go to church where you belong.

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The sun was going down and a mother who was out visiting was heard to say, "I have got to hurry home and tuck my little family into bed." At that home there were three little girls and two little boys. That mother could not be late at home for she had to tuck her children to bed. That had been her daily task since the day they were born. That mother would have enjoyed a longer visit, probably she would like to have remained out late, but her greatest task called for her to be at home. Listen to me folks, if you have "Little ones at home to be tucked into bed," you can not afford to be late in entering that home. If you have little ones to be tucked into bed, you can not afford to yield to temptation, you can not afford to be absent from Sunday school and church. If you have little ones to tuck into bed you must live straight before them and then teach them to shoot straight.

$5.00 In Gold To Be Given Student

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A very kindly gentleman in Clanton who requests that his name be withheld stated to L. C. Warr, last September that he desired to give a $5.00 gold piece to the boy or girl in Chilton County High School who showed the greatest improvement every way in his school work during the school year of 1930-1931.

This is something new in the history of our school, and we feel that too much can not be said in commendation of the good citizen and substantial business man of our town who voluntary offers this most coveted prize. We approve most highly the spirit that prompted this praiseworthy movement to inspire and encourage a pupil to discover himself and develop his aptitudes, attitudes, and capacities revealed to him during the year.

The faculty finds it rather difficult to award the prize. The following points are to be considered: Scholarship, deportment, attitude, school spirit, and general conduct. Of course attendance is a vital part to be considered. This gift will be presented to the lucky student Class Night, Friday, May 22.

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Teachers Are Elected For County Schools

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an, Mrs. Louise Chambers.

Enterprise—H. A. Harris, principal, Marion Smith, Lucile Taylor, Willnita Campbell, Nora Wood, Vesta Lett, Mabel Wilkins.

Maplesville—J. E. Daniel, principal.

Collins Chapel—Z. Y. Appleton, principal, Mrs. Z. Y. Appleton, Mrs. Onzell Willis, Ola Rogers.

Union Grove — Harlem C. Daniel, principal, Claudia Smith, Nellie Burnett.

Mt. Pleasant—R. B. Johnson, principal, Mrs. M. A. Wright, Lera Bean.

Thorsby — W. T. Bean, principal, Percy Johnson, Mrs. Lillian Deason, Clara Vines, Juanita Connatser, Mrs. J. S. McNeill.

Baker Jr.—J. M. Parrish, principal, Mrs. Donald Merchant, Girdie Baker, Olene Mims.

Concord, Jr.—Mrs. Claire Tippett, Mrs. Everee Tippett, Frances Moore.

Cooper Jr.—J. L. Wilson, principal, Mrs. Minnie Crumpton, Mrs. Marjorie Henley.

Two-Teacher Schools

Vermont—Green Thomas, principal, Ethel Gentry.

Jacksons Chapel—J. C. White, principal, Jessie Lee Price.

Mineral Springs—J. E. Harrell, principal, Ivy Harrell.

Lay Dam — Ethel Mize, principal, Frances O'Neal.

One-Teacher Schools

New Cedron—Nina Mae Harris.

Shiloh—Claud Conway.

Morganville — Mrs. Marion McGalliard.

County Line—Ruth Mize.

Culp—Fannie LeCroy.

Flint Hill—Ruth Jones.

Freeman—Willie Littlejohn.

Oak Grove—Mrs. Georgia M. Billingsley.

Concord—Mrs. Willine Nash.

New Harmony—Pearl Minor.

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Mrs. W. T. Darnell of Vincent Buried Last Sunday

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years ago, during that time they have made for themselves countless friends who mourn the death of this beloved lady. Mrs. Darnell became a member of the Order of the Eastern Star approximately fifty years ago, and up to the time of her illness she was at all times active and interested in church affairs, being a member of the Baptist church since the age of twelve. Her affiliations with the church pressed upon her a character of strength, admired by all who knew her.

Impressive funeral services were conducted at the Baptist church in Vincent by the Rev. G. E. Franks, assisted by one of the oldest citizens of that section, the Rev. R. A. Kidd, who gave a brief outline of the Christian life of the deceased. The large gathering of friends of the deceased and her family present at these services, and the many beautiful floral offerings were evidence of her wide circle of friends and acquaintances who regret the loss of Mrs. Darnell. Interment followed in the Vincent cemetery, with Stanley & White, funeral directors of Anniston, in charge.

The deceased is survived by her husband, two daughters, Mrs. J. F. Bates, of Vincent and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson of Clanton. Six sons, W. W. Darnell of Atlanta; J. I. Darnell of Seattle, Wash., W. J. Darnell of Salt Lake City, Utah, S. T. Darnell and O. K. Darnell of Anniston, and Powell, J. Darnell, of Vincent, and other relatives.

Errors Found in Recount Of Senatorial Ballots

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law. It said:

"Seals on Boxes—Eleven were not sealed; five boxes either broken or loose; four boxes were sealed but all three signatures securing the seal were in the same handwriting; three boxes properly sealed.

"Poll Lists—Two boxes did not contain poll lists. In eight boxes, instead of certificates being signed by three persons for each box, the handwriting indicates one person signed for all three; two boxes were not certified.

"List of Qualified Voters—Original list of qualified voters was certified by judge of probate but typewritten additions in each box were not so certified.

Unqualified Voters

"Unqualified Persons Voting—In this county a total of 514 persons who were not on the qualified list of voters were permitted to vote by the inspectors without compliance with challenged oath laws.

"Numbering of Ballots—In a number of precincts the ballots were not numbered; in seven precincts the ballots were numbered in pencil instead of ink.

"Initialed Stubs Detached—In seven boxes the stubs of the ballots were initialed but not detached from the ballots; in four boxes the stubs were neither initialed nor detached.

"Sealing of Certificates and Ballots—In 10 precincts the ballots were in envelopes properly sealed but the handwriting would indicate that all three names securing the seal were written by one person; two boxes, the envelope was sealed but contained no signatures.

Tally Sheets

"Tally Sheets—The condition of the tally sheets in this county indicates the ballots were not taken from the box one by one and tallied.

"Condition of Ballots in Box—In 12 boxes the ballots were apparently in original folds, indicating they had never been unfolded and tallied; in two boxes the ballots were 'scrambled' and wadded into the box; in the remainder of the boxes the ballots were flat.

"Certificate of Results—Five boxes did not contain certificates of result; the certificates in eight boxes appear to have been written by the same person for each box.

"A large number of votes, not on qualified lists, could not be rejected and deducted from the count, as they were not numbered and consequently could not be identified. The challenged oaths throughout this county were incomplete there being no supporting affidavits of identity."

When they concluded work for the week Saturday noon, it was apparent agents of the Senate sub-committee handling the Heflin-Bankhead senatorial contest are having difficulty in the Jackson County recount. The 25 boxes recounted gave official returns of 1,22 for Bankhead and 1,073 for Heflin. The recount gives 913 undisputed votes for Bankhead and 722 for Heflin, with 41 ballots void and 612 laid aside for future decision by the sub-committee. This is a net gain of 41 in Bankhead's majority in the county thus far. The number of ballots laid aside in Jackson indicates wide differences of opinion among the agents and representatives of the parties to the contest in the recount.

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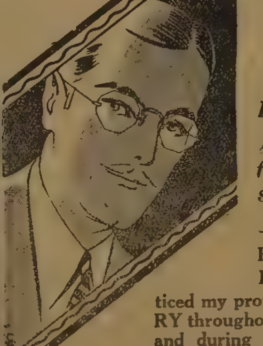

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Register in Chancery

Berry Crop Estimated To Bring County $150,000

LARGEST CROP REPORTED IN SEVERAL YEARS

Approximately 163 Cars Expected at Shipping Points, Clanton, Thorsby, Jemison

What is said to have been the largest strawberry crop raised in Chilton County in many years is now about to be cleaned up. The last cars of this season's crop are to be or have been shipped this week, bringing approximately $150,000 into Chilton County.

The crop has been estimated at approximately $150,000 'in the county, many cars bringing over $1,000 each.

Thorsby, Alabama has been the shipping point with the largest number of cars. They have shipped 87 up to Tuesday at noon and expect to ship 90 or the season. This figure is compared with only 36 cars last year from horsby. The Thorsby Fruit and ruck Growers Association has been andling the shipping from that point. . E. Robinson, W. L. Smith of Colins Chapel and W. A. Honeycutt have een the largest individual shippers rom Thorsby it was stated.

Clanton, Alabama expects to ship pproximately 39 or 40 cars this season. This shipping is being done thru he local organization, the Clanton Bery Growers Association. O. O. Roper

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ev. Hill Wins In Religious Debate

Before a packed and overflowing auience, Rev. J. C. Hill, Baptist preach- of this county, came forth Monday ght and won out over W. L. Bowen, eligious literature book salesman in debate on Scriptures.

Each speaker was allowed thirty inutes and a ten minute rebuttal. The estion was, "Resolved That The ures Teach That All the Wicked Be Condemned." Hill held the ive side, with Bowen the affirm-

ovation given Hill following his atory in behalf of the Scriptures, was e longest and loudest heard in the ouse here in sometime from an

WO NEGROES ARRESTED THIS EEK, AFFRAY AND LARCENY

hief John Boockholdt reports to the y Clerk two arrests this week. Tues- morning Marie Lee Pearson, negro l was arrested for petty larceny, ving taken goods from a Clanton re, information stated. She was ried to the Thorsby jail, having fail- to make bond, where Clanton is eping its prisoners until the county is completed. Chief Boockholdt d that Marie kept them entertained the way to Thorsby by singing some es songs about "in the jail house

rthur Calhoun, negro, was arrested Chief Boockholdt Sunday morning, rged with affray it was stated. He fined one dollar and costs in May- Lee Smith's court.

POULTRY CAR NOTICE

here will be another cooperative ltry car over the L & N Railroad week, according to County Agent p. schedule of which is as follows:

erbena, Wednesday afternoon, 2:00 00 o'clock.

lanton, Thursday, all day.

mison, Friday morning.

ices will be mailed out from the Bureau office next week, Mr. p stated.

Local Cotton Mill Receives Large Order Saturday

M. HILYER GETS CRUSHED LEG IN AUTO WRECK

Lonnie Cox Arrested In Connection with Accident Causing Loss of Man's Leg

Marvin Hilyer, age 42, is in the Central Alabama Hospital here where he was carried Sunday afternoon following an automobile accident about nine miles north of Clanton on the Clanton-Mineral Springs road.

Hilyer's left leg was so badly crushed and mangled that it was necessary to amputate it just below the knee. Hilyer is a member of a widely known family of this county and resides about four miles north of Clanton.

According to the story given the

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FISH FRY WILL BE A FEATURE ON COOSA RIVER

All Ex-Service Men Invited To Join Legionnaires In Big Outing Friday

Plans for the big one-day outing of the Chilton County Post of the American Legion are completed, according to Joe N. Calloway, commander. This day is to be tomorrow, May 22, in the form of a big fish fry.

The arrangements for this affair have been underway for some time, and have been in charge of R. D. Woodson, J. S. Ogletree, Jadie Cox, Arthur Tippett and Zeb Lockhart, the committee on arrangements. The place where this will be held is on the Coosa

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Purebred Jersey Owners To Meet

County Agent Stapp announces that the purebred Jersey bull owners of Chilton County are requested to meet Saturday, May 23rd, at 1 p.m.

A goodly number of the bull owners will bring their bulls in Saturday and parade them at 2 p.m.

Mr. Stapp states that most of the purebred Jersey bulls are looking good now, and he thinks that the parade and little show will be interesting.

Mr. Stapp and the Jersey Calf club members are working toward a real show of Chilton County Jerseys about this time next spring.

DAVIS DeLOACH ENGAGEMENT IS ANNOUNCED THIS WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Davis announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Edna, to Culver J. DeLoach, of Pleasant Garden, North Carolina, the wedding to be an event of early June.

BOARD OF EDUCATION WILL MEET HERE ON MAY 29TH

The Chilton County Board of Education is scheduled to meet again this month on Friday, May 29th, for the purpose of settling on the drivers for the school bus routes and any other business that comes before them.

All-Day Singing At Corinth May 31

There will be an all-day singing at the Corinth church on the fifth Sunday in May, according to an announcement given the News. The Corinth church is located on the Rockford road five miles east of Verbena.

All singers are invited to come, and a special invitation is extended to quartettes to join in this singing. Those attending are requested to bring lunch and prepare to spend the day. Also bring the new song books.

CRIPPLE CLINIC IN CLANTON ON FRIDAY JUNE 5

Examinations and Advice To Be Given Without Cost By Dr. John Sherrill

Through the work of the Alabama Crippled Children's Society and the County Child Welfare Department, another free clinic for crippled people will be held in Clanton on June 5th. This society has made it possible for every child in the state of Alabama to be within 50 miles of a free clinic where he may go each year for a free examination for any crippled or deformed condition of his limbs or body. Clanton was selected two years ago as a probable center and has had two very successful clinics and is preparing for its third.

Clanton and 50-mile radius is very fortunate in again having Dr. John D. Sherill of Birmingham,—one of the best known orthopedic specialists in Alabama and the South, to give these free examinations and diagnosis. As for the past two years, the clinic will be held at the Baptist Church and will open at 9 o'clock, and it is hoped that everyone knowing of any crippled child will make an effort to notify them of this clinic and make an effort to see that they come.

W. O. W. MONUMENT WILL BE UNVEILED TO FRANKLIN

The Thorsby Camp of the Woodmen of The World has announced that on Sunday, May 24th, the unveiling of the monument to the late Sir James Franklin will take place at the Pleasant Grove Cemetery. This ceremony will take place at two o'clock Sunday afternoon and the public is invited to be present.

Mrs. J. M. VanDerveer, Sr., left Wednesday morning for Kansas City, Mo., where she was called Tuesday on account of the serious illness of her mother.

Popular Play Will Be Given, Thorsby

The popular play, "Two Days to Marry" is to be staged at the Thorsby Grammar School auditorium on Friday night, May 22. Everyone is invited to see this play, and a large crowd is expected as it has been presented in the county before, meeting with hearty approval.

There are two good blackfaced characters taking part in it. This play is being given for the benefit of the Thorsby Baptist church. Admission will be fifteen and twenty-five cents.

PILOT CLUB IS ORGANIZED IN CLANTON

Business, Professional Women Form Club of International Organizations

Clanton has organized the ninth club of its kind, when business and professional women of the town met Wednesday night for the purpose of organizing a Pilot Club.

The Pilot Club is based along the same principles of the Kiwanis Club, being an international organization, with only eight other clubs existing, and is a women's civic luncheon club.

The Pilot Club is open to only the business and professional women of a town, and then, the requirements are very strict concerning membership, as one must be in excellent standing, before she is elegible to become a member.

The Clanton Pilot Club will be composed of approximately seventeen business and professional young women of Clanton, and will meet twice each month, it was stated.

CLANTON WILL PLAY GAME WITH CENTERVILLE FRIDAY

Coach Horton Walker announced this week that the baseball team of the Chilton County High School will play their last game of the season here tomorrow afternoon when they meet the team from Centerville, Bibb County High School.

Dr. M. A. Seay of Fernbank, Ala., spent Thursday and Friday of last week with his daughter, Mrs. C. E. Stapp, and Mr. Stapp in Clanton.

HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

A complete program of the Chilton County High School commencement exercises can be found elsewhere in the high school news.

REUNION OF THE CONFEDERATE VETERANS SOON

People of Chilton County Are Invited To Do Honor To Old-Time Heroes

The Forty-first Reunion of the Confederate Veterans will be held at Montgomery June 2-5. This will probably be the last General Reunion. It will be seventy years since the Confederacy was born at Montgomery and Jefferson Davis inaugurated President.

The tottering steps of the aged heroes will have marched to the precipice of time when they assemble at Montgomery in June.

No such preparation has ever before been made for the care and comfort of

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KIWANIS CLUB WILL SPONSOR PICTURE SOON

"The Man Who Came Back" Will Be Shown at Wadesonian By Kiwanians

The Kiwanis Club of Clanton announces this week another all-talking picture to be put on by them at the Wadesonian Theatre in the very near future. This picture is "The Man Who Came Back," a picture that drew crowd after crowd to theatres showing it in the larger cities.

Charles Farrell and Janet Gaynor, who will be remembered as stars in "Sunnyside Up," are to take the leading parts in this picture. "The Man Who Came Back," at the Wadesonian Theatre on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 1st, 2nd, and 3rd

Mc. Messer Purchased Local Produce Place

Announcement was made on the 15th of this month that Mc. D. Messer had purchased the Clanton Produce Company of Clanton, from James Q. Wade, who opened that business several months ago.

Mr. Messer has been in the wholesale fruits and produce business for sometime on a small scale, and will in the future be more able to supply his customers with a larger assortment of goods. Mr. Messer will continue to operate the business in the building on Main Street, where there is a large cold storage room, but the firm name will be Mc. D. Messer, in the future. Mr. Messer is well known throughout this section, and he extends an invitation to the public to visit his new place of business.

UNION-BANNER GIVES DICTIONARY TO COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

The entire faculty and student-body of Chilton County High School rejoiced last Friday morning when Prof. Warr announced that a most needed unabridged dictionary had been given to the library complimentary by The Union-Banner. Mr. Mack Wyatt then in his usual and clever way of saying things in the right way, formally presented the dictionary to the student-body.

MORE WORK IS ASSURED FOR MILL VILLAGE

Authorities Say Business Indicates Bright Prospect for More Good Orders

Information that no doubt will be received with a great deal of interest throughout this community was given out Monday from the Clanton unit of the Alabama Mills, when the announcement was made to the effect that orders received last Saturday by the mill will shove up working hours there.

Official information from the mill stated that with the orders that came in Saturday, the mill will run night and day for several weeks steady running.

This will enable those workers who are living in the mill village to put in more time for the next several weeks it was stated, as the weavers and loom-fixers will be needed steady time. The order was mostly for grey jeans

Authorities at the mill stated to the News that prospects for business in the very near future were very bright, and the information given out had a tinge of optimism throughout, while no great pick-up is expected right away, it is believed that workings will soon begin to show a gradual climb, it was stated.

Mad Dog Was Here Last Wednesday

Chief John Boockholdt reports to the News that he with a veterinary surgeon, Dr. W. L. Parrish, captured a mad dog in Clanton Wednesday of last week, after being notified that the dog was in town. He was located and with the assistance of W. M. Poole, of the city force, they managed to capture him, although Mr. Poole really did not intend to catch the dog as he did. It was something of a case where he wanted someone to help him turn the dog loose after he "accidentally" caught him by the neck.

The dog was seen to have had several passes at other dogs in town. He was carried to the farm of Dr. Parrish for observation, where he died Monday morning. His head was sent to the State Laboratories by Chief Boockholdt, and they reported positive for rabies. The dog was a Walker hound, white with brown spots, and officials here wish to get in touch with the owner to notify him. All stray dogs in town have been ordered killed, it was learned.

CEMETERY CLEANING, ROCKY MOUNT FRIDAY, MAY 29TH

The News has been requested to state this week that there will be a cemetery cleaning at the Rocky Mount cemetery. All who are interested in this are requested to meet there on Friday morning, May 29th at eight o'clock and bring tools necessary to do the work.

MATT WARE RETURNS HOME FROM BIRMINGHAM HOSPITAL

M. L. (Matt) Ware, returned to his home this week from the South Highland Infirmary in Birmingham where he has been confined for the past three weeks following three operations

Mr. Ware's condition is reported as being so that he will be able to get out and walk around in a few days.

ammar School Will Present Unique Flower Show At High School Auditorium Tonight

mething new in the form of an en-inment is to be presented at the high school auditorium tonight by lanton Grammar School, in order aise more money for the school to enable it to complete its full this year anc pay debts.

s entertainment will be a "Flower " in which will be presented about of the charming little misses of chool. Each little girl will repre- flower, wearing costumes modeled from flowers.

It promises to be colorful, entertaining and unique in its get-up. There will be dances, both group and individual, with the recently elected May Queen, little Miss Lillian Smith, doing a specialty. The show is scheduled to begin at eight o'clock, with admission at fifteen and twenty-five cents. The public is urged to see this presentation and assist the grammar school in its finances.

WOODMEN ARE TO STAGE BIG PROGRAM IN CLANTON MAY 28

Hundreds Of Visiting Woodmen Expected; Outstanding Speakers Are On Program; Huge Parade, Band Concert And Drills

Clanton has a treat in store for it for next Thursday, when the Field Day of this district of the Woodmen of The World will be held here.

This event will bring hundreds of visiting people to Clanton for that day, as one of the most interesting and entertaining programs ever presented in Clanton will take place, according to E. C. Evans, district manager, whose headquarters are in Clanton, and who has played a large part in bringing this event to the town.

The day's program will begin at ten o'clock next Thursday morning at the high school grounds, with the raising of the United States flag. Music is to be furnished throughout the day by the Monroe County High School Band. Among the outstanding speakers of the day will be W. M. Crawford, a prominent Woodman from Omaha, Nebraska, Congressman Lister Hill, and I. T. Quinn, Commissioner, and State Manager Holiway.

At noon, the lunch hour will be called, this to be followed by a competitive drill with ten uniform drill teams participating. This promises to be interesting, and takes place at two o'clock in the afternoon, followed by other items on the program.

At six o'clock there will be a band concert at the courthouse, which will be followed by a large and spectacular torchlight street parade, composed of several hundred Woodmen.

Mr. Evans stated that a cordial invitation is extended to the entire population of this section to witness these programs next Thursday, May 28th. Thursday night there will be a large class of new members initiated into the order with Col. F. A. Ellington of Montgomery, presiding.

Local Postmaster Praises Work Being Done Here By Local High And Grammar School

Following, the News publishes a letter from W. M. Bean, postmaster at Clanton, who brings out in a fine way the remarkable progress made by the Chilton County High School and the Clanton Grammar School:

For many years I have been much interested in schools. I feel that there is nothing that is nearly so important as the schools of our country. Too often it is I think that people in general think too lightly of schools. This should not be so. There are many good schools in our county yet, and everyone, it appears to me, should think of our schools more and try to assist to make them better and better

Since I have had occasion and opportunity to observe the workings in general of Chilton County High School for several years, I wish to say a few words about the school. I can recall something of the work of the school al-

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HOWARD GARAGE, VERBENA DEALERS WELL KNOWN MAKE RADIO

Garage Also Has Fine Reputation For Its Automobile Repair Department; Operated By Members Of Widely Known Verbena Family

In this issue of the News there appears an ad from the Howard Garage, of Verbena, Alabama, in which they are announcing that they have become dealers in Verbena for the widely known Majestic radios and Majestic electric refrigerators.

This widely known automobile repair shop is now having erected in their building a special room for the purpose of showing and demonstrating the make of radio and refrigerators they handle, and they stated that by the latter part of this week they will be in position to show several models of the radio, and to demonstrate them.

Not only do they sell these items, but are equipped to do all kinds of radio repairing, their equipment containing some of the latest radio testing machines, and they extend an invitation to everyone to visit their shop.

The Howard Garage is owned and operated by T. N. Howard, O. L. Howard and John W. Howard, all being well known throughout this county. Their garage department enjoys a reputation that is commendable, having customers in many parts of the state. They do battery work, auto painting, using late methods, acetylene welding, and almost anything a well equipped and organized automobile repair shop can do. See their ad in this issue and watch for their ads which will appear in the future in the News, at regular intervals.

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NEW OIL TRADE PROBLEM

A new problem in the oil trade, and one which will also attract the interest of the public is revealed in a complaint filed by producers of Pennsylvania grade crude oil, who allege unfair practices on the part of the big oil companies.

It is charged that the larger companies are corralling independent service stations through exclusive dealing arrangements which close the stations to products of most of the Pennsylvania association's members. This, they contend, not only deprives them of their outlets, but also prevents the public from obtaining the brands of oil desired.

The so-called Pennsylvania oil field, situated in Pennsylvania, Ohio, New York and West Virginia, was the cradle of the world's oil industry. For more than seventy years it has been a constant producer, and a world-wide demand for its superior lubricating oils has been built up. Now, it is asserted, this veteran field is threatened with loss of its markets through competitive tactics of the big oil companies.

The Federal Trade Commission is being asked to take steps to end the unfair competition complained of, which is declared to be in restraint of trade. Because of its possible far-reaching effect upon many types of business that are being subjected to increasing pressure from powerful competitors, this case will be watched with keen interest.

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The many friends of Mr. Matt Ware, popular proprietor of Matt's Lunch Shoppe, will be pleased to know that he returned yesterday from Birmingham where he has been in South Highlands Hospital, where he underwent an operation.

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The many friends of Mrs. D. C. Alred who underwent a serious operation at a Montgomery hospital last week will be glad to learn that she is doing nicely.

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One Year Ago

Issue of May 23, 1930

James R. Robinson, aged seventy-one, was almost instantly killed last Tuesday night while walking along the highway at Jemison, Alabama. He was struck by an automobile driven by a young man from Thorsby and died while en route to the hospital.

Miss Jewel Esther Martin and Mr. Marion S. Smith were married at the home of the bride in Thorsby last Sunday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by the Reverend B. Lawrence of Clanton.

The Chilton County String Band which has been steadily gaining in popularity over the state, will broadcast again over Station WAPI next Saturday afternoon. The band is composed of Herman Lowery, Iron Howell, and Ben Scott.

There will be a baseball game here this afternoon between the fats and leans.

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TEN TONS FOOD TO NORTH POLE

The Nautilus Receives Huge Grocery Order

New London, Conn., May 14.—Ten tons of food, which is to feed the 20 men aboard the submarine Nautilus, during its journey under the Artic ice to the North Pole this summer, were delivered today to Captain Sir Hubert Wilkins, leader of the Wilkins-Ellsworth Trans-Artic Expedition. Seven tons will be shipped to Bergen, Norway, where it will be picked up later by the Nautilus. Three tons are now being stored in the submarine to feed the crew on the first lap if its adventurous voyage - across the Atlantic to Bergen.

At the submarine base in New London where the Nautilus has been undergoing submerging tests, Sir Huberts men are busy tucking this huge grocery order into every nook and corner of their iron boat.

Packing enough food to feed 20 men for several months has never berfore been attemped in a submarine the size of the Nautilus, and the crew is using all the ingenuity at its command. The miniature gallery, or ships kitchen, must not only carry the bulk of the food,but it must provide bunk room for six men and accomodate a 250 - pound cook as well. The torpedo tubes of the former Navy sub, no longer in use, are being utilized as pantries, as are many odd-sized compartments alongside the batteries below the Control room. Even the walls of the vessel are being lined with tins of edibles held in place by galvanized racks.

Scientists of The Great Atlantic & Pacfic Tea Company, which is supplying the food studied the dietetic requrements of the Expedition from every angle before the food was finally selected. It was packed by A & P to meet the conditions of under-sea living, namely: conservation of space, water, and fuel, and protection against dampness. Among the supplies packed in hermetically-sealed containers are 1300 pounds of butter, 1200 pounds of evaporated milk, 700 pounds of coffee, 1400 pounds of sugar, 2600 pounds of flour, 1000 pounds of nut meats, 1000 pounds of rainsins, and 3000 pounds of meat and fish. Large quanities of canned and dried fruits and vegetables, cheese, sauces and spices, baked beans, powdered eggs and milk, are being taken aboard, together with such items as jams, pickles, relishes, and peanut butter—luxurious fare for explorers.

Much of the success of an Artic Expedition depends upon the food it eats and since the Nautilus will have to rely almost entirely upon what it carries, it is imperative that only the best food be provided.

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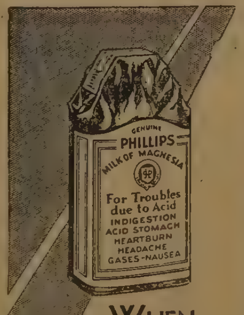

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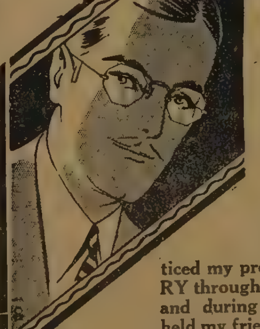

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Farmers Harvest Big Crop Of Oats

Auburn, Ala., May 20.—One of the best oat crops in the history of Alabama is now being harvested. Early in May mowers and binders began clicking in the oat fields in the Gulf Coast section of the State and their activities are moving northward as the crop matures with the season.

Reports indicate that the yield per acre is above the average and many of the county agents report a substantial increase in acreage.

The crop is being harvested and turned into feed at a time when the feed supply is low and farmers are needing it. Some are mowing and saving as hay while others are using binders and shocking it to be fed in bundles.

And the county agents are starting now to stimulate planting oats next fall. Farmers who are harvesting this spring realize that they are an excellent feed crop and that they are able to produce two good crops of feed on the same land in one year by following oats with either soybeans or cowpeas.

In producing oats Alabama has two handicaps. One is inadequate machinery for planting and harvesting, and the other is the possibility that a severe freeze will kill them. To overcome the machinery handicap it is being suggested that farmers cooperate in buying machinery for planting and harvesting. The possibility of a severe freeze should not prevent planting because such freezes are exceptional. If, however, a freeze occurs the farmer who has planted oats in the fall loses only his seed and a little work. He can either plant the land to another oat crop in the spring or to some other crop.

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Mr. Raskob talks like a poor politician. He advises his party not to avoid or straddle controversial issues.

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Poems of the Week

GRANDMOTHER

Oh, Grandmother dear, she is no longer here.
She wore her little bonnet so neat.
She has gone on to Heaven to wear a bright crown—
Where she can rest at Jesus's feet.
Her dear loving voice I will never more hear
Nor her precious footsteps on the floor,
But when God sees fit to call me some day
I will meet her on yonder's bright shore.
Her dear loving smile when I was a child
Was such a great comfort to me.
Oh, how bright and happy the days would be
When I sat by my grandmother's knee.
Her dear wrinkled face all wreathed in smiles
Would cheer my heart when sad.
She would tell me of God and His great love.
And thank Him for all she had.
She would tell me of mother, when she was a child,
How she taught her to love one and all.
To honor old people and reverence them, too,
And be kind to both great and small.
On the day she was buried I shall never forget
The people were so good and so kind,
But none could comfort my poor aching heart
As could that dear old grandmother of mine.
Grandmother dear, I know she is not dead,
For just above my head, a bright shining angel one night appeared.
Dear children, what a comfort it is
To know that grandmother is not dead.
She's living on yonder's bright shore,
Yes, living with Jesus and those gone before
Where parting will be no more.

—By Mrs. Newton Cooper.

LEGAL NOTICES

DISSOLUTION

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between J. D. Straiton and G. E. Jacks, partners, doing business under the firm name and style of Clanton Novelty Shop, has been dissolved.

Signed J. D. STRAITON.

This the 9th day of May, 1931.

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NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity No. 916.
Jettie McCray Laston, Complainant, vs.
Duff Laston, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of J. B. Atkinson that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Duff Laston, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 2nd day of June, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 2nd day of May, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
Register.

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NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court In Equity. No. 908.
Buna Wallace Fowler, Complainant, vs.
Charlie Fowler, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of G. C. Walker that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Charlie Fowler, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 28 day of May, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 25th day of April, 1931

W. D. SPIGENER.
Register.

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NOTICE

State of Alabama, Complainant. vs. One Ford Touring, 1926 T. Model, Respondent.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against one Ford Touring Car, 1926 T. Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 19th, day of April, 1931, One Phil G. Parker did transport in one Ford Touring Car 1926 T. Model, certain prohibited liquor and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama to another, and that said automobile was on said day seized by the Sheriff of said County, and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Alabama, and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 15th, day of June, 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 9, day of May, 1931.

GEO. F. SMOOT.
Judge of the 19th, Judicial Circuit.

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NOTICE

State of Alabama, Complainant vs. One Whippett Six-Coach, 1929, Model, Respondent.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G.C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against one Whippett Six Coach, 1929 Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 19th day of April, 1931, one J. A. Dollar did transport in one Whippett Six Coach, 1929 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama, to another, and that said automobile was on said day seized by the Sheriff of said County and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

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Given under my hand, this the 9th day of May, 1931.

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Judge of the 19th, Judicial Circuit.

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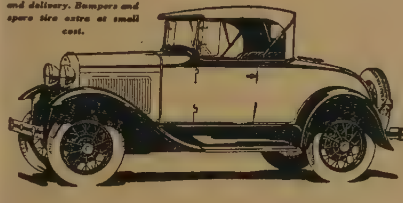

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Hats Off To The Strawberries

Hats off, the Strawberry is passing by! The lowly berry, made up of a lot of water, a lot of work. But, however lowly, let us take off our hats to the strawberry this year. Strawberries here, strawberries there, strawberries everywhere. That is the way it seems to those passing through Clanton, Thorsby and Jemison during the past several weeks.

Other places have Cotton Queens, etc., and Chilton County should have a Strawberry Queen, and a great gathering for a celebartion in honor of the Strawberry. The strawberry has given to hundreds in Chilton County work that has netted them neat little sums of spending money, at the same time bringing to the farmer who raised them a rather satisfying return for his work. The strawberry comes as something of an in-between crop for the farmers in this county.

Jemison is rejoicing over a crop that has gone far beyond the last year's crop of berries. Thorsby has been rushed to the limit shipping carloads every day, loading up in the small hours of the mornings, and Clanton sees busy business men going to and fro—all about strawberries, and they are still shipping.

Thousands of dollars turned loose in Chilton County. Good old cash money for our farmers at a time when cash money on the barrel head looks exceedingly good. All on account of strawberries. Hats off to the Strawberry, and let's let cotton sit on the sideline looking on the Strawberry Parade for awhile, and let's have the parade made up of other such money crops.

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The Latest Signs Of The Times

Recently a national business statistical organization collected reports from 98 lines of business, showing conditions by comparison of a year ago. The reports stated that the only lines in which business is really better, nationally speaking, is in the manufacture and retail trade of men's clothing. Business is said to be as good as it was a year ago in 25 different lines. That includes women's wear, shoes, men's underwear, bread, drugs and chemicals, groceries, fish and laundering. The report stated that the automobile business is somewhat poorer now than a year ago.

According to this report, the people are still eating as much of staple foodstuffs as they did a year ago. No doubt the increase in men's clothing this year is due to the fact that so many could not buy a new suit last year, and had to buy one this year, because the one carried over a season has worn out.

Bringing this report to bear on Chilton County, means that business is better here generally in all lines, with the exception of the automobile business, which according to the national report is off nationally, but that doesn't mean that it has to be off in this section. Our dry goods stores should rejoice over this report, and perhaps they have been.

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Low-Cost Roads Important

Bernard E. Gray, Highway Engineer, has an interesting article on low-cost, farm-to-market roads, in a recent issue of the Manufacturers Record. He says:

"What a paradox! A country able to produce a surplus of all agricultural products, with prices at give-away levels, so that the farmer is in distress. and yet people in actual want in the cities. . . Inadequate facilities for distribution and bad roads are a very large factor in this situation.

"What are low-cost roads?" asks Mr. Gray. "They are roads surfaced with top soil, sand clay, shale, chert, cinders, gravel, crushed stone or similar materials so placed on properly graded and drained road beds as to give year-round service.

"During the past few years engineering research and science has developed inexpensive methods of treating these surfaces with asphalt so as to prevent dust and mud, reduce wear and roughness and, at the same time, give smooth, non-skid roadways . . . with low costs. As traffic increases, it is necessary to add only a small additional thickness. All preceding work is saved for further use. Employment is given to local labor in the preparation of materials."

The low-cost road problem is one which every community must consider.—Mobile News.

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Fathoming Pessism

Try this on your next door neighbor: "I hear that every factory in the city will shut down on the first of the month, and 1500 men will be thrown out of work."

And your neighbor will say, "Isn't that awful. What will all those poor people do? It's just what I've been expecting though. It was bound to come. This depression is terrible."

Then run across to the other side of the house and relate this story to your other neighbor.

"Did you hear the big news. A new shirt factory will commence operation here on the first. It will give employment to 14 men."

And that neighbor will say: "Oh, that's just some wild rumor. There's too many shirt factories in the world already.

People are always ready to believe that someone is dead and the only reason why they believe in birth reports is that they think that babies are unplanned for, unhoped for, and a necessary calamity.

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It is said that persistence wins. Then perhaps it won't be long until automobiles will be getting the best of railroad trains. That will be tough on the railroads just the same as the other way when a suit is brought against them for damage. The worm may turn, however.

Move Up Three Yards

By Scottie McKenzie Frasier In Alapressa

Once Knute Rockne was lecturing his team when he asked: "What would you do if the score were six to nine against you, last quarter, two minutes to play, the ball in your territory, your possession, second down, ten to go and you were three yards from the line?"

Each player had an answer explaining what he would do from a strategic standpoint; finally Frank Carideo, who up to that time, had done nothing particularly brilliant on the gridiron said: "I would move up three yards so I might have a better view!" Rockne, who was a great judge of men, recognized the laten talent in Carideo and from that moment he began developing him as a quarterback; and Frank Carideo became, under the molding of a master hand, one of the greatest quarterbacks of all time.

What we need today are leaders who can inspire men to move up three yards in every walk of life. We need leaders to turn politicians into unselfish statesmen, who will work for the good of society and not for their own selfish ends. We need leaders who will direct business from a broad and unselfish angle—we need financial leaders who will move up and look not at their own interests but at the best interests of the whole world. We need men with world vision, world consciousness, and a world conscience. We need leaders who will so direct business that only the financial good of the whole world will be considered—not the financial interests of a handful of Wall Street brokers or a handful of self-seekers of Kalamazoo or Dothan.

We need leaders of thought who will lead us out of a Main Street consciousness into a broad and understanding humanitarian vision.

We need spiritual leaders who will lead us to live up to the standards that we profess.

We need leaders who will move up to the line where there will be no bigotry, no intolerance, no hate, no criticism of any other religion.

We need educators who will lead you to a wise choice of life's values.

We need men like Knute Rockne, who will call the youth of America to move up three yards out of a lawless and cynical and self-indulgent era on to the line where Honor, Justice and Truth are regarded as the only worthwhile touchdown in Life's game.

We need writers who will inspire men to live life bravely and wholeheartedly and gloriously.

We need leaders who will call to the world to move up three yards out of selfishness, out of inefficiency, out of self-seeking, out of a struggle where only material things count—up to the line where they can see better and know that after all nothing in the world is worth so much as character, no price mark is good enough unless it stands for quality, that nothing in the world that is worth having can be gained except through fair and honorable means and that for everything we must render value received—that the gambler loses in the end and that the man who works and renders service to the world is the one who in the long run wins.

We need leaders who will lead us out of a drab, dull manner of living up to the line where one takes time to live life as acolorful and joyous adventure.

We need a voice to call and awaken in us an appreciation for the finer things of life, so that we, as Americans, may preserve the ideals on which a great nation was founded.

We need leaders in the social world who will lead us to appreciate and live the charm and graciousness that is only possible among those who live life as an art—who infuse into society the essence of beauty and culture and grace.

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Some Things That An Editor Does Not Know

An editor is a man or woman who is supposed to know most everything, but in the course of a long experience in the newspaper business we have come to the conclusion that there are at least a dozen things (save one) that no editor knows or may ever know and they are the following:

1. No newspaper man or woman knows why it is that the worst enemy the paper has is the person who contributes nothing to its support.

2. Nor do we understand how it comes about that numbered among the paper's most constant and harshly critical readers is the man who never subscribes.

3. Nor how it is that the man who has failed at everything else he ever tried comes to the conclusion that he is a born editor, and that all the world needs to have it regulated properly is to have him "get busy" on a newspaper.

4. Nor why you may compliment a man a hundred times without his paying you a call to thank you, and then criticise him once and he immediately comes to see you and tries to put you out of business by stopping his paper.

5. Nor why it is that people will seemingly endeavor to hide from the editor or reporter all the details of an entertainment or marriage, and then feel awfully hurt if the affairs are not elaborately written up.

6. Nor why it is that a man or woman will declare to you that they abominate "newspaper notoriety," and then fall out with you for a failure to note in the public prints their incomings and outgoings.

7. Nor yet again, how it is that the editor bases the great majority of his news articles on reports furnished him by other people, and then gets the credit of being the most notorious prevaricator in the universe.

8. Nor do we know why the editor is expected to publish immoderately long obituaries free of charge, extolling the virtues, real or supposed, of some one who never in his life time contributed one cent to the paper's existence.

9. And it is far beyond our ken why it is that some business men will pay more money to one of these fellows who goes about getting up directories to stick in some hotel or depot than they spend with their home paper in a year.

10. Nor why it is that an editor is termed a "deadhead" at a local entertainment when the fact is he has given five dollars worth of free notices and gets in return a two-bit ticket.

11. Nor do we know how a man musters up a sufficiency of cheek to write the editor a note on stationery printed out of town enclosing a complimentary clipping in reference to himself or some member of his family, with a request to "please copy."—Greensboro Watchman.

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An individual success is determined not so much by what he earns as by what he saves, and a community's progress is determined not so much by the amount of money it makes, as by the amount that it keeps at home.

Letters To The Editor

To the People of Chilton County:

As your Representative in the Legislature, as per my promise to the people of this county I have introduced two Local Bills affecting the County Board of Education and Election of the County Superintendent of Education by the direct vote of the people, instead of appointment by the County Board of Education, which I am thoroughly convinced that a large majority of the people of this county desire, regardless of their political faith. These two bills have been passed with a favorable report by the Committee on Education in the House of Representatives, and are now on the Calendar for passage in that House.

These measures are non-political, and both in my humble judgment will better the Educational system of our county in more ways than one. I have the indorsement of many of the leading Democrats of this county as well as Republicans for these two bills. These bills will be introduced in the Senate next week, after being passed in the House.

Senator J. G. Duncan, possibly is not aware of the great demand our people are making for this change in our Educational system in this county and I desire to call a meeting at the Court House in Clanton, Alabama, on next Saturday the 23rd. day of May at 2 p.m. to get the peoples ideas and attitude respecting this bill.

It is my wish and desire to represent the entire people of Chilton County, regardless of their political faith, and to enact such Local Legislation into law that will best serve and please the majority of the people, and knowing Senator Duncan, as I do, in my judgment he feels the same way.

As your Representative I will greatly appreciate your meeting with me at the Court House next Saturday at 2 P. M. to discuss these Local measures, and any other bills affecting our county and State.

Respectfully yours,
PERCY M. PITTS.

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Editor Chilton County News:

Will you please give me space in your paper to reply to some statements by Mr. Jadie Bean, made against me in a letter that appeared in your paper of last week, relative to the poor house?

Mr. Bean states in this letter that Mr. W. T. Hand often goes to see Oliver Smith, who once had the poor house; and who has been prejudiced against most everyone of the keepers since he was keeper. And that Mr. Hand and myself have seen fit to stir up all trouble possible at the poor house.

Mr. Hand has visited my home only twice and the statement that Mr. Bean made that I had been prejudiced against most everyone of the keepers since I was keeper, and that W. T. Hand and myself have seen fit to stir up all trouble possible at the poor house is false.

It is not my purpose to get into a newspaper controversy, but since I live near the poor home and have been for fifteen years; and Mr. Bean has accused me falsely through both of the county newspapers I have a right to defend myself, and contend for humane treatment of our county's poor. If Mr. Bean is feeding the inmates at the poor house as he should why do some of them go out begging for something to eat and say they are starving for food? I have seen their supper carried to them time after time and they had nothing but a piece of cold corn bread about as large as my four fingers and a glass of milk.

I have seen Mr. Bean whip Gip McQueen and Gip told me Bean whipped him because he went out and got some bread to eat. I have also seen Mr. Bean's son, beat Gip and knock him down. Religious services have been denied the inmates by Mr. Bean.

Mr. Bean, in his letter said some mighty hard things about Mr. Hand, after Mr. Hand was kind enough to bring the inmates of the poor house three bushels of oranges, and also gave Mr. Bean a half bushel and gave me a peck. If anyone is interested just ask the inmates if they got the three bushels of oranges that Mr. Hand brought for them.

Some of the inmates have come to my house time after time and asked for something to eat and I always gave them something. But they are not allowed to come to my house at all now.

I think it is a shame for the unfortunate inmates of the poor house to have to be treated as they are by Mr. Bean. I will state further that Mr. Hand gave to the inmates on one occasion three dollars in cash, and brought other gifts and gave them. The following is a letter from W. C. Burnett, and who is a former keeper of the poor house:

The letter says: "In regard to the piece in the paper about Oliver Smith. It stated that Mr. Smith never did get along with anyone. I can say positively that we never did have a cross word as long as I stayed there. It was two years I stayed."—W. C. Burnett.

Mrs. Annie Mae Huckaby states that during the seven years that her father lived near me we had no trouble whatever. Mr. Bean mentioned several times in his letter about the sanitary conditions at the poor house. The sanitary conditions have not been questioned by anyone so far as I know since the Grand Jury some time ago went there and condemned the sanitary conditions and demanded that the place be cleaned up.

The new building is nice and modern. But no one has ever occupied it yet. It is standing vacant.

If Mr. Bean will make the feeding and clothing of the inmates of the poorhouse compare with the buildings and sanitary equipment of the home all would be well.

In conclusion let me say to my personal knowledge I know the inmates at the poor house are not fed and clothed as they should be. And are not treated as humans should be treated. Such conditions are a stain to the name of Chilton County and some of her officials.

Respectfully,
OLIVER SMITH.

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Berry Crop Estimated To Bring County $150,000.00

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has been the largest individual shipper at Clanton with 1.300 crates from a patch of 6 acres. Mr. Roper had at times, over one hundred pickers employed at his patch near Clanton.

Jemison, Alabama expects to close the season with shipping 34 cars thru the Jemison Fruit & Truck Growers Association. This place shipped only nine cars last year. Vernon Cobb, of Center Hill, Geo. Childress and J. T. Childress are reported to be the largest individual shippers from Jemison.

A representative of the News interviewing several of the outstanding farmers and truck growers and business men of the county brought in reports stating that this is the largest crop of strawberries seen in this county in many years. This crop has not only brought extra money into the county to the grower, but has given employment to hundreds of persons who have been picking the berries. It was estimated that approximately $8,000 had been paid to pickers alone in the Thorsby shipping territory, this season.

Reports from many of the business houses in the county state that their business increased considerably during the past several weeks.

Officials of the Thorsby Fruit & Truck Growers Association stated that in their section of the county, more time and thought has been given to truck crops this year than any other crops.

The Jemison association reports that they are extremely well pleased with the prospects in their section for more money truck crops. The Jemison association has been doing some splendid work in the past year also.

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Marvin Hilyer Receives Crushed Leg in Accident

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News, Hilyer in company with Ike Littleton, Magnus Taylor, his father, S. H. Hilyer, Alvin Simmons and Winston Taylor had been to a friend's home to get some pigs and were returning when a car said to have been driven by Lonnie Cox, collided with the Hilyer car overturning it, pinning the six men and the pigs underneath. Hilyer had his feet on the running board when the car turned over.

Information stated that Cox was accompanied by Amos Bean of Thorsby and two girls. With the exception of Marvin Hilyer and his father, none of the others were badly injured. S. H. Hilyer received a bad jolt on his shoulder, which was proving painful Sunday afternoon. Cox was later arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated, the information stated. Latest reports from the hospital state that Hilyer is resting as well as could be expected.

Taylor who was driving the car in which Hilyer was riding, was also arrested, he and Cox being charged with driving while intoxicated it was stated. Both made bond.

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Reunion of Confederate Veterans, Held Soon

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the Veterans. No such welcome has ever before been extended as will await those who come to Montgomery to witness the last grand stand of the South's old heroes as they lay down their arms and surrender only to that great Conqueror—Time.

The railroads, by offering a one-cent fare, have made it possible for every one to attend the Reunion. It is the last opportunity of the South to pay tribute to her heroes.

Montgomery opens her doors and the people there open their hearts to those who will join them in doing honor to the men who wore the Gray.

An invitation to the people of Chilton County has been extended by the General Chairman of the Reunion, to go to Montgomery from this celebration.

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Fish Fry To Be Feature On Coosa River, May 22

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River at the camp known as the Hayes-Neighbors Camp, directions to which will be supplied to anyone wishing to go, by any member of the local post.

All ex-service men, whether a member of the American Legion or not, whether a World War veteran or a Confederate veteran, are invited to take part in this entertainment by the local post of the American Legion, and all are requested to bring their wives. The time is from ten o'clock tomorrow morning until about three in the afternoon.

One of the features of the day will be the drum corps from the Birmingham Post. These men will appear in full uniform in Clanton, it was stated and be special guests at the fish fry

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Postmaster Praises Work Done Here By Schools

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most from its beginning. I have watched daily for a few years past the progress of the school. Having noticed such wonderful improvements in the school of recent years, it prompts me to say that I believe there is not a better school of the kind in the stat A more conscientious and devoted corp of instructors has not been known at Chilton High than has worked therein during the school year just clo g Prof. Warr is a man who weighs carefully and disciplines thoroughly. Hi interest in the school is manifest in hi every expression. The improvement made in the appearance of the surroundings of Chilton High tells the passer-by that much interest is take at the school. I think a principal of this kind is something for Chilton County as a whole to feel thankful for if not really proud. Too, I have heard of the Clanton Grammar School this year it is gratifying to the people of Clanton I know to note such great success i this school this year.

Let's support our schools wholeheartedly. If you are not getting anything from your school, perhaps i might be you have put nothing into it Put the very best support into yo school you possibly can and then yo have a right to demand somethi therefrom.

Do not take me to mean to try t say that I am competent to judge a schoo but I must say that I know that ther has been wonderful improvements i the schools of Clanton during the la year. I just feel that it can do harm to express my feelings towa the instructors who have worked i Clanton schools this year, and I fe too from what I have heard from ma others that I am in a small degree e pressing the feelings of many the in Clanton toward those who have lab ored so well in our schools. Now, th the teachers are doing so well and ma ifesting such interest in our sch let's give them all the encouragem and help possible that we may assi to maintain schools of real merit f the future.

Yours for good schools,
W. M. BEAN
May 19th, 19

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Another Great One-Cen Sale here next Thursday, Fr day and Saturday—Upchur Drug Company.

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NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

State of Alabama, Chilton County
C. E. Powpell, Plaintiff, vs. H. S. W kins, Defendant, J. E. Moore, G nishee.

Whereas, C. E. Powpell, as plaint in said cause, has obtained an attac ment out of this court issued on wit: 3rd. day of March, 1931 agai the estate of the said defendant, H. Watkins, which attachment has b levied by the constable Beat 4 Chil County, Alabama by summoning J. Moore, Jr., Garnishee, to answer w he was endebted to the defendant it appearing from his answer in cause that he is indebted to the fendant in the sum of $113.25; whereas, it appears that said H. Watkins defendant as aforesaid is non-resident and his residence is known. kins whereas he may reside, are he by notified of the levy and pende of said attachment.

Witness my hand this 19 day of M 1931.

5-21-3tcB T. W. BRYAN, J.

ISABELLA SENIOR PLAY, "THE CALL OF YOUTH" THURSDAY, MAY 21ST

When Eileen Lyndon gave a party to announce her engagement to Tom Griswold she eloped with Avery Peyton, a worthless scamp, whom her father detested. Tom was heartbroken and went to Africa on a scientific expedition.

Eighteen years passed. Eileen died in the meantime, leaving a daughter named Anita. When Anita was sixteen years old, Dr. Long found her slaving in a cheap boarding house, because her father deserted her. Dr. Long brought her to her grandfather's.

Tom came home, bringing with him an adopted son, who fell in love with Anita. Tom himself fell desperately in love with Anita, the daughter of the girl who jilted him. Who won Anita? Come to Isabella Thursday night, May 21, at eight o'clock and see for yourselves. This is a 1931 royalty drama. Already the play has the reputation of being the best ever presented at Isabella. You cannot miss it!

Lulu, who has never had a beau and has no more drawing power than a defective flue, as Belinda, a colored mammy, will keep you in an uproar. So will the hilariously funny Belinda who knows everything about love charms. You will cry with Anita, and your hair will stand on end when Eileen comes back. You will pity and forgive Avery when he dies right under your eyes.

The complete cast is as follows:

Eileen Lyndon, secretly in love with Avery, Dorothy Manning.

Tom Griswold, who loves Eileen, Delos Culp.

Avery Peyton, who loves Eileen secretly, Buster Roebuck.

Hester Moore, in love with Avery, Mary Clay Turner.

Mr. Lyndon, Eileen's father, James Deason.

Dr. Long, dear friend of the Lyndons, Cecil McKee.

Yydia Boone, jealous of Eileen, Nellie Hayes.

Belinda, Eileen's colored mammy, Thelma Pierce.

Aunt Armanda, Lyndon's fussy sister, Clara Mae Calfee.

Cousin Lulu, wants to be in love, Berniece Jones.

Robert, Tom's adopted son, Morris Keen.

Irene, friend to Eileen, Glynder Oden.

Marion, another friend to Eileen, Elsie Conaway.

Anita, Eileen's daughter, Dorothy Manning.

Admission, 20 and 35 cents.

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Fox News --- Sound
Serial: Adventures of Tarzan --- Silent

MONDAY and TUESDAY — MAY 25 and 26
Bert Wheeler and Robert Woolsey In
"HOOK, LINE & SINKER" --- All Talking
Comedy --- All Talking

NOTICE

Send us your name, address and date of birth, if you haven't done so already. We want to remember you, and give you a pass to our show on your birthday. We also give three passes on each picture from names drawn from our birthday list. We give a birthday present on the 1st Saturday of each month, beginning May 1st, 1931.

FARMERS DEFEAT CRAFT BILL IN MONTGOMERY BY BIG MAJORITY

Thousands Of Farmers Leave Work and Gather in Capitol City To Voice Disapproval of Senator Craft's Bill In Regard To Farm Bureau Work

Ten thousand Alabama farmers and farm women left their spring plowing and household work long enough to go to Montgomery May 14 and register a vigorous protest which killed Senate Bill 348 by Senator John Craft of Mobile.

The farm people appeared at a public hearing of the Senate Committee on agriculture, which is without precedent in picturesqueness and in the number of those attending. The hearing was first scheduled for the Senate Chamber. This proved too small and a move was made to the city auditorium. It was soon found that this structure would not accomodate the large crowd and another move was made to Cramton Bowl. There the farm people gathered in the concrete stands and on the ground around the committee which sat in the infield.

Speakers for the bill included Senator Craft, Edmund W. Pettus, attorney of Selma, and J. C. Hodges, feed manufacturer of Birmingham. They made brave pleas for the bill, though Senator Craft confined himself largely to a detailed review of his long legislative career.

Speakers against the bill included E. L. Deal, secretary, Alabama Farm Bureau Federation, Prof. L. N. Duncan, director of the Auburn Extension Service, Dr. Bradford Knapp, Auburn president, Mrs. J. D. Giles of Selma, president of the Alabama Council of Home Demonstration Clubs, and others.

The bill was indefinitely postponed by vote of the committee, ten members voting for postponement. Senator Faulk of Geneva, casting the lone vote against the motion to postpone.

This was considered the greatest gathering of organized farmers for a legislative purpose that has ever been staged in this Nation. They made it very clear that they were against Bill 348, or any other bill which sought to deprive them of the right of buying and selling cooperatively.

Following is a statement from County Agent C. E. Stapp, in regard to the meeting of the farmers:

The meeting in Montgomery last week was a big demonstration of the farmers being able to present claims for their rights. As was stated by Mr. Duncan, Director of Extension work, it was very pathetic that such a meeting had to be held as the result of a few interests of the State.

A little survey last week made by a committee of farmers revealed that more than seventy merchants and professional men of the county who were called on opposed the bill curbing the activities of county agents and farm organizations, while only seven or eight merchants and professional men called on favored the passing of the bill. I think every man has the right to speak and act his convictions. That doesn't mean that he is always in the right. We all make mistakes; do and say things we should not, and that we are sorry for later.

I have always been an advocate of the Golden Rule and not of the Rule of Gold. I have always contended that we are dependent upon each other and that the closer we can work togehter the more we can and will accomplish.

The point I wish to make here is that I trust that the activities of a few individual merchants over the state trying to pass the Hodges-Kidd-Pettus Bill will in no way cause any feeling of ill will on the part of the farmers toward the mass of merchants and professional men and vice-versa.

We need good merchants, lawyers, doctors, farmers and in fact, good men in all vocations of life. It has always been my policy to try to create a better understanding and more brotherly feeling between the man on the farm and the man in town.

I trust that in Chilton County and all over the State, we can forget the past and look forward into the future with all interests working together for the best of all.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Geo. M. Adams and children of Jemison wish to extend their sincere appreciation to their many friends for their kindness and also for the beautiful floral offerings sent them during their recent sorrow in the loss of husband and father.

MILDRED EASTERLING WINS IN MEMORY CONTEST IN SELMA

Mildred Easterling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Easterling won first prize of five dollars in gold in a memory contest at the Meek School of Art in Selma last week. Mildred called the title of several pictures exhibited, giving the names of the pictures, and their nationalities in 37 seconds, correctly.

HOME OF ALBERT RUCKER, NEGRO, DESTROYED BY FIRE SUN.

The home of Albert Rucker, negro, out near West End was completely destroyed by fire early Sunday morning. The alarm was sounded about 12:30.

Albert has just been arrested on a charge of violating the prohibition law and was in the Montgomery jail at the time of the fire.

Mrs. J. P. VanDerveer left Tuesday for Shreveport, La., where she will spend several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. S. P. Richards. Mrs. VanDerveer made the trip by motor with friends from Selma.

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Soap, Export	8 bars	25c
COFFEE	Charmer Large Bucket	65c

CARTER ELECTRIC SHOP HAS MOVED INTO WRIGHT BLDG.

The Carter Electric Shop moved the early part of the week from the large Wade building next to the post office, into the Wright Building, next door to the Gray Barber Shop. Mr. Carter stated that he hoped to have his new location in good condition for displaying radios and other electrical appliances by the latter part of the week.

NOTICE TO IRISH POTATO GROWERS

If you want help in marketing your Irish potatoes this season and will be ready to dig within the next ten days, let me know your acreage and estimated yields.

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DAUGHTER OF G.C. ARMSTRONG UNDERGOES AN OPERATION

Betty Jean, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C Armstrong, is in the Hillman Hospital in Birmingham where she underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Latest reports state that Betty Jean is doing nicely.

PARTY SPENT DAY AT MULLINS HOME, WEST OF CLANTON

Reed Mullins was host to a number of friends last Sunday at his attractive country home west of Clanton. Lunch was served in true Southern style to Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Edgar, Mrs. Sophia Jones, Misses Zora Guy, Lona Thompson, Madge Scarborough and Mr Mullins.

NOTICE OF SUMMER SCHOOL

There will be a six weeks summer school at the Clanton Grammar School beginning June 1st. Anyone who is interested please see me before May 23.

MARY LOUISE PACK.

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Dull brains result from a deficiency of iron, scientists say. Also from a surplus of bone.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Inzer, who were recently married here, will regret to know that they will leave our city next week for new headquarters with the A. & P. Tea Co. with whom Mr. Inzer is a valuable employee. Mrs. Inzer, before her marriage, was Miss Louise McSwain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. McSwain of this city. This popular young couple has a host of friends here who regret to see them move away.

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Mrs. Grady Reynolds Honors Miss Mary Heard.

Mrs. Grady Reynolds, always a charming hostess, proved unusually so Saturday afternoon when she entertained at her home on Eighth Street with a bridge party, having as her honor guest Miss Mary Heard, a member of the graduating class.

Silver baskets of pink roses, the class flower, were effectively arranged in the rooms where the tables were placed for the bridge games. At the conclusion of the bridge games Miss Mary Heard received the high score prize, silk hose; Miss Mary Foshee receiving the consolation prize, novelty handkerchiefs. Mrs. Reynolds presented the honor guest with an attractive pair of sport pajamas and a souvenir of the afternoon, a miniature diploma.

A tempting salad and ice course was served late in the afternoon. Those enjoying Mrs. Reynold's hospitality were: Misses Mary Heard, Bernice Williams, Gertie Mae Fiquette, Katherine Hayes, Frances Higgins, Mary Goodwyn Jones, Janice Danforth, Carrie Foshee, and Mrs. Inzer. Mrs. Page and Mrs. Heard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Coody of Columbus, Ga., stopped over in Clanton last Monday afternoon for a visit with the latter's father, T. W. Bryan, Justice of the Peace.

P. F. Mitchell, wholesale feed dealer of Verbena, was among the visitors to Clanton Monday.

Miss Mittie Sprott, of Sprott, Ala., and who will complete her studies at Alabama College this year, spent sometime in Clanton Sunday afternoon visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Creagh and daughter and son, Harry Roswell Falkenberry, of Selma were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry Sunday.

Miss Belle McCall and Bernard Reynolds of Selma spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson had as their guests for the week end Mr. W. T. and P. J. Darnell of Vincent, W. J. Darnell of Salt Lake City, Utah, Mrs. S. T. Darnell of Anniston, and G. C. Bates of Birmingham.

Mrs. A. C. Dowling and daughter, of Montgomery spent the week end visiting friends.

Mrs. Curlee returned Saturday from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Robert Gilbert, in Birmingham.

Miss Launa Wood, Western Union operator at Calera, was a recent visitor to our city.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Lande returned Tuesday week from a most interesting visit to South Florida and Cuba. They motored to Key West where they took a boat to Cuba. Their tour lasted two weeks.

Mrs. Evie Childers of Jemison was a visitor to our city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Williams of Birmingham were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williams Sunday.

Miss Nora Franklin of Thorsby spent Tuesday in Clanton shopping.

Mrs. Faulkenberry had as her guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. John Creagh of Selma. Mr. and Mrs. Creagh are considered two of the best vocalists in the State. Mrs. Creagh possesses a lovely lyric soprano voice and Mr. Creagh has a rich bass voice.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gilbert and children of Birmingham were the week end guests of Mrs. Gilbert's mother, Mrs. Curlee.

Mrs. Elmore of Elba is the guest of her son, Mr. V. J. Elmore

Mrs. R. C. Todd and attractive little daughter, Ceceil, of Birmingham, left Friday after spending a week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Jones.

Mrs. Margaret Ormand and Miss Emily Pointer of Selma were in our city Friday night in the interest of establishing a Pilot Club here. Mrs. Ormand, who is the very progressive president of the Selma Pilot and Miss Pointer, both made a strong appeal for the organization of the club here and pointed out the fact that it would be a great asset to our city and would take over a phase of work needed here that no other club is able to do.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. P. Murphy of Providence were the guests of Mrs. J. H. Williams Sunday.

Mr. J. W. McEathern motored to Panama City during the week end where he had a most profitable fishing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Jones of Montgomery were the recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Jones.

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Billingsley News

Pastor of the Baptist church, Rev. A. S. Bentley in his sermon Sunday morning gave a digest of the Mission Fields as was given at the Southern Baptist Convention. Sunday evening for his subject he used, "The Plan of Salvation."

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Chapman and children, Mildred and Louise, of Selma were the guests Sunday of Prof. and Mrs. R. E. Upton.

Mr. J. O. Simmons, Mr. Emmett Beadlescomb and Mrs. Vashti Wright motored to Louin, Miss., and were the guests Sunday of Mr. Simmon's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Meroney of Verbena attended preaching here Sunday and were the guests of Mrs. J. N. Carter.

Mr. J. F. King, Misses Mabel King, Louise Conner, Anne Turk and Mary Collier spent Sunday in Selma.

Miss Willie Jeanne Patrick was at home several days last week from Massey's business college in Montgomery on account of illness.

Mr. W. T. Durden and daughter Miss Margaurite, of Montgomery were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Durden.

The baseball fans enjoyed a good game Saturday afternoon. Maplesville and the home team were playing, Billingsley winning.

The schools will close here Friday with a Rally day program. The speakers in the morning will include U. S. Senator Hugo Black. The afternoon will consist of several games of ball.

Saturday evening an operetta will be staged by the Elementary school.

Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock at the Baptist church, the Baccalaureate sermon by Rev. A. S. Bentley.

Monday evening the Junior High Graduation and awarding of Elementary certificates.

Miss Margaret Darden of Montgomery is visiting her brother, Mr. Bernard Darden.

Mr. and Mrs. Amie Powell of Verbena and interesting children spent Sunday with Mrs. Powell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baxter.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell Vinson, Misses Lucile Dickinson and Thelma Baxter attended the B. Y. P. U. Convention at Bethesda Sunday afternoon.

Misses Ruth and Mattie Lou Carter visited their brother, Mr. Ralph Carter, of Montgomery the past week end.

Mr. G. T. Dickinson accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Hattie Dickinson, Miss Lucile Dickinson and Mrs. Ernest Wilson of Birmingham spent Sunday of the past week in Autaugaville with Mrs. T. M. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo McCarian of Montgomery were dinner guests of Mrs. Farmer Apperson Sunday.

Mrs. Ernest Wilson returned to her home in Birmingham Thursday after a pleasant visit to her mother, Mrs. Hattie Dickinson.

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William Ferguson of Charlevoix, Mich., was buried the other day in a coffin he purchased 25 years ago.

"The last of a $10,000 inheritance," was written on a $1 bill, received by Henry Hutchens, grocer of Portland, Ind.

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FARM WEALTH IN STATE IS RAISED BY $1,105,544

By improving their land and buildings and buying improved farm implements to replace those that are old and inefficient, Alabama farmers effected savings and enhanced the value of their land more than a million dollars last year. Statistical information as to how it was done is contained in the annual report of extension work in agricultural engineering as done by the county demonstration agents and J. B. Wilson and W. H. Gregory, specialists in this subject, who made the report.

During the year 124,659 acres of Alabama land were terraced, increasing the value $6.00 per acre or a total of $747,954.

At the same time 6,910 acres were drained, increasing the value $20 per acre or a total of $138,200.

The irrigated area of Alabama was extended over 179 acres which increased the value $200 per acre or a total of $35,800.

Following demonstrations, 965 two-horse cultivators were bought. The specialists estimated that each of these cultivators replaced one man three months at a monthly rate of $35 per month or a total of $105 for each cultivator. This multiplied by 965 gave a total saving of $101,325.

Improvement of residences, barns, and other farm buildings; the erection of new buildings; and the addition of new equipment brought the grand total up to $1,105,544.

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Alabama Crop Outlook Good

General crop conditions in Alabama on the first of May this year were much improved and present prospects for the current season are flattering compared with the 1930 opening according to a report by F. W. Gist, Agricultural Statistician.

"Last year the drought had already set in and the month of April was exceedingly dry," Gist said. "The preparation of land had been delayed, and little planting had been done compared to normal seasons. This spring the weather has been favorable for farm work, ground was prepared earlier and in larger volume, and planting had progressed to practically a normal extent."

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An English cub reporter, frequently reprimanded for relating too many details and warned to be brief, turned in the following:

"A shooting affair occurred last night Sir Dwight Hopeless, a guest at Lady Panmore's ball, complained of feeling ill, took a highball, his hat, his coat, his departure, no notice of his friends a taxi, a pistol from his pocket, and finally his life. Nice chap. Regrets and all that."

Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School Lesson for May 24
JESUS PREPARING FOR THE END
Luke 22:7-23
Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

At all times Jesus of Nazareth was loyal to His Jewish extraction. He observed the Sabbath, made full use of the synagogue and kept the Hebrew feasts. His work during recent weeks had the Jewish Passover as its objective. Preparation was made on Thursday of what we now call Holy Week. With His disciples He proceeds to Jerusalem and instructs how they may find the room where they will keep the feast. It was easy to follow the lead for they were to find a man bearing a pitcher of water, whereas water carrying was the job for women. It is thought that John Mark was the young man and that he led them to the house of his mother, Mary

A most significant act took place when Jesus washed the feet of all, since each one of the disciples purposely avoided this customary duty lest he appear to belittle himself and have a lesser place in the Kingdom they expected the Leader to establish.

Following the Passover meal and the departure of Judas, Jesus performed one of the few acts that deals with organization. He took some of the unleavened bread and gave to it the significance of His body that was about to be yielded up on the cross. The cup typified His shed blood. These emblems were to be taken by His disciples throughout all time as memorials of the gift of Self on the cross on the morrow. Thus we have the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, through which we make confession of Christ as our Saviour. Read the table conversation in John 14, 15, 16, and note the prayer of Jesus in that upper room as recorded in chapter 17. "This do in remembrance of me," is the abiding command to all believers.

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In his research laboratory at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, Dr. Fred Allison, professor of physic, has obtained evidence indicating rather conclusively that element 85(the last of the underscovered elements of which there are 92 in the universe) has been found. Dr. Allison worked more than a year on the problem element 87, the next to the last to be discovered

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MAIN STREET Looks at BROADWAY

Sidewalk Traders—

Gardenias, that boutonniere of the boulevardier, the favorite flower of kings and captains, were selling for fifteen cents each in the heart of Times Square this week. They were being offered by a sidewalk peddler who was doing a rushing business. Farther down the street another peddler was unloading sweet peas at five cents a small bunch

That these prices may be appreciated one must realize that millions of gardenias have been sold in recent years at $1 and $1.50 each. Two centuries ago Beau Brummell used to buy them for half a crown in England that is sixty cents

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A Broad Market—

Flower salesmen do only a small part of the business that street peddlers here carry on. One can buy neckties, gold watches (25 cents each), novelty jewelry, fruit, potatoes, fresh fish, shoelaces and almost anything else from curb dealers.

They do a thriving business particularly the candy men and the small fruit men and the small fruit men in the wholesale furriers' district, where operators stand around during their lunch hour and supplement their quick lunches with some succulent fruit from the peddler's wagons

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Dubious Goods—

The chance of getting "stung" in buying anything from peddlers is pretty heavy. Few expect the gold watches to contain much of that metal but they do expect to have the watches tick. The best any of these quarter timepieces has been known to do is run ten minutes on one winding—if they do that. Silk articles are so loaded with tin—the chief adulterant of silk—that one can almost shake out that gross metal by slamming the neckties against a post

It cannot be denied that some of them are quite pretty. One fifty cent tie wore almost a full week, which was pretty expensive dressing

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A Slick 'Un—

One cannot be in New York a month and stroll about the streets without running into one kind of a dodge that is worth knowing about. The way it happens is that, as you saunter along some honest appearing truckman, dressed in overalls, sidles up and says under his voice, "Like a bargain?"

Who can resist. You inquire and find he works along the docks and has just helped to unload a foreign steamship. A packing case broke open and he got a wonderful shawl, or a piece of dress goods, or a suit pattern worth $100 or something like that.

"If you can keep your mouth shut you can take home something to the missus that is worth having. How about it?"

Depending on how you come out of the wrestle with your conscience is the measure of your loss. If you buy anything you lose. But that truckman looks so honest and there's only you two in the deal.

It's one of those things that adds considerably to the cost of a trip to New York.

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A Broadway Happening—

A horse played a star part right in the heart of New York's theatrical district the other day when it backed into a manhole at 44th Street and Broadway

Its hind legs went down into the manhole, in which two laborers were working ten feet below the street level, and stuck there. Leading the crowd of curious was the policeman on the beat. He looked things over and called the fire department and the police patrol.

Meanwhile the crowd grew until it numbered 3,000 or more people. Those in front offered all kinds of suggestions. The driver of a truck got out a rope, made a sling under the horse's belly, hitched the rope to his auto, started the engine and out came the horse, practically unscathed

When the firemen arrived they found themselves with nothing to do. The captain of the fireman gave his O. K. to the job and asked the truck driver where he learned how to pull horses out of manholes.

"Oh, you have to do things like this out where I come from," was the rejoinder. "I was raised on a farm."

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Elsie—My grandpa has reached the age of 96. Isn't that wonderful?

Bobby — Wonderful nothin'! Look at the time it's taken him to do it.

Son—Mother, aren't you going to wait up for father?

Ma—What's the use? I've got such a cold I can hardly speak.

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EDITH COCHRANE, Glenvale Ave., Darien, Conn.
BARBARA LAWLESS, Ardmore, Pa.
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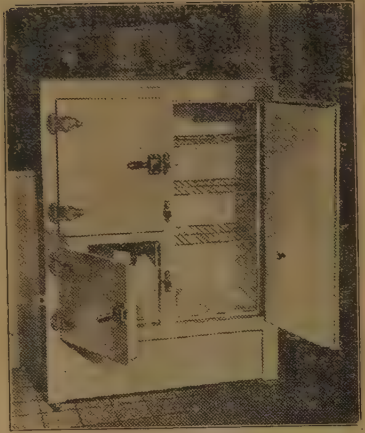

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HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

High School Commencement Program

The regular classroom work including final examinations for Chilton County High School will end Friday noon, May 22, and the regular Commencement Program will begin Friday night at eight o'clock.

The first number of this program will be the Senior Class exercises combined with Junior high school graduation. Twenty-eight members of the Junior high school will be presented diplomas. The Senior Class will then present their program of Class Day Exercises in the accustomed order. Both of these numbers will be very interesting and entertaining, and the friends and patrons of the school are expected to attend.

The second number of the Commencement Program will be the sermon on Sunday morning at eleven o'clock at the First Baptist Church, by Dr. H. C. Bass, pastor of the West End Memorial Baptist Church, Birmingham. The program for this occasion will be as follows:

1. Processional.
2. Son, Congregation: "All Hail The Power of Jesus Name."
3. Prayer, Dr. S. J. Ezell.
4. Special Music, Choir.
5. Responsive reading, Dr. Ezell.
6. Special Music, Choir.
7. Commencement Sermon, Dr. H. C. Bass, Birmingham.
8. Special Music, Choir.
9. Song, Congregation: "Blessed Be The Tie That Binds."

The third and last number of the Commencement Season will be the graduating exercises of the Senior Class, and the Baccalaureate address by Dr. Bradford Knapp of Auburn, Monday night at eight o'clock at the High School Auditorium.

The public is cordially invited to attend all these exercises.

Class Night, May 22, 1931.

Junior High School Graduates for 1931

The following students will graduate from the Junior High School, May 22, and enter first year Senior High School work September, 1931:

Dan Crawford Smith, Joe Watts Moore, U. L. Mathew Baker, William Thomas Marcus, Jesse Frank Foshee, Cecil Walter Jones, Mary Estelle Giles, Edna Ophelia Hayes, Helen Kathleen Moore, Lewis Carlton Jones, John Samuel Ezell, Gertie Irene Wilson, Ruby Kathleen Parrish, Weston Oncell Littlefield, Frances Pauline Plyler, Elizabeth Ann Harris, Grady Reynolds, Jr.

Hilda Hart, Nell Alice Neighbors, James Dennis, Mary Charles Cox, Ova Lee McCutcheon, Mary Frances Rasberry, Rosemary Pickens, Kate Alice Fallin, Maralyn Hardy, Myrtice Merle Smith, Ola Frances Davis.

The following students in Senior One and Senior Two classes, but belonging to the Junior Three classes of 1928-1929 also desired to receive diplomas at the same time the Junior Three's will be presented to them are as follows:

Willie Maud Kelley, Frances Clyde Maddox, Esther Lee Dennis, Mary Nell Jones, Earl Hopkins Wilson, J. C. Massey, Ethel Mae Jones, Charlsie Evelyn Pyron.

Mr. Varnell's Agriculture Class Spends Saturday At Auburn

The following young men of the Senior One soils and crops class accompanied by Mr. Varnell, teacher, spent a most enjoyable and profitable day at Auburn last Saturday. Those making the trip were:

James Tiffin, Pratt Busby, Alec Hayes, Jarrell Burdette, Clyde Popwell, Theodore Littlejohn, Lewie Alford, Floyd Devaughn, Grady Carter, Jasper Cox, Jerome Gray, Melvin Powell, James Parrish, Morris Pyron.

This outing grew out of a project of work that was begun last fall in connection with the study of the storing of sweet potatoes, small grains, and live stock judging. The purpose of the visit was to check up on the projects along advanced lines at Auburn. The entire class is grateful for the reception received at Auburn by the heads of the different departments.

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ALABAMA SUFFERS LEAST AMONG SOUTHERN STATES

"In the farm land depression since 1920, Alabama has suffered the smallest loss of any of the chief cotton growing states," F. W. Gist, State and Federal Agricultural Statistician said. He declared that Alabama land values are 73 percent of the 1920 value, the high peak of land value in recent years. "A slump in farm real estate values in virtually all states during the year ending March 1st, 1931, carries average values to new low levels since the postwar agricultural depression," he said.

He attributed the fall in farm land values to low prices of farm commodities, drouth, world depression and a congested farm real estate market.

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The pranks of a "ghost" in a rental house were traced to a former tenant, who had been dispossessed in favor of another family.

A & P PROGRAM TO CARRY UNDER-POLE EXPLORER'S TALK

New York, May 15.—"The part food plays in polar exploration," will be the subject of a talk by Sir Hubert Wilkins, polar explorer, on the A & P Food Program tomorrow morning.

Sir Hubert, who is leaving shortly for the Arctic in his submarine, the Nautilus, will tell of the difficulties which must be overcome in feeding a Polar Expedition.

The A & P Food Program is heard locally over Station WAPI each weekday at 7:45 A. M.

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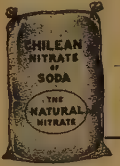

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Stap Announces Poultry Meeting

The annual meeting of the Alabama Farm Bureau Poultry Association, Farm Bureau office, Montgomery, Ala., meet Thursday, May 28, 1931, 10:00 a. m.

Members, directors, and all persons interested in poultry work are urged to be present.

According to the by-laws, one half of the board of directors, of which there are eight, are to be elected at this meeting. The directors whose terms expire this year are:

Dist. 1—Thos. P. Floyd, Birmingham; Dist. 2—W. T. Pollard, Sylacauga; Dist. 3—J. E. Willard, Gallion; Dist. 4—B. F. Marshall, Mobile; Mr. R. F. Croom, presiding; Minutes, G. A. Trollope, Sec. Introductory, the President. Appointment of Election Committee.

President's Address, R. F. Croom.

Address, Director L. N. Duncan

Address, Commissioner S. P. Storrs.

Reports and discussions led by:

A. N. Culver, Treasurer; R. B. Jones, Poultry Inspector; H. R. Bailey, Extension Poultryman; Dr. Ed Everett, Laboratory Diagnostician; J. B. Sylvest, Marketing; J. E. Ivey, Feed Service

Election

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Major Jeffers Attends World Peace Meeting

Anniston, Ala., May 13.—Major Lamar Jeffers, World War veteran and Fourth District Congressman, was in Indianapolis, Ind., today for a two-day session of the American Legion national committee on foreign relations and world peace.

The meeting is being held in connection with the regular May session of the national executive committee of the American Legion.

Congressman Jeffers is a vice president of Fidac, inter-allied organization of the veterans of the World War. By reason of his office in the international organization, he automatically becomes a member of the committee on world peace.

Congressman Jeffers was elected to the office in the international organization several months ago at a meeting in Washington and is the only American holding office in Fidac.

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Matteossian—They say Mrs. Beefleigh is so mortified she is ashamed to leave the house.

Jergenslotion—Yes, she was knocked down and run over by one of those midget Austins.

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The eyes of a man in Maine are said to magnify everything he sees, making objects look many times their real size. He can probably tell some tall fish stories.

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In a divorce suit filed recently in Dallas, Tex., the plaintiff was O. R. Hill, the defendant Nannie Mae Hill, the attorney Madden Hill and the clerk who served the paper was Troy Hill.

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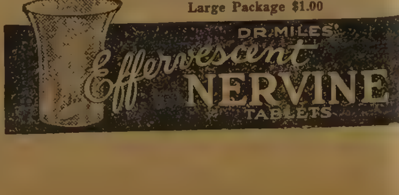

News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

Preaching services at the Baptist urch Sunday will be called off at even o'clock for the Commencement rmon at the Institute.

Regular preaching services will be ld at night.

A large Sunday school is very much sired at 9:45 a.m.

Mrs. Elizabeth Merchant and daugh-, Helen, spent Sunday with Mr. and rs. Chester Maddox.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Marcus had a it by the Stork last Wednesday, who t them a fine boy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Maddox, Mr. and rs. Enoch Hays and Mr. and Mrs. ilbert Maddox spent Sunday with Mr. ester Maddox and family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Cleckler's baby y got his arm broken last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Billingsley and ughter and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bilgsley of Billingsley, Ala., spent Suny with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Willis.

Mrs. S. J. Davenport spent Friday ht in Verbena with her husband, ile there she attended the Negro instrel.

Don't forget the play, "Two Days to arry" which will be given Friday ht at the Public School. Admission, and 25 cents.

The W. M. U. Circle No. 2 met with rs. M. E. Willis Tuesday afternoon.

Misses Lillian and Louise Fitzpatrick Ensley spent last Tuesday night and ednesday with their grandparents, r. and Mrs. Harper.

Mr. Reinhardt is expecting his fam- to move in Wednesday. We give em a cordial welcome into our town.

Monday afternoon Miss Jenkins entained the Senior Class of Thorsby stitute and their class teacher, Miss ingelhoefer, and Mr. Maddox, Regisr. The party was held on the Cams Cottage porch. Various group mes were played. Sandwiches, pick-, pineapple sherbert, cake, and strawrry punch were served the guests. e color scheme appeared in the af- dinner mints served in green bask-

Next Sunday at eleven o'clock the ccalaureate service of Thorsby Intute will be held in the Auditorium. services will be held at any of the urches Sunday morning as all will ite in this service. Rev. E. W. Butler Treasurer of the Institute, will preach the Baccalaureate Sermon. Everyone is invited to attend. A collection will be taken which will be used to help worthy students.

Friday, May 29, at 10:30 A. M., the Commencement Exercises of Thorsby Institute will be held. There will be special music by the Girl's Chorus, the Trio and a violin solo by Mrs. Grady Broadhead of Clanton. Rev. F. E. Jenkins, D. D., President of the Trustees of Thorsby Institute, will deliver the Commencement address

Last Saturday night Miss Thoroman's music pupils at Thorsby Institute did very well in the music recital. Miss Margaret Peterson gave a reading and Miss Arthur sang two numbers, all of which was very much enjoyed.

The public may be interested to know that due to the current financial depression it has been decided to lower the music tuition the coming year. The rates are as follows: One lesson per week (45 minutes) $3 per Term, $8 per Semester; or two thirty-minute lessons per week $4 per Term, $10:50 per Semester.

The Senior Class had a ride and picnic on Friday afternoon at Crumpton's Camp. A very enjoyable time was reported.

Miss Marian Fairbank, Librarian of Thorsby Institute, was carried to the Birmingham Baptist Hospital, 708 Tuscaloosa Ave., Birmingham, on Sunday afternoon. Recent news from her says that she is resting more comfortably.

Christian Endeavor met at the Congregational church Sunday evening, May 17, at 6:30 o'clock. T. A. McCallum was the leader. The main topic was, "War, the Enemy of Christian Civilization." Various questions and topics were answered and discussed.

Miss Esther Bensen of Collins Chapel is spending a few days with Mrs. J. E. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray spent the week end at Prattville, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Hull spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mead.

Rev, and Mrs. J. W. Jones and daughter, Eveline, attended the Southern Baptist Convention in Birmingham last week.

They report a large attendance at both meetings. The W. M. U. reported five hundred delegates and more than one thousand visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Meade, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Chambers and Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Hall spent Sunday at Lay Dam and had a very enjoyable time boat riding and fishing.

Little Helen Louise Meade entertained a number of her little friends in honor of her fourth birthday Saturday afternoon. The evening was spent in games, after which ice cream and cookies were served.

Mrs. H. V. Thompson of Birmingham spent the week end with Mrs. Thornburg. Mr. Thompson returned wit hher. He has been spending his vacation in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Meade and Helen Louise spent Friday in Birmingham.

Mrs. Leonard Moody of Birmingham spent last week with her mother in Thorsby.

Mrs. Martin Petersen entertained for dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. Petersen's birthday, Mr. and Mrs. Self of Birmingham and Mrs. Russell Petersen.

Mr. Arnold Soberg and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morgan and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Soberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Marcus spent Saturday night with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Marcus, of Clanton.

Mrs. T. W. Littleton of Selma spent last week end with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Collins.

Miss Pauline Lesslie of Calera spent Thursday and Friday of last week with Mrs. H. W. Marcus.

Mrs. Eva Brown, son, wife and little daughter and Miss Kemp of Birmingham spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Martha J. Primm.

Mrs. W. H. Raybon went to Birmingham Saturday to spend a few days with her son, Roy, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Villadsen of Lincoln, Ala., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robinson Sunday.

Mr. Henry Robinson of Anniston spent the week end with homefolks.

Miss Clyde Jones of Clanton was the guest of Miss Mary Sue Robinson this week end.

Miss Jennye Robinson and Mrs. T. W. Robinson went to Birmingham Monday.

Mrs. H. D. Heath of Dothan, Ala., was the guest of Miss Odie Lee Arthur

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Martin of Houston, Texas, were in Thorsby Saturday last week.

as guests of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton.

Mr. Herbert Adams of Gadsden, Ala. spent the week end with Miss Ruth Martin.

Messrs. Herschell Hays and Gresham Smith received slight wounds when a strawberry truck driven by Carlton Collins ran into a telephone post near Jemison Sunday a.m. at 3 o'clock.

Mr. Sidney Davenport spent the week end at home

Mr. Gresham Lowery has secured a position with Dr. Tingley of Birmingham singing over WBRC on Thursday night there. There was another contest put on by Thorsby talent. A silver pitcher was awarded to the person who received the most applause.

Little Millen and Melvin O'Barr won the pitcher. They sang, "Birmingham Jail."

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. French Jr., and baby daughter of Atmore, Ala., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Bean and family spent the week end in Birmingham shopping.

Mr. German Bean of Atlanta, Ga., is home for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard and Mr. W. H. Wilson spent the week end in Columbus, Ga.

Miss Frances Wilson is spending a few days in Birmingham.

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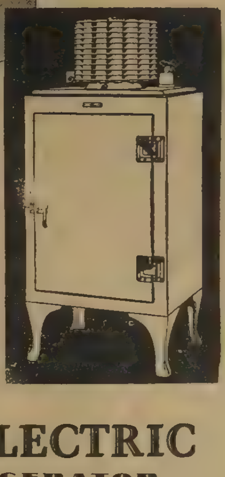

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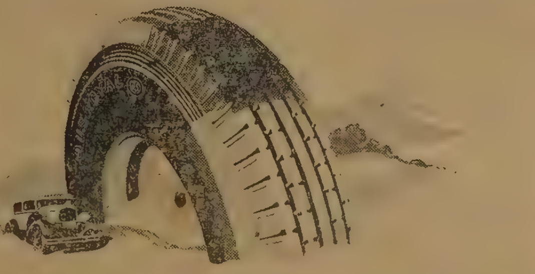

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S. S. CONVENTION AT OAK GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH

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2:00 P. M. Devotional, R. S. Chandler.

2:15 P. M. Reports from Sunday Schools.

2:30 P. M. The Greater Mission of the Rural Sunday Schools, J. W. Jones.

2:50 P. M. Things that Make the Sunday School Go, S. J. Ezell.

3:10 P. M. My Task as a Sunday School Superintendent, J. Z. Mims.

3:30 P. M. General discussion and adjourn.

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MT. PLEASANT 4-H CLUB TO MEET FRIDAY, MAY 29TH

The Mt. Pleasant 4-H Club will hold a meeting next Friday night, May 28. Every club member is urged to come. The club is planning to go to see each member's project soon.

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HUNDREDS ARE SEEN TAKING A PART IN PICNIC

All-Day Affair For Former Coosa People Brings Out Large Number

The all-day picnic given for the former Coosa County people who now reside in Chilton County, last Sunday on the Coosa River, near the new Rockford Road, brought out hundreds of people from all sections of Chilton County and parts of Coosa.

The crowd began to arrive early in the morning and by noon, there were approximately three hundred persons at the river bank, shaking hands with old acquaintances.

Col. A. C. Smith, of Clanton, and Hon. F. A. Gulledge of Verbena, were the principal speakers on the program for the day. This was one of the first picnics of its kind to be held in this section, and gave an opportunity for persons to see their home county friends again.

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Save money at our One-Cent Sale, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. — Upchurch Drug Company.

FIDELIS CLASS PUTTING ON MEMBERSHIP CONTEST NOW

The Fidelis Class of the Baptist church is putting on a membership contest now for the purpose of building up its membership. The class has been divided into two groups, the Green and the Gold sides. Each side has a leader and the winning side will be entertained by the losers. The contest is in progress now and will close June 15th.

Concord-Billingsley

The singing which was held here on Sunday afternoon was very well attended, although there wasn't very many directors present, but we hope to have more with us the 1st Sunday afternoon, which is our regular singing afternoon.

Remember, Sunday school every Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock and C. E. at seven o'clock in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cowart of Coosa County spent the past week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williams and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Tindall Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Headley dined with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace and Miss Virginia Little were the week end guests of their sister, Mrs. W. R. Pike of Coosa County.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Scott of Thorsby spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

Mrs. J. P. Williams spent a few hours with Mrs. Willie Tindall Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mildred Herod of Haynes spent Monday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

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OPERETTA TO BE STAGED AT BILLINGSLEY SCHOOL

There will be an operetta, "The Land of Dreams Come True," given by the Billingsley Elementary school at the Elementary school building Saturday night, May 23, at eight o'clock.

The play opens with a group of children enjoying a holiday, and by eating magic berries are enabled to really visit "The Land of Dreams Come True" where Mother Goose, the old woman who lived in a shoe and their children lived.

You are cordially invited to attend the operetta and are promised an hour and a half of real enjoyment. Admission 10 and 25 cents.

SON OF MR. AND MRS. K. C. FOSHEE DIED IN FLA., ON MAY 6TH

On May 6th the death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Foshee of Lakeland, Fla., and took away their beloved son, Julius Wilbert, age 5 years. He died in the hospital at Tampa, Fla., following an illness which lasted three months and three days. He is survived by his parents, one sister, Mary Carr Foshee, and several other relatives.

IN MEMORIAM

Dear little Julius is now in Heaven,
Sleeping sweetly on,
With God and His angels
On that mighty throne.
But Oh! how we do miss him.
He was such a darling child.
But he is smiling now in Heaven
With the angels all the while.
Weep not, dear father, mother and
little sister,
Although we know you miss him,
Miss his tender voice and love.
But some day we will meet him
In that heavenly home above.
—His Aunt, Mrs. Georgia Rutland.

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MRS. M. B. ARANT IS HONORED WITH MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

Mrs. M. B. Arant received a very delightful surprise on last Monday afternoon when she attended the regular meeting of Circle Number Three.

When Mrs. Arant walked into the church, she was confronted with a table piled high with useful gifts of household articles, given her by members of the circle, of which she is a member. In response, Mrs. Arant rendered a very touching original poem which was very fitting to the occasion, on such a surprise.

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GEO. M. ADAMS DIED AT JEMISON WEDNESDAY, 13TH

Jemison, Ala.,—Geo. M. Adams died at his home here on Wednesday, May 13. He had been in ill health for several years, but was only confined to his bed a few hours before his death. He had lived in Jemison practically all his life and leaves a host of friends who extend to his family and other relatives their deepest sympathy in their bereavement.

He is survived by his wife, three daughters, Marian, Josephine and Maxine, two sons, Morgan and Reid, two brothers, John W. Adams of Jemison, Chas. W. Adams of Prattville, one sister, Mrs. J. K. Thomp Scottsboro, Ala., all of whom wer him when the end came.

Pallbearers were L. H. Bean, Jeffries, J. M. Langston, Jas. W. Patton, E. L. Glasscock, J. A. Sims

Dr. Goodwin of Birmingham conducted the funeral services, which were held at the Presbyterian church Thursday, May 14.

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POPPY SALE IN CLANTON ON SATURDAY

American Legion Auxilliary Of Chilton County To Sell Poppies Here

Work of preparing for the annual poppy sale of the American Legion Auxiliary went into full swing today when the memorial poppies which will be worn on Poppy Day, May 30, in honor of the World War dead, were received at Auxiliary headquarters. The little red flowers, packed in neat boxes, came from a U. S. Government hospital where they were made by disabled veterans under Auxiliary direction. They must be counted and arranged for distribution to the volunteer workers who will offer them on the streets on Poppy Day.

The poppies are paper replicas of the wild European poppies which bloomed on the battle fields in France and Belgium during the World War, Mrs. Gertrude Calloway, who is in charge of the work at Auxiliary headquarters explained. It was this flower, growing between the rows of wooden crosses above the fresh battle graves, which inspired the famous poem, "In Flanders Fields," by Col. John McCrea. Since the war the flower has become recognized throughout the world as the symbol of war sacrifice.

"I wonder how many of the people in Clanton who will wear these poppies this year, realize the story that is behind each little flower," Mrs. Calloway

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Popular Picture Here Next Week

"The Man Who Came Back," an all-talking picture that has scored a hit wherever it showed will be presented at the Wadesonian Theatre in Clanton on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights of next week, by the Clanton Kiwanis Club, according to an announcement from J. Mell Martin, president of the club.

Two of the screens most popular stars, Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell, take the leading parts in this most modern picture. These two lovers will be remembered as becoming popular here in the picture "Sunnyside Up."

This picture promises to fill the theatre each night shown here as wide publicity has been given it, and also due to its popularity.

PARTY FROM FAIRFIELD INJURED IN AUTO WRECK

A party composed of Dr. and Mrs. Harry Morris, of Fairfield, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morris of Jasper, and Mrs. H. R. Sims, of Birmingham were badly shaken up and bruised as the result of an automobile accident which occurred on the Bimingham-Montgomery highway, about twenty miles south of Clanton Monday afternoon.

They had been to Montgomery to the commencement exercises at Womans College, where Miss Virginia Morris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morris, graduated, and were returning when the accident occurred.

According to the story given the News, Dr. Morris was driving, and the car struck a bed of sand off the edge of the pavement, causing him to lose control of it. It was said that the car overturned twice before stopping.

All the occupants except Dr. Morris were thrown through the top of the heavy vehicle, it is believed. Mrs. Sims was believed to have suffered internal injuries. She was carried to the T. C. I. Hospital in Fairfield Monday night, while the others received medical attention in Clanton from Dr. Morris, who is connected with the T. C. I. Hospital. The car was badly damaged.

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Miss Julia Ruth Hester, who has been attending Judson College, is at home in Clanton for the summer.

PERSHING STORY IS RESUMED THIS WEEK

General Pershing's Story of his Experiences in The World War, is resumed in this week's issue as usual. Due to a lack of space, it was necessary to omit it last week.

ISSUES PROCLAMATION DESIGNATING POPPY DAY

MAYOR J. LEE SMITH

Saturday, May 30, was proclaimed Poppy Day in Clanton in a proclamation issued by Mayor J. Lee Smith. The proclamation urges all citizens of the city to observe the day by wearing an American Legion and Auxiliary poppy as an individual tribute to the American men and women who gave their lives in the World War. It also calls upon the citizens of the city to contribute as liberally as their means will allow to the welfare of the disabled veterans and dependent families of the dead and disabled when purchasing their poppy.

The proclamation follows:

"I, J. Lee Smith, Mayor of the city of Clanton, remembering the fine young men of Chilton County whom we sent forth in the years of 1917 and 1918 to defend the honor and ideals of our nation on the battle fields of the world's most terrible war, and who died in the heroic performance of the duty the nation assigned to them, and deeming it fitting that the citizens of the city should pay honor to their memory by wearing the flower among whose bright red blooms many of them died, do hereby proclaim Saturday, May 30, Poppy Day.

"I urge that this day be observed by all patriotic citizens by the wearing of the memorial poppy made by disabled veterans which will be offered on the streets of the city by the women of the American Legion Auxiliary. I further urge that the citizens of Clanton who gave so gallantly of their services and so liberally of their wealth during the war, think on this day of those who gave health and strength, and when purchasing a poppy give as liberally as their means will allow to help lighten the burden for those who are still paying in suffering and poverty the price of our glorious victory.

"—J. Lee Smith, Mayor."

Big Ford Show Here On Monday

Clanton Motors, local Ford dealers, are announcing this week, a huge Ford automobile show to be staged in Clanton next Monday.

T. J. Littlejohn, manager of the Clanton Motors stated that there would be 29 commercial units of Fords on display here, and a broadcasting of music, as well as a regular parade.

This automobile show is scheduled to be in Clanton next Monday, June 1st, in the afternoon from one o'clock to 3:30 and the public is invited to see it.

PARTY SPENDING SOME TIME TOURING THROUGH FLORIDA

A party composed of Mr. and Mrs. Reedie Taylor, Mrs. Tom Taylor, Mrs. W. M. Poole and Arthur Poole, left Sunday for a motor trip through parts of Florida.

They expect to return sometime next week.

FORD COUPE FOUND BATTERED OFF ROAD JUST BELOW TOWN

Sheriff W. H. Gillespie ordered the removal of a Ford coupe last Monday afternoon from the woods just south of Clanton, where it had apparently ran off the highway.

The car was badly damaged, having struck a large tree, foremost, and it was stated that the car had been there all Sunday night and Monday, with no one making a claim to it.

There was blood in spots about the car as if someone had been injured, when the car struck the tree.

Central Alabama Woodmen Hold Field Meet Here Today

Interesting Program Arranged To Begin At Ten O'clock This Morning And Continue Into The Night

Clanton wil ltoday extend a hand of welcome to the members of the Woodmen of the World of central Alabama when they gather here for the Central Alabama Field Day.

Choppers are expected to attend from all sections of this part of the state, and it has been estimated that there will be several hundred visiting Woodmen here to take part in the exercises of the day. A most interesting and instructive program has been arranged, with E. C. Evans, district manager with headquarters in Clanton, as Master of Ceremonies.

Music for the program is to be furnished by the Monroe County High School Band, and will open the program at ten o'clock this morning. Following is the program for the entire exercises:

Morning Session

10:00—Band Music by Monroe County High School Band.

10:15—Flag Raising by Military Company. Col. Berry in charge.

10:25—Called to order in Court House by E. C. Evans, Master of Ceremonies.

Song, America.

Prayer, Dr. D. W. Haskew, Pastor First Methodist Church.

Welcome Address, by Mayor J. Lee Smith.

Response by H. L. Farley from Birmingham.

Welcome from Clanton W. O. W. Camp by Dr. J. E. Edgar.

Response by J. M. Rogers, Marion, Ala.

Music.

11:00—Field Day and its Purpose, L. D. Holiway, State Mgr. W. O. W.

11:30—Woodcraft in Alabama, Grover C. Herren, Head Consul.

11:40—What is Woodcraft? Walter M. Crawford, Representative of Sovereign Camp.

12:20—Lunch.

Afternoon Session

2:00—Band Music, Court House.

2:15—Address by Senator Coma Garrett.

2:45—The Woodmen Circle, Mrs. Sarah Bender, of Birmingham.

3:00—Address by Hon. I. T. Quinn.

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GRAND PARADE WILL CLOSE THE VET REUNION

Parade In Montg'y Promises To Be One of Greatest Ever Held In State

Montgomery, Ala., May 27.—Special to the News.—The Grand Parade of the Forty-First United Confederate Reunion, which will be held in Montgomery June 2-5, and the Parade which will be held on the closing day of the Reunion, Friday Morning, June 5th, at 10:30, promises to be one of the greatest ever held in the State of Alabama and the Fraternal Division of this Parade which will be headed by Joe King Stanley and his staff, who is Chief of the Fraternal Division, promises to be one of the outstanding features of the Parade on account of the color the Uniform Units of the Fraternal Orders will lend to the line. Many Fraternal Orders such as the Shrine, Knight Templars, Commanderies, Dokeys, Red Men, Woodmen of the World, Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, Pythias, Pythian Sisters, Eastern Star, Rebeccas, Pocahontas, Elks, Moose, Owls, and the many others, have al-

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MISS VIRGINIA SCOTT RECEIVES B. S. DEGREE AT ALA. COLLEGE

Miss Virginia Scott received her B. S. Degree last Monday morning at Alabama College where she has been studying for sometime. She is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Scott, of Verbena, Ala.

MOTHER OF MRS. J. M. VanDERVEER DIED SATURDAY MORNING

Mrs. Joseph Magrath, age 75, died at her home in Kansas City last Saturday morning early. She is the mother of Mrs. J. M. VanDerveer, Sr., of Clanton, who was called to Kansas City several days ago due to the illness of her mother.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon in Linwood, near Kansas City. Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. J. M. VanDerveer, Sr., of Clanton: Mrs. Allan Montgomery of Kansas City, Mrs. Floss Matheney of Kansas City, Mrs. Sherman Harris of Tongamoxie, Kan. Two sons, John, of Kansas City, and Homer of Pueblo, Colo., and her husband.

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Mrs. Mattie Fox and Mrs. C. L. Kanipe of Maplesville, were in Clanton shopping Saturday. While in town they were pleasant callers at the News office.

MEETING LAST SAT. APPROVES SUPT. ELECTION

Resolution Adopted Approving Election of Superintendent of Education

At the meeting last Saturday afternoon, held at the courthouse, and called by Percy M. Pitts, Representative of this county, for the purpose of discussing the approval or disapproval of the election of the County Superintendent of Education by the people, for this county, a resolution was drawn up approving of this proposal. Following is the resolution as given to the News:

We, the citizens of Chilton County, assembled in mass meeting at the Court House of Chilton County, Alabama on Saturday the 23rd day of May, 1931, hereby pass and indorse the following resolutions.

That whereas, the County Superin-

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MISS ATHA McMURRAY WINNER OF DIAMOND RING AT LEADER

Miss Atha McMurray of Clanton won the diamond ring in the recent contest on the person finding the nearest correct number of misspelled words in The Leader's Customer's Benefit Sale Advertisement. She was the one finding the nearest correct amount of incorrectly spelled words. Miss McMurray is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. McMurray of Clanton.

ED CARLTON WILL BE BACK AT HIS SHOP ON MONDAY

Due to the illness of his wife, and her recent death, T. E. (Ed) Carlton, has been away from his shop in Clanton for several days.

Mr. Carlton stated that he will be back at his place this week.

HORTON WALKER SPENDING SOME TIME IN PALM BEACH

Horton Walker, a member of the local high school faculty, left this week for West Palm Beach, Fla., by motor, where he will spend the next two weeks. Mr. Walker is accompanied by one of his fraternity brothers of Birmingham.

W. T. OGLETREE LOCATED AT CLANTON SHOE SHOP NOW

Friend in the county of W. T. Ogletree, who has been away for sometime, will be glad to learn that he is now at the Clanton Shoe Shop, on Main Strett, and invites his friends there to see him when in town.

Rural Carriers To Have Picnic

Saturday, May 30th, has been set for the Rural Mail Carriers picnic day, according to R. L. Duffey of Mountain Creek, Secretary.

The picnic will be held at Log Cabin Beach, on Coosa River on the Rockford Road. Everyone is invited to come and bring families, and a well-filled basket for lunch. Boating, swimming and fishing will be enjoyed for the day, and Mr. Duffey stated there will be a good time for everyone.

NOTICE CONCERNING CHURCH SERVICES, COLLINS CHAPEL

Through the summer months of June, July and August, preaching days at Collins Chapel will be the third Sunday in each month and at New Salem, on the first Sunday in each month.

On the fifth Sunday in May, next Sunday, new officers and teachers will be elected at New Salem, according to Rev. Zack Appleton. It is hoped by the committee that everyone who can, will be present on that day, to attend to this important matter.

MRS. ED YEARGAN SHOOTS SELF IN SYLACAUGA, ALA., TUESDAY

News reached Clanton Tuesday morning stating that Mrs. Ed Yeargan of Sylacauga had shot herself. Mrs. Yeargan has been residing in Sylacauga for sometime, and is well known in this county, having numerous relatives here.

She was in this county not so long ago visiting friends and relatives, and had the misfortune of losing her daughter recently by death, and her act in committing suicide Tuesday was laid to her grief over the death of her daughter. No details were learned at this time concerning plans for burial.

MRS. C. R. DEASON OPERATES A NEAT STAND NEAR JEMISON

Mrs. C. R. Deason is the lady who welcomes you at a neat little store on the highway, just above Jemison, Ala Mrs. Deason, with her daughter, Mrs. Pearl Vickers, have a rather attractive home and cheerful little place of business that they may well be proud of Their place is located on the left-hand side of the road, going north, and one may be assured of receiving a welcome when they stop there for gasoline, oil, drinks, candies, cigarettes, or groceries

ROOF OF JAIL COMPLETED WITH CONCRETE TUESDAY

The work on repairing and remodeling the jail here is rapidly going forward. The concrete roof of the structure was practically completed Tuesday. This roof is of concrete, reinforced with steel, and is said to be six inches thick.

Memorial Services Here Next Sunday

The Chilton County Post of the American Legion and the Local Legion Auxiliary will conduct a National Memorial Service at the Methodist church in Clanton next Sunday, May 31, according to Joe N. Calloway, local commander, and Mrs. Percy M. Pitts, president of the Auxiliary. A special program has been arranged in observance of Memorial Day.

Col. Tyler Goodwyn, of Montgomery will be present as the speaker for the afternoon, and special music has been arranged. The hour is set at three o'clock Sunday afternoon, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

CLANTON CASH STORE HAS BEEN GETTING REPAIRING

The Clanton Cash Store has been receiving the attention of carpenters, painters and bricklayers for the past several days, and the front of the grocery department is made all over, looking better.

This step on the part of the Cash Store will add greatly to the appearance of their popular and growing place of business, and shows that civic pride is lurking among them.

VERBENA 4-H CLUB BOYS WILL MEET TOMORROW

There will be a meeting of the Verbena 4-H Club boys at the grammar school building tomorrow night, at 7:30 o'clock. All visitors are welcome.

OFFICERS ARE ELECTED FOR WOMANS CLUB

Committees Also Named In Recently Organized Pilots Club Of Clanton

At the first meeting of the Pilot Club of Clanton, a civic luncheon club for business and professional women, officers were elected and committees named.

The club will meet twice each month, the first and third Tuesdays, at night. The place of meeting has not yet been set, but will be as soon as necessary arrangements for the serving of luncheon plates can be made.

Officers of the club are, Mrs. C. E. Stapp, president, Miss Madelyn Orr, 1st vice-president; Mrs. Gertrude Calloway, 2nd vice-president; Miss Bertha Dennis, recording secretary, Miss Lona Thompson, corresponding secretary and Miss Delilah Kelly, treasurer.

Committees named are:

Program Committee—Miss Madelyn Orr, Chairman, Miss Thomas, Miss Dennis.

Public Affairs Committee—Mrs. Clara Mullins, Chairman, Mrs. Warr, Miss Della Williams.

Finance Committee — Miss Delilah Kelly, Chairman, Mrs. Calloway, Mrs. J. C. Jones.

Social Committee—Miss Alma Allen, Chairman, Miss Madge Scarborough, Mrs. Miller.

Publicity Committee — Mrs. P. C. Smith, Chairman, Mrs. James, Mrs. Curry.

Cripple Clinic Here On Friday, June 5th

Another free clinic for crippled people will be held in Clanton on Friday, June 5th, through the efforts of the Alabama Crippled Children's Society and the local County Welfare Department, according to Mrs. C. E. Stapp, county welfare worker.

This is the third clinic of its kind to be held in Clanton, the other two being very successful. Dr. John Sherrill, of Birmingham, one of the best known orthopedic specialists in Alabama and the South, will be in Clanton June 5th to give free examinations and diagnosis. The Clinic will be held at the Baptist church, beginning at nine o'clock in the morning

NO THORSBY NEWS THIS WEEK

There is no Thorsby News Section in this week's issue, due to the illness of Miss Frances Wilson, Thorsby correspondent for the News. Miss Wilson became ill while visiting in Birmingham Sunday, and is confined in a hospital there. Her mother is with her

LOCAL O. E. S. WILL PUT ON PLAY HERE ON JUNE 16

Announcement was made this week stating that the local Chapter Order of the Eastern Star will present a play at the high school auditorium on the night of June 16th. The play is about a scene at a circus, titled "A Dollar Bill." Further announcements will be published later, concerning the play.

INSTITUTE SENIOR CLASS TO PRESENT "THE HOODOO"

The Senior class of Thorsby Institute will render a play entitled "The Hoodoo," Thursday night, May 28, at 7:30 P. M. in the auditorium of Helen Jenkins Hall.

This is a comedy in three acts, having in all 22 players. The scene of the play is in a country home, where a wedding is about to take place The nature of the play is as follows Everything is going on nicely, everybody is having a splendid time when among the wedding guests an old Professor arrives, and brings as a present a scarab, an Egyptian Beetle. Because he did not follow instructions the bridegroom, and then in turn three other members of the wedding party, who come into possession of the scarab, have very bad luck. In the end, luck returns, and two weddings take place instead of one. Play is filled with laughter. Everyone is cordially invited. Admission 15c and 25c.

! ! WELCOME TO CLANTON, WOODMEN ! !

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Tobacco Brown Mule Per Plug 15c
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Whole Wheat --- 18-Oz. 8c

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MAYORS VISIT FRANCE

In token of Franco-American friendship, the mayors of thirty-six American cities have been invited by France to be guests this month on the occasion of the Colonial Exposition at Paris. The thirty-six mayors are heads of as many cities which welcomed Dieudonne Costes and Maurice Bellonte last year when the latter made their good-will tour of America, after achieving the first non-stop flight from Paris to New York.

The mayors who arranged to make the trip sailed from New York on May 13 aboard the Ile de France, of the French line, with their wives, who are also invited. The party will return five weeks later on the same liner. All expenses to and from Paris and in traveling in France will be paid by the French authorities.

During the two days in New York before sailing, the mayors and their wives attended a series of entertainments and social events. In Paris, the Municipal Council will be their host. They will meet the President of the Republic and will be taken on a two weeks tour of France after visiting the Colonial Exposition.

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Eastview News

Prof. O. O. Wamsley of Haleyville, Ala., will teach an 18-day singing and music school here this summer, The school will begin about July the 20th. Anyone desiring to attend, please notify Rev. A. C. Nelson. The tuition will be ten cents a day. Music will be ten cents a lesson. Mrs. Wamsley will assist him in the school.

Messrs. Woodrow and Horace Smith returned home last Friday from Talladega, where they had been going to school.

Miss Bertha Stockdale was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Patterson.

Mr. T. E. Traywick and family had for their Sunday dinner guests Rev. A. C. Nelson and family, Miss Jessie Bell Speer and Miss Catherine Strength.

Mr. I. L. Smith of Mt. Creek Route 2 was a visitor at church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lett of Verbena were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Newman of Sylacauga were the week end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Nelson.

Mr. N. O. Griffith and family have moved back from Birmingham to Clanton. They attended church here Sunday night. We welcome them back.

Rev. Smith of Poplar Springs community will preach here the fourth Sunday in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arian Parker Sunday.

We have Sunday school here every Sunday. You are always welcome. We now have 75 on roll, but some don't attend regularly. Why not come every Sunday?

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP DISSOLUTION

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between J. D. Straiton and G. E. Jacks, partners, doing business under the firm name and style of Clanton Novelty Shop, has been dissolved.

Signed J. D. STRAITON.
This the 9th day of May, 1931.
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NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity No. 919.
Irving J. Rouch, Complainant, vs. Bonnie Warren Rouch, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Lawrence F. Gerald that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that her place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring her, the said Bonnie Warren Rouch to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 25th day of June, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against her.

Done at office in Clanton, this 25th day of May, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
5-28-4tc Register.

NOTICE

State of Alabama, Complainant. vs. One Ford Touring, 1926 T. Model, Respondent.
In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against one Ford Touring Car, 1926 T. Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 19th, day of April, 1931, One Phil G. Parker did transport in one Ford Touring Car 1926 T. Model, certain prohibited liquor and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama to another, and that said automobile was on said day seized by the Sheriff of said County, and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Alabama, and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 15th, day of June, 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 9, day of May, 1931.

5-14-3tcs GEO. F. SMOOT,
Judge of the 19th, Judicial Circuit.

NOTICE

State of Alabama, Complainant vs. One Whippett Six-Coach, 1929, Model, Respondent.
In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G.C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against one Whippett Six Coach, 1929 Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 19th day of April, 1931, one J. A. Dollar did transport in one Whippett Six Coach, 1929 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama, to another, and that said automobile was on said day seized by the Sheriff of said County and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Alabama, and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 15th, day of June, 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 9th day of May, 1931.

5-14-3tcS GEO. F. SMOOT,
Judge of the 19th, Judicial Circuit.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity No. 916.
Jettie McCray Laston, Complainant, vs. Duff Laston, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of J. B. Atkinson that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Duff Laston, to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 2nd day of June, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 2nd day of May, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
5-7-4tc Register.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity No. 918.
Wesley Brown, Complainant, vs. Mayme Brown, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Lawrence F. Gerald that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that her place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring her, the said Mayme Brown to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 25th day of June, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against her.

Done at office in Clanton, this 25th day of May, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
5-28-4tc Register.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

State of Alabama, Chilton County.
C. E. Popwell, Plaintiff, vs. H. S. Watkins, Defendant, J. E. Moore, Garnishee.

Whereas, C. E. Popwell, as plaintiff in said cause, has obtained an attachment out of this court issued on to wit: 3rd. day of March, 1931 against the estate of the said defendant, H. S. Watkins, which attachment has been levied by the constable Beat 4 Chilton County, Alabama by summoning J. E. Moore, Jr., Garnishee, to answer what he was endebted to the defendant and it appearing from his answer in said cause that he is indebted to the defendant in the sum of $113.25; and whereas, it appears that said H. S. Watkins defendant as aforesaid is a non-resident and his residence is unknown.

Now therefore, the said H. S. Watkins whereas he may reside, are hereby notified of the levy and pendency of said attachment.

Witness my hand this 19 day of May, 1931.

5-21-3tcB T. W. BRYAN, J. P.

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Why Was the Poppy Chosen as a Memorial Flower?

The poppy was chosen as the memorial flower for the World War dead because it grew where they fell, the one touch of beauty in the desolate battle areas.

Who Makes the Memorial Poppy?

The memorial poppy is made by disabled veterans working in hospitals and workrooms under the direction of the American Legion Auxiliary

Who Sells the Memorial Poppy?

Women of the American Legion Auxiliary and cooperating organizations working as unpaid volunteers.

What Is Done with the Money Paid for the Poppies

Every penny is used to support the work of The American Legion and Auxiliary for the welfare of the disabled veterans, their families and the families of the dead.

How Can the Purchaser Be Sure That He is Buying a Veteran-Made American Legion and Auxiliary Poppy?

By the distinctive badge of poppy seller and by the Legion and Auxiliary label on the poppy.

What Does Wearing the Poppy Mean?

Honoring the dead and serving the living.

My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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(continued from last week)

U. S. Advised on Powder Needs.

Meanwhile, a study by a joint French and American commission of the question of production of powders and explosives in France showed that the greater part of the raw materials must be imported and that, due to the shipping situation, France in December would produce only about half of the current output. It was apparent, therefore, that to avoid calamity the United States must not only furnish powder and explosives for all of its own forces, but must supply about half the French requirements, and the War department was so advised.

Gen. W. W. Atterbury.

By this arrangement a large saving of tonnage would be effected, as the weight of raw materials was ten to twenty times that of the finished product. As nitrates for the manufacture of powder and explosives had to be imported from Chili, the hazard to shipping would be reduced by avoiding the long haul to France. Millions of dollars were expended in the construction of plants at home in an attempt to produce nitrates, but none had been turned out before the end of the war.

Dawes Made Supply Chief.

In view of the uncertainty of obtaining more than a limited amount of ocean tonnage it was natural that we should procure abroad as large a proportion of supplies as possible, and our supply department began at once to make inquiries to meet the demands for construction material, subsistence stores and engineering equipment. Many sources of general supply had been developed by the French and we soon found ourselves not only in competition with them and the British but our different departments also began to bid against each other.

To my mind the solution seemed to be merely a matter of co-ordination. Therefore, I established a purchasing board to consist of one or more representatives of each service making purchases of any sort, including the Red Cross and Y. M. C. A.

Lieut. Col. Charles G. Dawes, Seventeenth engineers, well known as a man of large business experience, was appointed as the head of this board, the members of which were to meet together and make known their respective needs and then agree among themselves as to where and by which department such purchase was to be made, thus mutually assisting instead of competing with each other. Under the arrangement co-operation with the French was established and the agency became increasingly effective in handling our procurement activities.

Couldn't Depend on French R. R.'s.

The use of railways for the movement of troops and supplies had never before attained any such proportions as in the World war and there was no service except sea transportation upon which we placed greater dependence for our success.

It was apparent that we could not depend on the French without great risk of failure at a critical moment and it was evident that if we expected the maximum efficiency in this service we must provide our own personnel as well as additional locomotives and cars, all to be as far as practicable under American management.

With this plan in view commendable progress had been made toward both procurement and organization by Colonel Taylor, and complete estimates for rolling stock and construction at ports, terminals and yards, including an accurate survey of building and equipment requirements, had been made under his direction by Maj. W. J. Wilgus, formerly vice president of the New York Central, afterward a colonel, who had been a member of the Parsons board. These estimates without change served as a permanent guide for railway construction plans and material.

Creation of Transportation Corps.

As co-ordinate with the procurement and maintenance of material and equipment we were confronted with the vital question of organization for operation and management, but we had no officers in the regular service of sufficient experience in railway management to insure success. Therefore the evident course to pursue, to which the precedent of both British and French pointed the way, was to create a transportation corps immediately under the direction of some man of outstanding reputation in the railroad world. In accordance with the principle of obtaining the most competent men for important positions the following cable was sent July 29:

"Have made thorough study of railroad situation and am convinced that operation of railroads must be under man with large experience in managing railroads at home. Sucessful handling our railroad lines so important that ablest men in country should be selected. After almost disastrous results with inexperienced military men running railroads British selected ablest man could find to have charge transportation.

"Question here mainly one of physical operation and management in intimate relation with French, who retain general control, which is necessary to handle ordinary commercial traffic. Question of railroad transportation of course involves equipment, maintenance and new construction at front as army advances, and should be practically independent department, although nominally under engineers. Railman chosen should be sent here without delay, together with three or four able assistants of his own selection. Later on it is believed these men should be given appropriate military rank."

In reply, the War department recommended W. W. Atterbury, then general manager and now president of the Pennsylvania railroad, for the place, and I immediately requested that he be sent to France.

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CHAPTER XIII

The most important question that confronted us in the preparation of our forces of citizen soldiery for efficient service was training. Except for the Spanish-American war nearly twenty years before, actual combat experience of the regular army had been limited to the independent action of minor commands in the Philippines and to two expeditions into Mexico, each with forces smaller than a modern American division.

The World war involved the handling of masses where even a division was relatively a small unit. It was one thing to call 1,000,000 or 2,000,000 men to the colors, and quite another thing to transform them into an organized, instructed army capable of meeting and holding its own in battle against the best trained force in Europe with three years' actual war experience to its credit.

A general scheme of schools for the A. E. F. was prepared by the operations and training section, but in order that this instruction should be as complete and uniform as possible and at the same time be co-ordinated with other activities, I declared that training should be handled by officers who could devote their entire time to it. An additional section of the headquarters staff therefore was established, called the training section, to function under my personal direction. As chief of this section Col. Paul B. Malone was chosen, with Col. H. B. Fiske as his assistant.

Appeal in British Methods.

The British methods of teaching trench warfare appealed to me very strongly. They taught their men to be aggressive and undertook to perfect them in hand-to-hand fighting with bayonet, grenade and dagger. A certain amount of this kind of training was necessary to stimulate the morale of troops by giving them confidence in their own personal prowess.

Through the kindness of Sir Douglas Haig we were fortunate early in our experience to have assigned to us Lieut. Gen. R. H. K. Butler and other officers of the British army to assist in this individual training.

Later on several French and British officers also came to lecture at a number of our schools.

Differ on War Principles.

We found difficulty, however, in using these allied instructors in that the French and, to a large extent, the British had practically settled down to the conviction that developments since 1914 had changed the principles of warfare. Both held that new conditions imposed by trench fighting had rendered previous conceptions of training more or less obsolete and that preparation for open warfare no longer was necessary. French publications and manuals were generally in accord with this theory.

If the French doctrine had prevailed our instruction would have been limited to a brief period of training for trench fighting. A new army brought up entirely on such principles would have been seriously handicapped without the protection of the trenches. It would probably have lacked the aggressiveness to break through the enemy's lines and the knowledge of how to carry on thereafter.

It was evident that the victory could not be won by the costly process of attrition, but that we should have to drive the enemy out into the open and engage him in a war of movement. Instruction in open warware was based upon individual and group initiative, resourcefulness and tactical judgment, which were of equal advantage in trench warfare.

Therefore, we took decided issue with the allies, and, without neglecting thorough preparations for trench warfare, undertook to train mainly for open warfare, with the object from the start of vigorously forcing the offensive.

Rifle Practice Urged.

Intimately connected with the question of training for open warfare was the matter of rifle practice. The earliest of my cablegrams on this subject was in August, in which it was urged that thorough instruction in rifle practice should be carried on at home because of the difficulty of giving it in France:

"Study here shows value and desirability of retaining our existing small arms target practice course. In view of great difficulty in securing range in France due to density of the population and cultivation, recommend as fast as practicable the complete course be given in the United States before troops embark. Special emphasis should be placed on rapid fire."

My view was that the rifle and bayonet still remained the essential weapons of infantry, and my cable stressing the fact that the basic principles of warfare had not changed, were sent in an endeavor to influence the courses of training at home. Unfortunately, however, no fixed policy of instruction in the various arms, under a single authority, ever was carried out there.

Insensible to advice, the inclination was to accept the views of French specialists and limit training to the narrow field of trench warfare. Therefore, in large measure, the fundamentals so thoroughly taught at West Point for a century were more or less neglected.

The responsibility for the failure of the War department to take positive action on my recommendations in such matters must fall upon the military head of the department, which was the general staff.

There were other causes, as we shall see later, that led to confusion and irregularity in training to such an extent that we often were compelled during the last stages of the war to send men into battle with little knowledge of warfare and often with no rifle practice at all.

Military Police Provided.

The maintenance of good order among our troops under the peculiar conditions of service in France was most important, and for this purpose a military police was essential. Such a force, under the control of provost marshal general, corresponded to the police department in a well-organized city, except that its jurisdiction included only those in the military service. The British, whose situation was similar to our own, gave us helpful information regarding their system, which, with a slight modification, was adopted for our armies.

In our previous wars, the provost guard, so called, usually consisted of troops of the line detailed for the purpose, but without any special training for such duty.

Col. Hanson Ely was selected to organize the police corps and made a good beginning in laying the foundation, but, at his own request, he was shortly relieved and sent to regimental duty. His successor, Col. W. H. Allaire, became provost marshal general until the following July, when he was relieved by Col. J. C. Groome.

Brig. Gen. H. H. Bandholtz, on account of his special fitness for such work from his experience as chief of constabulary in the Philippine islands, became the permanent head of the corps in September, 1918.

Due credit must be given to each of these officers, but particularly to Bandholtz, for the smart appearance and the high efficiency of this force.

The military police were indispensable in directing and handling traffic during combat activities, in preventing straggling and in maintaining order among scattered groups of our armies both before and after the armistice.

The organization November 1, 1918, numbered 463 officers and 15,912 men, spread over the whole of France.

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CHAPTER XIV

In response to my request to Washington for an experienced man to take charge of rail transportation, W. W. Atterbury, general manager of the Pennsylvania railroad, arrived in France and reported to me September 1, 1917.

At Atterbury's suggestion a cable was sent requesting certain men to fill important positions in the organization. The list included J. A. McRae general manager of the Long Island railroad, for general manager, with C. M. Bunting as business manager, H. C. Booz as engineer for construction, and J. G. Rogers as deputy. The railway problem was far from easy, and many were the obstacles to be overcome, both in our own and in the French services. Successful management would have been very doubtful under a leader without Atterbury's patience, ability and force of character.

Visits to our training areas by the French, official and otherwise, had become rather frequent. One of the visitors, M. Georges Clemenceau, who always remained a power even when not in any official position (Clemenceau was not then prime minister), called at the headquarters of the First division, accompanied by General de Castelnau, the commander of the group of armies with which it was serving.

Clemenceau Urges Action.

In the course of the conversation with General Sibert, the division commander, M. Clemenceau, with considerable emphasis, urged that our troops be put into the line without delay. It was explained to him by General de Castlenau that as soon as they were sufficiently advanced the troops of the division were to be placed by brigades with the French in a quiet sector near Luneville.

M. Clemenceau went on to say that America had now been in the war several months and the French people were wondering when they expected to take an active part. He said that the French army was exhausted by the war and that its morale was poor. He insisted then, as he did with even greater vehemence later on in an official capacity, that it was not so much a question of troops being ready as it was of giving relief to the allies.

Although the division was only partially trained it could have been used in an emergency, but there was nothing threatening in the situation at that time and no suggestion had been made that it should go into the line for serious work.

The failure of our aviation bureau to keep abreast of airplane development in the contending armies cost us serious delay.

With a lack of data in the beginning, little progress had been made at home on our aviation program at the end of five months. Fruitless efforts to describe mechanical construction and give definite information concerning production and otherwise reach decisions by cable prompted Washington to send a special mission to France, of which Maj. R. C. Bolling was the head.

Through his ability and expert knowledge he rendered exceptional service in co-operating with those in control of allied aviation and in furnishing the necessary technical information upon which to base action at home. The investigation made by his mission confirmed the view that our manufacturers could not begin to furnish planes before the summer of 1918.

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IN MEMORY OF MOTHER, MRS. ANNIE CULP

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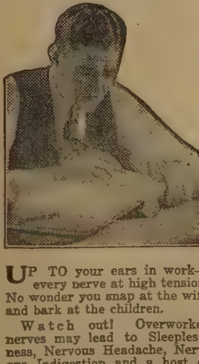
On last Wednesday, just after twelve o'clock, God called the sweet spirit of my precious mother home. Mother had been in bad health for some time, and her death was not unexpected, but was a great shock to the family and community, as she appeared to be better than usual that day, but God looked down and said: "It is enough." So without a struggle her sweet spirit was wafted to the Eternal shore to be united with those precious ones gone on before.

Mother leaves here on this sad earth, besides numerous relatives and friends an aged mother, Mrs. A. M. Ledbetter, one brother, J. C. Ledbetter, of Tallassee, Ala., four boys and five girls, Oscar L., Thomas J., and Allen Culp, all of Birmingham, Clifton L., of Selma, and Mrs. C. W. Blackwell, Mrs. M. H. Headley, Mrs. S. L. Broadhead of Clanton, Route 7. Mrs. S. W. Milstead of Selma, Ala., and Mrs. John L. Moore of Plantersville, Ala.,

Dear brothers and sisters, let's all be prepared to meet the sweet smiling face on the other shore where there are no more partings or farewells to be said. Mother was always so pleasant and kept her troubles locked away in her heart until it gave way and released the sweet spirit to wend its way to portals of glory. Yet it is so hard to give up the dear presence in our homes.

Mother was a devoted member of the Methodist Protestant church from early childhood and always lived up to her vows in a quiet way. The precious form was laid away amid banks of beautiful flowers at eleven o'clock on Thursday at Pleasant Grove with the Rev. T. C. Cassaday of Montgomery officiating.

Farewell darling mother, farewell.
Darling mother how I miss you,
Words can never tell.
But I know that I will find you
In a land where all is well.
In that bright and happy morning,
With our loved ones gone before.
We will then be joined together—
There to live forever more.
—Written by a loving daughter,
MRS. ROBERTA BROADHEAD.



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School is out and Commencement is over, now we are ready for church work in earnest. We should allow nothing to come between us and our church attendance for the summer. Be with us at 9:45 and at 11 a. m. next Sunday. We are anxious to have you in one of our religious educational classes, and then in one of our pews to hear the gospel.

We observe College Day Sunday morning at eleven o'clock, and we are giving out a special invitation for all young people and parents to worship with us. We are anxious for you to hear the message on Christian Education.

The League will meet Sunday night but we will have no preaching. We are calling in the night service on account of the big Memorial service to be held in our church Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Be sure that you read the announcement of this service, and let everybody come.

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Mrs. Marie Wilbanks and little son of Birmingham are visiting Mr and Mrs. John Boockholdt.

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Mrs. Thomas Millsap, Miss Tempie Millsap and Whitley Millsap, of Birmingham spent the past week end in Jemison visiting friends

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Comedy --- All Talking

FRIDAY and SATURDAY — MAY 29 and 30

Buffalo Bill, Jr., In "PUEBLO TERROR" -- All Talkie Western

Serial: "The Indians Are Coming" --- Sound

Pathe News --- Sound

MCNDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNES. — June 1, 2, 3

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Comedy --- All Talking

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Memorial Day

The beautiful custom of setting aside one day in the year for the decoration of soldiers' graves is said to have originated in Petersburg, Va., where Memorial Day was observed for the first time on June 9, 1865, in honor of Confederates who were killed in battle there just one year before.

In 1868 the wife of General John A. Logan, then commander of the G. A. R., happened to be in Petersburg on its Memorial Day, and was so impressed with the tributes of flowers and flags with which the graves were decorated that she suggested to the general that this be made a national custom. General Logan accordingly issued an order to the G. A. R. "that every post of the Grand Army should hold suitable exercises and decorate the graves of their dead comrades with flowers, on May 30 of each year.

The idea spread throughout the South, also, and Confederate Memorial Day is observed in various states on the following dates: April 26 in Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi and Florida; May 10 in North and South Carolina; the second Friday in May in Tennesse, and June 3 in Louisiana. In the South the national Memorial Day of May 30 is more generally observed since the World War, the exercises being conducted by the American Legion.

At the national cemetery of Arlington, near Washington, the grave of America's Unknown Soldier is decorated with special ceremonies, usually participated in by the President and other high officials, on Memorial Day.

It is highly fitting that all citizens should join in the observance of this most beautiful and sacred of our national holidays.

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Organize Friends of Schools

Some years back it was said that farmers could never be organized. It was said that the farmer was too independent and would not co-operate in an organization. Judging from the mass of farmers that gathered in Montgomery one day recently to voice their disapproval of the Craft Bill, somebody was wrong when they said farmers could not co-operate. Judging from appearance at the gathering in the Capitol City, considerable headway has been made to organize the farmer.

The farmer, then, is undoubtedly pretty well organized over the state.

Friends of the schools in Chilton County could be a group just as the farmers are organized, and for the sake of our boys and girls, let us start to build some sort of a real organization of friends of schools in Chilton County, and keep going forward.

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A "Live At Home" plan seems to be taking hold of the farmers over the county more than ever this year, judging from reports of fine gardens and larger truck crops.

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Less Work For Women

Woman's work is divided up so thoroughly and effectively among machines there is little left for the efforts of even the most ingenious inventor.

A recent issue of the Brooklyn Eagle says that with so much work of the world done by electricity it was high time the kitchen should receive its share of equipment necessary to make it as efficient as the most up-to-date manufacturing plant.

"An electrotable, the newest kitchen assistant, will be as indispensable to the housewife as her vacuum cleaner," says the New York writer. "In its cabinet are attachments to take the drudgery out of food preparation. Meat chopper, fruit juice reamer, grater and shredder devices, bowls and beaters of various sorts are at hand to work at the turn of a switch. There are places to plug in the waffle iron, percolator, egg cooker, and so on, part of every well-equipped household."

Discussing the invention, the Detroit Times says: "If some day you should find at your back door a maid who said, 'Madam, I want to work for you for the rest of my life; I will never need food or a day off, always be available to work at any hour,' what would you say?" and leaves the answer to the housewife's imagination.

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Did You Ever Stop To Think?

By Edson R. Waite

The man who earns his money in the city where he lives and spends it in some other city is no citizen.

No man can send his money away from home and then expect his home city to prosper.

The man who helps to build a city other than the one he lives in is a liability, not an asset.

Every citizen should be a booster for better business for the home city.

They should help to keep their city on the map in capital letters.

Citizens who think a city can be built without co-operation are just dreaming.

In order for a city to grow all citizens must be loyal to the home city and keep their money working at home.

The city that pays attention to community growth, makes the most of its natural resources, keeps up its appearance and helps in the development of its trade territory and gets somewhere.

An unattractive looking city hasn't half a chance.

In order to instill home pride and attract new industries, a city should keep dressed up. A good front goes a long way.

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Distance will lend quite a bit of enchantment to winter.

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Men who don't pay as they go have a hard time coming back.

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Some people think every season comes at the wrong time of the year.

Women In Prison

Four years ago a new Federal prison for women was opened at Alderson, West Virginia, with Dr. Mary B. Harris as superintendent. A recent writer describes it as "a Federal junk yard where women are sent who have broken the nation's laws," but adds that under the guidance of Dr. Harris "these misfits of society are being reconditioned to such good purpose that the prison world is sitting up and taking notice."

Dr. Harris has demonstrated that strict discipline may well be combined with sympathetic interest in her unfortunate wards, a majority of whom are drug addicts when they are sent to her. While many of these cases seem hopeless, much success has been attained already in effecting what appear to be permanent cures.

A striking illustration of the efficacy of the prison's system is seen in the fact that of 170 paroles granted since the institution was opened, only one has been broken. Many affectionate letters are received by the superintendent and her assistants from women who were former inmates of the prison, and quite a number have returned for a friendly visit.

The prison is conducted on the theory that there is some good in everyone, and it is the business of prison authorities to develop the best in its wards, at the same time firmly repressing their evil tendencies so far as possible. This theory is working out well in practice at Alderson.

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Friendliness Plus Advertising

Well advertised products have the reputation of being of a superior quality. Stores in Clanton that carry well known lines of goods in stock and persistently advertise that fact, find that sales are greater and more easily made, because their goods give better satisfaction.

The business of persistently advertising goods of quality not only wins new business but results in steady sales, and the effects are lasting, as people everywhere are ever on the alert for things that will add to their comfort. Stores that are known as friendly stores get the business, because they advertise all the while so that the people may know they have what they want. Continuous advertising is an assurance that the store advertising is offering quality at attractive prices.

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What Does It Matter?

Maybe it could be termed Murder, and maybe it could be termed carelessness or disregard, but whatever it is, at the rate it is going on now, there will be very few dogs left. A motor trip over the Birmingham-Montgomery highway will show one that a dog hasn't a Chinaman's chance if he is a pedestrian on the highway.

Recently, a motorist going from Birmingham to Montgomery stated that he saw eight dogs lying on the pavement, dead, from some automobile or truck between the two cities. Two of the dogs seen were large, well cared for dogs, possibly someone's pets.

Chickens, rabbits and cats, too will find it dangerous to attempt to cross a highway. Some persons no doubt think it sport to run down a rabbit or cat crossing the road. Or maybe it is a chicken running for its life. But what does it matter? It is only a chicken, maybe it is some woman's chicken who is trying hard to eke out a living from her chickens and eggs, and you probably killed her best layer, or maybe it was some little girl's pet chicken. But what does it matter?

What does it matter, it is only a cat. But maybe it is some little girl's pet cat, she has raised from a small kitten, cherishing it, waiting for it, and in a moment's flash your car has crushed out its life. But what does it matter?

What does it matter, it is only a dog. But whose dog? Who depended on that dog to come home at night to keep them company? Who depended on that dog to hunt down a square meal for the family in hunting season? Who at times loved that dog as if he was the only friend they had? Who feels the loss of that dog, when he fails to return home, after your automobile has left it on the highway, its life crushed out? Left there to be crushed again by another automobile until its is a mass of blood, broken bones? What does it matter?

What does it matter, it is only a little child? A little girl, or a little boy on an errand for his or her mother. Its life crushed out by a single blow from your automobile. A family stricken with grief. An innocent life sent Heavenward, a heart-broken mother and father.

But what does it matter? Would it matter if it was your cat, your little girl's cat? Would it matter if it was your dog? Would it matter if it was your little boy or girl? Give them all a chance.

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Be cheerful; do not brood over fond hopes unrealized; until a chain, link after link, is fastened on each thought and wound round the heart. Nature intended you to be the fountain-spring of cheerfulness and social life, and not the traveling monument of despair and melancholy. —Helps.

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Saw a little town sign on the front of an automobile the other day and underneath the name of the town were these simple, but high-powered words, "We Pull Together."

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Divorce comes not when they are tired of each other, but when they are not tired of someone else.

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Rubber hose as a correctional device will never get the results achieved by the old hickory paddle.

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There is one thing a family skeleton is good for. It is good for about two columns on the front page.

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The two people able to make it hottest for you are a woman who can't have her own way and a reformer who can.

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It does not help so much to talk in favor of your home town in conversation, if your money talks for some other town where you buy goods.

The champion tree sitters will get lots of publicity, but probably the business men would prefer to employ the champion garden planters.

After appropriate exercises in observance of Rake the Lawn Day, Clean up the Back Yard Week should next be celebrated here in Clanton.

While a salesman is talking to one person, advertising talks to the whole body of newspaper readers.

The teachers are bothered by the young people who fail to learn their dates, while the girls are bothered by the boys who fail to keep them.

Letters To The Editor

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CHILTON COUNTY ALMSHOUSE

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Editor, Chilton County News:

In a recent publication by J. D. Bean, keeper Chilton County Almshouse, ('whose type or character I do not care to assail), I am charged with making false accusations knowingly and not seeking the truth, which calls for facts.

On my first visit to our almshouse about September 1930, my suspicion was aroused while greeting old acquaintances, answering my "how are you," their usual reply was, "not much, but don't say I said anything." Their appearance and demeanor showed plainly that they were coerced. I made no comment.

I returned later and saw a meal (untouched) which had been served to Mr. Franklin on the porch, it consisted of thick white cornbread, cold cabbage and a glass of milk. I saw another meal served then in a pan by an attendant to Mr. Price, who was on a bed a few feet away. I could not tell what it was; it resembled dough. I saw no knife, fork or spoon. Presently another person appeared before Mr. Price and propounded the question—"Do you get enough to eat here," and repeated it. I cannot forget his face as he feebly looked up and said "I reckon;" asked again he made the same answer, "tell the man so" was then said looking at me. It was plain that this old man was overawed in his weakened condition. Neither he or Mr. Franklin partook of their meal while I remained about 15 minutes.

(The above Mr. Price (insane and helpless lost his plantation on the Highway valued at about $6,000.00 a few years ago while under guardian J. D. Collins (sheriff of Chilton County), appointed by Judge Reynolds, and D. C. Reynolds, known as Mrs. Dora C. Reynolds, wife of Judge Reynolds, received a deed for it, through a court in Equity.)

I then went through the main dining room where the evening meal had just been finished, to look for evidence of meat on the table, but found none, and apparently nothing other than had been served to Mr. Franklin.

I was told that the meal I saw was about an average for noon and evening, and for breakfast, they had "four biscuits, about the size of a dollar, a small thin piece of butter and stained water for coffee."

One informant said he had not seen an egg, or piece of fried meat since being there (over a year), that a small piece of beef was served about three weeks prior, and another about three weeks before that. Others said, the last egg they had to eat was Easter 1929, their principal food being cornbread (made with water) and cabbage. I learned later that they received greens, and that only two cows were kept to supply milk and butter for about 25 inmates, and Mr. Bean's family.

Hearing that some of the inmates would beg food at houses in the neighborhood, I called at the home of an old darky about two miles away, and was told by him, that Mr. ————, one of the inmates made regular visits to his home about once a week and while there asked for something to eat, saying he was hungry and didn't get much to eat over yonder. The darky said, "I always sets him down to my table and puts the best I got before him."

I was informed that three inmates were abused for talking to me, and that "J. D. Bean said, the next time he caught me at the poorhouse, he would make my face look like a sifter's bottom." Thereafter on the 14th of November I wrote to Mr. Shaver an inmate saying, I would take eggs to Mr. Smith's home nearby for them if they could get them. No answer came, and on the 18th I went alone to the almshouse, but remained in my car in the public road. Mr. Bean and his wife came at once and while threatening me he attempted to open the door of my car, being restrained after firm warning—there were others nearby. He continued to threaten me and said "the next time he caught me on the poorhouse premises" me and you are going to have trouble." I said, "I want to see Mr. Shaver." He said "he is not here." He then referred to a matter contained in my letter to Mr. Shaver. I left and have not been on the poorhouse premises since.

Mr. Bean invites criticism, but well knows the reluctance of any citizen of Chilton County to publish an adverse report. The fate of some subjected to slanderous publications which it seems has been a source of amusement and satisfaction to a large constituency for about 35 years, is too well known and any man is loth to expose himself to these malicious attacks. However, I will not be deterred in my duty as I see it, and this consideration is insignificant when my conscience speaks.

I have not turned against the investigators for the State—no, they laid many affidavits before the authorities, describing the deplorable conditions of abuse, assault and cruelty against an under-nourished pauperism. I saw copies of some of them from inmates, and in each case, affiant swore, they did not get enough to eat. I was present when the affidavit was made, that Bean refused to let the inmates vote in 1930, affiant stating that Bean said, he and Judge Reynolds had decided not to allow them to vote, two commissioners then being chosen.

One of the investigators stated to me that their report was unfavorable. A party with them said, they stated after leaving the almshouse, that "they were shocked, and that 'everything they had was substantiated ten-fold." I talked with the man who investigated, about July 1930, on reported assault and insufficient food; he said "he thought his report was sufficient to get indictments."

Inaction by the State in certain matters of momentus consequence, seems to be exemplified by the following recent comment by one of our Dailies, "Alabama's greatest sins in connection with the Training School have been gross neglect, and timidity to correct its mistakes when laid before it."

I was told by several that Mr. Bean not only required inmates to labor on the poor farm, but his own farm as well, and that they received "only what we get to eat." That there is about four bales of cotton, corn and other things raised on the poor farm each year, which goes to Mr. Bean, in addition to receiving $12.00 per month from the County for each inmate, and to say the least our poor are delivered with a price, and Relegated to the Workhouse.

This conduct, as well as obstructing suffrage rights is in conflict with, and nulified by our Federal Constitution, which tolerates no form or semblance of peonage, regardless of our local law which says—

"No pauper shall be caused to work without a certificate of the County Physician that said work will not be injurious to such pauper."

and which I consider a disgrace and vicious blot against the name of Alabama.

To inform certain individuals of a private matter, will state, that my financial statement made soon after closing my saw mill business, some years ago, showed a credit balance of more than $52,000.00 in cash and its equivalent in addition to other property. Will Mr. Bean state his profit from operation of our almshouse, which is the cause of our dissension.

I sent our poor three bushels of oranges (1. each for 24 inmates) and was informed that they received only eight each, and failed to receive a total of 240.

Stress is laid on many favorable inspections while everyone knows that these prearranged inspections amount to little or nothing.

There is no arrangement for caring for colored paupers; this is more than a scandal and disgrace.

I do not doubt Mr. Smith's statement of seeing cornbread and milk carried to the inmates for supper time after time, the whippings of Mr. Queen, and denial of religious services.—I see no remedy the State having woefully failed while the bars are against their friend and intercessor.

Yes, I was informed by reliable persons that the Commissioners and Judge Reynolds spent most of the day, December 23rd 1930 at the almshouse, and took a paper sack of oranges and apples, and a Notary Public. That the Judge went around and told these people he would send them away from here, and then asked them about their welfare. This was immediately following the State's investigation, and speaks for itself.

Words fail me to describe this diabolical and miserable situation. My friendship and tender feeling for the poor and needy—the friendless—the defenseless—prompts my action. I failed to induce leading citizens to come into the open and was forced to champion their cause alone.

Finally, to our Commissioners, let me say, my foreign friends— In the name of mercy, pity, grevious affliction and fellow-feeling, hear the plea of the broken spirit that "crieth out"—Assert yourselves—shake off the frouzy manacles of any prevailing influence, or dominant force. Redeem your trust. Allay the stigma. Renew your obligation, and perform it with dispatch and dignity. That you may never feel the pangs of a guilty conscience for wounded grief, but ever cherish the thought of a well kept trust and rejoice that you were so honored, and have that distinction among the walks of men and be able to face your God.

W. T. HAND.

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A Peanut Shell For A Hat

Editor Chilton County News:

Monday night a debate was held in the courthouse where two men of differing opinions met to discuss their impressions concerning the future punishment of the wicked. Mr. Bowen, representing the International Bible Students sought to prove from the Bible that the wicked would be completely destroyed; while Mr. Hill, representing the Baptist denomination, used the major portion of his time in denouncing his opponent, enlarging upon his ignorance and nescience. I can not conceive of a gentleman, Christian or otherwise, and especially a minister of the Gospel, standing before an audience and alluding to the brainlessness of a fellow-being in the language that was spoken on the platform Monday night.

When our forefathers came to America and established this glorious country of ours their coming was prompted by a noble purpose and an ideal that should ever live in the breast of every true American citizen. That which they sought was freedom to worship God as they chose, or rather as conscience dictated, according to their own interpretation of the Scriptures, with no one to gainsay their right to their own belief. The Separatist movement came as a result of the desire of the Puritans to worship God without the intervention of the state into religious affairs. And as a result of this Separatist movement the Baptist denomination came into existence early in the seventeenth century. Roger Williams, a Puritan, but unable to conscientiously conform to the Church of England, landed in Boston in 1631. He founded the colony of Providence in Rhode Island on the principle of complete religious freedom. Here he organized the first Baptist Church in America, consisting of twelve members.

From that little beginning the great Baptist denomination has grown and developed in all parts of the world. Has Mr. Hill turned from these worthy principles of our forefathers? If he has read of the persecutions suffered by the early founders of the Baptist church in their efforts to establish the glorious freedom which we now enjoy, he must have forgotten how they were imprisoned and persecuted, whipped or heavily fined for daring to assert their beliefs. In Boston they met great persecution and in Virginia, though imprisoned and severely fined, they preached the Gospel and won many converts. Surely Mr. Hill would not call back those old days and have the tables turned on some other denomination.

If one sect happened to differ with another in belief regarding any points of doctrine I cannot imagine men of such magnificent ideals pronouncing upon an opponent the verdict that "If his head were whittled down to fit his brain a peanut shell would make him a good-sized Panama hat." All the dignity of a Christian, the Christ-like manner of a minister, is completely lost in a remark such as that. One cannot tell the size or state of development of another person's brain from mere observation. Jesus says in Matthew 7:1 "With what judgment ye judge, ye shall be judged." I do not believe Mr. Hill's conduct on the platform and his unkind and very unfacetious remarks against the International Bible Students and Judge Rutherford in general, and Mr. Bowen in particular, were truly representative of the Baptist denomination. I have found the Baptists of my acquaintance kind-hearted and considerate of others in varying doctrines.

The same argument that would cause Mr. Hill to denounce as brainless an individual who differed with him in regard to the punishment of the wicked would hold true in regard to the difference between the Baptists, Methodists and Presbyterians in the matter of infant baptism, sprinkling, and immersion. There is a wide difference of opinion and practice in this matter. I wonder if he calls those witless or idiotic who disagree with him in regard to baptism. In criticising Mr. Bowen he was in reality criticising any other denomination which did not agree with his own.

Mr. Bowen is the first of the International Bible Students that I have ever heard speak. I am unacquainted with their belief and have no affiliation with them in any way whatever, but I must say that I admired Mr. Bowen's conduct as a Christian and a gentleman toward his opponent. I was pleased with the courteous manner in which he always referred to "My worthy opponent" and the composure and placidity with which he endeavored to refute the arguments of the opposite side. These qualities were not evidenced in the treatment he received. Whatever our denomination, let us be governed by the law of kindness toward our fellow man. If personal feeling must enter into a debate on religious topics then a controversy is in vain. Why spend our time disputing our differences of opinion? Think of our Saviour who left His heavenly home and came to this earth and died on the cross for you and me, think of such amazing love for us unworthy beings. Well may we join with the devout poet in singing:

"When I survey the wondrous cross
On which the Prince of Glory died,
My richest gain I count but loss,
And pour contempt on all my pride."

—A Listener.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade, James Wade and Miss Kathryn Hayes motored to Russellville Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wade.

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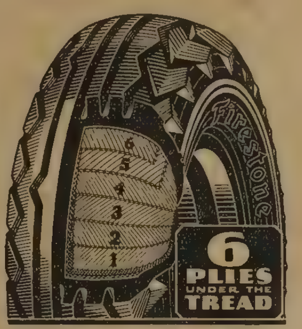
Chevrolet	4.50-20	5.60	5.60	10.90
Ford	4.50-21	5.69	5.69	11.10
Ford	4.75-19	6.65	6.65	12.90
Chevrolet				
Whippet				
Erskine	4.75-20	6.75	6.75	13.10
Plymouth				
Chandler	5.00-19	6.98	6.98	13.60
DeSoto				
Dodge				
Durant				
Graham-Paige				
Pontiac				
Roosevelt				
Willys-Knight				
Essex	5.00-20	7.10	7.10	13.80
Nash				
Marquette	5.25-18	7.90	7.90	15.30
Oldsmobile				
Buick	5.25-21	8.57	8.57	16.70
Auburn	5.50-18	8.75	8.75	17.00
Jordan				
Reo				
Gardner	5.50-19	8.90	8.90	17.30
Marmon				
Oakland				
Peerless				
Studebaker				
Chrysler	6.00-18	11.20	11.20	21.70
Viking				
Franklin	6.00-19	11.40	11.40	22.10
Hudson				
Hupmobile				
LaSalle	6.00-20	11.50	11.50	22.30
Packard				
Pierce-Arrow	6.00-21	11.65	11.65	22.60
Stutz	6.50-20	13.10	13.10	25.40
Cadillac	7.00-20	15.35	15.35	29.80
Lincoln				



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There'll be a frantic "back to the rm movement if city folks ever hear f the enormous profits to be made by ising wheat and cotton.

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For use on dining tables an elecically heated tea kettle has been inented that automatically reduces the rrent to prevent its boiling over and aintains any predetermined temperare.

A preacher of Elgin, Ill., trying to increase attendance at his services hung out this sign: "A hearse is a poor vehicle to come to church in. Why wait?"

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A solid gold ring set with brilliants was found by Helmuth Voight attached to the right foot of a pheasant he shot near Lyons, N. Y.

To Exchange

Exchange 40 acres on public road this county near Montevallo for 3 shares of Ala. Cotton Mill Stock.

20 Acres in timber, public road adjoining Clint Connell's place. Walnut Creek runs thru this, for 2 shares.

20 acres three-fourths mile from entrance Lock 12 gate, good timber, for 2 shares.

20 Acres right at and adjoining Mt. Zion church grounds in timber for 2 shares.

JOHN T. ELLIS, Clanton

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Thorsby Institute News

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The teachers of Thorsby Institute are planning to go to the following places: Miss Jenkins expects to go East, 202 Sigourney St., Hartford, Conn. about a week after Commencement, and then the 4th of July to go abroad from New York on the steamship Rotterdam. She will land at Plymouth, England. After visiting England will go to Holland, Belgium, Switzerland, Germany, Italy and France, arriving in New York on August 23. Mr. Maddox expects to attend the University of North Carolina for twelve weeks. His N. C. Miss Onita Klingelhoefer expects to be at her home in Beaver, Pa., Miss Odie Lee Arthur plans to attend the Bowling Green Business University at Bowling Green, Ky. Her address will be 1035 Chestnut Street. Miss Jennie May Thoroman expects to be at her home at 5001 Linden Ave., Norwood, Ohio. Miss Lillian McKee plans to be at home in Lineville, Alabama a part of the summer. Miss Lois Leech will be at home at 907—7th St., S. E., Minneapolis, Minn. Mr. V. H. Sutlive expects to attend Howard College Summer School at Birmingham, Ala., for six weeks. Mr. Clyde B. King will be traveling a part of the summer. His home address is Greentown, Ohio.

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Thorsby Institute—an academy for rural white, young people, in Central Alabama. Will you help.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mrs. J. P. Hayes Hostess To Circle No. Six.

Mrs. J. P. Hayes was hostess to Circle Number Six of the Baptist Church Monday afternoon at her home. The home was decorated in roses and pot flowers for this enjoyable occasion for Circle Six.

Following the disposition of business, refreshments were served to Mesdames J. W. McEathern, J. D. Broadhead, John Hardy, P. D. Wilson, F. M. Connell, C. V. Heath, J. C. Hill, Ed Wagoner, H. G. Hyman, A. C. Smith, B. F. Crittenden, Thomas Parrish, L. A. Calloway, Laura Robinson, D. A. Wingard, G. C. Walker, and Misses Bettye Mullins and Tina Hyman.

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Dr. and Mrs. Johnson Honor Graduates.

Dr. and Mrs. N. S. Johnson entertained Saturday evening at their home on Sixth Street, complimenting Miss Mary Heard and Mr. Joe Erle Gowan, members of the graduating class, with a combined dance and bridge party.

Baskets of roses, and fragrant varicolored spring flowers were used thruout the apartments. At the conclusion of the bridge games Miss Janice Danforth and Mr. Frank McMurray won the top score prizes and the hostess presented both honorees with gifts. Delightful refreshments were served to the following guests: Misses Mary Heard, Bernice Williams, Janice Danforth, Mary Foshee, Gertie Fiquette, Myra and Elizabeth Johnson, and Messrs. Joe Erle and Jesse Sam Gowan, Frank McMurray, Paul Cox, John Ponder Lawrence, William Arthur Willis, Aubrey Taylor, Harold Williams, of Hartselle, and Dr. and Mrs. Gowan, Mrs. Sam Johnson and Mrs. Heard.

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Miss Mary Heard Honored With Bridge Party.

Among the delightful courtesies of Commencement Week to Miss Mary Heard was the bridge party Tuesday afternoon given by Mrs. John Browder at her home on the River Road.

The reception rooms were beautiful with an artistic arrangement of flowers. After a series of games Miss Myra Johnson was the successful contestant for high score prize, and Miss Frances Higgins for consolation. An honoree's gift was received by Miss Heard.

Those enjoying the courtesy of Mrs. Browder in addition to the honoree were: Misses Elizabeth, Myra and Dixie Johnson, Frances Higgins, Gertie Fiquette, Katherine Hayes, Mary Foshee, Mary Goodwyn Jones, Janice Danforth, Nell Sumner and Mrs. Inzer, McCrary, Kyle and Heard.

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Union Springs

(JACOB'S CHAPEL)

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Here I come again with a few words from this community. Don't know if my letter of last week missed the waste basket.

Health here is fairly good at present. Everybody is battling Gen. Green, taking advantage of this pretty weather we are having.

Mr. W. T. Robinson and family attended the family reunion at Union Grove church last Sunday and reported a grand time.

Mr. Gordon Ervin of New Orleans, La., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Ervin, here this week.

On next Sunday, May 31, there will be special services at Union Springs. The Memorial Supper of our Lord will be observed at the eleven o'clock hour and our Training Class will meet in the afternoon at two o'clock.

Then at 7:30 p.m. we will have special services. The pastor announces as his subject for the evening, The Final Examination. We wil lalso have special music for the evening service. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services.

Our pastor, W. W. Dyer, is planning to be off to the University of Alabama next week to attend the State Teachers School this summer.

Rev. W. W. Dyer came back Monday afternoon from Bibb County with a big smile on his face, reporting a jolly good time the past week end. Wonder where he went?

W. T. Robinson has been driving the school bus from this community for the past nine months. School is out now and he will give his attention to his farm for awhile. I'll bet he sure does hate to get out to work after being out so long, Ha, ha.

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Mrs. James Mason of Adrian, N. D., stabbed a tramp in the arm when he tried to steal a pie she had baked for her husband.

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A paragrapher asserts that gossip is the only thing for which the supply is not equal to the demand. How about alimony?

FINAL PLANS MADE FOR LOCAL GIRL SCOUT CAMP ON RIVER

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The local troop of girl scouts will begin their first experience of camping when they go to camp next Monday, June 1.

The following scouts have registered to attend the camp:

Elizabeth Williams, Gladys Martin, Mary Belle Bean, Ruth Gowan, Eloise Rasberry, Helen Roberts, Hary Charles Cox, Dollie Belle Harris, Dixie Johnson, Jane Neighbors, Helen Nix, Frances Foshee, Theda Wyatt, Jane Pitts, Margaret Jones, Mary Edith Jones, Frances Rasberry, June Cox, Elizabeth Lawrence, Helen Moore, Hilda Hart, and Grace Plyler. It is hoped that other members of the troop will join the camp.

In order to make the camp fee as low as possible, the camp staff has been selected from local help. The camp staff is composed of the following:

Miss Zora Guy, Troop Captain; Mrs. Napoleon Johnson, Director; Mrs. C. E. Stapp, Handicraft; Mrs. W. M. Wyatt, Director; Miss Bonnie Clyde Griffin, Camp Recreation and Woodcraft; Miss Mary Ellis, Swimming and Camp Dramatics; Miss Emma Lou Bass, of Birmingham, Nature Studies and Food.

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The Fidelis Class of the Baptist Church invites the young ladies to Sunday School each Sunday. A welcome awaits you by this class.

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Pity the poor folks who have no radio sets with which to listen to all the wonderful advertising talks.

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St. Augustine, Fla., has invited King Alfonso to become a resident. We now expect Los Angeles to make a bid for Kaiser Wilhelm.

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6-Room House, located in West Clanton, garden, garage. See Mrs. S. J. Kicker, Clanton. 5-28-tfc

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Miss Delene Williams, a student at Howard College, spent the week end in Clanton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Williams.

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(Too late for last week)

The Teachers' Training Class here finished its first book of the Sunday School Manual last Sunday afternoon. Several took the examination and passed. We are real glad to have so many who are prepared to teach in our Sunday school. For this day of specialization a person must prepare himself or herself for whatever vocation in life they choose. Some of us older people don't seem to realize the importance of being trained. Some seem to think that if one can read and write it's all right. But the way I see things if a person is not trained in the vocation he chooses to follow, he does not do very much and never builds himself or herself up to anything better—just drags along in the same old rut. You may look over Chilton County or anywhere else and you will find the man who is pushing ahead is the one who's had years of training. The farmer who is prosperous is the one who has years of training behind him. How important it is that we train ourselves for our life's work. Then, how much more important it is that we prepare ourselves to carry on the Lord's work. We can only teach as far as we have been trained. By hard study, prayer and the help of God, so let us search the Scriptures that we may find food for the soul that we may grow in grace and understanding of the Word of God and pray God to lead us and direct us so that we may be able to accomplish the things that we desire in life according to His will.

We had a very large attendance at preaching last Sunday, and had a very good service. There will be no preaching next Sunday on account of the absence of the pastor, but we will have Sunday school at 10:30 o'clock. Everybody who will, come. I'll stop.

BILL.

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MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

The schools of the City and the county have closed. College students who have been away to school are back at home. We can not take lightly the responsibility of caring for this large amount of young life that is now released from restraints. Now is the time for church organizations to be wide awake. It behooves us to provide wholesome entertainment for our young people. Many a youth goes to ruin during vacation because no one cares for his soul. The Leagues, the B. Y. P. U. and the Christian Endeavor, should take charge of young life with renewed energy. Not only that but great care should be taken in the boys and girls who no longer attend school. They are going to be let loose around our homes and on our streets. Clanton needs a play ground where the children can go and find room for play without being run over by cars. It is very dangerous for boys to fill the streets with bats and balls. Shall we have a mangled child on our streets during the summer? Let parents and auto drivers be careful.

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The other morning I was hoeing for dear life in my garden. The perspiration was pouring from every pore of my skin and my muscles were tired from the constant dig. I wondered why I was experiencing such fatigue. Then I noted that I was hoeing three rows at one time. I looked up and saw a man walking along the side walk with plenty of leisure. He looked like he had never carried a row in his life. There I was carrying three rows at one time, and the other fellow was carrying not a one. Well, that is true to life. It seems to me that I have carried from two to five rows, the most of my life. The trouble in a preacher's life is that he must carry the rows that belong to someone else. The Deacons sit down on their job, and if the row is carried, the preacher has got to double up and carry that row. The Stewards dig a little and then they squawk, "Calf Rope," and if the job is done the preacher must double his rows and do it. I am in for making every fellow carry his own row. It looks fair and right for three men to carry three rows and not for one man to have to carry three rows while two stand idle.

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Ezekiel saw seven men approaching Jerusalem. One of the men was clothed in linen and carried a bottle of ink and a paint brush, while the other six men followed him with large battle axes. The man clad in linen was to go through the city and put a crossmark on the head of everyone who loved God and kept His commandments. The other six were to follow him and cut down every man and woman who was not thus checked. That was a terrible day in Jerusalem, and when Ezekiel saw how many were falling, he fell upon his knees and prayed as he had never prayed before. Not many were checked and that left a vast multitude to be cut down. I am praying that the good Lord will not release those seven men on Clanton and Chilton county. Wonder how many bottles of ink it would take to check all among us who really love the Lord and who really observe His laws?

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A friend of mine won quite a reputation for himself because of his ability to untangle lines. He would take the tangled lines out under a tree, and he would sit down and woo the tangles apart with a soft whistle, or a mellow song. He was never in a rush, but with unspeakable patience and perseverance he would work with the tanglel line until it fell apart and gave up its secret. If you want to find a sure enough great man, you will not be far from finding him, when you select a man who will whistle, laugh and sing while he untangles a line in the presence of other men who are catching fish. The most of men will throw a tangled line away, give it to some friend to untangle for them, or cut it all to pieces. That fails to show a great spirit. The great man will take his tangle and sit down and think it through, and quietly, persistently, patiently work at it until the line is no longer a tangle. When you meet a tangled line, and you may expect them along the way of life, be a real hero and untangle that line. Refuse to throw your problems aside, refuse to hand them over to someone else to be untangled, refuse to cut your way through all tangles. Have the patience and the perseverance to untangle your own tangled lines.

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On entering the Court House I saw a great throng of people crowded about the desk of the Tax Collector. They were pushing each other and crowding toward the man who was busy with receipt blanks. I asked the Probate Judge what it all meant. He told me that it was the last day in which the people could pay their tax, and they were trying to get before the Collector for a tax receipt. What had that mad, scrambling, pushing crowd done? They had done just what thousands are doing in regard to preparation for the next world. They had said, "There is time enough yet," and had gone on until the last day. They hoped to get in on the last minute. Many in that crowd had to go home without a tax receipt. According to law, the tax book went shut at a certain moment. "Procrastination is a thief of time." Why put off until tomorrow the thing that should be done today?

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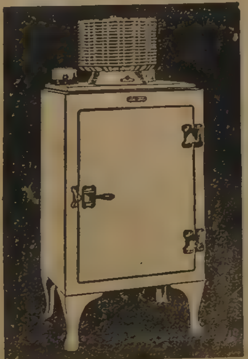

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We wish to thank the many people for their kindness shown during the illness and death of Mrs. T. E. Carlton. We wish to thank them for the beautiful flowers they sent. We will always remember them for their kindness and love shown toward us at this time of grief. We certainly appreciate what they did for us.

—T. E. Carlton.

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Archie M. Devaughn and Miss Dorothy Irene Traywick.

J. D. Williams and Miss Ruby Mae Cox.

W. B. Maddox and Miss Melvie Childress.

Earl Miner and Miss Everee Mitchell.

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Ollie Easterling and Miss Syntha Mae Easterling.

POWER COMPANY ASSESSED HIGH TAX HEAD SAYS

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Montgomery, Ala., May 14.—Alabama Power Company is assessed at a higher rate than other utilities, persons and non-utility corporations, Henry T. Knight, Chief Clerk of the State Tax Commission, testified today before the Joint Legislative Committee investigating electric utilities.

Knight said that Alabama Power Company is assessed for taxes at 46.81 per cent. of the value of the Company's taxable property and assets. This compared, he said, with an assessment of 45 per cent. for other utilities in the State and 33 per cent for property generally over the State. Utility assessments, he pointed out, are at a higher rate than any other class of property with the possible exception of some banks.

The Power Company pays more taxes than any other corporation in the State, Knight testified. It contributed 34.01 per cent. of the taxes paid into the educational trust fund in 1930. This, he added, was the largest single payment into this fund created by the Legislature in 1927.

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Shiloh News

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Our B. Y. P. U. meets every Sunday night, Sunday school every Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Our singing society meets every third Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. We always welcome visitors to meet with us.

Mrs. J. I. Bice, who underwent an operation for appendicitis May 19, at Hill's Hospital in Montgomery, is doing nicely. We hope she will soon be home again.

Several from here attended the singing at Providence Sunday.

Miss Sudie Keen of Pletcher spent Saturday night with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Keen, and family.

Mr. Jean Mullins and family and Mr. John Mullins and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coggins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Deason and daughter and Mrs. Eliza Weldon were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Billingsley Sunday.

TO MY FRIENDS—IN SICKNESS HEALTH AND MISFORTUNE

By Mrs. M. B. Arant

I'm sending you a few lines to press,
Desiring to my love express.
To have such friend, Oh, what a treat
The Clanton people can't be beat.

The people have been so sweet and nice
To us their value has no price,
We shall remember them till we die,
And pray God we may meet them in the sky.

The nice shower from the W. M. U.
Came when we were awfully blue,
Lord help us always to be true,
Helping others bear their burdens, too.

Thanks especially to Circle three,
For their kind and loving thought of me
And hope in a better world we'll meet,
Where we can cast our burdens at Jesus' feet.

God help me to worthy be
Of the many blessings bestowed on me,
Grant we all by faith may see
Our loving Saviour on Calvary.

A little more than a year has passed
When everybody thought I would breathe my last.
Many people said to God they did pray
That He might see fit to let me stay.

I would not forget dear sister now,
Who often bathed my fevered brow,
And prayed God that I might live.
Great God, to her, Thy blessings give.

To my family, one and all
Oft on Jesus for thee I call,
And pray that in heaven we'll meet
When our journey is complete.

How we love you, you may never know
And pray God you may to the good world go.
God's blessings rest upon you all
Until for you the Father doth call.

Hope you'll pray that my life shall be
So others may see Jesus in me,
While along this rugged road I trod,
That I may point others to the lamb of God.

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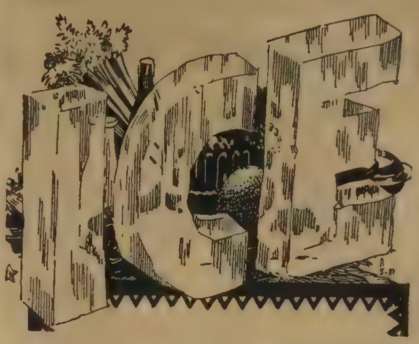

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The plant is not large, the display rooms are his garage and his little shop, there is no great big electric sign out front, there are no tall smoke stacks, no office building, but inside of that garage and cabinet shop is manufactured all the items named above and then some, if anyone wishes anything else.

At first glance, one would mistake a piece of furniture there as having come from some large furniture plant, and would cost a neat little piece of money, but when one asks Mr. Morris the price, that is where the surprise is. It is just like buying it wholesale. Mr. Morris' shop is located on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway, just as you go into Coopers on the north side, on the right-hand side of the highway.

Mr. Morris lives in Coopers, his home being near his furniture plant. A visit to his plant will show one that Chilton County has a real furniture building place, as when a representative of the News visited it the other day, there was an order for fifty porch swings completed and ready for delivery to one concern, and the assistant to Mr. Morris, a young man who knows his business, was at work making attractive magazine racks, already sold Mr. Morris stated. Mr. Morris will be glad to show anyone his display of various articles of furniture manufactured by his plant.

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We wish to take this means of thanking the good people of this community and others for the kindness and sympathy shown us in the sudden death of our precious daughter and mother, also for the beautiful floral offerings. May God's richest blessings be with each of you is our prayer.

—Mrs. A. M. Ledbetter, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Broadhead.

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Nephritis means inflamation of the kidney. Medicine may not help much but rest and careful diet will give wonderful improvement.

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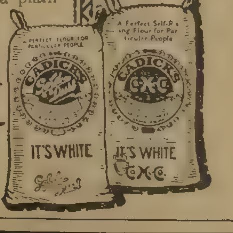

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Poppy Sale To Be Held In Clanton Next Sat.

(continued from front page)

remarked, as she examined one of the little paper blossoms. "Each poppy has been made individually by some disabled veteran who through this work has been able to help himself or his family in the long struggle against the handicaps of war disability. Often there is a tragic and pathetic story wrapped up in these flowers.

"Each poppy made means one cent earned by some needy disabled veteran for the support of his family or to aid him when he attempts to re-establish himself in the world. Three hundred flowers a day is the limit usually placed on the workers to prevent them from overtaxing their strength, but three dollars a day is a God-send to men who have earned nothing for months and years. Approximately 10,000,000 of the poppies have been made this year and about \$100,000 has been paid by the Auxiliary into the empty pockets of the disabled men."

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LTTLE BETTY JEAN ARMSTRONG BACK HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Betty Jean, the four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Armstrong has returned to her home here after being confined in the Memorial Hospital in Montgomery following an operation for appendicitis. Latest reports state she is getting along well.

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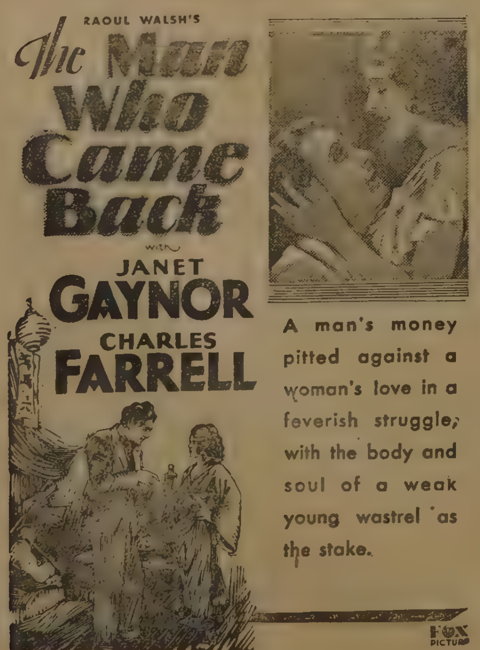
CEMETERY CLEANING AT ROCKY MOUNT

All interested in the cemetery at this place please meet Friday, May 29, by eight o'clock and bring tools.

E. C. ROBINSON.



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5:00—Supper.

Evening and Night

6:30—Band Concert at Court House.

7:00—Torch Light Street Parade.

7:30—Song, by Prattville W. O. W. Quartette.

7:40—Introduction of speakers and officers.

7:45—Song, by Clanton W. O. W. Quartette.

8:00—Col. Ellington will take charge and a large number of candidates will be initiated.

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Grand Parade To Close Reunion Of Veterans

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ready signified their intentions of coming to Montgomery for this great event and participate in the spectacular Parade which will be filmed by the several News Reel Companies of the United States. The Heads of all Fraternal Orders in Alabama have issued Dispensations whereby the units under their command may participate in full Uniform in this Parade. This was started by Grand Commander, Franklin L. Milhous, of Selma, who is head of the Commandery of the State. Many Commanderies will attend as full units and others will send individual members to swell the size of those Commanderies.

All Fraternal Orders expecting to participate in this Parade are urged to notify Joe King Stanley, P. O. Box 708, Montgomery, Alabama, at an early date in order that provisions may be made for them in the Parade. This may be the last Reunion ever to be held by these wonderful men of the Gray and they are coming back to the "Cradle of the Confederacy" for what may be their last association together.

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Mass Meeting Approves Election of County Supt.

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tendent of Education of Chilton County is now an appointive officer being appointed by the members of the Board of Education of Chilton County and whereas, we believe that it would be to the best interest of the schools of Chilton County that said office of superintendent be elective without lowering the educational qualifications as now fixed by law; be it therefore resolved that this mass meeting go on record as favoring and indorsing the election of the County Superintendent of Education at the earliest possible time by popular vote with the qualifications of said Superintendent remaining as the same are now fixed by law, and be it further resolved that Hon. J. G. Duncan, Senator from this Senatorial District, and Hon. Percy M. Pitts, member of the House of Representatives from this County be urgently requested to use their vote and influence in behalf of the passage of a local law making the selection of said Superintendent by popular election.

That whereas, the members of the Board of Education of Chilton County are elected from the County as a whole and we believe it to be also to the best interest of the schools of this County that said members be elected from districts and the Chairman of said Board to be elected from the County at large; be it therefore further resolved that said Senator and Representative also use their influence and vote in getting a local bill passed for this County, the purpose of the same being the election of said members of the Board of Education from districts and the election of the Chairman of said Board from the County at large.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be transmitted to said J. G. Duncan from this Senatorial District and Percy M. Pitts, Representative from this County and that the same be published in both local papers.

—W. W. Fox, Chairman,
—C. D. Hughes, Secretary.

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LEGION PICNIC IS REAL OUTDOOR AFFAIR FRIDAY

The fish fry staged by the Chilton County Post of the American Legion last Friday at the Club House above Lay Dam was a complete success all its own.

There were approximately three hundred Legionnaires, their wives and children, and friends and Confederate veterans attending this all day affair.

The appetizing odor of fresh fish cooking rose up into the pines, and sharpened the appetites of the three hundred people, as it dropped into their midst. There were groups here and there of men telling of their experiences "Over-There," some speaking fully of their narrow escapes, while others said little of the memories they harbored of the World War in France.

One place, two men were looking at wrist watches that served them through the days of shell fire and narrow escapes. The watches are still being used, and both men stated that money couldn't buy them now.

Commander Joe Calloway introdu H. C. McClung of Birmingham, a re ular Legion buddy, who brought loud cheer from the Legionnaires w he spoke a few moments. Dr. Trott Jones, of Montgomery, another regu Legionnaire, spoke a few words to th gathering, followed by Mrs. H. C. M Clung, a wide-awake and active w in the American Legion Auxilia who in the afternoon presented the l cal Auxilliary with their official cha er.

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ALMSHOUSE QUESTION HAS COME TO POINT

Commissioners Court Calls Meeting Citizens to Look Into House Conditions

Apparently the question about the nshouse of this county is about to me to a point, judging from indications seen Tuesday as a result of a eeting of the members of the Comssioners Court of Chilton County. ue to charges made in letters from izens of the county and published in e county papers, in regard to the eatment of the inmates of the almsuse, the Commissioners Court has lled a meeting for June 16th, Tuesy, at ten o'clock in the morning at e almshouse, inviting citizens to apar and make any statement concern. the almshouse they so desire.

Following is the signed statement d notice of the called meeting, by e Commissioners Court:

Clanton, Ala., June 2, 1931.

litor Chilton County News,
anton, Alabama.
entlemen:

There has recently appeared a series articles relative to certain alleged

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FOUND: MEANEST MEN

idow Of Confederate Veteran Is Robbed Of Her Pension Money

Mrs. Martha Bramlett, widow of a nfederate veteran, was robbed of r pension money, about $64, by two uthful robbers Monday, one of whom ld a gun on her while the other ruck her in the face and took two 0 bills, two $10 bills and several $1 lls from her clothing.

The robbery was committed while rs. Bramlett's daughter, Mrs. Rosa ddell and two grandsons, Walter idell and Carl White, were working nearby field at their home near afford, Ala. Deputy sheriffs from fferson and Blount counties sought e robbers.

C. HAND FAMILY HOLDS BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

On ast Sunday the family of Mr. and rs. R. C. Hand met at the old home ce near Clanton to join with their other, Mrs. R. C. Hand, in the celeation of her 62nd birthday. It was a y very much enjoyed and long to be membered by those who were there.

The entire day was spent in eating, lking and having a good time. At on a very bountiful dinner was spread d every child and grand-child enjoy- it profoundly.

Those present were Mr. Henry Hand d family, Mr. J. C. Foshee and fam-. Mr. T. C. Foshee and family, Mr. d Mrs. Clarence Arant, Miss Nora hornton, Mr. C. H. Hand and family, of Clanton; Mr. A. D. Huett and mily of Birmingham spent the afteron with the family. A very enjoyle day was spent, and we sincerely pe that one year hence we may be le to gather again for the same ocsion.

EVIVAL MEETING WILL OPEN SOON AT EASTVIEW CHURCH

There will be a revival meeting concted at the Eastview church, near anton beginning July 11, according Rev. A. C. Nelson, pastor. The pasr will be assisted by the Rev. G. D. unt of Roanoke, during the meeting, d the public is cordially invited to attnd each service.

EARD FAMILY HAVE MOVED TO DECATUR, ALABAMA

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. ctor J. Heard and daughter, Miss ary Heard, will regret to learn that ey have moved to Decatur, Alabama. hey have been residents of Clanton r a number of years and their abnce will be greatly noticed.

. G. HAYMAKER HERE IN INEREST STATE-WIDE REVIVAL

The News office received a pleasant sit from W. G. Haymaker of Panama ty, Fla., recently, who is connected th the work of Bob Jones. Mr. Hayaker was in Clanton in the interest of e State-Wide Revival Meetings which to begin in January through the forts of Rev. Bob Jones. One will be ld in Clanton.

BIBLE SCHOOL TO BE TAUGHT AT EASTVIEW CHURCH SOON

Announcement has been made that a Bible School will be taught at the Eastview church, near Clanton. The school is scheduled to open about June 27, and continue until July 9th, and will be taught by Miss Hazel Maddox. Young people and children are especially invited and urged to attend the classes of this school of Bible instruction.

ICE CREAM SUPPER AT HOME OF SHIRM GILES

There will be an ice cream supper at Shirm Giles' near Mineral Springs church Saturday night, June 6, for the benefit of the church. Everybody come.

NATIONAL DEMONSTR'TN IDEA OF CHEVROLET

Official of Company Says Potential Buying Power Of Country Unimpaired

A national demonstration campaign, with a goal of one million demonstrations during the month, has been mapped out for June by the Chevrolet Motor Company.

The campaign is in line with Chevrolet's previously expressed opinion that **the potential buying capacity of the country is unimpaired and requires only intensive sales effort to develop a satisfactory volume,** according to H. J. Klingler, vice-president and general sales manager.

The past four months for which registration figures are complete show that Chevrolet sixes have led the domestic passenger car market.

During the month of June, every one of the 35,000 Chevrolet dealers, sales managers and salesmen will be required to fill an assigned quota of demonstrations, appraisals and sales.

The campaign is unique in that the objective is directly aimed at increased demonstrations, and that special recognition will be given salesmen who fill their demonstration quota.

District Convention At Bethsalem Church

A district Sunday School Convention will be held at the Bethsalem Church, on Sunday, June 7th, beginning at two o'clock in the afternoon, according to W. J. Patrick, of Billingsley. Everyone is invited to attend. Following is the program:

To be held at Bethsalem Baptist Church, Sunday, June 7th, 1931.

2:00 P. M. Devotional, by Mrs. J. N. Billingsley.

2:15 Reports from all the Sunday Schools in District.

2:40 Special Song.

2:45 The place and power of the Sunday school in promoting the activities of the church, by Rev. A. S. Bentley.

3:10 A balanced program by the superintendent on Sunday morning, by Associate Superintendent.

3:25 A Teacher that Teaches, by T. L. Patrick.

3:50 General conference.

4:00 Adjourn.

Everybody urged to attend.

MATT WARE HAS RETURNED TO BIRMINGHAM HOSPITAL

M. L. (Matt) Ware was rushed to the South Highland Infirmary in Birmingham Monday, after being at home for several days. Mr. Ware underwent some major operations in Birmingham sometime ago, and his condition seemed to have improved to such an extent he was allowed to return here to his home, where he became worse the latter part of the week.

FRED CALLOWAY HAS MOVED FROM SATSUMA TO RIVERSIDE

Fred Calloway, son of J. C. Calloway, who has been employed by the State Highway Department at Satsuma, Ala., moved last week to Riverside, Ala., where he will be connected with a paving project.

Mr. and Mrs. Calloway visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Calloway, of Clanton, last Thursday night. Friday morning Mr. Calloway left for Kilby Prison to transfer a convict road unit to Riverside. Mrs. Calloway remained in Clanton where she, with her son, Winston, will visit with friends and relatives for a week or ten days.

MILK TRUCK BLAST BLAMED ON PRICE WAR

Dynamite Hurled At Foremost Dairy Tank on Montgomery Highway

Birmingham, Ala., June 2.—County deputies and Homewood police Tuesday were investigating the dynamiting of a milk truck on the Montgomery Highway in Shelby County near Jefferson County line Tuesday in which Jim Warren, driver, was injured. One side of the truck, which belonged to Foremost Dairy Products, Inc., was damaged by the explosive, officers said.

Officers investigating the explosion believe it to be the outgrowth of a milk price war in Birmingham.

Witnesses said the dynamite charge was tossed onto the left fender of the milk truck by occupants of a touring car bearing a Missouri license tag as it was climbing a hill on Shades Mountain. The truck was en route to Birmingham from Montgomery about 5 a.m. when the explosion occurred, it

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Chilton County Club Of B'ham, To Meet

Announcement has been made by J. Leonard Harris of Birmingham that the Chilton County Club of that city will hold its next meeting tonight at seven o'clock.

The meeting will be held at Robinwood Plunge, two miles beyond Tarrant City on the Pinson Road. Mr. Harris stated that an invitation is extended to the people of Chilton County to come to Birmingham and meet with them. The club is composed of a number of residents of Birmingham who formerly lived in Chilton County.

THORSBY W. O. W. IS TO PRESENT MUSICALE SOON

An announcement has been made that the Thorsby Woodmen of the World will present a musicale at the Thorsby school auditorium on next Thursday night, June 11th.

There will be three popular quartets and two string bands present for this entertainment. Further announcements will be made next week it was stated.

CAR BADLY DAMAGED NEAR VERBENA LAST FRIDAY

An automobile belonging to a man in Birmingham was badly damaged last Friday when it left the highway, running into a concrete guard post. The car was brought to Howard Garage in Verbena for repairs. The accident occurred on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway near Mt. Creek. The occupants were badly bruised and shaken up.

PLANING MILL AT THORSBY IS DESTROYED SAT.

Loss Lumber and Machinery Estimated at $8,000, Owned By Dolphus Gentry

Residents in and near Thorsby were aroused about one-thirty o'clock Sunday morning by the fire which almost completely destroyed the planing mill belonging to Dolphus Gentry, which is located just north of the town.

Origin of the fire was undetermined at this time, but is said to have started in the building housing the planing machinery and spread to the boiler room and to the dry kiln. There was quite a bit of dressed lumber in the building that belonged to Sims Mims of near Thorsby, who was to use it in the erection of a house soon.

The mill had been operated by W. H. (Bill) Goodgame up to last Thursday or Friday, when he turned it over to Mr. Gentry, having completed his run of lumber.

Some insurance was carried it was stated and the damage has been estimated at approximately $8,000.

Chilton Co. Singing Convention To Meet

A call session of the Chilton County Singing Convention will convene with Chestnut Creek church, at Cooper, Ala. on next Sunday, June 7th. All singers and lovers of sacred music are cordially invited to come and bring your new song books and a well filled basket of good things to eat. Let us enjoy the day together singing God's praises.

Singing will start strictly at ten o'clock and continue until four o'clock, at high speed all the way.

W. M. DeVAUGHN, Pres.,
L. T. GRANT, Vice-Pres.

BURGLARS GET SUM OF MONEY AT JEMISON GARAGE

Burglars broke into the Parkway Garage at Jemison Wednesday night of last week sometime, and secured a sum of money that was left there. Russell Peterson, operator of the garage, stated that it seemed the prowlers had no trouble in gaining admittance to the place, as they unlocked the front door, and an inside office door before they reached the money. No attempt was made to bother anything else, he stated except a slot machine.

PARTY FROM HERE MOTOR TO MIAMI, FLA., MONDAY

A party composed of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mahan of Clanton, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Davis and family of Montevallo left Monday for a motor trip to Miami, Fla.

While in Miami they will visit Luby and Roy Mahan.

STATE-WIDE REVIVAL CAMPAIGN IS BEING PLANNED

Meetings To Be Held Next January

One of the most unique and far-reaching movements ever undertaken in the history of evangelism is now being planned for the state of Alabama. This movement is being sponsored by Rev. Bob Jones, native Alabamian and recognized as one of the best known evangelists in America.

"What we need in America today," says Bob Jones, "Is an old-fashioned heaven-sent revival of the religion of Jesus Christ that will awaken in the hearts of the people a new devotion to His cause. There has never been a state-wide movement of this kind undertaken before. The time has come for a united effort on the part of the Christian forces that will include the entire state in a great spiritual awakening."

The plan as now being worked out, is to organize at least one meeting in every county in the state to be held for a period of three weeks next January. This time was selected so as not to conflict with local church meetings. This series of revival meeting is intended to strengthen the work of churches of all denominations.

Some of the most outstanding evangelists and gospel preachers of this and other states have been secured to conduct these meetings. Churches of all denominations are invited to cooperate in these meetings and local committees will be selected in each community to have charge of the conduct of the meetings.

W. G. Haymaker of Winona Lake, Indiana, is now in Clanton making preliminary arrangements for the meeting to be held for the people of this section. "We are not asking any church or group to underwrite or guarantee any money even for expenses," Mr. Haymaker said when asked about this phase of the meeting. "All we ask is the proper spiritual backing and the earnest prayers of the people here. If the people will pray earnestly for a revival the Lord will send it."

It is planned to hold the meetings in the Court House provided satisfactory arrangements can be made. Each Wednesday morning from now until next January has been set as the day and from 10 to 10,30 a. m., as the time for state-wide prayer meetings to be held for this revival. People in this section are asked to join in this state-wide Wednesday morning prayer meetings which are to be held in the homes.

Mrs. George McCain has as her guest her sister, Miss Hattie Sue Prater, of Rockford.

NO SERVICES AT BAPTIST; "COURTSHIP" AT METHODIST

There will be no services at the Clanton Baptist church next Sunday night, according to Dr. S. J. Ezell, pastor. Dr. D. W. Haskew, pastor of the Methodist church, announces a special sermon there for Sunday night. His subject will be "Courtship," a message of special interest to young people, and the public is invited.

ISABELLA 4-H CLUB TO MEET AT SCHOOL TONIGHT

The Isabella 4-H Club will meet on Thursday night, June 4th, at the school house, at 7:30 o'clock. All members please be present. All visitors are welcome.

TEACHERS ARE NAMED FOR HIGH SCHOOLS

List Completed for Jemison, Clanton, Isabella, Verbena And Maplesville

Teachers for the high schools in Chilton County have been selected by the County Board, and have been given out for publication. Those at Verbena and Maplesville have not been officially passed on it was stated, but a tentative selection has been made for these two schools.

Chilton County High: L. C. Warr, prin.; Margaret Brown, H. E.; T. H. Walker, Manual Arts; J. B. Varnell, Science; Bernice Williams, math.; Margaret Kendrick, English; Mrs. W. M. Greene, history; Nell E. Wells, English; Josephine Martin, social studies.

Jemison: J. A. Peterson, Principal; J. P. Montgomery, V. A.; Leacy Newell, V. H. E.; Rebecca Echols, math.; Mrs. Edna McInnish Reynolds, history; Bessie Jessee, English; Zane H. Turner, coach, math.; Margie Murphy, 6th grade; McMae McNeill, 5th grade; Mrs. Dezzie Littlejohn, 4th grade; Jessie Mims, 3rd grade; Mary Clements, 1st grade.

Isabella: J. D. Griffin, Principal;

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Amos 'n Andy At Local Theatre Now

The miracle stars of radio, Amos 'n Andy, are in Clanton. Not in person but on the screen at the Wadesonian Theatre. These two popular artists are appearing at the local theatre tonight, tomorrow night and Saturday night in "Check and Double Check," their first all-talking feature motion picture.

Next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday the management of the Wadesonian Theatre presents Gloria Swanson in "The Trespasser." For next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, they will show Hoot Gibson in "Spurs."

BILLINGSLEY R. A. BALL TEAM WANTS MORE GAMES

The Intermediate R. A. of the Billingsley Baptist church's baseball team won a fast and well played game from the Verbena second team on Verbena's grounds by the score of 1 to 0. It was a pitchers' battle in which each pitcher allowed but one hit.

The Billingsley R. A.'s would like to have some games with R. A.'s or any boys team. Any team that would like a game will communicate with G. T. Dickinson, Billingsley, Ala.

I. J. EDGAR OF RAMBLERS' REST BRINGS IN BIG CABBAGE

Mr. I. J. Edgar, prominent farmer who lives about five miles south of Clanton on the highway in Ramblers' Rest community, brought in one of the largest cabbage heads we have seen Mr. Edgar brought the cabbage by the News office Saturday morning and stated that it weighed just a fraction less than fourteen pounds. He said that if he had kept all the green leaves which were on the plant when harvested it would have weighed more than fourteen pounds.

MISS BEVERLY HESTER GOES TO CINN. CONSERVATORY

Miss Beverly Hester, who has been instructor of music at Judson College, and who has been spending several days in Clanton with her parents, Mr. nd aMrs. J. A. Hester, left Sunday afternoon for Cincinnati, Ohio, where she will take up special courses of study in the Conservatory of Music.

SCHOOL ROUTE TRUCK DRIVERS ARE SELECTED

Drivers Selected Carefully By County School Board, Complete List Is Given

The list of drivers for busses on the school routes in Chilton County has been completed by the County Board of Education, and have been announced. Following is the list of drivers and the schools to which their buses will go to next year:

Jemison High School: Clark C. Barnett, W. R. Clements, J. A. Ward, W. T. Robinson, Lonnie Cobb, W. C. Martin, J. F. Horton.

Enterprise School: W. G. Gray, M. G. Burkhalter, J. J. DeLoach, E. G. Mullins.

Verbena: I. S. Vinsn, E. B. Tucker, C. D. Messer, Judson Messer.

Isabella: W. L. Williams.

Vermont: C. J. Ratliff.

Stanton: W. N. Lovelady, W. N. Roebuck.

Mt. Pleasant: J. D. Price.

Baker: T. J. Headley.

County High: G. G. Gray.

J. H. Anderson: Corinth to Verbena.

R. P. McKinney: Mitchel Dam to Verbena.

T. J. Headley: New Harmony to Baker.

G. T. Watts: Highland Route to Baker.

R. W. Mims: Union Point to Concord.

J. E. Miner: Mt. Pleasant to County High.

A. D. Headley: New Harmony to Isabella.

J. T. Cox: Pool's Cross Roads to Isabella.

W. M. Lawley: Shoults to Maplesville.

M. L. Lovelady: Motley Route to Maplesville.

W. M. Roebuck: Adams to Stanton.

A. T. Dawson: Golden Ridge to Maplesville.

G. G. Gray: Samaria Route to Thomas Jr.

Bill Mims: Rocky Mt. Route to Union Grove.

W. G. Shaw: Concord Route to Jemison.

O. B. Martin: Minooka Route to Jemison.

G. W. Murrah: Collins Chapel to Jemison.

W. O. W. FIELD DAY SUCCESS; WOODMEN EXPRESS THANKS

The Central Alabama Field Day of the Woodmen of the World which was held in Clanton last Thursday met with success, according to E. C. Evans, district manager with headquarters in Clanton.

There were several hundred visiting Woodmen from this section of the state, and the Monroe County High School Band furnished entertainment in the way of a concert, and leading the huge parades in the business section.

Mr. Evans stated that the Woodmen desired to express their appreciation to the officials of the Town of Clanton and the people of the town for their cooperation in this day's program.

The Clanton drill team won second place in the drill contests which took place on Main Street in the afternoon. There were nine teams taking part in the contests.

ONE POUND BARS OF SOAP BEING SEEN ONCE AGAIN

Old times are coming around again in the soap line, according to J. D. Williams, well known and popular salesman of the Proctor & Gamble Company, who was in Clanton Tuesday. He stated that he has placed in almost every store in the county that handles soap, some of these one pound bars of laundry soap that sell at a very reasonable price. This will be good news, no doubt, to the people who use a lot of laundry soap.

GIRL SCOUTS ENJOYING WEEKS CAMP ON COOSA RIVER

The Clanton Troop of Girl Scouts left Monday for a weeks camp on the back waters of Coosa River, at the camp known as Upchurch Camp and Martin Camp.

Approximately 27 girls are taking part in this outing. They have competent directors and instructors in the various forms of camp life.

Maplesville News

Misses Ethel Mize, Susie Mae Hayes, Fannie Lee LeCroy and Frances Brown left Monday for Livingston State teachers college.

Messrs. Abney Brown and Charlie will attend summer school at the University.

Those returning home to spend vacation are Miss Elizabeth Parnell, who has been teaching in Guntersville. Messrs. John A. Foshee, Kermit Cobern and Abney Brown from the University, Herbert Foshee from State Teachers College, Livingston.

The many friends of Mr. W. E. Northrup are glad that he is able to be at work again, after a long seige of illness.

Those on the sick list this week are Mrs. F. A. Shanks, Mrs. Monroe Ramsey, Sr., and Mr. Charlie Smith.

Mrs. Bessie Middleton has returned from Birmingham where she has been visiting relatives.

Mr. Jack Northrup of Kerrville, Tex., is still improving at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Northrup.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gwin, Jr., of Auburn are spending a few weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gwin, Sr., before returning to summer school.

Miss Helen Nix, who is an active member of the Girl's Scout, is enjoying a week's outing at Martin & Upchurch Camp.

One of the prettiest social affairs of the season was that of last Wednesday afternoon when Miss Ruth Mize entertained with bridge at her home honoring her sister, Miss Ethel Mize, and Miss Susie Mae Hayes, who were leaving for summer school. The home was beautifully decorated with cut flowers, and hot plants. The honorees were presented with novelty necklaces. High score prize, a box of handkerchiefs, was won by Miss Olivia Latham, and low score, a deck of cards, was won by Miss Louise Pulilam. At the conclusion of games an ice course was served. The guests included Misses Mize and Hayes, Olivia and Lurleen Latham, Mary D. and Annie Laura Potts, Margaret Nix, Elizabeth, Lucy and Ruth Parnell, Estell Davis, Flossie Shanks, Louise Pulliam, Frances Brown, Imogene Dawson and Mesdames J. W. Gwin, Jr., F. A. Shanks and W. H. Abney.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Wright and family of Linden are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Munro Ramsey, Sr.

Miss Edith Hand of Birmingham, spent Monday with friends and relatives in Clanton.

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

Did you ever go a courting? Do you ever expect to do any courting? If so, we want you to hear the special message next Sunday night at the Methodist church on the subject, "Courtship." Dr. Ezell announced that he would have no service at his church, and we are inviting our Baptist friends to worship with us. The message will be of special interest to young people, and we invite all in and out of Clanton to come. Many things that should be said to our young people, will be said next Sunday night.

The collection in the Sunday school next Sunday morning will go to build banisters for the stairway in the Sunday school annex. This is a needed work, and let everyone bring a special donation.

At 11 a.m. we have the Holy Communion and a special message. Make Sunday a great day for the church. Let everyone act Sunday just like you would act if you knew that you would die Monday. If you do that, your church will be crowded.

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Billingsley News

Mrs. J. A. Boozer of Tuscaloosa was the guest Sunday of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Downs.

Miss Mabel King left Monday for Montevallo where she will attend the summer term at Alabama College.

Mrs. Mary Lou Wonder returned Saturday to Birmingham after a few weeks visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar.

Misses Inez and Maude Lee Patrick are at home for the summer vacation from Alabama College at Montevallo.

Profs. H. A. Askins and R. E. Upton were in Prattville Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. McIlvaine of Sheffield spent a few days the past week with the latter's mother, Mrs. Hattie Dickinson. They were enroute to Tampa, Fla., where they will reside in the future.

Mrs. Mattie Williams Whitman of Hurtsboro visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hughes the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirkendaul of Greenville are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Smedley.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Willis of Jones and Morris Willis of Selma spent Sunday with relatives here.

Miss Willie Jeanne Patrick is at home for the summer from Massey's in Montgomery.

Mr. Hugh W. Willis from Asheville, North Carolina, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Smedley and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Harrell of Rayburn Gap, Ga., are at home here for the summer.

Mrs. Ernest Wilson of Birmingham is visiting homefolks this week.

Mrs. W. C. Wilson has returned from a visit with relatives in Birmingham.

Mrs. J. C. Vinson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. P. C. Wyatt, on Jones Route.

Misses Nettie Mason, and Lucille Pattillo are attending the Alabama College for the summer term.

The School Tax Election was held Tuesday, May 26, in Billingsley District the vote was 94 to 74 in favor of the tax. In Billingsley Beat it was 81 and 8 for the tax.

The social for the Senior B. Y. P. U. was enjoyed by the members and visitors Thursday evening at Swift creek, as a moon light picnic.

ASK ME ANOTHER

Some of the "ask me another" question lists now current carry informing answers, while many of them are extremely trivial and merely tend to clutter up the mind with useless facts.

A writer in the Boston Transcript has dug up a list of old-time questions, showing the trend of inquiry in the Middle Ages. Here are a few:

"Why did God not will that a man should be hungry only once a week? Answer: Hunger is a punishment for Adam's sin.

"What makes beasts mad? Answer: Looking at a certain star on the 21st day of the March moon.

"Why did Noah bring serpents into the ark? Answer: In obedience to God, who, having created them for his glory, did not wish them destroyed.

"What language does a deaf-mute understand in his heart? Answer: Adam's, therefore Hebrew. A child brought up without being taught any language would speak Hebrew spontaneously.

"If my parents had not existed, how should I have been born? Answer: The number of living things are foreseen from all eternity, hence you would have been born from other parents.

"When God made Adam, how old was he? (No answer).

"Will idiots be damned? (No answer)."

While the propounders of the questions appeared to claim an unusual insight into the workings of the Almighty, they hesitated to venture answers to the last two. We, too, would hesitate to answer them, although we have heard people refer to that kind of idiots.

Rev. E. W. Butler, prominent citizen of Thorsby, was among the visitors to Clanton Saturday.

After a marriage of 72 years, Mr William Walker of Winfleet, [illegible] vises, "Never argue with a ma[illegible] is always wrong and never let [illegible] to look for a clean pair of sock[illegible] makes him bad tempered all [illegible]

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Eastview News

Miss Hazel Maddox will teach a vacational Bible school here this summer. The school will begin about June 27 and end July the 9th. The public is cordially invited to attend. Young people and children are especially requested to attend.

The revival meeting will begin here July 11, and run the following week. Rev. G. D. Hunt of Roanoke will assist the pastor in the meeting.

Prof. and Mrs. O. O. Wamsley will teach a singing and music school here beginning July 20, and running 18 days. The tuition will be 10 cents a day for the singing school and 10 cents a lesson for music. If you plan to attend please notify Rev. A. C. Nelson.

Mrs. Mamie Griffin is on the sick list. We hope she will soon recover.

Miss Maudie Ree Traywick was the Sunday dinner guest of Miss Jessie Bell Speer.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dobbs and Mr. and Mrs. Reedie Dobbs, all of Shiloh community, visited Mr. Joe Dennis and family and Mr. J. A. Dobbs and family Sunday.

Mrs. Sallie Strength visited Mrs. Mamie Griffin Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson motored to Mt. Springs Sunday where he conducted services.

Mr. Arthur Clyde Wilson dined with Mr. Drue Nelson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins were the week end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coggins, of Mt. Springs.

Rev. A. C. Nelson and family were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. N. O. Griffith and family at Clanton.

Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Butler and Miss Marguerette Davison of Thorsby were the guests of Rev. A. C. Nelson and family Monday evening.

Come to Sunday school and Christian Endeavor next Sunday.

FAKE PRIZE SCHEMES

A rather ancient scheme for separating the unwary from their money is being worked again, both in the United States and Canada, according to a leading business men's magazine.

The plan is to insert an advertisement containing a perfectly simple puzzle which anyone can easily solve, and offer prizes for correct solutions. A favorite prize is a "building lot."

Of course, anyone who sends in a solution of the puzzle wins a lot, but he is informed that he will be expected to remit a small sum—in one case $7.75—for the deed and other incidental expenses connected with the transfer of the property. The "lot" is very small and the $7.75 fees alone would net the seller around $200 an acre for some worthless land.

So, if the "winner" swallows the bait he is out just $7.75 for the privilege of working the puzzle. while his name is passed along to other swindlers as that of an easy mark.

There are many perfectly legitimate prize offers advertised in various periodicals, but those which require a payment of cash before the prize is delivered are generally fraudulent and should be shunned.

W.E.G. Sutton Former Verbena School Principal Has Splendid Record Achievements Behind Him

Verbena School Shows Up Well During Principalship Of Prof. Sutton

PROF. W. E. G. SUTTON

It is so often true that the achievements of men, who have started at the bottom and worked up, against hardships, go unnoticed and unmentioned, until someone finds that a man or woman has a commendable record and says something about it.

Prof. W. E. G. Sutton, who has been principal of the Verbena High School for something like seven years has moved steadily forward each year since coming to this county. Mr. Sutton became principal of the Verbena School in 1921 and served as principal until 1925. When he first came there, there were only four teachers in the school with a student enrollment of 120. At the close of the year 1925 there were eight teachers. with a student enrollment of 380, and the school became an accredited school in 1923. The new and modern stone building for the school was erected in 1924.

From 1925 to 1927, Prof. Sutton attended Brantley University, and from 1927 until 1928 he attended Vanderbilt University, having been awarded one of the Rockefeller Foundation scholarships. and there received his M. A. Degree.

According to the State Department of Education, there has been no failures of students in colleges, to where they went after completing their studies at the Verbena High School, in the past two years.

Prof. and Mrs. Sutton have made for themselves countless friends in the county during their residence here. He will not act as principal of the Verbena School next year. Prof. Sutton stated that he will be engaged in instructing at the Womans College, in Montgomery during this summer.

Berries Go Out Cash Comes In

Montgomery, Ala., June 3.—Special. —Alabama strawberries went north, east, and west, and as a result more than a million dollars came south.

Official records of the department of agriculture here show that to date producers of the State have sent out 1,101 carloads. Cash received, reports show, amounted to more than $1,000 per car, which means that from the shipments well over a million dollars and perhaps a million and one-half dollars has entered business channels of the State.

The Castleberry section is the largest beneficiary, having shipped 305 carloads of the red berries. Farmers around Evergreen, McKenzie, Garland, Bolling, Brewton, Atmore, Clanton, Jemison, Thorsby, Cullman, Guntersville, Leesburg, Attalla, and other places also participated.

A large part of the berries were marketed cooperatively. This was done through local shipping associations and the Alabama Farm Bureau. J. B. Sylvest, manager of the farm bureau produce department, says that growers have shipped 135 carloads through the Farm Bureau. These berries, he said. sold from $1,000 to $1,500 per car and brought producers around $145,000.

This is the first the Farm Bureau has participated in the marketing of strawberries. and farmers have welcomed the entry of a large producers' agency into the field, he said. He expects a large increase in marketing of strawberries on a cooperative basis next year.

WOMEN AS POLICE

A world survey of conditions with respect to the welfare of women and children made under the auspices of the League of Nations discloses that in 18 countries women are employed to a greater or less extent as police.

The largest number are employed in the United States, with Great Britain and Argentina following. Satisfaction over the results obtained through the work of policewomen is expressed by all countries reporting, except South Africa, where women police formerly used in Cape Town have been discontinued.

Not all the countries which include women on the police roster use them for making arrests, however, as a great many are detailed to duty as matrons or for investigation work.

The employment of women in this and other branches of public service appears to be steadily increasing, and the spread of the idea, particularly in countries in which women have the ballot, is an indication that in time very few human activities will be closed to them.

J. S. Williams of Thorsby was among the callers at the News office last Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McLane of Adams, Ala., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams and niece, Allie, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Scott of Thorsby Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw spent the past week end in Coosa County with his mother, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton was visiting here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Surles, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Weldon and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Turner spent Sunday in Selma with their father and grandfather, who has been sick for some time.

Mrs. William A. Williams and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. R. P. Williams.

Mrs. E. A. McLane is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. J. P. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Little and daughter, Virginia. and Mrs. Clyde Little spent Friday in Thorsby, Ala.

C. B. Lenoir and son, C. B. Jr., who reside on Thorsby, Rt. 1, were among the visitors to Clanton Saturday. While in town Mr. Lenoir and his son were callers at the News office.

Mrs. Walter Bentley and charming little daughter are visiting her parents in Clanton, Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Upchurch.

E. G. Caldwell of Pletcher. was in Clanton Monday afternoon on business.

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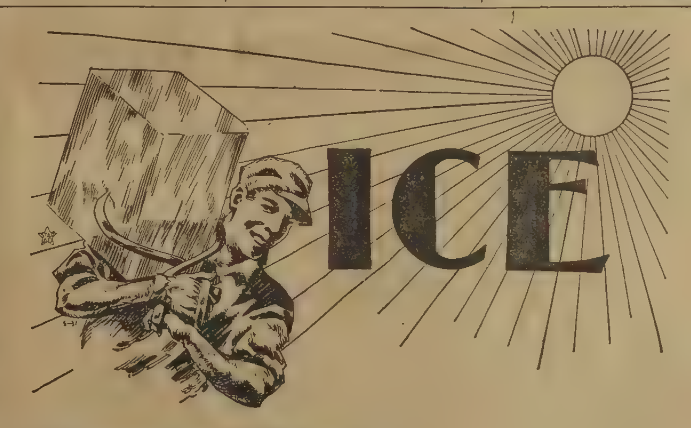

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Our Bankers Oppose Further Tax

Calling on Gov. Miller to appoint a non-political commission of five men to ascertain the state's present financial condition and suggest a remedy, the Alabama Bankers Association in session at Gadsden last week, expressed itself as being vigorously opposed to further taxes.

The bankers take largely the same view of the state's financial problem as that taken by the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce which recommended first the appointment of a firm of business engineers and certified public accountants to make a thorough audit and survey of the state government, and then the appointment of a fiscal commission of five representative citizens and business men accustomed to dealing with financial and administrative problems to study the findings of the audit and survey, and to recommend to the governor and Legislature a revenue program that "would least disrupt business and industry and complicate as little as possible the efforts of the state toward recovery from the present economic depression."

Since these two organizations represent the financial, business and industrial leadership of the state, their counsel is to be respected and trusted.

Alabama's problem is an economic problem—a financial and business problem. Who else is better qualified to point out a solution than the business and financial leaders of the state?—Marion Times-Standard.

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Freedom From Crime

Cities which are largely free from crime, or claim to be so, are beginning to use this fact as a means of proving their superiority, according to the Wickersham commission on law enforcement. This statement is contained in a report in which the commission urges more accurate statistics on crime. Manifestly, if the cities are going to use their freedom from crime as a talking point in their favor, it is desirable to know on what figures they base this claim.

Any city which can prove that it has reduced crime to a low point has a powerful argument with which to attract business and residents. The people look with horror on the lawlessness of this period. They do not know what it will lead to.

Business men would hate to establish themselves in a place where crime was common. They would fear that there was a loose kind of government there, which would cost them high taxes and they might be exposed to racketeering that would cost them heavily.

It will be a great help to any community in the future to show that it is a law abiding place, that life and property are safe there. The smaller cities and towns are never centers of crime as the big cities are. The crooks flock into the big places because they can hide out of sight there. But there are lawless people with a crooked tendency almost everywhere, and the forces of the law must be forever vigilant to repress them.

A community, big or little, that can show a clean record as respects crime, which can reduce thefts and frauds and other offenses to the lowest possible terms, has an advantage that will appeal to everyone. Not merely do people feel safer in such a community, but it is an indicator of the character and high standards of the place, and people will feel that community life will be desirable in such a town.—Sylacauga News.

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Collect Millions With Miller

Week after week, day after day, we read in the editorial columns of newspapers, about Governor Miller increasing the taxes of the people of Alabama. "Save Millions With Miller" was the slogan of Gov. Miller's supporters during the campaign. One newspaper suggests that that slogan should be changed to "Collect Millions With Miller."

Another newspaper last week went so far as to say that it is true Gov. Miller cut off the small wage earner, and raised the salary of Bill Feagin from $5000.00 a year to $7500.00, pointing out that the $2500.00 raise would have employed several needy state workers.

The majority of voters put B. M. Miller in office. They listened to his supporters in the campaign. The majority of voters put representatives in the Legislature, they put Senators of their choice in the Senate, they put Judges in their offices, and filled other offices with the ones of their choice, so what are you going to do about it?

At a time when practically every individual and every business firm is having a hard struggle to pay taxes already due and numerous other obligations, Gov. Miller, misnamed "Old Economy," is making an effort to pile up more taxes on the people of this state. That does seem rather bad. But he is the follow you put there to rule. It looks like a case of where the majority of voters in Alabama have got something they don't want, and can't help it. It would be a good idea to vote next time, only after going into the matter seriously and convincing yourself.

It takes a progressive, far-sighted and prosperous person to make a success of most anything, not a man with primitive ways.

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The American people are urged to go back to the soil, and anyway they have to use the soil to play baseball on.

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The girls are using so much color on their faces that the red Indians must find warpaint getting scarce.

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

"The man who trusts men will make fewer mistakes than he who distrusts them."

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Glad to be back again in this, my column. That is if I may call it my column. I had a very good rest—a rest from writing this column and a rest from bothering you with those trifling items round town each week. I too, have found that the ed has no trouble whatever taking care of this column even if I am not here to fill it.

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It seems to be customary for columnists to write about what they saw, and some of the things they did while away for a spell. Naturally, being of the type I am I went in for adventure. Not the kind ones goes for in exploring caves, and jungle lands, but adventures with humans. You will remember that I have very frequently referred to humans as being funny things. I take advantage of every opportunity possible to delve into the innermost depths of humans, tearing down that outer crust most everyone assumes practically at all times, and seeing what is inside. It is very interesting.

I arrived in a certain large city one afternoon, and knowing several in a set that is usually ready for a grand time at night, I called one of the set over the phone to let them know I was in town and would like to get into their party that night. I always find a welcome and things were arranged for a swell blow-out at a night club. We assembled about ten o'clock that night and the round was being made. Observing closely the acts of those in my party very closely at the beginning and throughout the night. There were nine in the set, and two did not vary from their first actions from the time the fun started until early in the morning when it ended.

The others, after awhile, came out from their outer crusts and showed the real person without sham or camouflage. One of the young men played the part of a well-read gentleman, there was very little he did not know something of, so it seemed, until he weakened and then he was just ordinary. One of the young ladies took a great part in making the party lively, but when it was possible for me to be alone with her for awhile, she showed a true-blue person, serious-minded, and worthwhile. She too, was pretending when the fun was going on.

There was incident after incident like that, day in and day out. After a rather busy morning of golf, I dropped into the room of a young man, friend of mine. He was a good golfer. He was neat in appearance, almost immaculate. He had more than ordinary table manners, and extremely courteous to the ladies. When he talked he showed signs of being well-bred and well read, and could be depended on to keep his appointments. He was popular, and yet when I casually dropped into his dressing room, accidentally on purpose, there were no signs of all those things one saw in him when he was on parade, outside. Almost two different persons in appearance, disposition and opinion. He showed the real self.

This young man could boast of the love and admiration of one of the most attractive young ladies in the group, who was ready to be led to the altar when he said the word. Knowing her life and environment as I do, my sympathy goes out to her, if he ever says the word and they go to the altar, together.

I chanced to meet a young man, who is somewhat well known and liked in this place, while away, and he was thrown with our party for awhile. There is no mistaking it, has was his true self at all times, and I admired him more than ever. After chatting with him in the lobby of the hotel for awhile one afternoon, I found that he too, had observed humans quite a bit and could see through those camouflages.

In another town, or rather city where I was staying for awhile, I saw a resident of Clanton at lunch in the dining room of the hotel. At the table where I was sitting with some friends, I could see him without him seeing me, and had an opportunity to observe him closely. I was surprised to see him in such perfect ease in such a place, knowing him as I do in Clanton, and I would like to tell him about it sometime. His poise was great. I liked the way he gave the waiter his order and the way he received and ate it. You wouldn't believe me, if I told you the name.

At an entertainment one night given by an organization, to which I was invited, I was fortunate to see a young lady who is quite well known in Clanton and rather popular. She too, was an invited guest. There was dancing and fun in general, the organization having reserved the ball room of the hotel for the affair, and a good orchestra. I had known her as one of those nice, reserved, and slightly dignified young ladies, who went out very little for such entertainment as that we were having then. But what a change I saw that night. She was away from home, with friends of short acquaintance, most of them, and doing her dead level best to make a hit. She might have succeeded with some. Maybe she doesn't know yet that she passed up the best part of the entertainment, and maybe I'll be brave enough sometime to tell her about it.

So, referring you back to the quotation at the beginning of this column this week, "The man who trusts men will make fewer mistakes than he who distrusts them," you can trust them all right, if you know your men. Man is like a volume, and it is best that you read that volume when possible.

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Are you doing your part to see that visitors to Clanton receive a cordial welcome when possible?

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A large "Welcome" sign at the entrance to Clanton on the north and south ends would bring about tremendous results.

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It wouldn't hurt Clanton if our citizens took on a little more civic pride, and talked about the good things of our town whenever possible.

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The sporting crowd are interested in night life, but a little more day life in tending to their job would be helpful.

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The college students don't write as well as they should, but anyway they are careful to write legible letters home asking for money.

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I can not help think but that the world would be better and brighter if our teachers would dwell on duty of happiness as well as the happiness of duty.—Avebury.

Letters To The Editor

LAWRENCE CORRECTS RUMOR

June 2, 1931.

Editor Chilton County News:

Again I am forced to do the thing for which I have a perfect horror and that is anything that favors a paper controversy. I understand that Mr. Percy Pitts made a statement at the mass meeting held at the courthouse on Saturday, May 23, and has told others since that I had employed certain attorneys to represent me in opposition to the local bills which he has introduced in the Legislature of Alabama. This is altogether untrue and without foundation. I have not employed any one directly or indirectly and have paid no one directly or indirectly nor have I agreed to pay any one and do not intend to.

Sometime ago when Mr. Pitts came to me getting certain data relative to the terms of the different members of the County Board of Education and discussed this matter with me I told him then that so far as I was concerned that I was having nothing to do with it. I maintain that position yet. The other citizens of the county have a right to do as they please.

I did state to him at the time that if the members of the County Board of Education were to be elected by districts that it seemed to me that the members of the County Court of Commissioners should be. I still feel that if it is good for the county the other is and I cannot understand why that four years ago Mr. Pitts was very active in fighting a bill that provided for the election of members of the Court of Commissioners by districts and now at this time is sponsoring a bill to have the members of the Board of Education elected by districts. But that is neither here nor there. If the people of the county wish to elect by districts and to elect a county superintendent of Education by popular election it is for them to decide and I will submit but I do resent being misrepresented in any matter whatever.

Now I have made this statement because I have consulted some of my friends and I felt that the people of the county ought to know my attitude and I do not expect to annoy you with any further statement about this matter, unless I am again forced to it by future developments but remember that I am not a politician, have no desire to be, but wish to serve the best interests of the children of Chilton County.

Respectfully yours.
B. LAWRENCE,
County Supt. Education.

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June 2, 1931.

Chilton County News,
Mr. Editor:

I desire to correct an error that has gotten before the public. It has been generally reported that when I arrived at the home of Mr. R. A. Williams last Thursday morning, a few minutes after the death of his stepson, that he would not allow me to see him. That is untrue. I, myself, was the one who remarked that if he was already dead I could not do any good by going in and turned and drove away without going in. This was of my own accord and not by direction or suggestion of Mr. Williams. I am writing this by request.

—V. J. Gragg, M. D.

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WHAT IS TRUTH? JEHOVAH'S WORD!

I want to say here that some years ago I began studying the scriptures. I saw that God would establish a righteous kingdom, but I did not understand these things. I asked a few preachers about them, and they failed to explain them to me. I took off my creed glasses, and I saw that Jehovah was being mis-represented, and I began to look for someone to explain God's plan concerning his word. I took the opportunity of studying the literature put out by the International Bible Students and I began to understand some things as to by whom this righteous kingdom would be established and operated. In Daniel 12:10 we read: "And none of the wicked shall understand; but the wise shall understand." In First Thessalonians 5:3 we read: "For when they shall say, Peace and safety; then sudden destruction cometh upon them," and in verse 4 we read: "But ye, brethren, are not in darkness, that that day should overtake you as a thief."

In the scripture debate between Mr. Bowen and Mr. Hill, Mr. Hill said in his conclusion that he took the scripture as what they said. In Matthew 13:34 we read: "All these things spoke Jesus unto the multitude in parables; and without a parable spake he not unto them." If the scriptures are to be understood literally, we would have no need of preachers or teachers. In Romans 10:14 we read: "and how shall they hear without a preacher?" In verse 15 we read: "and how shall they preach except they be sent?" Mr. Bowen gave us the word of Jehovah that the wicked should be destroyed. In Acts 3:23 we read: "every soul, which will not hear that prophet, shall be destroyed from among the people." I have the books and I study them with my Bible. If we fail to harmonize the scriptures, then we do not understand them.

In Ecclesiastes 1:4 we read: "the earth abideth for ever," and in Psalms 104:5 we read: "Who laid the foundations of the earth, that it should not be removed for ever." In Second Peter 3:10 we read: "the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat; the earth also, and the works that are therein, shall be burned up." In verse 13 we read: "Nevertheless we, according to his promise, look for new heavens and a new earth, wherein dwelleth righteousness." If we fail to harmonize these scriptures, we are not preachers or teachers.

Yours for the Truth,
W. A. COKER,
Route No. 6, Clanton, Ala.

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FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES

To the Editor The News:

Referring to the Chilton County Almshouse, and statements of the probate judge and almshouse keeper denying the sale of our poor, and in order to make my position clear, will state:

According to my investigation and information, inmates of our almshouse are required to labor on the poor farm (the proceeds of which accrue to the keeper, and on the farm of the keeper as well, and as stated, "we receive only what we get to eat."

In addition, the keeper receives $12 per month from the county for food and clothing for each inmate, and to say the least, our poor are delivered with a price and relegated to the workhouse. I was also informed that religious services, also suffrage rights. have been denied them.

This practice is contrary to the fundamental principles laid down in our federal constitution, which denies the keeper the right to work inmates of the institution for personal or private gain.

Jemison, Ala. W. T. HAND.

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Believe It or Don't

Death having removed parental objection to their marriage, Joe Davis and Virginia Seaward of Oroville, Cal., were wedded after a 42-year betrothal.

John George Taylor, a piano tuner of London, who was sent to prison for obtaining money by fraud, said his trade had been ruined by wireless and graphaphones.

In suing for a divorce, Mrs. Pearl Kaiser of Brooklyn, introduced photographs of her husband with various girls, as evidence in court.

Because he wished to do his Saturday marketing and it was a bother having a prisoner around, the chief of police of Rosebank, N. J., a jailless town, handed an arrested man a warrant and sent him to the chief of police at Orange, N. J.

Clarence Johnson of Chicago became angry and hit Lillian Culle in the face with a custard pie when she refused to accept a kiss instead of money in exchange for a forget-me-not on tag day.

Mrs. J. C. Culver of St. Louis testified in her divorce suit that she found the picture of another woman inside her husband's watch case.

Mrs. Nate Sabel of Portland, Ore., was saved from an attack by a cougar when her two chow dogs came to her rescue.

Three sisters who live in St. Louis were born on the same day, married on the same day, and each has eight children.

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals caused Colon McDonald, negro of Fayetteville, N. C., to be fined $10 for kicking a mule.

John Grady of Waterloo, N. Y., who was given a jail sentence of 55 days for driving his automobile while intoxicated, sold the car for $2 and spent the money for tobacco.

When a Denver, Colo., female shoplifter attempted to get away with merchandise valued at $3, a clerk seized her by the collar of her expensive coat from which the woman suddenly slipped her arms and left the clerk holding the garment.

Isador Sawulcki of Westfield, Mass., was sent to jail for 30 days because within an hour and a half, he telephoned to police headquarters 20 times "just for fun."

While filling the radiator of an automobile, Robert Vaughan of Elizabethtown, N. J., was shoved by a p ing car through a plate glass win into a garage office but the only juries suffered were a few strai muscles.

Milk Truck Blast Is Blamed On Price W

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was reported to the officers.

Although damaged, the truck pro ceeded on to Birmingham under i own power and W. H. Barber, presi dent of the Foremost company, said th 2,000 gallon tank had not been damage by the explosion.

Sheriff Hawkins sent Deputies Hay nes and Cochran to the scene of th explosion and a search was started fo the touring car, which was said to hav contained two occupants. Homew police and Constable Allen, Precin 25, also investigated the case.

Attorney for Alabama Milk Produc Association, an organization of Jeffe son and Shelby County raw milk deal ers, charge that dynamiting the truc is an attempt to force the local mil producers out of business.

Milk of the Foremost company is re ported being sold by Birmingham stor at 9 cents a quart, said be 3 cents be low the lowest price local producer claim they can sell it at a profit.

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Teachers Are Named For County High School

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Earle Thomas, V. A.; Bertha Denn V. H. E.; G. G. Williams, math-science; Ralph Grant, English-soc. studies; Je rome Wilson, 5th, 6th grades; M Jerome Wilson, 3rd, 4th grades

Verbena: W. C. Dubose, Principal; Mae Wible, Home Economics; Hol Hiten, Manual Arts, soc. studies; Mr W. C. Dubose, English; Mrs. J. C Pattillo, 4th, 5th grades; Mrs. Cordel Ward, 3rd grade; Elizabeth Hubbar 2nd grade; Yvonne Moore, 1st grad

Maplesville: J. E. Daniel, Pri Addie Gilham, English; Annie Lee C sendanner, 5th, 6th grades; Herbert Etheridge, history, social studie Sad Oakes, 3rd, 4th grades; Lucille Lo 1st, 2nd grades.

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Almshouse Question Has Come To A Poin

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conditions at the County Poor Ho in the past few weeks, said articles b ing written by Mr. W. T. Hand a Mr. Oliver Smith and replies made b Mr. J. D. Bean, keeper of the P House. Some allegations having bee made by Mr. Hand and Mr. Sm against Mr. Bean for his managemen and conduct of the Poor House, whi accusations have been denied by M Bean.

The Commissioners Court wishes state that no charges or allegatio whatever have been filed by anyo with the Court and it might also b said that the State on one or two o casions, through Dr. Andrews, has h official investigation at the Poor Hou within the past few months and no r port derogatory to the conditions wa made and it might also be said th each Grand Jury, as required by la has made its official investigation a the last Grand Jury made no adver criticism of the conditions and manag ment of the Poor House.

However, in view of the fact of sa alleged allegations and in justice to parties concerned and in order that matter might be clarified and th charges investigated impartial Commissioners Court issued a that the entire court meet at the pr ises of the County Poor Hous 16th day of June, 1931, at ten A. M. and we invite any citizen might be interested in this investig tion and we especially invite and u Mr. W. T. Hand and Mr. Oliver Sm to be present on this occasion purpose of this meeting will be to terrogate the inmates of the P House and the keeper of the P House and to investigate all co there impartially and with a view the best interest of the inmates paupers of the county. We especi urge any party who might have evidence or witness to be present that hour and present before the Co any and all evidence whether aga or for Mr. Bean.

After this investigation the C will take whatever course might proper and authorized by law.

Yours very truly,
L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Prob

—J. E. Cobb, J. M. Mims, J. L. B nett, A. P. Vinson, Commissioners.

Copy for Dr. Glenn Andrews, St Jail Inspector with the request tha be at the above meeting or send a re resentative.

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Pilot Club Met Here Last Tuesday Night

The recently organized Pilot Club for the business and professional women of Clanton held its first regular luncheon meeting last Tuesday night at the Baptist church, with Mrs. C. E. Stapp, president, presiding.

Much interest was shown at this meeting and a most interesting program was given, and several new members were added as charter members. Plans were made to send delegates to the annual International Convention which is to be held at Pensacola, Fla. on June 22, 23, 24.

Arrangements were also made for the Pilot Club to join with the Clanton Kiwanis Club in putting on the free clinic for cripples at the Baptist church next Friday.

The next meeting of the club will be held on the third Tuesday night of this month, which will be June 16th. Another interesting program is being arranged for this meeting, it was stated.

"INSIDE" INFORMATION

A full length mirror is a great boon in every home. A closet door in the bed-room is a good place to install one.

Stiffen one end of your tape measure by sewing a small whalebone or piece of stiffening in it. You will find it easier to use for many purposes.

How does brown gravy get its fine deep brown color? First, by browning the flour to be used for thickening; second, by browning the pieces of meat from which the liquor for the gravy is obtained.

HILL'S

A Few Week-End Specials

MAXWELL HOUSE		
Coffee	lb. can	29c
RED LION—7 POUNDS $1.00		
WISCONSIN FULL CREAM		
Cheese	lb.	16c
Wesson Oil	Pint Can	23c
BEST QUALITY		
White Meat	lb.	12c
OCTAGON—LARGE BAR		
Soap	5 bars	25c
SPLIT SILK		
Flour	24 lb.	65c
GUARANTEED TO PLEASE YOU		
RED HILL		
Syrup	gal.	65c
CALUMET—GLASS DISH FREE		
Baking Powder	lb.	30c
BEST GRANULATED		
Sugar	10 lbs.	50c
VAN CAMPS		
Kraut	4 cans	25c
REGULAR 25c SELLER—LIMA		
Beans	2 for	25c
BURT ONLEY'S—REGULAR 33c SELLER		
English Peas	No, 2 Can	15c
ECONOMY		
MATCHES	3 Large Boxes	10c
BRUTON'S —REGULAR 20c SELLER		
Snuff	3 Boxes	45c
BLUE RIBBON		
MALT SYRUP	3 lb. can	55c
Bread	loaf	5c

Highest CASH *Prices Paid for Chickens and Eggs.*

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Fidelis Class Enjoys Outing Last Week.

Members of the Fidelis Sunday School Class of the Baptist church enjoyed a two-day outing on Coosa river last week. On last Thursday night they entertained about fifteen guests with a chicken barbecue, with approximately thirty enjoying this affair.

The Fidelis Class is growing in membership steadily, and a recent membership contest brought in several new members to the class.

Rev. and Mrs. G. B. Golden of Petrey, Ala., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Short of Maplesville, Ala. Rev. and Mrs. Golden were at one time residents of this county and have numerous friends here who are glad to see them back again for a visit.

Joan Atkinson Entertains a Few Friends With Birthday Party.

Little Miss Joan Atkinson was hostess to several little friends at her home last Wednesday afternoon. The occasion was to celebrate her Sixth Anniversary. After many games were played Joan, assisted by her sister, Mary Frances, served delicious refreshments. The little guests enjoying this party were Essie White, Sallie Eubanks, Joe Frank Higgins, Jane and Billie Falkenberry, Paul Gowan, Lois Rockett, Blanche Taylor, Jimmie Walker, Clifford Mullins,, Sims Higgins, Gwendolyn Atkinson, Mesdames V. J. Gragg, M. A. Gore, Joe Higgins and Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry.

Miss Ruby Warlick, popular manager of the local Western Union office has been spending several days at her home in LaGrange, Ga., this week. Miss Alice Sheehan has been taking the place of Miss Warlick.

Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry Hostess To "As You Like It Club."

Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry delightfully entertained the "As You Like It Club" at her home Thursday afternoon. The apartments were tastefully decorated with vari-colored flowers. Late in the afternoon the hostess served a delicious ice course to the following: Mesdames D. W. Haskew, T. H. Neighbors, M. A. Gore, J. B. Atkinson, W. W. Fox, L. C. Warr, G. C. Walker, Flem Higgins, W. E. Martin, V. J. Gragg, and Mrs. Ernest Rockwell of Selma. Mrs. W. W. Fox will be hostess next meeting.

Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry and children left Sunday for a week's visit to friends in South Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoke Pipes and family of Harrisburg, Pa., are expected to arrive in Clanton soon for a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H T. Pipes.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughes Kennedy and family of Birmingham spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Kennedy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Pipes, in Clanton. They were joined in Clanton Monday by a party of friends from Birmingham and left for a month's stay at Perdido Bay, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robinson and son of Birmingham spent Sunday with Mrs. Robinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus and daughter, Billie Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Kimbrough and son, Duke, Jr., of Birmingham were the week end guests of their father, Mr. Ben Tyus.

Mrs. Ben Tyus, Sr., and Mary Elizabeth Tyus came home Sunday after a week's stay in Birmingham visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geiger and children of Birmingham came down and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus.

Miss Margaret Tyus and Miss Mary Elizabeth Geiger came down from Birmingham Wednesday to stay two weeks with their father and mother and their grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. Johnston and daughter, Janie Beth, and Miss Dorothy Sessions were guests of Mr. G. W. Batson in Rockford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Davis and children of Rockford were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hardy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McEathern and son, Demar, left Saturday to spend several days in points of Florida. They are expected to return the early part of next week.

Mrs. Grady Borland, and two charming children, of Stevenson, Alabama arrived in Clanton Sunday for a visit with friends and relatives. Mr. Borland is remembered in Clanton by countless friends as Leedie Parrish. She will spend the remainder of this week in and near Clanton.

Mrs. Grady Heflin has as her guests, Mrs. Gordon Duke, and two children of Selma.

Julian Evans, who holds a responsible position with Gray and Wilmerding, in Atlanta, Ga., arrived this week to spend several days in Clanton with his mother, Mrs. Gene Evans.

Miss Ruth Sessions left this week for Tuscaloosa where she will enter the University for several weeks study this summer.

W. H. Veazey of Maplesville, Ala., Route 1, was in Clanton last Saturday, and while in town he was a caller at the News office.

H. R. Oden. who resides in the Isabella Community was among the visitors to Clanton Saturday, and while in town he called at the News office.

Mr. James Forshee, Herbert Johnston, M.L. Thomas, Robert Holt, Francis Rowe, M. B. Shaw and Herman Walters, prominent Woodmen as well as business men, all of Sylacauga were in town Thursday attending the Woodmen field meet.

Mrs. M. A. Wright and Miss Jessie Mims of Thorsby gave a miscellaneous shower on last Friday afternoon honoring Miss Ruth Martin, bride-elect, at the home of Miss Mims. The home was beautifully decorated with cut flowers and ferns. It was a very exciting moment for the bride-elect as well as for others, when little Peggy Mims Franklin and Emogene Lowery brought in the beautifully decorated carriage laden with many useful gifts. Miss Lois Thompson sang, "At Dawning" and Mrs. S. J. Davenport gave a very interesting reading, both of which were enjoyed by all present. A tempting ice course was served to about forty guests.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Morgan and mother, Mrs. J. M. Morgan of Salley, S. C., are in Clanton visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Thompson, Misses Edith Mae and Lillian Thompson motored to Birmingham to attend the opening of the Municipal Airport Sunday.

Mrs. E. M. Hayes and little son, Shelton Loy, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hand of North Clanton.

Miss Edith Hand returned from Birmingham where she has been attending Alverson Business College.

Mrs. E. T. Weldon and Mrs. Sid Plyer of Birmingham were visitors to Clanton last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Oliver of Verbena were in Clanton Monday.

Slip covers are attractive on bedroom chairs at any time. They protect the upholstery from dust and hard wear and provide variety in decoration. On small chairs, materials with a small design should be used.

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LOCAL ICE COMPANY USES MODERN METHODS ICE MANUFACTURE

J. Q. Wade, Proprietor, Tells Of Care Taken In The Making Of Ice At Plant In Clanton, Using Only Water That Is Filtered

Clanton can justly be proud of the ice manufacturing plant that has served this section for a number of years without a hitch in time and promptness in service. The Clanton Ice Company was the source of Clanton's electric power for a number of years before the city began being supplied by the Alabama Power Company.

The Clanton Ice Company has grown in size. It has replaced its ice manufacturing equipment of years past with that machinery up with the modern type of plant, bringing it up to the top rungs in sanitation and efficiency.

In a statement from J. Q. Wade, proprietor of the Clanton Ice Company, he said, "We are proud of our plant in Clanton now. We can show you some real modern equipment for the making of ice that is pure and clean, and we at all times keep our plant as clean as possible."

Contradicts Rumors

"I have heard that certain interests have spread the talk that the water we use in our ice is not filtered and comes from a very shallow well," Mr. Wade went on to say, "and as we know that is very misleading to the people, I will at this time say that the water we use to make ice from is filtered, as it is the water supplied by the Town of Clanton and comes through their filtering plant. The same source of water used by residents of Clanton, and has been tested in the State Laboratories.

"I do not know why these certain interests are telling some people that we use water from a shallow well, but I can assure the people of the county that the water comes from the filtered supply of the Town of Clanton."

O. O. AND ROY ROPER RAISE FINE POTATOES ON PATCH HERE

Showing that they not only can raise some excellent strawberries by a large crop, O. O. Roper and son, Royal Roper, have brought up some extra fine looking Irish potatoes on their patch here, as was shown by ten of the potatoes that were dug from a single hill. Mr. Roper stated that they expected to raise quite a few of these potatoes this year, and the samples shown at the News office were taken at random from the patch.

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News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

Sutlive-Gerald Nuptial Solemnized Saturday

A very pretty wedding was that of Miss Ruth Gerald of Thorsby, Ala., and Mr. Vinson Sutlive of Blakely, Ga.

The ceremony took place at the Congregational church Saturday evening with Rev. J. E. Each, pastor of the church, officiating. An altar of smilax and ferns was arranged, interspersed with cut flowers in pastel shades and lighted with ivory candles in branched candelabra.

Preceding the ceremony, a musical program was rendered by Mrs. C. R. Foss, organist, Miss Esther Johnson of Birmingham, Miss Kathryn Foss, sopranos, and Mrs. Grady Broadhead of Clanton, violinist.

Mrs. Leonard Moody of Birmingham, matron of honor, wore pink silk, and carried a bouquet of garden flowers. Miss Odie Lee Arthur, bridesmaid, wore yellow silk and carried a bouquet of garden flowers. Each bouquet was tied with tulle in the prevailing color scheme.

Following the matron of honor to the altar were two little flower girls, Marjorie Morgan and Helen Louise Mead, who were daintily dressed in frocks of pink and yellow organdie.

The best man was Mr. William Bodenhamer of Blakely, Ga., and the groomsmen was Mr. Rascoe Maddox of Thorsby.

The bride entered with her brother, Mr. L. F. Gerald, of Clanton, Ala. Her costume was of white silk, a princess model with train forming at the waist line. She wore a tulle veil with bandeau of orange blossoms and lilies of the valley. The brides bouquet was formed of brides roses and lilies of the valley.

After the wedding a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald, at which the bridal party, relatives, and out of town guests were present.

Upon their return from a short trip into Georgia, Mr. and Mrs. Sutlive will be at home in Birmingham for the summer.

The bride is a native of Thorsby, Ala., and is a graduate of Piedmont College, Demorest, Ga., has taught several years, and at the time of the wedding was employed by the Birmingham News and Age-Herald.

Mr. Sutlive is a successful teacher at Thorsby Institute, Thorsby, Ala.

Among the out of town guests were Mrs. L. E. Moody of Decatur, Ala., Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Horn and son, Leroy. of Birmingham, Mr. French, Miss Owen, Mrs. Chapman, and several others from the Birmingham News staff, Mr. Yancey Kelly of Andalusia, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gerald, Lawrence Gerald, Jr., and Celia Gerald of Clanton, Mrs. Grady Broadhead and Hal Broadhead of Clanton, Mr. William Bodenhamer of Blakely, Ga., and Misses Agnes and Ruth Gerald of Washington, D. C.

Following the wedding rehearsal of Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gerald of Clanton entertained members of the bridal party, relatives and friends. Several musical selections were rendered. Since the announcement of her marriage, the bride has been the honoree of a number of social events.

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Mrs. L. E. Moody of Decatur is the guest of Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald for a few days, coming to Thorsby to attend the Gerald-Sutlive wedding.

Miss Bertha Littleton of Birmingham was a week end visitor.

Mrs. L. E. Thornburgh and son, Conway, are spending a couple weeks in Birmingham, Ala.

Mr. Clinton Arthur of Montgomery visited in Thorsby last Saturday night and took in the class day exercises at Thorsby Institute.

Miss Virginia Bice of Palatka, Fla., arrived Saturday to spend the summer vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dorminey of Union Grove spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Julius Smith.

Mrs. G. F. Harper spent a few days of last week in Birmingham.

Miss Hattie Davenport of Birmingham spent the week end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Robinson spent Friday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Davenport spent Tuesday night and Wednesday in Birmingham.

Miss Jennye Robinson spent last week end in Birmingham.

Last Sunday morning Miss Marguerite Davison and Rev. E. W. Butler drove to Phoenix City, Ala., to attend the dedication of the new United church building. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Smith, students in Thorsby Institute, who will remain there in summer student service for a while. Miss Davison and Rev. Butler returned home Monday.

Mrs. M. J. Primm left Friday for an extended visit with her children in Birmingham.

Mr. W. H. Raybon and daughter, Ruby, spent the week end in Birmingham with his son, Roy Raybon, and family.

Mrs. W. H. Raybon returned home Sunday evening with her husband after a two weeks stay in Birmingham.

Mr. Dwight Mixon of Ment., spent Sunday with his brother, J. L. Mixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Collins and children spent the week end in Birmingham visiting the latters parents.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Marcus of Kennedy, Ala., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilbert Marcus.

Mrs. J. Leonard Hayes made a business trip to Gadsden Monday.

Mrs. Ella Hal lis visiting friends at Mt. Creek.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Jones and daughter, Evaline, spent last Tuesday in Montgomery visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Cleckler and family spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Merchant.

Miss Esther Johnson is spending a few days with home folks.

Mr. Sidney Davenport spent the week end with home folks.

Mrs. Manley Smith spent Sunday with Mrs. Elizabeth Merchant.

Mr. Marion S. Smith who is attending Livingston Normal is spending the spring vacation here.

Mr. Herbert Adams of Gadsden spent the week end with Miss Ruth Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mims and daughter, Jessie, spent Sunday in Birmingham visiting their daughter and sister. Mrs. Leonard Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Howard and daughter, Ella, and Mrs. Husby left Tuesday on a six-weeks vacation touring Chicago, Wisconsin, Minnesota. Wyoming, South Dakota, and Iowa, before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ward and little daughter, Bettie. were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton last Sunday.

Mrs. James Gilchrist, Jr., of Courtland, Ala., spent a few hours with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton last Monday en route to her old home in Dothan.

Mr. J. W. Horton and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Horton and infant daughter, all of Courtland, Ala., spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith spent Sunday with the former's parents at Collinsville.

THORSBY INSTITUTE HONOR ROLLS—SECOND SEMESTER

First: No grade below 85%, general average of 90% or above: Hal Broadhead, Wilma Goodgame, Lois Thompson.

Second: No grade below 75%, general average of 85% or above: Mable Bass, Byron Bean, Winnie Boring, Fred Boyd, Myrtis Canington, Ruby Connatser, Charles Croker, Helen Diefenderfer, Carl Ekblad, Kathryn Foss, Mayme Johnson, Malcolm Lockhart, Helen Lowery, Mary Ruth Nix, Margaret Peterson, James Kincaid, Pauline Pool, Phares Raybon, Odell Rowe, Browne Russell, Rasmond Sammons, Gladys Smith, Edna Lee Wilder, Eunice Williamson.

Third: Neither absent nor tardy during the semester: Mary Louise Bates, Christina Bosworth, Hal Broadhead, Charles Croker, Juanita Each, Kathryn Foss, Olean Hybart, Mayme Johnson, Janie Kelley, Oliver Lyon, Louise Maddox, Lola Martin, Camilla McCallum, T. A. McCallum, Conradine Pate, Roma Lee Pate, Ruth Primm, Louise Robinson, Evie Lee Rowe, Odell Rowe, Preston Shaw, Gladys Smith, Catheryn Stallings, Travis Wood.

The following prizes for high scholarship were awarded: French, to Wilma Goodgame; English to Lois Thompson; Undergraduate scholarship to Lois Thompson.

Mrs. Donald Merchant and Mrs. Devaughn Strock spent Tuesday in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Hurt, Miss Clara Hayes and Mr. Harvey Cox also Miss Frelan Marcus spent Sunday at Lay Dam picnicking. All report a jolly good time.

We are glad to announce that Miss Frances Wilson is improving.

Mr. G. F. Harper. H. O. Bean, Ernie Hansen, Ernest Porter and Jim Bosworth spent Sunday in Greenville visiting Bro. Chas. A. Peterson, who is in the Stabler Hospital. They report Mr. Peterson is improving.

Friday afternoon from three to five o'clock Mrs. M. A. Wright and Miss Jessie Mims honored Miss Ruth Martin with a miscellaneous shower at the home of the latter. The home was beautifully decorated with gladiolas, sweet peas, and larkspurs. Miss Lois Thompson sang, "I Love You Truly." A "Floral Contest," was givtn. Mrs. R. R. Franklin won the prize. Mrs. S. J. Danvenport gave a reading, "Evalina's Wedding Day." Afterwards an ice course, carrying out the color scheme of pink and white, was served. There were forty-eight present.

LAWS AND CORRUPTION

Remarking upon the tendency toward the regulation of every phase of human conduct by law, a recent speaker quoted an aphorism of Cicero: "In the most corrupt nation you have the most laws."

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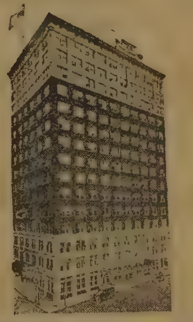

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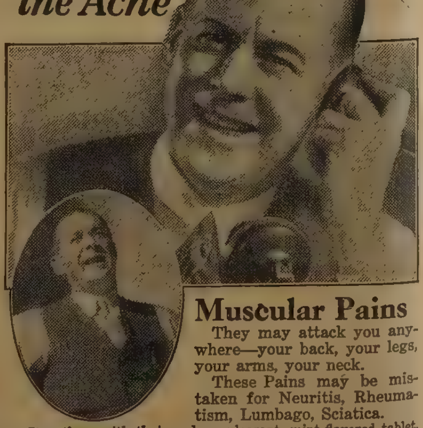

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Pershing and Joffre.

Pershing Orders Planes.

After inquiry as to French capacity to turn out planes, I made a contract with the air ministry late in August committing us to an expenditure of $60,000,000 for 5,000 planes and 8,500 engines, to be delivered as rapidly as possible at intervals before the first of June, 1918, on condition that we should provide certain tools and raw materials. To make a contract to pay such an amount appeared somewhat bold, but under the circumstances some one had to take the initiative in providing planes needed at once for the development of our air force.

As aviation was in no sense a logical branch of the signal corps the two were separated in the A. E. F. as soon as practicable and aviation was organized and maintained as a distinct force. To co-ordinate our training with that at home Brig. Gen. William L. Kenly was sent over the latter part of August and was appointed chief of aviation in the A. E. F. Colonel Mitchell, who had succeeded Major Dodd, the first chief of aviation, was given jurisdiction over aviation in the zone of advance. Major Bolling was placed in charge of aviation in the zone of the interior, and soon succeeded in securing a better co-operation through an interallied aircraft board.

The next essential step was the training of airplane pilots, and accordingly arrangements were made for our men to enter flying schools in England, France and Italy after they had passed their preliminary tests at home. Vacancies were held for us in the schools, but we were unable to take full advantage of this opportunity for training because of the delay in sending over flyers. However, we proceeded with the establishment of our own training centers, the first of which, located at Issoudun, was planned for a capacity of 900 pilots by spring.

Use of Gas New Problem.

The use of poisonous gases in warfare had been discussed at The Hague conference in 1899, with the result that several nations pledged themselves against the employment of projectiles the only object of which was to give forth suffocating or poisonous gases. This action had created a feeling of security regarding such a possibility.

Germany had subscribed to the agreement, and when her armies disregarded this pledge and became the first to use gas shells, the impression was that they had now thrown every consideration of humanity to the winds.

This action by the enemy forced the allies to adopt this weapon themselves as a matter of self-protection. From that time on the employment of gas became common to all combatants.

The use of gas in warfare presented an entirely new problem to us, and the organization of a service to handle it demanded immediate attention. The first plan of the War department provided that the engineers should devise and handle the mechanical features and the medical department the chemical, but this soon proved to be impractical and it became evident that, as we had maintained at the beginning, a separate service would be necessary. Meanwhile application was made for a complete chemical laboratory to be shipped to France for use mainly in investigation as supplementary to similar work in the states.

Gas Service Established.

Considerable information concerning gases and the organization of gas troops had been gathered by my staff, and on August 18 Lieut. Col. Amos A. Fries was designated as chief of the gas service. He made some further investigation of the subject in the British and French armies, and as a result an order issued September 8 established a department known at that time as the gas service.

Experiments were at once begun to discover new gases and devise improvements in gas masks. To save tonnage and avoid the dangers of explosion in transit, it was decided, after consultation with the allied services, to request the shipment from the States of the basic elements and manufacture the chemical products in France. After thorough tests of different types of gas masks we adopted the box respirator used by the British, and a preliminary purchase of 100,000 was made to meet immediate demands for training.

Wartime Picture of Col. E. M. House.

With the development of trench weapons and special tactical methods of defense, never had the offensive been more costly in human life than in this war. The ingenuity of the allies was put to the test to devise new engines of war that would make the attack possible without excessive losses.

While the tank, which was simply an armored caterpillar traction motor car, was favored by many officers as an aid to advancing infantry, this opinion was by no means unanimous. Our investigations, however, led to the conclusions that we should accept allied experience and also adopt the tank as a weapon.

CHAPTER XV

I received many reminders September 13 that another birthday had come, including a surprise party by my staff that evening. As this was exactly three months after I had reached Paris, the time seemed to be passing very rapidly, with little apparent progress against the day when an American army should be on the front line.

The importance of shipping for America was beginning to be considered in allied circles. I received a letter from General Robertson, British chief of staff, who spoke of their increasing losses and of his anxiety regarding the voyage of our troops across the Atlantic. As to tonnage for us, he said, it was entirely between Great Britain and ourselves, as none of the other allies could furnish any to speak of.

On top of this, in conference a few days later with Lord Derby, the British minister of war, I was told that his government could not be counted on to furnish us with ships as transports.

The substance of General Robertson's letter was cabled to Washington, suggesting the importance of taking advantage of the opportunity offered to obtain additional shipping. A few days later we were told that needful arrangements for transatlantic transports were being made by the shipping board.

Gloomy Time for Allies.

There was little in the general situation to give comfort to the allies. Losses by the British through continuing operations were still growing. There no longer remained any doubt as to Russia's fate, and it was consequently certain that German troops on that front would be released for service in the west. Under the circumstances the tired allied people were easily influenced by rumors.

The pope's proposal, issued in August, started some talk of peace, but as it failed to condemn Germany's violation of treaties and her inhuman submarine warfare, the note did not make a favorable impression on the allies. In fact, it was criticized in terms that were not at all moderate. The various replies from the different governments did, however, arouse some hope, which was altogether unwarranted by the real attitude of the belligerent powers on either side.

The discussion was unfortunate, because the French people, not realizing that peace was improbable, lost some of their courage, and the depression from this and other factors caused uneasiness among both civil and military leaders.

From our sources of information which included the intelligence bureaus of the allied armies, we got the impression that Austria, Bulgaria and Turkey would make peace on any reasonable terms if they could do so.

Visits Artillery School.

The military post of Le Valdahon, near the Swiss border, used by us as a school for our field artillery, was one of several which had been kindly set apart for Americans in different parts of France. The others were at Coetquidan and Meucon, near St. Nazaire, and at Souge and La Corneau, near Bordeaux, and also at Montmorillon, Saumur and Angers, with a school for heavy artillery at Mailly, southeast of Rheims.

The school at Valdahon was then under the direction of Brigadier General March, an energetic and alert commander. At the time of my visit the Fifth, Sixth and Seventh regiments, comprising the field artillery brigade of the First division, were there for training.

As to the signal corps, and its progress, Colonel Russell, before leaving Washington, had ordered a large consignment of material for both telegraph and telephone services, but so far none had been received except what was sent with us on the Baltic. Finding it necessary to establish our own service in Paris, where the city system was almost useless, we were fortunately able at once to obtain enough material for the purpose in England and France.

Telephone Girls on the Job.

The signal corps had, of course, to anticipate the communications necessary in battle. Therefore definite decisions were required some time in advance as to spheres of operations. Tons of material, most of which, except wire, was obtained in France, and any amount of labor was used in the actual installation. The main telephone and telegraph lines in proximity to the actual battle area were, when practicable, laid underground to prevent destruction.

One of the crying needs when we once began to use our own lines was for experienced operators. Instead of trying to train men of the signal corps I requested that a number of experienced telephone girls who could speak French be sent over, and eventually we had about 200 girls on this duty.

No civil telephone service that ever came under my observation excelled the perfection of our system after it was well established. The telephone girls in the A. E. F. took great pains and pride in their work and did it with satisfaction to all.

The Hospital Problem.

The medical department's plans constantly received my careful attention through frequent conferences with the chief surgeon, Colonel Bradley, and his assistant, Colonel Ireland. Our problem of handling the sick and wounded was more difficult than that of any of the allies, as we had no civil hospitals of our own available. Full provision, therefore, had to be made for hospital accommodations in France, as only convalescents manifestly unfit for further service could be sent home. The early estimates submitted in August, based upon a small force of 300,000 men, called for 73,000 beds in permanent, semipermanent or temporary hospitals, and plans for expansion were in hand to keep pace with the expected requirements of our armies once they should become engaged. While this beginning appeared quite liberal, yet it was calculated to meet further demands of the immediate future.

All the facilities through France were available for the French, yet they had so many sick and wounded that their hospital resources were pretty well exhausted. As there seemed to be only a few suitable buildings that could be assigned to us we had to plan considerable new construction. This required additional labor and material, both of which were scarce, and although there was some delay we managed by persistent effort to keep pace with requirements.

Danger of Coal Shortage.

The destruction by the German army of the mines of northern France had forced the importation from England of a large proportion of the coal needed for various purposes in both France and Italy. Lack of cross-channel tonnage had produced a serious situation, and the danger of coal shortage during the approaching winter gave us much concern. Italy was even worse off, due to the greater distance from the source of supply.

The outcome of our efforts, with the very effective assistance of Admiral Mayo, was that some colliers, one of which was already at Brest, were ordered into service for immediate use, and these were supplemented later by vessels from the shipping board. An organized cross-channel service was completed under the control of our quartermaster department and later transferred to the transportation department. Although the coal question became more or less critical at various times, in the main we were fairly well supplied.

CHAPTER XVI

Having learned that, despite my recommendations, little or no attention was being given at home to the importance of teaching our men the use of the rifle, it seemed necessary again to emphasize my views, especially after further knowledge of its neglect in allied armies.

The infantry soldier, well trained in stealthy approach and in the art of taking cover, makes a small target and, if an expert rifleman, there is nothing that can take his place on the battlefield.

"Specialties of trench warfare at home," I cabled Washington, September 24, 1917, "should not be allowed to interfere with rifle practice nor with intensive preliminary training in our schools of soldier, company and battalion."

Americans Retain Jurisdiction.

My diary notes the following:

Chaumont, Wednesday, Sept. 26, 1917.—The French agree that we should retain exclusive jurisdiction over American soldiers in France.

Chief of ordnance at Washington delays storehouse construction by requesting views of French commissioner regarding our necessities.

Have again cabled relative to carelessness and delay in loading of transports.

The War department had brought up the question of civil jurisdiction over the members of our forces in France and had inquired regarding the attitude of the French.

My judge advocate, Col. W. A. Bethel, presented our opinion to the French authorities, which was that according to the principles of international law, and in view of the conditions under which the American army was serving in France, its members should not be subject to criminal prosecution in French courts but should be answerable only to our own military tribunals. This view was readily accepted by the French, and very properly the jurisdiction over our forces, both civil and military, remained in our hands.

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The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity No. 905.
Viola Scott, Complainant, vs. A. J. Scott, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Registrar by the affidavit of Raymond C. Smith that the Defendant is a non-resident or that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said A. J. Scott to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 3rd day of July, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 2nd day of June, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
6-4-4tc Register.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity No. 919.
Irving J. Rouch, Complainant, vs. Bonnie Warren Rouch, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Lawrence F. Gerald that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that her place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort: and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring her, the said Bonnie Warren Rouch to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 25th day of June, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against her.

Done at office in Clanton, this 25th day of May, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
5-28-4tc Register.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity No. 918.
Wesley Brown, Complainant, vs. Mayme Brown, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Lawrence F. Gerald that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that her place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort: and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring her, the said Mayme Brown to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 25th day of June, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against her.

Done at office in Clanton, this 25th day of May, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER.
5-28-4tc Register.

Sunday School Lesson

for June 7

JESUS CRUCIFIED

Luke 22:33-46

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

Here is the most meaningful event in history. Nothing else has been written about as much. The entire social complex of the nations has been changed thereby. The approach to the cruelty that was enacted began when Judas came forward with his kiss of betrayal as Jesus had completed His preparatory prayer season in the Garden of Gethsemane.

Pilate sought to evade the issue and even offered to release Jesus, but Barabbas was chosen for freedom according to the custom at the Jewish Passover.

Many think that Calvary, the place of the skull, was just north of the Damascus gate and that it could not be at the site of the present Church of the Holy Sepulchre which is within the city. Two thieves were crucified with Him. Look through the accounts in the four gospels and make note of the Seven Words or sayings from the cross. He certainly was a kindly man who could say under such circumstances, "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do."

When all was over the Centurion gave his testimony as he declared: "Truly this man was the son of God." The Bible teaches that Jesus Christ was making an atonement for the sins of the world. The Golden Text is plain: "He was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed," Isaiah 53:5.

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CHEMISTS AID FARMERS

Farmers would do well to look to the chemist, rather than to the politician, for relief from the present unsatisfactory state of agriculture, according to speakers at an institute held by the American Chemical Society.

By devising means whereby hitherto wasted products of the farm may be turned into useful commodities, chemistry has already done much toward increasing the farmer's income, but the possibilities in this respect have been only faintly comprehended by the layman.

Oat hulls can be transformed into furniture, cornstalks into artificial silk, sugar cane bagasse into lumber, and so on. Furfural, used in the making of radio panels, electric light sockets and other articles, is a by-product of the oat crop which was unknown 15 years ago, but one breakfast food company alone in Iowa ships many tons of oat waste daily to be converted into furfural.

In order to handle many of these waste products profitably, new types of machinery are constantly working with increasing success toward the end sought.

Pleading that he was sole caretaker of seven goldfish and that they would starve if he remained away, A. C. Hultse of Seattle, Wash., was given his freedom by the judge.

The Methodist Episcopal church in Romulus, Mich., which sold for 86 cents in taxes, was redeemed by the congregation for $6.12 recently.

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Hospital Notes

Mr. E. M. Hilyer is still improving.

Mr. J. F. Fuller from Mt. Creek, Ala. underwent an operation for appendicitis last week and is doing nicely..

Mrs. Mary Baker from Vida, Ala. was admitted to the hospital June 2.

Mrs. Curtis Bryant was discharged last week.

Mr. S. R. Powers was discharged May 28.

Little Flem Higgins, Jr., had his tonsils removed here May 29.

Mr. W. A. Willis, Jr. had his tonsils removed last week.

Mr. J. L. Calloway had his tonsils removed Monday and discharged Tuesday.

Mr. E. L. Batrlett was slightly injured in a car wreck May 29, and was brought to the Hospital where he received first aid treatment.

Little Dane Carl Beasley was brought to the Hospital Monday suffering with a broken arm where he received first aid treatment.

Little Lois Cotton plays in the sunshine every day.

Order Passed Bv Local Court In January Shows That Mims Accepted

According to an order said to have been passed at a meeting of the Commissioners Court of Chilton County on January 20, 1931, and certified to by Judge L. H. Reynolds, on June 3. 1931, J. M. Mims, a member of the Commissioners Court of this county was invested with the authority and instructed to look after the county almshouse when the Commissioners Court was not in session, and to see that the paupers are cared for as provided by law, and to report any failure on the part of the keeper to take proper care of the inmates of the almshouse.

Following is a copy of the order as certified to by Judge Reynolds:

The following orders was passed at a meeting of the Commissioners Court January 20, 1931

"It be and is hereby ordered and unanimously agreed by the Commissioners Court that Commissioner J. M. Mims, whose District the Alms House is situated be and is hereby empowered, delegated and instructed to look after the County Almshouse when the Commissioners Court is not in session and to see that the paupers are cared for as provided by law and to report to this Court any failure on the part of the keeper of the Alms House at any time failing to feed and clothe and take care of the paupers as they should be cared for. Mr. J. M. Mims agreed to accept the above order.

It be and is hereby ordered that J. M. Mims, and Joseph E. Cobb they be and are hereby ordered to go to the Alms House and take a bill of all clothes, shoes in fact all wearing apparel and that the surplus that is not needed by the inmates be put in a box and label with the person name on the same that the goods belong to and stored away.

It was ordered by the Court that the said Commissioner J. M. Mims, see that there is a variety of food given the paupers also see that J. D. Bean, manager of the Alms House get extra help to wait on and help care for the paupers also to see that none of the paupers do any work unless a certificate is obtained from a Doctor that said pauper is able to work as stated in said certificate."

I hereby certify that the above is a correct copy of the above orders passed by the Commissioners Court January 20, 1931.

This June 3, 1931.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

Hang up a card or pad in the kitchen and enter on it the kind, quantity, and if possible, the value, of anything brought in from the garden for household use. You will be agreeably surprised at the end of a week or month to note how much of your food supply is home-grown.

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PROPERTY IN WEST END HAS CHANGED HANDS

J. R. Hardy Buys Scroggins Place; West End Coming Back in Popularity

Several years ago West End was a little booming part of Clanton. There were about half a dozen stores there doing a good business, and it was considered a trading center for that section of Clanton, as well as getting quite a bit of trade from that side of the county.

Back in those times, a person could buy almost anything from a good mule to a safety pin in West End, and the place was practically a small town in itself and many jokes were told of their mayor and chief of police, justice of the peace, marshal, whom they had named among themselves. However, in recent years, several of the stores went out of business and the buildings were torn down, and West End came very near being just another avenue of Clanton.

But now business is picking up again and West End is coming back into its own. There have been three new places opened up out there and there seems to be prospects of more being opened in the near future.

J. R. Hardy, a former Coosa County citizen and who has been residing in Clanton for sometime, and at one time was connected with the McCain Stables here, has recently purchased the Scroggins property in West End, which includes a residence, store and some vacant lots. Mr. Hardy has reopened the former Scroggins store, remodeled it in the interior and placed a line of groceries there, as well as carrying a line of dry goods. Harris Hardy, son of J. R., will have charge of the store and Mr. Hardy stated that in the very near future he will increase the stock of the store and carry a full line of general merchandise. He will also devote a part of the property to stables, as he will deal in horses and mules also.

Mr. Hardy is quite well and favorably known throughout the county, and invites the people to stop at his place when in West End.

I. H. Broadhead is one of the other progressive spirited merchants of West End, having been in business there for several years, and still a young man yet. His store is a stopping place for not only farmers living in that part of the county, and residents of West End, but many residents in the other side of Clanton shop at his store, which carries a line of fancy groceries, meats, feedstuffs. He also operates a grist mill there.

Mr. Broadhead states that he has enjoyed a steady increase in business in West End, and owns quite a bit of property there. During the first five years in the business of grinding corn, he has ground over thirty thousand bushels of corn, averaging 6,000 per year, and 500 each month. So far this year he has ground something like three thousand bushels, he stated.

Grady Taylor is one of the most recent additions to the business world of West End, having opened a store and filling station combined. Mr. Taylor is also one of the progressive merchants in West End who are aiding in building up that part of Clanton. His store carries a line of general merchandise, and he conducts a delivery service to his customers in the city limits. His business has apparently grown by leaps and bounds since opening a few months ago, in a new building. Mr. Taylor was at one time in the wholesale grocery business, and his past experience there is proving helpful to his

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CENTRAL SINGERS WILL MEET AT WALNUT CREEK SUN. P.M.

The Central Singing Society will meet in regular session at Walnut Creek church next Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. This is the first regular session of the society since the first Sunday in May at Concord, and it is hoped that all singers will fall in line, and let's get going again as we were before we vacated for the all day singings.—Secretary.

T. J. YORK WILL SPEAK AT JEMISON ON SUNDAY

T. J. York, prominent Baptist Layman of Birmingham, will speak at the Baptist church in Jemison, Ala., next Sunday night at 7:45 o'clock according to an announcement made this week by the Rev. J. W. Jones, pastor of the church.

Mr. York's topic will be "The Church and Kingdom from the Layman's Viewpoint."

AIR CIRCUS TO BE STAGED AT THORSBY FIELD

School of Aeronautics to Send Planes And Stunters To Field Near Thorsby

Those who are air-minded in this section will have another opportunity to witness the safety of flying and to take a hop in a plane, when the Montgomery School of Aeronautics sends several planes to a field near Thorsby next Saturday and Sunday.

The planes will land and be located for these two days at Plainview Farm, two miles south of Thorsby, on the paved Birmingham highway. Mr. Garrett, a representative of the school, was in Clanton Tuesday, and stated that they would probably have two cabin planes on the field as well as open ones and will be ready to take anyone for a flight.

Parachute jumping and wing-walking will be some of the features by the flyers with the planes. Buddie Plunkett, the South's youngest parachute jumper and wing walker, will be there to furnish a few thrills, as will Capt. "Pop" Hanscom, of the LaFayette Escadrille, and L. G. Mason and L. L. Bradham.

The public is invited to see these stunts each day, and there will be no charge for admission. It is hoped that this group of experienced flyers will aid in promoting aviation in this section of the state. and hasten the establishment of a landing field near Clanton.

LOCAL PILOT CLUB GETTING GOOD START WITH INTEREST

The Pilot Club of Clanton had a most interesting meeting Tuesday evening. Twenty-three members have begun to get the Pilot inspiration. The convention of Pilot International to be held in Pensacola, Fla. June 22, 23 and 24, was discussed and several are planning to make the convention. Plans were also started for the next meeting which will be June 16th when the charter will be presented by the International President, Mrs. Virginia B. Rangeley; and Mrs. Margaret Ormond of Selma.

Selma Pilot Club sponsored the formation of the Clanton Club which will be the baby club at the convention with Phoenix, Arizona club as its sister. The Phoenix club has been organized only about a month.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fox are spending several days this week visiting friends and relatives in Centerville, Ala.

Clanton Drug Company Pushing Sales Of Widely Known Brand of Foods For Babies

On another page in this issue there will be found an ad from the Clanton Drug Company, known by the people of this section as Moore's Store, telling of a widely known brand of baby foods, for which they have been named exclusive agents in Clanton.

Mr. Moore, proprietor of the drug store, stated that they have just received a fresh shipment of this food and it is now on display there. Physicians in Clanton have heartily endorsed this brand and it is being used extensively in the county, Mr. Moore stated. This baby food is usually known as strained vegetables and according to a most reliable analysis, contains a high degree of food value, and easily digested by babies. It has also been approved by Good Housekeeping magazine.

A CORRECTION

In last week's issue there appeared a list of teachers for the high schools of the county, and in publishing this list an error was made in the names of teachers for the Maplesville High School, as last years list was used and had not been changed. The teachers for this school have not been fully selected yet.

SHERIFF GETS LARGE NUMBER IN FEW DAYS

Two Stills Captured While In Operation; Seventeen Arrested In 6 Days

Since Wednesday of last week the office of Sheriff W. H. Gillespie shows that seventeen persons were arrested on various charges over the county. This report covers up to last Tuesday.

According to the Sheriff's office, one of these arrests was for forgery and one for assault with weapon, while the others were for distilling and violating the Prohibition law, and all ranged from the Western part of the county to the river, and up near the Shelby County line.

Two stills were captured by the sheriff and his forces, while in operation it was stated. One was of thirty gallon capacity and the other 250 gallon capacity. One was located near the Shelby County line and the other in the Western part of the county. Three men were arrested in connection with the stills.

Quite a bit of whiskey, beer and mash was also destroyed by the officers along with the stills. This was reported as having been one of the most active weeks for the Sheriff's forces in the past several weeks.

Heavy inroads are being made thruout the county in the liquor traffic and other law violations by the sheriff and his forces.

Another Mad Dog Reported Shot Here

A report reached the News office this week stating that another mad dog had been either seen, or killed in Clanton recently and that it had been seen with several other dogs in town, that were running loose.

Sometime ago, it was reported that city officials had issued an order that all stray dogs would probably be shot, unless it was definitely known that they had been given rabies treatment to make them immune. Several owners of dogs in Clanton have had their animals inoculated due to the recent passing in Clanton of several rabid animals.

CONCORD B. Y. P. U. HAVE ENJOYABLE SOCIAL RECENTLY

A really good time and lots of fun was had last Thursday night at the Concord church, east of Clanton when the B. Y. P. U. of that church entertained with a social.

Electric lights were strung in the trees outside the church. and the youngers ones enjoying this affair were highly entertained with outdoor games of various kinds, while almost as many elder persons became young again, looking on. Ice cream and cake and lemonade was served to a large number.

PROMINENT BAPT. LAYMAN AT THORSBY

To Speak At Baptist Church; Daily Vacation Bible School To Open

Announcement was made this week that T. J. York, prominent Baptist layman of Birmingham, would speak at the Thorsby Baptist church next Sunday morning at eleven o'clock, and each night thereafter thru Thursday night he will teach "Stewardship of Life," at the church. The public is invited to hear this well-read man.

The daily vacation Bible school of Thorsby is scheduled to begin next Monday morning at the grammar school in Thorsby. Misses Hazel Maddox, Lois Primm, Lois Thompson and others will conduct the classes.

Everyone is invited to attend this Bible school, and especially the young people.

FRANK MASTIN LEADING IN SALES OF HIS COMPANY

One of the inquisitive reporters of the News found this week that F. E. Mastin of this county has been doing some extra-ordinary work on the sales force of Brown & Bigelow during the month of May. Mr. Mastin came in first place among salesmen in the Southern States division of the company in sales for May, going above some of the oldest employees of the company's sales force.

Girl Scouts Break Camp On Saturday

Ending a week of real camp life, the Girl Scout Troops of Clanton and Mitchell Dam left the camps known as Upchurch and Martins Camp on the Coosa River last Saturday. There were something like twenty-seven or more girls on this camp, under the direction of several competent elder persons.

The girls were placed under strict camp rules and received splendid training in such life, including swimming, campcraft, dramatics, etc. They entertained members of the Clanton Kiwanis Club last Thursday night. Following

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MRS. MOSS LEFT TUESDAY TO SPEND SOMETIME IN NEW YORK

Mrs. Mollie F. Moss, of Fitzpatrick, who has been spending sometime in Clanton with Mrs. Mamie C. Smith and family left last Tuesday morning for Allsbury Park, N. Y. Mrs. Moss will spend sometime there with her granddaughter, Miss Geraldine Goodroe, who holds a responsible position there with a well known firm.

T. J. Henderson of Mountain Creek, was among the business visitors to Clanton Monday.

"It Is. It Ain't. We'll Just Dig It Up And See." A Case Of Real Mistaken Identity

A case of mistaken identity had its culmination on Wednesday morning. The story is full of pathos, subdued humor and other emotions; it is full of material that any playwright might use to advantage.

The drama in real life was staged in the negro section of the Clanton cemetery. The characters were all negroes and included Ida Rembert and Fannie Goodgame as principals, both of whom are well and favorably known in this section. There were also two grave-diggers on the scene and perhaps others, who were on-lookers.

The story goes back for some years Fannie's great-niece died. There hallowed memories, but the grave remained without permanent markings.

"Aunt Hannah," Fannie's mother and faithful servant of her "White folks" died; the body was placed, supposedly, beside the body of the great-grandchild whom Hannah had reared.

The two graves had been carefully cemented and were kept in order by Fannie. Then came color and more coloring to the story of these colored folks. For, Ida Rembert, whose husband was a World War veteran and was buried six years ago, contended that Fannie through mistake had claimed and cemented the grave of Ida's husband.

The contending characters, in heroic pose, might be produced in stone or bronze statuettes and thus immortal fame be won for some sculptor. The statuettes of suggestively statuettes in question might be labeled: "Resolution in Ebony." Each character, because of strength, would not bend in compromise, but heroically stood resolute.

The scene became highly dramatic on Wednesday morning, when the grave-diggers employed by Ida, attempted action. Fannie, with a "Thou shalt not" attitude, made more emphatic by the flourishing of a buggy-whip over the grave, for sometime held the entire party at bay.

Fannie was finally quieted into a state of reasonableness and the work of disenterring went on.

When proof was produced, Fannie's warlike attitude gave way to one of humble entreaty. Ida's turn had come to make expression. With nerves worn threadbare over many harrowing recollections concerning the mistake, Ida impulsively issued the edict: "You've got to move your mother's bones from out of my lot."

Calm reflection came: Ida became penitent. She requested of friends: "Go to Fannie, tell her there's plenty of room for Aunt Hannah in my lot. I want Aunt Hannah to rest in peace. I didn't mean it. I wouldn't be that mean. I mean to forget all I've suffered. Poor Fannie! I'm sorry she can't find her niece's grave."

COPIES OF NEWS ON DISPLAY AT RUSSIA PRESS EXHIBIT

The News received a letter last week from the All-Nations Press Exhibition, which is the World's Press Show of 1931-32, asking for copies of this newspaper to be sent to them to be placed on exhibition at this show. This exhibition will take place at Tiflis, Republic GEORGIA. United States of Soviet Russia. Copies of the News were sent on this request.

"DADDY" FOX OPENS UP SMALL STORE, SIXTH ST.

Again, the people of this county who have always liked to trade with W. W. "Daddy" Fox, are going around on Sixth Street to visit his neat little store there. Mr. Fox has recently moved quite a lot of odds and ends to the front of the building next door to the place formerly occupied by his large furniture store and which is now the Tiffin-Klinner Furniture Company.

MOTHER, 4 TOTS ARE VICTIMS OF POISON AT HOME

Five Are Critically Ill; Small Hope Held for Mother Who Administered Dose

A mother and four of her children, ranging in age from four to eleven years, were critically ill in a Montgomery hospital last Monday night, suffering from effects of poison.

The four children were reported to have been found Sunday night in their home at Wallsboro, which is near Wetumpka. Neighbors heard the screams of the children and went to the home.

A glass and some poison tablets were found nearby in the home. The mother, Mrs. R. H. Heaslett, age 30, and the wife of a former state employee and her children were carried to Montgomery to a hospital.

The youngest child, Jack, age 4, was said Tuesday morning to be in a very critical condition, and very little hope was held for the recovery of Mrs. Heaslett, it was stated. The other children are Mildred, age 11; Renfro age 7, and Gene age 6.

Neighbors of the Heaslett family stated that Mrs. Heaslett had been very despondent because of the failure of her husband to find employment after being dismissed by the state. It was also stated that she had threatened her life before.

MR. AND MRS. LILLIE OF WEST VIRGINIA VISITING HERE NOW

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton F. Lillie and children of Elkins, West Virginia, arrived in Clanton the first of the week to spend sometime with Mrs. Lillie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Gentry of near Clanton. Mr. Lillie is a newspaperman of wide experience and was at one time connected with the News here. He has recently been confined in the Government Hospital on account of serious illness and has just been released. Mr. and Mrs. Lillie have countless friends in this county who are glad to see them back for a visit.

NOTICE TO CREAM SHIPPERS

Due to the change in train schedules moving up the time for afternoon trains arriving in Clanton, all farmers who bring cream to the office of the County Agent, are urged to bring the cream in on Saturday afternoons not later than three o'clock.

LOCAL O. E. S. WILL PRESENT POPULAR PLAY

"Dollar Bill of The Sunshine Circus" Being Rehearsed By Eastern Star

A cast made up of approximately seventy-five people of Clanton is being put through practice each night, and have been for the past week, preparing for the presentation of the play "Dollar Bill of the Sunshine Circus," at the high school auditorium here next Tuesday night, June 16, at eight o'clock.

This play is being sponsored by the local chapter of the Order of The Eastern Star and much time is being spent to make it a success. It is not only a most amusing and entertaining play but something of a musical comedy-drama, with plenty of wit as well as a well laid plot.

There will be a chorus made up from many of the younger crowd of people of Clanton, both boys and girls. The program shows that clowns, acrobats, and many other circus features will be presented. It is a Daniel Producing Company production, and they have an experienced coach who has been in Clanton several days coaching each person taking a part. The popular price of twenty and thirty-five cents will be charged.

Following is a list of the characters and the persons playing the part:

Dollar Bill, manager of circus, C. E. Stapp; Celeste. queen of the circus, Charlsie Pyron; Captain Apple-Jack, the ringmaster, Rufus Brown; Tom, a good looking stranger, Dick Kemp; Katie, who works in the drug store, Mary Ellis; Harry, a soda jerker, Harris Hardy; Daisy, queen of the tight ropes, Elizabeth Johnson; Doc Hartley, the town alderman, W. M. Wyatt; Ma, Mrs. Grady Heflin; Little Willie, Lamar Calloway; Mrs. Calamity, Mary Foshee.

JAMES HOST TO ANNUAL SIGN CONTRACTORS PICNIC

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. James entertained several people from Birmingham last Saturday and Sunday at their attractive camp on Coosa River. This was the annual picnic of the Associated Sign Contractors of Alabama.

Among those enjoying this outing at the James Camp were Mr. and Mrs. Berney Vest and family, A. B. Beard, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eaves, and Mr. and Mrs R. H. Stevenson of Birmingham and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Duncan of West Blocton.

MRS. T. A. MADDOX IMPROVING AFTER UNDERGOING OPERATION

Mrs. T. A. Maddox of the New Salem Community is improving nicely from the operation which she has recently undergone. She is in the Norwood Hospital of Birmingham. It is the hope of the family to have her home with them within a week or so. The entire community will rejoice with them for in the eyes of the writer no one from our community could have been missed as she is missed, not only at home, but church and community as well. Again we all will rejoice to see her at home again.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Alexander and little son, Robbie, motored to Chattanooga, Tenn., recently. While in Tennessee they visited several points of interest including Lookout Mountain.

Mrs. Gordon Blackmon of Rockford is visiting her brother, Vernie Teel, this week.

New Beauty Shoppe Will Open In Clanton Today; Located In The Johnson Building

Clanton will have a new Beauty shoppe, judging from activities upstairs in the Johnson Building on Main Street. Miss Arcula White of Birmingham will be the operator of the new shop for Clanton and comes here very well recommended as a beauty shoppe operator.

Miss White stated that her shop will be equipped throughout with new equipment of latest types for the newest trends in beauty culture. The opening day has been set for today, Thursday, at nine o'clock a.m., at which time Miss White invites all the ladies, young and old to visit her shop for an inspection and to get acquainted. She also stated that for today, Friday and Saturday, she will have some real attractive offers to make to customers at her shop. This will be for the three days only.

Miss White, with her mother, Mrs. R. J. White, were in Clanton last week making arrangements for the opening of the shop, and will make their home in Clanton in the future.

Miss Effie Howell, of Haleyville, is the attractive guest of her sister, Mrs. J. D. Broadhead and Mr. Broadhead this week. Miss Howell visited Clanton sometime ago, attending school here at the high school.

CHILTON CO. SINGING CONVENTION MET AT COOPERS SUNDAY

The spring session of the Chilton County Singing Convention met in regular order at Chestnut Creek church, Coopers, last Sunday. Services were called to order at ten o'clock by county chairman, Prof. W. M. Devaughn, followed with the opening prayer by Rev. J. S. Hand. A program committee was appointed by the chairman, and the following directors sung before noon: I. D. Huett, Archie Devaughn, N. A. Smith, Akins I. Collins, O. L. Devaughn and L. T. Grant.

At eleven o'clock there was preaching by the pastor, Rev. J. Starling Hand. This sermon was very pointed and thoroughly enjoyed by the congregation. This brought the program up to the noon hour, when an intermission of one and one-half hours was given for dinner.

The house was called back to order at 1:30 by the chairman. Those directing in the afternoon were W. L. Sanders, A. M. Jones, A. O. Boswell, Everett Devaughn, Lee J. Grant, J. B. Hammonds, R. T. Grant, Wm. Jones, L. T. Grant, Willie L. Mims, W. M. Devaughn, G. C. Weldon, H. G. Carter, J. W. Cagle, T. E. Wyatt and J. E. Varner. Two or three quartets and one special number were sung.

Executive Committee Appointed

The president, vice-president, and secretary of the convention got togther and appointed an executive committee, whose duty it is to get a home and date for the fall session of the convention. The committee consists of A. H. Glasscock, chairman, J. R. Robinson, Willie L. Mims, G. C. Weldon, and J. W. Lowery. Any member of this committee will receive applications from communities wishing to have the convention in September, and they will meet some time in the future and decide which will be accepted. So, any place wishing to have the convention in the fall, will please see one of these committeemen as early as possible and make the proper arrangements.

T. E. WYATT,
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M. L. WARE RETURNED MONDAY FROM BIRMINGHAM HOSPITAL

The friends of Matt Ware, of Matt's Lunch Shoppe, received a pleasant surprise Monday when he arrived in Clanton from South Highlands Infirmary in Birmingham, after having undergone several serious operations, and after being confined there for over a month. Mr. Ware has been busy for the past few days greeting his friends here and says he is certainly glad to be back in Clanton.

He stated that he wished he could get around now and thank the people here for the kind letters and the flowers sent to him while confined in the hospital, and tell them of his deep appreciation of the interest shown for his condition. A visit to Mr. Ware's room at the hospital would have shown one that he really received attention from his many friends. He stated that he feels fine now and hoped to be back soon at his post of duty serving the people here with good food every day and night at his lunch shop.

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When people deliberately stay at home on God's holy day, we become sick at heart, and the clouds of discouragement gather into our soul, but we are not going to give up. As for me and my house, we are going to serve the Lord. Sunday will find us in our place before the sacred altar. Folks, listen to me, the day is coming when you are going to be sorry of your indifference toward the services of the sanctuary.

At 9:45 we have our Sunday school. At 11 a.m. we have preaching. Our services are not dull. We crowd interesting worship into every moment. Hear the ten minute sermon to the children next Sunday at 10:30. At the morning and night hours the subject will be "The Reigning Redeemer."

The pastor will leave next Monday for a ten days meeting at Centerville. Provision has been made for all of his appointments.

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WOMEN HAVE LESS CHANCE OF MARRYING THAN DO MEN

Alabama women have less chance of marrying and of staying married than do the men of the State.

This conclusion is based upon the fact that there are 27,000 more females in the State than males and their marital condition is shown as follows:

	Males	Females
Per cent single	32.1	24.9
Married	62.4	60.8
Widowed	4.7	12.6
Divorced	.8	1.5

Among the farm folks the figures are some different from the average of the State as shown below:

	Males	Females
Per cent single	33.9	26.3
Married	61.2	62.7
Widowed	4.4	10.0
Divorced	.5	1.0

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MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

Sunday night the young people in one of our churches, bowed their heads and sang, "The Lord Is in His Holy Temple, Let All the Earth Keep Silent Before Him." That was the sentiment of the sages in the olden days, and it should be the feeling of every heart in our generation. I fear that we sing that response with our lips and not with our hearts. Some times we see young people in the League and in the B. Y. P. U. and other church organizations, who are not as respectful toward the church as they should be. If President Hoover should come in to sit through a B. Y. P. U. or a League service, the young people would sit quietly, and be beautiful because of their reverence. The Lord is in His Holy Temple and why not show to Him more reverence than you would show any human being? Let every young life restrain its overplus of giggles and wiggles for some other occasion. They are out of order in the house of God.

I stood on the side walks of Montgomery last Friday and saw the old soldiers of the Confederacy go by. My heart bled as I saw one old man as he stood up in his car and held a flask of whiskey above his head. He had enough of the stuff under his skin to make him a fool and a fool he was. An old man, with one foot in the grave, and yet filling his skin with the fire brands of hell and lifting above his head the thing that has been outlawed in our American life. Some of the baser sort thought him to be "Cute" and they laughed at his silliness, but to the man who was thinking in terms of civilization, and in terms of two worlds, that old man was an expression of satanic defiance. The report is out that the old Confeds were served with all the whiskey they wanted while they were the guests of Montgomery and Alabama. We wonder who did this. If a part of the $50,000.00 of State funds appropriated by the Legislature was spent in buying rum for the honored heroes of the South, it is time for our citizenship to rise up and register a kick.

Just back of Clanton's beautiful cemetery, the city has its junk and its dump head. Trucks run up and down our streets and gather up our waste supplies, and they are carted off to the edge of the swamp. There is much rubbish down there. It is an unsightly place, because unsightly things are deposited there. As we look over our streets and vacant lots there is still much rubbish that needs to be carted away. There should be no room on the inside of our city for filth and rubbish. We have a place for it, and to that place all rubbish should go. Just as rubbish will collect around the best of homes, so rubbish will collect about the best of lives. What are you doing with the rubbish of your thinking and living. Are you letting it rust and rot within your own life, or, are you carting it beyond the limits of your soul life? At the close of every day gather up the rubbish of your life and have it thrown on the dump heap. Never allow soul rubbish to make the premises of your life to look unclean. A home and a soul, without rubbish, is a beautiful thing.

I went into a store not long since to buy some shirts. They had only two in the building that were my number. The saleslady remarked, "These shirts are slightly soiled and we will let you have them at a bargain." Suppose that you look over the goods that are placed on "Bargain Counters" and see if they are not goods that are, "Slightly soiled." The smoke coming from a fire, the dust that sticks, will soil goods and make them cheap. When I see "Smoke stains" on the lips of girls, when I see the tottering steps of young men, I am reminded of tht "Bargain Counter." Young life becomes "Very Cheap" when it is slightly soiled.

We have an unusual garden at the parsonage this year. I walk out to see how it is progressing, and I can not tell whether it is a vegetable garden, or a flower garden. It seems to be both. Flowers and vegetables are all mixed up together. I rather admire the impression that the garden makes, for in it can be seen the beautiful and the useful. That is the way my life should be, that is the way your life should be. It should be filled with things that are useful, and things that are beautiful. Together we should strive to cultivate the useful and the beautiful things of life, and let them grow side by side. A growing tomato looks all the better when above it there is the blooming poppy. A good deed shines all the better when a beautiful character is back of the deed.

I was standing at the door of a filling station while a man was settling his garage bill. A check for thirty dollars was written, and as the man handed it over to the owner of the station, he remarked, "That is the price of carelessness." As little as you think about it, carelessness, is one of the most expensive things that we have to deal with. When two cars crash, when the flames burst from the roof, when health goes, when a life is ruined, that is the price of carelessness. Carelessness is a spigot through which flows our hard earned money. Stop your carelessness and save your money and your life.

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DEPARTMENT PROTECTS LIVESTOCK FROM TICKS

Alabama is tick free and it is a violation of the law for "ticky cattle, horses, mules, or asses to be driven, moved, or transported in any way into Alabama," reports the Alabama Department of Agriculture.

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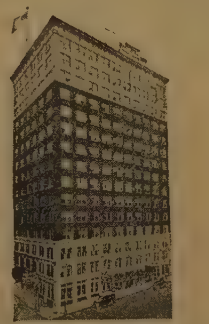

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My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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General Pershing Inspecting Poilus.

"Great Confusion at Home."

There was ample evidence of great confusion at home due to lack of efficient supervision, even in New York harbor, where experts should have been easy to find. Ships were seldom loaded to their full capacity; supplies greately needed were often left behind; nonessentials were being sent over; many things were broken due to careless loading; troops were often shipped to one port and their equipment to another.

The Washington bureaus often followed blindly some out-of-date supply table perhaps drawn up under a former regime by an antiquated desk soldier long since retired and forgotten. As an illustration, I recall a bill of lading from one of our transports that was presented to me about this time as a curiosity. It listed a number of articles quite useless to an army in the field and provoked the following cable:

"For all departments. Recommend no further shipments be made of following articles . . . bath bricks, bookcases, bathtubs, cabinets for blanks, chairs except folding chairs, cuspidors, office desks, floor wax, hose except fire hose, stepladders, lawn mowers, refrigerators, settees, sickles, stools, window shades. Further stop orders will follow soon."

We were short-handed, both at depots and along the line of communications, in all classes of labor that should have been sent over long before. The quartermaster corps in France was seriously handicapped in handling, caring for and issuing its stores and supplies.

The need for stevedores had become most urgent. Combat troops were still being used to unload cargo and much time was wasted by the use of labor that was entirely unsuitable for this sort of work through lack of experience. Moreover, it was urgent that the combat troops should be sent inland to receive their battle instruction. The French, although short themselves, had loaned us a few prisoners and also some women as laborers to help out, but neither class was satisfactory. Under the conditions there was danger that our ports would become hopelessly congested, although three weeks later, and after further urgent appeals, the War department promised to send stevedores at once.

Line Training for First Division.

My diary notes the following:

> Chaumont, Thursday, Oct. 4, 1917.—Gen. de Castlenau called Tuesday to discuss entry of First division in the line.
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> Witnessed attack maneuver of the division yesterday and conducted critique.
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> Ambassador Sharp came today with Mr. Joseph Reinach for a visit and had lunch with us. Have cabled appeal for officers fitted for general staff.

The French, always solicitous regarding the progress of our training, were anxious that our most advanced American unit take its place in a quiet sector, for the experience. The main reason they advanced for suggesting front-line training at this time, with which I fully agreed, was that it would give new encouragement to their armies and through them to the people. The First division itself was keen to take a more active part and was soon to have the opportunity.

This division had been billeted in the training area since July 15 and had begun to show the excellent effects of the system of training we had prescribed. At the maneuver which I attended the officers handled their units with considerable skill, particularly Capt F. H. Burr, who conducted an attack with his battalion of the Twenty-eighth regiment, and Maj. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., who did a similar problem with his battalion of the Twenty-sixth regiment.

Pleased With Efficiency.

At the division school the bayonet exercises, special target practice, firing with trench mortars, bomb-throwing and other trench training were well carried out. I returned much pleased with the evidences of efficiency in this organization, which was later to become famous among the armies on the western front.

My diary says:

> Paris, Wednesday, Oct. 10, 1917.—Spent Sunday at Gondirecourt, First division field meet, with General Harbord, General Ragueneau and Representative Medill McCormick. We lunched with Bullard.
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> "Yesterday evening the officers at G. H. Q. called to extend congratulations on confirmation of my appointment as general. All heads of permanent staff departments appointed to grade of brigadier general.
>
> A group of major generals are over on tour of inspection.

The staff department heads who became brigadier generals at that time were: James G. Harbord, chief of staff; Benjamin Alvord, adjutant general; Harry L. Rogers, quartermaster general; W. A. Bethe, judge-advocate general; Edgar Russell, chief of signal corps; G. C. Williams, chief of ordnance, and A. E. Bradley, chief surgeon.

Officers Visit Battlefields.

In accordance with my recommendation, division commanders from the states were being sent over to visit the battlefields, armies and schools in order to become acquainted with conditions and to experience the atmosphere of war. It was important that they should appreciate the realities and become fully impressed with the urgency of thorough preparation of their commands. It was thought they would become impressed with the aggressive spirit that characterized our training in France by coming into close touch with our methods.

These officers were sent to visit the allied fronts and to see demonstrations at our own training fields and schools and were also taken along the line of communications. I took occasion to give them personally my conception of the course of training that should be followed at home, making an especial point of rigid discipline, rifle practice and the instruction of junior officers in open warfare.

A number of the officers sent over were either physically unfit or had reached the age when new ideas fail to make much of an impression, and consequently I recommended that those of both classes be left at home for other duty or to be retired.

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CHAPTER XVII

Marshal Joseph Joffre, upon my invitation, arrived at Chaumont October 15, 1917, to see our First division.

The French military officials were anxious to show their respect and it was arranged to have both an American and a French guard or honor drawn up to salute him upon his arrival at my residence. These two small guards vied with each other and both seemed to get a great thrill out of the ceremony.

After an interesting evening with the marshal and his staff as our guests we left the next morning by motor car for Treveray, accompanied by Generals Ragueneau and Alvord, Colonels De Chambrun and McCoy and Captain Boyd.

The troops of the division were drawn up in line ready to receive us and presented a much better appearance than at the review by President Poincare. The men were especially keen to be inspected by a marshal of France and their pride was clearly evident by their perfect lines as they swung by in the march past. The marshal in turn was enthusiastic over their vigorous appearance and military bearing.

One incident occurred that was not on the program. On the way to the field for the ceremony a well-groomed mule that happened to be running loose pricked up his ears, looked us over and decided to trot along with us. One of my staff wagered that this wise animal knew what was going on and would be present to see the march past. Sure enough, when we reached our position this Missouri product had preceded us. Cautiously approaching, he displayed the greatest curiosity in the guest of honor. As all efforts to drive him away seemed futile, he hovered near as an interested spectator of the proceedings, much to the amusement of the marshal.

Review Other Units.

I gave a luncheon at Neufchateau for the marshal's party and my own and the senior officers of the First division. After that we saw the training conducted by the First corps school and visited the American and French billets at the village of St. Blin, where the One Hundred and First regiment, Twenty-sixth division, and the French Sixty-ninth passed in review in excellent form. As we returned toward Chaumont other American and French units were drawn up by the roadside in honor of the marshal.

It was rather late when we started and darkness overtook us while passing on foot through the lines. The trumpets of each regiment sounded as we approached, and with the lights from our automobiles close behind illuminating the trees that bordered the highway and the faces that peered through the shadows to catch a glimpse of the marshal the scene suggested some legendary painting.

Finally we halted and the troops, including the French One Hundred and Fifty-first infantry, which had made a remarkable record at Verdun, marched past us. As the regiments came out of the darkness into the spotlight of our autos they made a picture never to be forgotten.

Denies False Cable Rumor.

Returning to Paris October 19, I learned that a dispatch from Berlin to the New York Times represented me as having said that the German lines were impregnable. The report might have been idle gossip, but it was more probably circulated to create the impression that our armies were starting on a forlorn hope. This report was so far from the truth that I cabled the secretary of war that it was absolutely false and without any foundation whatever.

In every reference to our future operations I had strongly maintained that it was not only possible to break the German lines but that it would be done. The very system of training that we were persistently following was based on the determination to force the Germans out of their trenches and beat them in the open. On no other theory could they have been defeated.

Yet without question there were not a few among our allies and probably some in our own army who thought the task impossible, supporting their view by citing the failures of the previous three years, especially that of the spring of 1917. It was none the less a surprise, however, when a report came directly to me that such views had actually been expressed in the presence of civilian visitors by officers of rank in our army.

I was indignant to learn of that kind of talk, and in commenting on it to the Americans who had heard such statements made I said that "The German lines can be broken, they must be broken, and they will be broken," and those present will recall that it was said with considerable emphasis.

Positive steps were taken at once to eradicate such notions, or at least prevent them from being openly stated, and I was determined to relieve immediately any officer, without regard to rank, who should express any such opinion.

First Division Moves In.

My general impression of the situation at this time was set forth in a cable to Washington October 21:

"During the last week the water-soaked ground in Flanders and on the western front generally has prevented further development of offensive movements. Summing up wastage of German army in this year's campaign, a single offensive, such as the Anglo-French in Flanders in progress since July 31, is insufficient materially to weaken Germany's man power. Next year must see two offensives, continuously maintained throughout summer, if decisive result is to be obtained. This can only be secured through aid of effective United States army on this side. . . . The troops on the western front have been re-enforced by one German division from the Russian front. . . ."

As the training of the First division had now progressed sufficiently it was put into line in the quiet sector northeast of Luneville, under the supervision of the French, for actual trench experience. The division was underofficered and short of horses, clothing and many other things, especially rolling kitchens, of which a few had only recently been received, and trucks, which were borrowed from the French.

Stressed Need of Winter Clothing.

My repeated cables, beginning in July, for winter clothing had received scant attention, and with the coming of colder weather the shortage became critical. The initial stock requested was disallowed, the monthly allotments were totally inadequate and the depots were practically empty.

The explanation that came from the quartermaster general's office, that our requests could not be granted on account of the needs at home, showed a total lack of appreciation of the necessity of properly clothing the fighting man actually at the front above all others. After another urgent appeal a partial supply was sent, but we had succeeded in obtaining a quantity of clothing from the British to tide us over.

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CHAPTER XVIII

Upon the invitation of General Petain I went to the French front to be present at their second offensive since General Nivelle's failure in April, arriving by motor at the headquarters of General d'Esperey, commander of the group of armies of the north, on the evening of October 22, 1917.

The plans for the attack were explained to us, and from the extreme care taken in working out the details and from their accurate knowledge of the enemy's forces and his position, there seemed to be little doubt of success.

Soon after their victory near Verdun in August the French had begun to prepare for this offensive, in which they could not well afford to fail. The advance was made by eight divisions of the Sixth army on a front of only seven and a half miles extending along the Aisne, with the object of gaining a more advantageous position for the winter and also still further building up French morale.

Extended Artillery Fire.

General Maistre, the army commander, gave the operation his personal attention, prescribing an artillery preparation covering six days, during which the expenditure of ammunition was even greater than in the offensive of August 20. The long period of artillery fire was considered necessary, as the Germans were strongly fortified along the chalky bluffs of the Aisne, where numerous caverns afforded cover for large garrisons held near the front.

The assaulting lines of infantry, accompanied by numerous tanks, succeeded without difficulty in reaching the limited objectives. Fort Malmaison, the key point, was reduced to a heap of rubbish by the very heavy artillery fire concentrated upon it. The capture of this dominant position by the French caused the immediate withdrawal of the Germans on the right and left, and during the succeeding fortnight they retired behind the Allette.

Victory Is Offset.

This achievement of the French in capturing positions against which the April offensive by Nivelle dashed itself to pieces had a very stimulating effect upon their morale, but it would have been more lasting had it not been followed so soon by the serious defeat of the Italians at Caporetto October 24.

After extending thanks to our host we left for Compiegne, literally covered with mud, stopping there to congratulate General Petain on the success of the day. While at Compiegne we dropped in at the dispensary where some American women under Miss Elsie De Wolfe (who afterward became Lady Mendl) maintained a clinic for badly burned gas cases. We also made a brief call at the hospital nearby to see Colonel Bunau-Varila of Panama canal fame, who had lost a leg at the recent French offensive near Verdun. From his cheerful mood he seemed to be rather proud of his wound

In 1927 I took part in the dedication of the Ossuary near Verdun, at which Colonel Bunau-Varila was present. On the rounds to inspect this fine monument we passed the many bays which contain the bones of men who lost their lives in the great battle. When we came to the bay corresponding to the sector in which he fought, he jovially remarked that he thought his leg must be in there.

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Mt. Creek News

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Mrs. Rheay Is Complimented.

A lovely affair was that of a miscellaneous shower complimenting Mrs. L. L. Rheay, who before her marriage was Miss Bessie Mae Culver of Mt. Creek, Ala., was given by Mrs. Henry Gaylor on last Thursday afternoon.

A pink and green color scheme was carried out in refreshments, decorations and costumes. The gifts were presented in a very lovely manner by six small girls: Ruby Leigh Duffey, Mabel Gibbons, Catherine Longe, Norma Atkinson, Billie Baxley and Ruth Norris.

Interesting games were played and refreshments were served to Mesdames L. L. Rheay, Henry Gaylor, W. R. Warrick, Lester Gilbert, Delia Longe, Dave Norris, Robert Arledge, Pearl Eiland, Maggie Cannon, Nancy Culver, S. R. Hudson, R. J. Fant, Harris Hudson, Cleve Kicker, W. W. Cobern, Herbert Williams, Lee McGalliard, Henry Gentry, Mary McGalliard, Charlie Henderson, Raymond Duffey, Charlie White.

Misses Hazel Baxley, Helen Gilbert, Elizabeth Baxley, Lillie Long, Bessie Thrailkill, Sudie Mershimer, Eleanor Thrailkill, Mary Elizabeth Eiland.

Those sending presents that were deprived of the pleasure of attending were Mrs. J. T. Fowler, Mrs. I. P. Green, Misses Mabel Dennis, Trudie Fowler and Irene Dennis.

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Mr. Arnold Grant of Sylacauga was the guest of Otis Headley Sunday.

Mrs. A. J. Dennis and daughters were week end guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Leonard Brown, of Montgomery.

Mr. Rushing Fuller was permitted to leave Clanton Hospital Sunday after an operation.

Mrs. Joe Bailey and daughters, Louise and Josephine, of Little Rock, Ark., are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gray, of Mt. Creek.

Mr. Sam Eiland of Dothan spent the week end at his home in Mt. Creek.

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Business And Baseball

We were talking the other day with a friend whose main interest in life, outside of his own business, is baseball. We were talking, as most men do when they meet these days, about the business situation.

"The business situation reminds me of the baseball situation," said our friend. "You remember that for the past few seasons an enormous number of big league players were batting home runs? They would stand at the plate, holding the bat by the tip and line them out over center field fence until home runs got to be almost commonplace. People began to get tired of them.

"Last winter the baseball magnates got together to see how they could tighten up the game. They developed a new ball, which is being used this season. The leather cover is thicker and the seams are roughter, which gives the pitcher better control and a sharper break on his curves. Players who used to bat the old ball all over the lot found they could not even hit the new ball half the time. Then somebody began to think back, and recalled that Ty Cobb, the greatest batter of them all, used to hold his bat somewhere in the middle and crouch over the plate. He didn't hit many home runs but he got to first base oftener than any other batter in his time. So the baseball players of this season instead of swinging high, wide and handsome, have just shortened up their bats and are playing for base hits instead of home runs.

"Now it seems to me," our friend went on, "that there is a lesson in that for business men. Everybody in business was batting home runs two or three years ago. But we are playing business with a new kind of ball, and the fellow that swings a long bat and keeps trying for home runs these days does not even get to first base. But the wise business men are just shortening up their grip, playing up close to the plate, and they are batting out base hits, while the ones who have not found out yet that the new ball is harder to hit are beefing about hard times and blaming their troubles on everybody but themselves."

It seems to us that there is a good deal in what our friend said. There are a lot of business men who had things coming their way too easily during the boom, but the ones who are holding their own today and getting ahead are not the ones who are waiting for the old times to come back, but are the ones who are adapting their ideas and their business methods to today's conditions.

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All For One --- One For All

One of the most difficult things one is called upon to do is to give up having one's own way, gracefully and join in on the other fellow's plan and help put it across.

There is in every community men who are dynamos in energy and action, but who never use their talents for the advancement and upbuilding of their town because the plan adopted was not their plan. They are afraid that some one else will get the credit and are unwilling to submerge their efforts with the efforts of others in the common program.

It requires a bigger man often times to be a helper in a program and private in the ranks than it does to carry the banner and point the way.

Clanton has a number of men who can sit down around a table and outline a fine, constructive program for this community. Before their program can succeed, it must have the earnest worker in the ranks who is content to work along in his humble position and see some one else receive the major portion of the praise and credit.

Let's all get behind our leaders whoever they may be and work for the common interests of Chilton County.

If Chilton County prospers and goes ahead, every citizen, every business and professional man in Chilton County will win because of it.

We must work together to win together.

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The Roadside Landscape

At intervals of a few miles along every state highway in Tennessee there is an inconspicuous sign which reads, "No Advertising Is Permitted Within the Right of Way of Any State Highway in Tennessee.'

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Tennessee has some other pretty good highway laws and regulations. There is no speed limit in the state except such as municipalities set up, where traffic is thick. You may drive a hundred miles an hour in Tennessee, if your car will go that fast, but you are held strictly responsible for reckless driving and violation of the rules of the road. One of the things they are particular about in Tennessee is passing a car going in the same direction when both are going uphill. The state traffic police are vigilant, and the usual fine for this offense is $50. Tennessee has learned that most automobile accidents are not the result of speed but of carelessness.

Some other states and communities could learn something from Tennessee.

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

Will go on this week with those experiences I've been having while away from this good old county of ours. Of course I had a swell time, but Clanton and Chilton County looked good to me when I came back.

I see no reason why I should not tell one or two jokes on myself. that happened, nor why I should not tell of some of the predicaments I got into, while seeking a little adventure. Was sitting in the hotel lobby when a rather unusually attractive lady came in. I say 'lady' because I found later that she was really a lady. There was a boy friend with me and he asked if I knew the young lady. I replied in the negative, and at the same time made a bet I could take her out to dinner that night. He took me up. I went about finding out who she was in my best manner, but failed, until I accidentally (on purpose) bumped into her at the cigar counter where she had purchased some cigarettes. That bump fixed things up for an introduction and I immediately asked her to have dinner at the hotel with me that night. She accepted, and at the appointed time we met. and I also met the husband. Next time I'll look at that finger on the left hand. Anyway I won the bet with the friend. Fools rush in where angels fear to tread.

Woke up one morning and at breakfast found a card in my coat pocket with an address and telephone number and some initials on it, with a note to call and talk sometime. Well, I couldn't figure out where the card came from, but it looked like a chance for a little adventure so that afternoon I accepted the invitation on the card, not knowing whether it was written to somebody else, or even maybe a week or so old. If you want a little tingling feeling, just do a trick like that. However, I found the young lady really meant the invitation for me and had slipped the card in my pocket on the dance floor at the club the night before. My first thought was that she was a golddigger or maybe wanted to compromise me or something. But I was all wrong. She said she heard me mention the name of a very dear friend of hers the night before and due to the fact that she was deeply interested in that person, she wanted to talk to me. Well I talked, sitting on pins, so to speak. She wasn't so attractive, and I was looking for attractions.

Was coming down on the elevator one morning, about noon. (after the night before) and some fellow slapped me on the shoulder, saying "What are you doing here?" I stared at him, like someone who had lost their mind, and the next question he asked was, "Where is your wife?" Well, that was about enough for me. I had been rather running around the night before, and with that groggy mind of mine, I had to think about a dozen times to convince myself that I was not married. Next time I'll get my mind clear before leaving my room—if there is a next time.

There was one place I visited that brought back some memories of some days that used to be, when I had few troubles and plenty of time to get rid of them. I found a desk that I had used and had been locked since my visit there several years ago. One whole day almost, I spent there going through some letters, names and addresses, etc. Eventually ended up by cleaning out the whole business, because about seventy-five per cent of the persons whose addresses and telephone numbers I had, were married, and have families now.

Met up with an old friend who used to live out in Aigburth, Liverpool, and spent quite a while talking over old times with him. He was connected with a Stamp Depot in Portsmouth. He asked me about a young fellow named Liposky, from Cincinnati. I think he may be known by some in Clanton. Then there is Alys, the tall slender blond. Well, she's gone on up, out of my style, so don't guess she would want to be bothered with an ordinary columnist. Called on a young lady whom I met once when something of a cub reporter. She and and her family had had something of a rather nasty auto accident the night I met her. Located the little red-headed Irish girl and her entertaining brother, Mac, and I was really glad to see them and their mother again. They are a fine family. And speaking of families, there is the Jewish family, of whom Henrietta, tall slender and attractive, is a member. Another fine family I like.

At my next stop, saw the old friend David, the rather well known writer, and a great old sport. If personality is the subject, then I know it in person, being acquainted with Fay, who became rather widely known in sections as "Miss Personality." Then there is the young fellow who was going to college, and in love with a girl working in an office down town. He was finding things rather tough, with his wealthy parents insisting that he attend college, and he wanting to go to work for himself—and his girl. I'd advise them to let him get a job, however that was several years ago. And old Howard J., well, well, I remember the night he was to be host at an entertainment and when he arrived, late, he had his vest on wrong side out, and I carried him back home. Chanced to run across Benjamin, who is in the U. S. Navy now and who I helped out once. He had never forgotten that, and still talked about it. He's a fine fellow, too. He was on the U. S. S. Coghlan, No. 226.

Located an address, 1903 Second Ave., and couldn't remember who lived there so, when I had time I took it on myself to find out. Who should I find there but Miss Blackburn, the little blond who was the life of a party about several years ago. She wasn't married, but planning on it. Next, a telephone number, 6-0902. Whose number is that? Too much trouble to find out from the book, so why not call and see who lives there. I did, but undoubtedly they had moved away as a little girl answered and didn't know what I wanted.

And so I let my mind go through all those parties and picnics of years past. Gosh, it made me feel old. Next week, I'll probably go a little more into detail on some of my experiences, but you must not be trying to wonder and ask why, about who I am writing about, because you know that when you are not sure, there is a great chance of being misled, and you may wrong someone.

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Foreigners say Americans think of nothing but the dollar. This is all wrong, as they don't think much of anything under ten dollars.

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Government berths are desired by many who regard them as a reservation in a sleeping car.

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It is easy for skinny people to be modest.

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The closer a man is the more distant his friends are.

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Fortune never smiles on a man because he is a joke.

Letters To The Editor

PITTS REPLIES TO SUPERINTENDENT LAWRENCE

If my friend Buford Lawrence can convince the people of Chilton County that two local lawyers of Clanton, Alabama, who are supposed to be of different Political faith from that of our County Superintendent, will spend hours and days seeking to defeat a bill making his office elected by popular vote of the people, without charges directly or indirectly for their services—then, I will say it is quite unusual.

One of these Attorneys has been acting as your Attorney for some time and he informed me several months ago personally that he would oppose the local bill, making your office elective.

These certain Attorneys he refers to were instrumental in having a petition carried around to members of the Democratic Executive Committee of Chilton County, and having them separately and severally rescind their recommendation to Senator Duncan favoring this bill. The same Attorneys made trips to Montgomery to see the Senator and presented him with the petition recalling their former recommendation.

Two of those members of the Democratic Executive Committee of this County came to me recommending these local bills with the Dr. N. S. Johnson, their chairman, from an open meeting of the Executive Committee. I am advised that the Chairman was never asked to rescind his recommendation, and the petition was never presented to him.

You stated to me personally last week you were "conscientiously opposed to the election of the County Superintendent of Education by a popular vote. Beg to advise that if you were not "conscientiously" opposed, or otherwise opposed, yours would be an exceptional case. Especially since you are holding an appointive office.

Don't get excited Bro. Lawrence, about electing the County Board of Education by Districts, instead of the County as a whole which in my judgment, is the fair and equitable thing to do. This also applies to members of the County Commissioners Court. For your information I was requested to elect the County Board of Education by Districts, and since that time many have requested that the same thing be done for the Commissioners, and let each member be elected by the District he is to serve.

If Senator Duncan will pass the two Educational bills on through the Senate, I will gladly have same law apply to our County Commissioners. Suppose you possibly saw in the same issue of Union Banner your letter was published in, a bill advertised for this purpose. If you recall the bills I fought and defeated through the help of my friends in the 1927 Legislature, they were so drawn in dividing the Districts that our Democratic friends thought they had a wonderful chance to elect a majority of the Board. Also, in the 1927 bill, they sought to take the Chairmanship of the Commissioners Court out of the hands of the Probate Judge. In other words in the present bills we elect our members by Districts, as they are now and have heretofore been designated.

The local educational Bills providing for the election of the County Supt. of Education by direct vote of the people and the one designated to elect the Members of the County Board of Education by the districts they serve have already been passed through the House of Representatives by me without a dissenting vote, and in doing this I have fulfilled my promise to the people of Chilton County. These bills have been sent to the State Senate for action.

In view of the fact that the Hon. J. G. Duncan Jr., our Senator from this district is passing similar bills through the Senate for both the other counties comprising this Senatorial District, and further his attention having been called to the fact that a large majority of the people of this county, regardless of their political faith desire the passage of this bill, I can not believe that he will listen to a minority group and defeat the bill in the Senate. The fact is, about sixty five per cent of the counties have seen fit to pass similar bills.

I regret that you are so conscientiously constructed that you are opposed to giving the people the right to elect their county Supt. of Education by direct vote. I am willing at all time to risk their judgment, and am constrained to believe that if you succeed yourself, after the expiration of your appointment by the County Board you will have to submit your election to the voters of Chilton County.

I trust that you are not conscientiously opposed to a bill that we recently, passed, whereby each School District will in the future have the right to elect by the vote of each school District their school trustees, without the assistance of your department in making the selection.

May I close by asking you two questions which I desire you to answer for the benefit of the people of Chilton county, which are as follows:

State whether or not you are personally, conscientiously or otherwise opposed to the election of the County Superintendent of Education of Chilton County by the direct vote of the people?

State whether or not you have talked to, or discussed with the Hon. L. F. Gerald the proposed local bill making the County Superintendent of Education of Chilton County elective by the vote of the people, within the past twelve months?

Respectfully yours,
PERCY PITTS

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LET US HAVE TRUTH, THOUGH THE HEAVENS FALL

Editor Chilton County News:

I feel constrained to again refer to matters concerning our Chilton County Almshouse, and prefer to reduce some of my remarks to affidavit form, copy of which follows:

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Before me, A. A. Conway, a Notary Public, in and for said state and county, personally appeared W. T. Hand, who being duly sworn deposes and says. While discussing the Chilton County almshouse with Dr. Glenn Andrews, (State Prison Inspector), at Montgomery over long distance telephone on or about June 2, 1931 and while referring to affidavits which had been secured from the inmates and others by State Agents in December 1930, said Andrews stated, they were not favorable nor very unfavorable and said if you will come down here you can see them. Whereupon on June 4, 1931 I went to Montgomery for that purpose arriving in his office about 10:45 A. M. He failed to show the affidavits to me and refused to allow me to see them, notwithstanding my persistence while reminding him of his promise which caused my trip. He said his agents didn't find the conditions as shown by Mr. Harrison and others from the Attorney General's Office but found conditions very good.

W. T. HAND.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 5, day of June 1931.

ARNOLD A. CONWAY,
(Seal) Notary Public.

Referred to the Governor and Attorney General for the Harrison affidavit, my inquiry revealed that they had been destroyed.

May the following letter tend to add credence to the above statements; my reputation for truth having been assailed.

BIRMINGHAM TRUST & SAVINGS C.
Birmingham, Ala., July 15, 1922.

Mr. Geo. R. Reynolds,
Chairman of the Board,
Continental & Commercial National
Bank, Chicago, Ill.

Dear Mr. Reynolds: I take this mean[s] of introducing to you W. T. Hand who has been well and favorably known to me for the past thirty-five years. During that time I have had many transactions with him, all of which have been handled in a most satisfactory way.

He is thoroughly straight and reliable and you can accept his word without question. I commend him to you as worthy of your best treatment and any courtesies or favors extended him, will be appreciated by the officers of this bank.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) Tom O. Smith,
Vice President

Relative to the court's inquiry set for June 16th, I will not enter any complaint against the conduct of the almshouse from the 2nd (date on court order for hearing) to the 16th inclusive. Everyone knows that conditions there could have been readily ascertained by anyone in authority and promptly remedied.

My latest information is, that new clothing is being distributed, grub is getting better, chickens have died, inmates are chopping cotton under [illegible] ers, that religious services were [illegible] held (the first in about nine m[illegible] That an inmate, J. R. Allen, a [illegible] crippled dwarf (bent and shrunk) from infantile paralysis, one arm and leg perished, and supported by crutches was on June 4, 1931 personally ordered by Mrs. Stapp (chief welfare agent) to appear in Clanton on the 5th for physical examination. Conveyed by the keeper the inspection showed "fit for work" and he was informed by Mr. Gentry that he would notify Mr. Allen through Mrs. Stapp when he found a job for him. His allowance of [illegible] being cut off about a month ago.

My interest in the household of our poor, is inspired from the best motive I possess. Well do I recollect the enthusiasm and delight exhibited by father (L. J. Hand), who was instrumental in securing and building the first home in Chilton County for the poor about one mile north of Jemison some [illegible] years ago. I have no personal grievance in this matter. I only wish for our poor the best there is in life, attended by adequate nursing and medical aid. My investigation does not show that any Commissioner ever saw a meal served, or that the inmates have had any soap "to wash our face and hands with," and if permitted I will be glad to supply this necessary article.

May I not add more to this sad picture?

W. T. HAND.

PROGRAM ANNOUNCED FOR NINTH ANNUAL CONCLAVE OF WRITERS

(By AGNES WARE BISHOP)

Selma, Ala., June 6.—All is in readiness for the Ninth Annual Conclave of Alabama Writers to be held at Alabama College, Montevallo, June 22-25 inclusive.

The first session will be held Monday evening, June 22, at 8:15 o'clock, in Palmer Hall, with Mrs. Alice Evins Stewart, chairman of the program, presiding.

The full program will be published June 21. The officers of the Conclave are grateful for the cooperation of the writers of the State, and the excellent speakers outside the Conclave membership, which has made possible one of the best and most constructive programs in its history. As the program will be published in full later, this is only an announcement of the various Conclave sessions.

Each session is distinctive and filled with features of help and interest. No writer in Alabama, whether he or she has attaintd success, or is struggling up the difficult path toward achievement can afford to miss one of these sessions. Federation and other prize winning writers, poets, authors of best sellers, editors, speakers of well deserved recognition, musicians, dramatists and the allied arts will enrich the various sessions with their experience and advice.

Monday Evening

Monday evening, June 22, will begin the Conclave, and this opening session will consist of a program of music, talks by speakers of importance in the affairs of Alabama. This will be followed by a "homecoming" reception at which Dr. and Mrs. O. C. Carmichael will be hosts. Tuesday morning will be a miscellaneous session, with illustrations of successful productions in fiction, feature-story writing, drama and music. This might be styled an "all star session" as many prize winning writers are on this special program. F. Melton, of Emory University, and editor of Versecraft, will be the guest speaker of the occasion.

Wednesday Morning

Wednesday morning the Press session will take place and this too has its quota of prize winners and other outstanding writers. Wednesday afternoon will be given up to the very interesting work of the Junior session, when a one-act play by Jack Barefield, of Birmingham, will be staged. Other productions of the young writers of Alabama will be illustrated.

Wednesday Evening

Wednesday evening the Gadsden Little Theater will present a three-act play. Estella Allen Striplin, of Birmingham, will give a group of songs and Robert Evins, of Birmingham, will be the guest speaker. The Conclave is privileged to have Dr. O. C. Carmichael president of Alabama College, preside over this session.

Thursday Morning

Thursday morning's session will be the Press Session, a new feature of the Conclave program. This feature will illustrate and portray the different departments of a daily paper. It will be under the editorship of F. T. Raiford of the Selma Times-Journal. Among those covering assignments will be Marcy Darnell, president of the Alabama Press Association; Grover Hall, of The Montgomery Advertiser; Frank Willis Barnett and Frances Youngblood, of The Birmingham News; Billy Smith, of Clanton, the youngest and one of the most outstanding editors in the State whose paper has been a prize winner Frances Durham, of the Mobile Press, Dr. Rutland, of the English Department at Auburn, and others equally important in the journalistic field. Robert Mangum, of Birmingham, will be one of tht speakers at this session.

Thursday afternoon the only business session of the Conclave will be held, when officers will be elected. This will be followed by a Drama Hour and a Tree-planting exercise at sunset. On Thursday night there will be the banquet which will bring the convention to a brilliant close.

Any writer in Alabama is eligible for membership in the Conclave. N[illegible] are attached except a registration fee of one dollar on arrival at the College and the payment of $1.50 per day for room and board.

The people of Montevallo are invited and urged to attend the evening sessions and will receive a cordial welcome.

Mrs. Paul Smith, of Montgomery, is in charge of the book exhibit and she requests that authors of books, articles, poems or other creative work, will send copies to her address at Alabama College.

Classified Ads

BASKETS

The most complete line ever shown in Clanton—a basket for every need—fruits and vegetables displayed in neat baskets sell first. —Southern Seed & Plant Company.

FOR RENT

6-Room House, located in West Clanton, garden, garage. See Mrs. S. J. Kicker, Clanton. 5-28-tfc

FOR SALE

One solid white all-metal Refrigerator, 75-pound ice capacity. A bargain.—Southern Seed & Plant Company.

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A thief broke into the First Methodist Church in Charleston, W. Va., and investigation disclosed that the only thing stolen was the large Bible on the pulpit.

Trade at Home for Prosperity

Hello Folks! I'm here again

I have placed some odds and ends of furniture and hardware in the building next to the Tiffin-Klinner Furniture Store and want to sell it as quickly as possible. So come in and see if we have what you want. Our price will more than please you.

W. W. Fox
Clanton, Ala.

Billingsley News

Prof. H. A. Askins attended the Reunion in Montgomery last week.

Mrs. C. H. Thompson of Montgomery spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Askins.

Mr. J. W. Pattillo and son, William, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Harrell spent Friday in Montgomery.

Mrs. Georgia Jones of Isabella and Miss Lula Raspberry of Clanton were the guests of Mrs. J. N. Carter last week.

Mr. J. O. Simmons of Louin, Miss., was the week end guest of Mrs. Vasti Wright.

Mrs. J. F. Apperson and sons, Henry M. and Otto, and Mrs. J. C. Vinson motored to Montgomery Friday for the parade.

Mr. Paul Vinson left Saturday for Tuscaloosa where he will attend the summer term at the University.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Patrick and little daughter, Marilyn, of Montgomery were the guests Sunday afternoon of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Patrick, Mrs. Patrick returning with them for a week's visit.

Mrs. A. J. Marlar visited her daughter, Mrs. T. W. Willis, at Jones, last week.

Mrs. J. F. Baxter is visiting relatives in Birmingham this week.

Miss Mabel King of Alabama College at Montevallo was at home for the week end and attended the features of the Reunion in Montgomery Friday with Mr. R. A. Hicks and children, Gladys and William Hicks.

Prof. and Mrs. R. E. Upton, Mrs. J. C. Hughes and Miss Maude Lee Patrick were among the visitors to Montgomery Friday to see the Parade of the old Veterans.

Rev. A. S. Bentley was called to Centerville Saturday to conduct the funeral of Mr. Fred Bice.

Rev. and Mrs. Bentley and Mr. James Bentley returned Thursday from a two weeks visit in Pensacola, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patrick, Mr. T. L. Patrick, Rev. and Mrs. Bentley and Prof. R E. Upton attended the Sunday School Convention at Bethsalem church Sunday afternoon.

Rev. E. E. Stafford was at his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday.

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Hand Crafted Decorative Transfers for your Furniture at The James Sign Shop.

Mrs. J. C. Page spent last Tuesday in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tippett and Miss Lona Thompson attended the Baker-Thompson wedding in Rockford Tuesday night.

Henry Gray of Louisville, Ky., who is suing for a divorce, says that his wife didn't even wait until their honeymoon was over to begin his education as a hen-pecked husband by administering kicks.

We Cordially
Invite
Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Hedgepath
To Dine With Us
Sunday, June 14, 1931
As Our Guests.

THE DIXIE CAFE

Locals - Personals - Society

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Circle Five Met With Mrs. Horsley White.

Circle Number Five of the Baptist church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Horsley White for a Missionary program, topic of which was "Youth and Christ's Program." Following is the program as rendered:

Hymn: "O Zion Haste." Bible study The Days of Thy Youth: Eccl. 12:1-6, 13, by Mrs. W. J. Billingsley.

Solo: "Give of Your Best to the Master," by Mrs. J. E. Gowan.

Prayer: by Mrs. Billingsley. Christ's Program Appeals to Youth, read by Mrs. Horsley White.

Christ's Program Needs Youth, read by Mrs. Flem Higgins.

Song: "Be A Little Sunbeam," sung by four little Sunbeams.

Youth Need's Christ's Program, read by Mrs. V. J. Gragg.

Youth Responds to Christ's Program, read by Mrs. Gowan.

Song: "The King's Business." Prayer by Mrs. Gowan.

Our Jewels, read by Mrs. Herbert Lowery. Flashing out Their Light, read by Mrs. J. A. Jones.

A Story of Three Girls, by Mrs. Frank Foshee.

Meeting closed with a short business meeting. Refreshments were served by Mrs. White and daughter. Will meet with Mrs. Harris on the Monday after the third Sunday.

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Faithful Workers Class To Meet Tuesday.

The Faithful Workers Sunday School Class will meet at the Baptist church in the Sunday School Room Tuesday after the second Sunday. Come at ten o'clock and bring your lunch. Going to quilt. Circle Six is meeting with us to quilt one for them. All come and have a good time together. Bring needle, thimble, thread.

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Miss Aleene LeCroy of Rockford, Ala., Coosa County Child Welfare Superintendent, attended the Clanton Cripples Clinic Friday.

Miss Margaret Shook of the Alabama Cripple Children's Society was in Clanton and assisted with the clinic.

Mrs. J. Q. Wade and Mrs. C. E. Stapp spent Monday at the State Training School for Girls in Birmingham.

Hubert Whitaker, step-son of Pete Williams, had the misfortune to get his right foot mashed while riding a train in Calera Thursday.

Supt. B. Lawrence left Monday for six weeks study at the University. He will be in the office on Saturdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus Jr., and daughter, Billy Ruth, of Birmingham spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus, Sr.

Miss Margaret Tyus, a student nurse at Norwood Hospital, Birmingham, is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus.

Mr. J. T. Tyus and Mrs. Jim Gallaher of Birmingham spent the week end in Columbus, Ga., and upon their return home spent several hours in Clanton with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus.

Mr. Vernon Leon Farnum of Birmingham spent the week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus.

Mrs. Pearl Vickers and little daughter, Edna, of Jemison, are taking a trip to Cincinnati, Ohio, this week. They are accompanied by the former's sister-in-law, Mrs. E. R. Gilbreath and brother-in-law, Gervase Vickers, both of Inglenook, Ala.

Prof. Rascoe Maddox, who has been with the Thorsby Institute for sometime, was a visitor to Clanton Saturday. Mr. Maddox is to leave shortly for North Carolina, where he will study during the summer months. While in Clanton Mr. Maddox called at the News office to have the News sent to him each week while away.

Miss Emma Harte Cather, of Asheville, was the attractive week end guest of Miss Ruth Sessions. Miss Sessions and Miss Cather will attend the University of Alabama during the summer.

S. A. Smith, who resides on Route 6, was among the visitors to Clanton Saturday, and while in town was a pleasant caller at the News office.

A. T. Robinson of Route 7, was in Clanton Saturday attending to business. While in town Mr. Robinson called at the News office.

Clyde Lowe was a visitor to his home in Clanton last Sunday.

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MITCHELL DAM GIRL SCOUTS HELD MEETING RECENTLY

The Mitchell Dam Girl Scouts held their regular meeting Wednesday, June 3rd. We had a very interesting meeting. We were glad to have with us two visitors, Misses Mildred Johnson and Virginia Richard of Lincoln. After business we adjourned to meet again next Wednesday.

Mrs. Hollis and the Scouts, including three Clanton Girl Scouts, made a trip up the river last Friday afternoon. We visited the camp of the Clanton Girl Scouts. We enjoyed the trip very much.

—Reporter.

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGE

Default having been made in the terms of that certain mortgage executed by W. M. Nix and wife, Mandy Nix, to the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Company on the 20th day of April, A. D., 1917 to secure the principal sum of Twelve Hundred and No|100 ($1200.00) Dollars, and recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 156 of Mortgages, at page 510, and conveying the following described property lying and being situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

Southeast quarter of Northeast quarter (SE¼ of NE¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Thirteen (13), containing forty (40) acres. The Northeast quarter of Southwest quarter (NE¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Twenty-three (23), North of Range Thirteen (13) East of St. Stephens's Principal Meridian in Alabama. Ten (10) acres off the North end of Southeast quarter of Southwest quarter (SE¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Twenty-three (23) North of Range Thirteen (13) East of St. Stephen's Principal Meridian in Alabama. The Southwest quarter of Northeast quarter (SW¼ of NE¼); the Southeast quarter of Northwest quarter (SE¼ of NW¼; the Northwest quarter of Southeast quarter (NW¼ of SE¼), all in Section Twenty-eight (28) in Township Twenty-three (23), North of Range Thirteen (13) East of St. Stephen's Principal Meridian in Alabama. The above lands containing in the aggregate two hundred ten (210) acres, and being known as the "Home Place" of said W. M. Nix,

notice is hereby given that under the terms of sale contained in said mortgage, said property will be sold at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, during the legal hours of sale, at the Court House in the Town of Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, on the 14th day of July, A. D. 1931.

—PHOENIX MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Jack Thorington, Attorney. 6-11-3tc

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Bobbie, a pigeon, perches on the minister's Bible, and has not missed a Sunday at the Methodist church in Fredonia, Ia., for six years.

Mrs. Josephine Swingler of Los Angeles testified in her divorce suit that her husband chopped down her cherry tree when he "got very angry."

Maplesville News

The many friends of Mrs. Monroe Ramsey, Sr., will regret to learn that she is still seriously ill at her home. Miss Georgia Foshee, her special nurse of Selma, Dr. Pickering of Plantersville and Dr. Harper of Selma, her attending physicians.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bates is seriously ill at the Baptist Hospital in Selma.

Miss Ruth Mize is visiting friends in Perry County this week.

Mesdames Tucker and Pippins and Mr. Hollis Yawn of Birmingham were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Dawson and Mrs. E. C. Jeffcoat Sunday.

Mrs. A. T Dawson is visiting relatives in Birmingham this week

The B. Y. P. U. is planning on a Training Course at an early date.

The Sunday School will begin a Study Course the fifteenth.

The O. E. S. will hold its regular meeting Wednesday night and elect officers for the ensuing year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Abney and daughter, Flora Jane, Mesdames Potts, H. M. Nix, Stanley Hayes, Miss Margaret Nix, H. M. Nix, Jr., Van Potts, John Glass, F. H. Brown, Frank Perry, W. E. Wallace, Hill Foshee, Melvin Argo, attended the Confederate Soldiers Reunion in Montgomery.

Flora Jane Abney and Helen Nix are delegates to Children of Confederacy Convention in Dothan this week.

The picnic Thursday evening on Walker's Hill was greatly enjoyed by the following: Misses Imogene Dawson, Ruth Mize, Flossie Shanks, Elizabeth Parnell, Abney Brown, Lucie Parnell, Robert Bruce Taylor, Ruth Parnell, Charlie Haggard, Helen Wainwright, Theron Watson, Mary Dee Potts, Herbert Foshee, Annie L. Potts, John Maples, Tommie Kate Wright, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gwin, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gwin, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Dawson.

The W. M. U. held its regular appointment Monday afternoon. Mrs. Mac Seales was the leader.

Mr. J. W. Gwin, Jr., left Sunday for camp at Fort Benning.

Mrs. R. J. Bumpers has returned from Grove Hill where she has been teaching.

Mrs. W. W. Bankhead and interesting children of Jasper, were week end guests of Miss Blossom Crumpton.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Foshee were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Foshee.

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50,000 MILE HIKER STOPS AT NEWS OFFICE TUESDAY

Would you hike 50,000 miles for $20,000? Well, Gilbert "Happy" Moran says he is doing that, and that he was given up to die sometime ago, a victim of tuberculosis.

Moran stopped in the News office late Tuesday afternoon to ask for a letter from this newspaper as evidence that he passed through Clanton. He is from Nome, Alaska and has been on his hike since back in 1930.

He stated that sometime ago he became a victim of tuberculosis and had been given up to die by several doctors. At that time he was a miner and timberman in Alaska. He made these bets with the doctors, he said. So far he has visited every governor's office in the union except the governor of Alabama, and was on his way there Tuesday. As proof of this statement, Moran submitted letters from the office of the governors, bearing the state seals, and either signed by the governors or the secretarys of state

Moran will go on to New York before ending his hike, if he can make it he said. When he first started out he weighed only 115 pounds, and now tips the scales at 198.

IF INTERESTED
In A
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Clanton

LARGE NUMBER ATTENDED CRIPPLE CLINIC HELD IN CLANTON LAST FRIDAY

The clinic for cripples was well attended Friday at the Baptist Church in Clanton with Dr. John D. Sherrill examining 45 people during the day. Of the 45 people, 36 were children and 9 were grown-ups. Twelve were from adjoining counties with 2 from Coosa County, 1 from Autauga County, 7 from Shelby County, 1 from Bibb County and 1 from Elmore County.

There were many who the doctor recommended only observation in order to give the defected part time to develop more or to become sounder, while others needed a certain type of shoe and possibly a shoe built up in certain parts to prevent flat foot, the breaking down of the arch, etc., others were recommended for braces and some were in need of operations. Some [illegible] limping, some on crutches, some in braces, some with arms in swings, and some were brought in the arms of others. It is a wonderful opportunity for Chilton County people to have a specialist of Dr. Sherrill's type to be within reach at least once each year. Chilton County has many crippled adults who would not be crippled today had a clinic been available when they were young.

The Pilot Club of Clanton served sandwiches and the Kiwanis Club served ice cream at the noon hour.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Garrison of Birmingham were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. White during the past week end.

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JIM BARRETT OF VERBENA DIED IN MONTGOMERY

Jim Barrett of Verbena, a former citizen of this county, and a guard at Kilby Prison for the past four years, died in St. Margaret's Hospital in Montgomery last Sunday, June 7. The funeral was held Monday afternoon at Verbena Baptist church at three o'clock with Rev. J. D. Hughes officiating, and the Masons in charge of the burial.

He is survived by his widow Mrs. Maud (Hatchett) Barrett, and several children besides a host of other relatives and friends.

Martin & Sons of Clanton were in charge of arrangements. Several Rockford friends attended the funeral of Mr. Barrett.

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Mrs. Paul Hammill of Birmingham arrived yesterday to spend the remainder of the week as the guest of Mrs. J. Q. Wade.

Mrs. C. E. Stapp and Mrs. J.Q. Wade spent last Monday in Birmingham on business.

Dr. M. A. Seay and Judge Maddox of Fernbank spent Monday night and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stapp.

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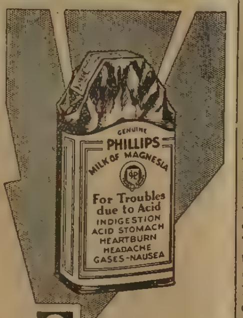

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29 x 5.00	$9.25
31 x 5.25	10.75

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Billingsley Service Station

W. C. Billingsley - - - Clanton, Ala.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF FIRST MEETING

No. 7068

In the District Court of the United States for the Middle District of Alabama—In Bankruptcy

In the matter of Hugh Jones, Bankrupt. Postoffice Clanton, County Chilton, Alabama.

The aforesaid party having been adjudged a Bankrupt, under the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to Establish a Uniform System of Bankruptcy Throughout the United States," approved July 1st, 1898, meeting of the Creditors of said Bankrupt is called at the office of the undersigned Referee, in the United States Court House, Montgomery, Alabama, on the 19th day of June next, at 10 o'clock A. M., to make proof of debts, and for the election of a Trustee, and such other matters as are necessary and required by the Act of Congress aforesaid.

Montgomery, Ala., June 4, 1931.

M. S. CARMICHAEL,
Referee.

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NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity No. 905.
Viola Scott, Complainant, vs. A. J. Scott, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Registrar by the affidavit of Raymond C. Smith that the Defendant is a non-resident or that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said A. J. Scott to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 3rd day of July, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 2nd day of June, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
Register.

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CHAS. GULLEDGE MAKING BIG IMPROVEMENTS NOW

Verbena will soon have a place of business that it can rightfully be proud of. This place will be the Verbena Service Station, located directly on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway, and owned by Chas. Gulledge of Verbena.

For sometime, the Verbena Service Station has been gaining in popularity among motorists, and now the work of erecting a modtrn automobile repair shop in connection with the station is almost completed. The entire front of the station and the garage has been paved, connecting with the pavement on the highway, which makes it a most inviting place.

Mr. Gulledge stated that his garage will be ready to open within a very short time, and when completed he wanted everyone to stop by and inspect the entire place, which will be more than a one-stop service station for autoists.

Even now, the comfort rooms for ladies and men at the Verbena Service Station are far above the usual class in comfort and conveniences, and when the garage is completed there will be rest rooms for colored motorists. In connection with the repair department of the station, there will also be a paint shop, operated by an experienced painter, as well as a mechanic. In this issue of the News there appears an ad from the Verbena Service Station on Mansfield tires.

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"Dollar Bill" at High School Tuesday night, June 16th.

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NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity No. 919.
Irving J. Rouch, Complainant, vs. Bonnie Warren Rouch, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Lawrence F. Gerald that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that her place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring her, the said Bonnie Warren Rouch to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 25th day of June, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against her.

Done at office in Clanton, this 25th day of May, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
Register.

5-28-4tc

J. B. ATKINSON
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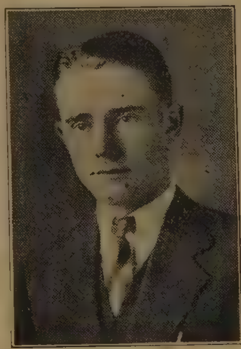

F. L. HARRIS

Lester (Breeches) Jones and "Harris" Newton Popwell and Arthur Broadhead, have been giving Florida the once over this week. The pictures above were made when "Breeches" and Harris didn't have fishing on their mind, and we'd like to see a picture of them in Florida with the other boys now.

Newton and Arthur were anxious to see the whole state, fish awhile, swim awhile, boat awhile, and some other things awhile, but must have found the weather down there about as hot as it is here. And when a banker, hardware man, and two merchants get together in Florida you can almost depend on them giving the place the twice over. They are expected to return tomorrow.

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STATE HAS 670 FARMS WITH OVER 1000 ACRES

There are 670 farms in Alabama with 100 acres or more according to preliminary figures released by the United States Census Bureau. This is nearly 200 less than were in the State in 1920 when 880 farms were reported with 1000 acres and over.

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NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity No. 918.
Wesley Brown, Complainant, vs. Mayme Brown, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Lawrence F. Gerald that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that her place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring her, the said Mayme Brown to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 25th day of June, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against her.

Done at office in Clanton, this 25th day of May, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER
Register

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—THE FLORALA TRIBUNE.

No. 3

ALABAMA POWER COMPANY
SERVING FARM—FACTORY—FIRESIDE

News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

Mr. Rascoe Maddox left Monday morning for North Carolina where he will attend the University during the summer session.

Mrs. Pete Franklin has been very low with pneumonia, but is much better now.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cleckler have returned home from South Alabama.

On Sunday, June 14, there will be Children's Day Services at the Congregational church.

Mr. T. J. York of Birmingham will speak at the Thorsby Baptist church next Sunday morning at the eleven o'clock hour. He will also teach "Stewardship of Life" each evening next week through Thursday.

Mrs. S. J. Davenport spent the week end in Verbena.

Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway, Mesdames R. R. Franklin and C. M. Gray and little Peggy Mims Franklin left Sunday morning at four o'clock for Dallas, Texas, and other points of interest en route there, to visit relatives.

Mrs. Frank Thompson is visiting her mother in Dadeville this week.

Miss Clyde Jones is spending the week with Mary Sue Robinson.

Mr. Fred J. Carter, Mr. Jackson and Mr. James Shearer of Philadelphia are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Carter.

Miss Frances Maddox and Mr. Wilson Maddox spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Smith.

Miss Lois Thompson spent the week end with her grandmother Goodgame in Clanton.

Mr. Clyde Meade, Mr. W. L. Leary, E. N. Bentley, Mr. Jackson of Birmingham and Horace Bean spent Thursday fishing on Coosa river.

Mr. Harry Thompson is moving back to his home in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Meade, Helen Louise and Miss Agnes Leary spent Friday in Birmingham.

Mrs. J. Leonard Hayes, Mrs. R. C. Collins and Mrs. H. W. Marcus visited Mrs. Fowler who is very sick, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hayes and family had dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Collins.

Miss Hilma Collins is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Walter Robinson, of Lay Dam.

The churches of Thorsby have united in plans for a Daily Vacation Bible School to begin June 15, and last thru June 26. There will be classes for the children each day at the Grammar school building from 8 to 12. Every evening there will be group meetings for the young people and older people at the Baptist church. All are urged to send the children and attend the group meetings. It is for everybody interested in the better things—from the tiny tots to the older people in the community.

Dr. G. W. Wright from Vinita, Okla., arrived in Thorsby Monday. He expects to spend ten days with his mother and sister, Mrs. D. L. Ward. He attended the Confederate Veterans Reunion at Montgomery, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wright from Ashby, Ala., spent Sunday with Mrs. D. L. Ward.

Mr. D. L. Ward was operated on Thursday, June 4, and is getting along nicely. He will be back in about fifteen days.

Dr. and Mrs. Lee spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. D. L. Ward.

The Montgomery School of Aeronautics will present an air circus at Thorsby on Saturday and Sunday, June 13 and 14, with free admission to the public. The field will be located at Plainview farm, two miles south of Thorsby on the Montgomery highway. Pilots will include L. G. Mason, L. L. Brabham and Capt. "Pop" Hanscom, of the Lafayette Escadrille. Featured will be "Buddie" Plunkett, the South's youngest parachute jumper and wing walker. and a plentiful supply of thrills is promised all who attend. The field will be designated as an emergency field between Birmingham and Montgomery, and it is believed that the coming of this troupe of well known fliers will do much to promote air-mindedness in Thorsby and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Pearson and little daughters, Mary Eleanor and Nan Elizabeth, were Sunday visitors to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton.

Miss Vera Anderson and the Misses Bradley of Troy, who have been teaching in the Birmingham schools, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton Wednesday.

A miscellaneous shower was given at the home of Mrs. Mack Gray Tuesday evening honoring Mrs. Ethel Thompson Gamble. The house was beautifully decorated in gladiolas, sweet peas, and lark spur. The guests were served punch and sandwiches. Around fifty guests were present.

Mr. B. F. Massey of Clanton spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. J. H. Goddard.

Miss Lola Martin entertained the following at a party Friday evening: Misses Jessie Martin, Roma Lee Pate, Bonny Honeycutt, Edna Childress, Sallye Thompson, Willodean Bean, Linnie Belle Reinhart, Mabel Johnson, Mary Ruth Nix and Lucile Howard. Messrs. Paul Marcus, Foster Miller, Hubert Reinhart, Erchel Martin, Charles Childress and Kenneth O'Barr.

Mrs. S. C. Wood gave a Rook party in honor of Misses Lois Thompson and Dorothy Vaughan Franklin last Friday evening. The following were the guests Misses Conradine Pate, Christine Bosworth, Verla and Wilma Goodgame, Juanita Each, Kathrine Lenoir and Edith Foss and Messrs. Oliver Lyon, Ralph Pate, George Herbert Nix, L. C. Lowery, Charles Durbin, Leo Spivey and Frank Wood. High score prize was won by Miss Wilma Goodgame.

Mrs. Arthur Villadsen of Lincoln, Ala., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robinson during the week end.

Mr. Carl P. Linte of Palatka, Fla., will arrive Tuesday as guest of Miss Virginia Bice, granddaughter of Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sims, Miss Kathrine Lenoir and Mrs. W. H. Raybon went to Birmingham Saturday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Peterson, Mr. Roy Raybon and Miss Ruth Peterson spent Sunday in Greenville with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Peterson.

Mrs. Horace Reinhart had a pleasant surprise last Thursday when a truck load of women and children numbering 48, from Wilsonville came to spend the day with her. They brought basket lunches and the dinner was spread out under the big oak trees and was very much enjoyed by all. In the afternoon readings and singing was the entertainment. Mrs. G. F. Harper was asked to join the crowd as some were old friends of hers.

Mrs. G. F. Harper left for DeFuniac Springs, Florida Saturday to be with her sister, who has been sick for some time.

Miss Odie Lee Arthur left Sunday for Bowling Green, Kentucky where she will attend summer school.

Misses Hazel Maddox and Edith Johnson returned last Wednesday from Demorest, Georgia, where they were in college.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hester and daughters, Lila and Essie, spent Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Jim Collins. Mr. and Mrs. Hester are remaining for a short visit.

Mrs. Becky Riggins is spending this week with Mrs. Hershall Maddox.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Reinhart is visiting in Wilsonville this week.

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Important Insurance Information For World War Veterans

Information to the effect that Form 579 (Insurance Demand) had to be filed before July 3, 1931, and that the filing of this form made it unnecessary to file suit on the claims before that time, may have been in error. Shortly after the War most of the men who are now claiming insurance executed Form 526, which was a claim for all benefits arising from the War Risk Insurance Act. Under the regulations prevailing at that time, upon receipt of Form 526 the veteran's case was rated for insurance and compensation purposes, and if the rating was less than permanent total this amounted to a denial of his insurance claim, and within six months thereafter, unless appealed, constituted final disagreement.

A case is now pending in the district court of the Southern District of California involving this specifict point. If it be held by the court in that case that Form 526 was a demand for insurance and that disagreement existed on the denial of insurance based on Form 526, then suit must be filed in all insurance claims before the 3rd of July 1931. If it be held that Form 526 was not an insurance demand, then the present system in operation by the Veterans Bureau (Form 579) is the proper method of procedure. But the California case will not be settled before the 3rd of July, and it may easily be that after that date it will be too late to file suit. The only safe way to proceed is to have suit filed before the 3rd of July 1931 and then it is impossible to be wrong regardless of the decision in the California case.

Under the law, the Veterans Bureau can not waive this point. Even should the Veterans Bureau agree not to plead the statute of limitations, the Attorney General of the United States could instruct the District Attorney to make that defense, and the effect on the veteran would be exactly the same. This does not apply to you if you filed your claim for compensation after June 7, 1924.

All veterans who have claims pending for insurance, or who contemplate filing suit, and who filed claims prior to June 7, 1924, should take the foregoing information and get in touch with their attorneys at once.

W. M. WESTON,
State Service Comimssioner,
924 Martin Bldg., Birmingham, Ala.

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Patrick Henry, Oklahoma ranchman, met, courted and won Daisy Frame on a bus trip to California, where they were married.

A sign on the outskirts of Jump, Eng., reads: "To Jump—A Mile"

Burglars who rifled a safe and cash register in a store in Monroe, La., "rang up" the amount taken from the cash register before leaving the store.

A motorist named Goodspeed was fined in St. Louis for speeding.

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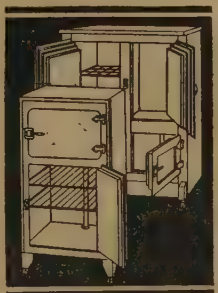

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KEROSENE OIL
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2 lb. jar 35c

TOMATOES
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FRUIT JAR RUBBERS
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Per Doz. 5c

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BRING YOUR JUG

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1 lb. bar each 5c

GRANDMOTHER'S BREAD
Regular Loaf --- 16-Oz. 7c
Pullman Loaf --- 20-Oz. 10c
Whole Wheat --- 18-Oz. 8c

WHITE HOUSE MILK
2 tall cans 15c
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FAMILY REUNION HELD AT HOME OF W. L. CHANDLER

A Chandler family reunion was held last Sunday at the home of W. L. Chandler. From the oldest to the youngest attended this happy reunion. All the children with the exception of one, Mae Taylor, were present. Grandmother Hathcock, who is 85 years old, enjoyed the affair as much as any of the other 108 who were present.

Those present at this reunion were: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chandler and family, Jesse Chandler and family, Grady Chandler and family, Mrs. Ressie Hathcock and part of family, Clint and children, Archie Chandler and family, Curtiss Chandler, Alvin Chandler and family, Clyde Chandler and family, Harvey Chandler, Leon Chandler, Miss Gladys Chandler. Relatives present were Mr. W. B. Chandler and family, Jones, Ala.; A. M. Walker and family, Plantersville, Ala.; R. L. Walker and family, Jones, Ala.; J. E. Chandler and family, Jones, Ala.; L. M. Chandler and family, Jones, Ala.; O. B. White and wife, Jones, Ala.; E. F. Finch and wife, Selma, Ala.; H. R. Mogre and wife, Jones, Ala.; B. F. Carr and wife, Mt. Creek; L. L. Walker and family, Jones, Ala.; S. R. Ray and family, Jones, Ala.; L. L. Evans and part of family; C. A. Langstone and part of family, Jones, Ala.; Ralph Wilkins, Hobson Askins, Lonnie and Rube Cleckler, Claudie Mae Spigener, Evelyn and Ottis Williams, Earl Friday, Velma and Tefton Down, Billingsley, Ala.

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10 BARS 25c

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Eastview News

A Surprise Birthday Party.

On Wednesday evening, June 3rd, which was my birthday, the Ladies Aid, members of Eastview church and the community met at my home and took me on surprise, before I knew the intent of the gathering. I was carried to two tables filled with nice things to eat, which had been prepared and brought there by the good people. I was told that it was my birthday supper and to just help myself and I obeyed.

I was also presented with a nice Bible by the Ladies Aid Society. Words cannot express my appreciation for this kind and loving favor.

My Bible and I, we've traveled together
My Bible and I, in all kinds of weather
With smiles and with sighs.
In sunshine or sorrow in tempest or calm.
It's friendship unchanging, my lamp and my psalm.
We traveled together, my Bible and I
When life has grown weary and death e'en was nigh.
But all through the darkness of mist and of wrong,
I found there a solace, a prayer and a song
So now who shall part us, my Bible and I?
Shall critics, or scoffers or others who try?
Shall shadows for substance or stone for good bread
Supplant thy sound wisdom, give folly instead?
Ah, no, my dear Bible, revealer of light,
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And still through life's journey until the last sigh
We'll travel together, my Bible and I.

Yours in the work for the Master,
—A Calvin Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Nelson visited the latter's parents last Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gray.

There will be preaching here next Saturday, Sunday and Sunday night by the pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Nelson of Elmore County are spending the week with their son and his family, Rev. A. C. Nelson and family.

Mrs. Cape visited Mrs. Campbell Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mary Sue Smith was the guest of Miss Ruby Campbell Sunday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson spent the week end at Eclectic where he conducted services at Union and Watson Chapel churches.

The Ladies Aid will meet Saturday at 10 a.m. at the church. Be sure and come on time.

Mr. S. P. Smith and family attended the singing at Coopers Sunday.

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Liberty Hill News

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Littlejohn, Mrs Maggie Foshee and Mr. Marvin Lowery attended the singing at Longview, Shelby County, Sunday. They had the pleasure of hearing the McDonald Quartette sing.

Miss Eula Foshee is in bed with the mumps. She has been greatly missed at Sunday School.

Next Saturday and Sunday are our regular preaching days. Visitors are always welcome. Sunday afternoon the Liberty Hill-Pleasant Grove singing society meets here. We would be glad to have you attend both services.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Duke were the Sunday spend-the-day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Cooper.

Mrs. Wiley Littlejohn is spending part of this week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Maggie Foshee.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Lowery, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ward attended the singing at Chestnut Creek Sunday. They report hearing some fine singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Littlejohn and little daughter, Tommie Sue, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Sessions spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Littlejohn.

Miss Olene Mims is attending Jacksonville Normal School this summer.

Mr. Vernon Baker is home from school. We welcome him back to our community.

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Mrs. J. Watts Moore, Mrs. John DeRamus and Charles Moore motored to Montgomery Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Thompson and children of Athens, Georgia, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. White last Tuesday.

Property In West End Has Changed Owners

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many regular customers now.

Joe Grooms, another well known merchant with a progressive place of business in West End, has not been there so very long, but has seen an increase in his line. He operates a general merchandise store and filling station combined, located on a corner.

A visit out through that business section of West End in the morning when everyone is wide awake and busy, will show a person that West End is seemingly coming back again to be a bigger part of Clanton, and some day in the near future, it would perhaps not be taking too much for granted to prophesy that large brick buildings will replace the now small wooden structures housing these enterprising little business places.

Luther Williams will soon open a place of business in West End according to reports. He will occupy a new building just beyond the store of J. H. Broadhead, and will probably carry a line of fresh meats, groceries, and will have a filling station in connection. It was not learned just when he planned to open, however, the building has been completed.

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S. S. Convention At Concord Sunday

On Sunday, June 14, beginning at two o'clock in the afternoon there will be a Sunday School Convention at the Concord church near Clanton. Following is the program for the afternoon, as announced by H. A. Harris:

2:30 P. M. Devotional, J. M. Parrish.

2:40 P. M. Reports.

2:50 P. M. The Greater Mission of the Rural Sunday School, J. Z. Mims.

3:10 P. M. Things that Make a Sunday School Go, S. J. Ezell.

3:40 P. M. The Superintendent's Task and How to Meet It, W. M. Wyatt.

4:00 P. M. General Discussion and Adjournment.

All Sunday Schools in the Clanton District are urged to be represented, especially Superintendents and Officers.

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Concord-Billingsley

The singing was well attended here last Sunday afternoon. Several visitors from other churches were present. We were very glad to see so many present, and extend to you an invitation to come every first Sunday afternoon and help us sing.

The Christian Endeavor society from here visited the Pleasant Grove society and put on a program there last Sunday night. We were glad of the invitation and the privilege to accept. Sure everyone present had an enjoyable time.

We hope there was something done or said that would help and encourage someone.

The President of our Christian Endeavor society, Mr. Hudson Williams, left Friday for Troy, Ala., where he will attend school during the summer months.

He wil lbe greatly missed in our C. E. and Sunday school work, but we wish him the greatest success and we pray God's blessings on him in everything he undertakes to do.

We have elected Mr. Olin Williams for president in his stead.

If everyone will help him and do their part we can do a great work.

Mr. and Mrs. Fonza Williams and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams.

Misses Bessie and Jettie Williams spent Saturday afternoon with Miss Virginia Little.

Mrs. W. A. Williams and children spent the latter part of the past week with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. W. A. Kynard, of Selma.

Mrs. C. A. Surles and children were the guests of her daughter, Mrs. Homer Turner, last Sunday.

Mr. T. L. Williams dined at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams Sunday.

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Girl Scouts Broke Camp Last Saturday

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is a resolution passed by the Girl Scouts at the close of the camp:

WHEREAS, Troop No. 1 of Clanton Girl Scouts enjoyed the week of June 1-6 camping at Martin's and Upchurch's camps on the Coosa river, hereby proffer a resolution of sincere thanks to the following:

1. To Mr. J. Mell Martin and Dr. E. E. Upchurch who granted the use of their camps.
2. To the Kiwanis club of Clanton which provided transportation to and from the camp.
3. To the Wade Ice Company which donated all the ice used by the campers.
4. To Mr. W.H. Sartor for the surprise package which delighted the girl scouts, and,
5. To the camp staff, composed of Mrs. N. S. Johnson, Mrs. C. E. Stapp, Mrs. W. M Wyatt, Misses Zora Guy, Mary Ellis, Emma Lou Bass, Gene Griffin and Bonnie Clyde Griffin, who worked so untiringly in making the camp a success.

Signed:
Mamie Middleton,
Dixie Johnson,
Elizabeth Harris, Com.

Scouts attending the camp were: Mary Edith Jones, Jane Pitts, Mary Belle Bean, Elizabeth Harris, Mary Charles Cox, Helen Nix, Frances Foshee, Elizabeth Williams, Dolly Belle Harris, Frances Rasberry, Ruth Gowan, Mary Courtney Jones, Eloise Rasberry, Elizabeth Lawrence, June Cox, Helen Roberts, Frances Davis, Thelma White, Nell Neighbors, Jane Neighbors, Gladys Martin, Louise Marcus, Dixie Johnson, Theda Wyatt, Billie Johnson, Elizabeth Johnson and Mamie Middleton of Birmingham.

The troop was under the direction of the following: Mrs. N. S. Johnson, Mrs. C. E. Stapp, Mrs. W. M. Wyatt, Captain Zora Guy, Misses Mary Ellis, Emma Lou Bass of Birmingham, Bonnie Clyde and Gene Griffin.

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MEETING AT ALMSHOUSE LAST TUESDAY

Statements Given By Those Present Show Opinions That Conflict

As scheduled, the meeting called by the Commissioners of Chilton County to be held at the county almshouse last Tuesday was held, with an estimated group of people of seventy-five present. The meeting was called by the Court, it is said, on account of charges made in letters from citizens of the county in regard to the treatment received by inmates of the almshouse from the keeper, J. D. Bean.

Two attorneys, Percy M. Pitts and Omar L. Reynolds were present, with a stenographer to question the inmates and anyone present at the meeting, in regard to the manner in which the almshouse was being conducted and the treatment being meted out to the inmates. The statements from those who were questioned were taken down on paper and signed.

Approximately eighteen signatures were received by the attorneys doing the questioning. The statements in many instances conflict badly with each other. Among those giving statements were J. A. Shaver, Dr. S. C. Wood, A. A. Jackson, J. H. Teel, Millie Alice Newton, Thomas Isaac Newton, Ellen Cooedy, Mrs J. C. Smith, Oliver Smith, Ollie Brewer, Bill Lowson, negro, E. F. Taylor, Gilbert Kendrick, J. R. Allen, Amos Bean, J. D. Bean and T. A. Maddox.

The statement of J. A. Shaver an inmate of the house told of the food served, saying that the only objections he had was that they didn't get enough to eat, but that he had no objection to the way it was prepared, and that he always had enough fuel in winter to keep him warm.

The statement from Dr. S. C. Wood, practicing physician of Clanton, and authorized physician for the almshouse gave his opinion of the conditions as being "better, or equally as good as in the average home of Chilton county." He also stated that no inmate had complained to him of not having sufficient clothing. He also stated that he knew of no place where M. Bean, the keeper, is failing to do his duty at the almshouse.

A. A. Jackson, a resident and promi-

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CLANTON MAY HAVE A LARGE GOLF COURSE

Plans Are Underway Now To Occupy 35-Acre Field For 9 Holes

Plans were being fromulated Tuesday for the organizing of a real golf course for Clanton, and according to indications it is practically assured.

Although no definite arrangements have been made so far for the work to start on building the course, arrangements have been made to occupy a thirty-five acre field just south of the business section of Clanton, which will take care of a nine hole course. The proposed links will occupy the field near the large gasoline tanks west of South Clanton, hardly a mile out of town.

The golf links will be the property of something of a club to be organized among residents of Clanton, who will finance the building and upkeep. Within the club, it will probably be proposed to elect officers who will direct the work, and a competent man who is experienced in the building of golf links has been in Clanton for the past several days working on the idea.

If this plan materializes, it will place Clanton forward, as there are many visiting persons to Clanton who have asked about the local golf links.

L. F. GERALD IS CONFINED IN BIRMINGHAM HOSPITAL

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence F. Gerald and Miss Celia Gerald, left Monday morning for Birmingham, where Mr. Gerald entered the St. Vincent's Hospital for an operation.

Mrs. Gerald and Celia will spend several days in the city with relatives, while Mr. Gerald will be confined to the hospital for something like two weeks.

ENGAGEMENT, APPROACHING MARRIAGE IS ANNOUNCED

The following announcement was taken from The Birmingham News of last Sunday:

"Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Pitts announce the engagement of their daughter, Elie Merle, to William Gray Orr, the wedding to take place July 16."

Miss Pitts is a most attractive and charming and talented young lady, and has several friends in Clanton. Mr. Orr is known to his many Clanton friends as "Bill," and is the son of Mrs. M. R. Orr of Clanton.

PILOT CLUB OF CLANTON WILL GET CHARTER

Visiting Members Woman's Club in Clanton for Meeting Friday Night

The next meeting of the newly organized Pilot Club of Clanton, an organization composed wholly of business and professional women, as something of an auxiliary to the Kiwanis Club, will be held Friday night.

At this meeting which will be held at the Baptist church, the official charter for the Clanton club will be presented by Harriet McSwean of Selma, general chairman of extension for Pilot International.

Much interest is being shown, and the organization took off at the beginning with a splendid start, with several new members added since its organization only several weeks ago.

Among those from out of town who will attend the meeting here Friday night are the International President, Virginia Rangeley and the International Secretary, Carrie B. Allen of Montgomery also Margaret Ormond, Pres. Selma Pilots, Emily Pointer, Naemi Turnquist, and Harriet McSwean of Selma.

Joe Earl Gowan is spending several weeks in the Citizens Military Training Camp, at Anniston this summer.

Mrs. J. C. Hughes of Billingsley was in Clanton shopping last Tuesday.

Miss Mildred Raney And S. A. Jones Wed

Coming from a short but romantic courtship, the marriage of Miss Mildred Raney to S. A. Jones took place on last Sunday afternoon, June 14th, in Bessemer.

The ceremony was performed at the home of the Rev. Stephens, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Bessemer, in the presence of a few intimate friends.

Mrs. Jones is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Raney of Bessemer. She attended the State Teachers College, in Florence, and has taught in this county for four years. She is considered one of the most popular teachers in the county, and is a member of the younger social set, having visited in Clanton sometime.

Mr. Jones is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Jones, one of the oldest families of the county, and is well known in Clanton as a young business man, being prominently conneeted with Jones Place, local drug store. He is a graduate of the county high school and popular among the young business men of Clanton.

Following a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Jones returned to Clanton, where they will make their home, and where they have been receiving the congratulations of their scores of friends.

SERVICES AT SAMARIA BAPTIST CHURCH ON NEXT SUNDAY

The regular preaching day at the Samaria Baptist church is next Sunday, according to the Rev. J. W. Jones, pastor of the church. Services will be held Sunday morning at eleven o'clock and Sunday night at seven-thirty.

Rev. Jones has been faithfully filling the pulpit at the Samaria church since October, 1930, and has built up quite a bit of interest in church work in that community, however, he states that the people in the Samaria Community are real church workers and should be commended for the progress made in that work. They extend a cordial invitation to everyone to attend the services at their church next Sunday.

Jemison Stores To Take Half Holiday

An announcement was made this week in Jemison to the effect that the stores and business houses of that place would close on Thursday afternoons, beginning June 25th.

This arrangement will continue, it was stated, until August 20th, which is during the warmest days of summer. This shows a step of harmony among the merchants and business men of Jemison, and they deserve commendation in giving their employees a half day off each week during the summer months.

Local Nehi Plant Wins In Contest

According to an announcement and a letter of congratulations to Horsley White, the Nehi Bottling Company of Clanton took fourth prize in a state contest among the bottling plants of that company.

This contest was carried on by the Nehi Company during the month of May, and there were only five prizes, or places offered in the contest. Those ranking ahead of the Clanton plant are Gadsden, Anniston, and Columbus, Ga., towns much larger than Clanton.

Mr. White received hearty congratulations from the contest manager on his award in this contest for District No. 2 in Alabama.

LEON JONES OF NEAR HERE DIED ON LAST TUESDAY

Leon Jones, age 28, died at the Central Alabama Hospital last Tuesday morning following a very short illness. He was carried to the hospital Sunday afternoon.

Funeral services were held yesterday morning at eleven o'clock at Chestnut Creek church, interment following in the Chestnut Creek cemetery, Martin & Sons of Clanton in charge.

Mr. Jones is a member of a well known and prominent family of this county, and has been operating a filling station on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway, at the intersection of the new Rockford road for some time. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Berry Jones of this county, the eldest of the family of fourteen children and the first to be called by death.

Surviving are the parents, his widow who was Miss Delie Jones before her marriage, several brothers and sisters and other relatives.

ROLAND TAYLOR WILL TAKE INTERESTING TRIP SOON

Roland W. Taylor, of the Taylor Wholesale Grocery Company of Clanton is scheduled to leave today for an extended trip that is planned to cover approximately twelve states, all of which are the main wheat producing states.

Mr. Taylor will be in company with two other men, who are prominently connected with flour mills in Alabama, and who are interested in the wheat section of the United States. Mr. Taylor stated that they expected to visit the larger flour mills of the West, and that the trip will consume approximately three weeks.

Clinic For Chilton W.M.U. Members Soon

On next Thursday, June 25th, there will be conducted a clinic at the Liberty Hill church, just west of Clanton, for the purpose of giving instructions to each W. M. U. officer in regard to their duty in the organization.

The clinic will open at nine-thirty o'clock Thursday morning, according to Mrs. W. H. Raybon, secretary of the organization. Everyone attending is asked to bring lunch and stay all day, in order to receive this special study of work.

Dates For Revival Services Announced

The Rev. J. W. Jones, of Thorsby, has announced tentative dates for revival meetings to be held at the Thorsby Baptist church, Jemison Baptist church, and at Samaria Baptist.

Beginning July 5th, revival services are scheduled to begin at the Jemison Baptist church. The pastor is to be assisted by the Rev. W. I. Myers of Vinemont, Ala., and who is a former State Evangelist. This revival meeting will probably continue for ten days, with services at the eleven o'clock hour in the mornings and at seven-thirty at night.

Beginning July 19th, revival services are to start at the Samaria church, with the pastor, Rev. J. W. Jones conducting each service, morning and evening. This meeting will continue for one week.

On July 26th, the revival meeting is scheduled to open at the Thorsby Baptist church, the pastor being assisted by the Rev. F. M. Barnes, pastor of the Clayton Street Baptist church, in Montgomery, and the meeting will continue for ten days.

Further announcements in regard to each of these revivals will be made later, according to Rev. Jones.

TIFFIN-KLINNER GETS THE AGENCY FOR PHILCO RADIOS

The Tiffin-Klinner Furniture Company, located on Sixth Street, in the Fox Building, announced this week that they have secured the exclusive agency in Chilton County for the well known Philco Radios.

Mr. Tiffin, manager of this large furniture concern, stated that they made careful inspection of several makes of radio before selecting the Philco, and invite everyone to visit their store and see the new nine-tube sets on display. They are pushing sales right along on this line. Read their ads in this issue of the News.

MR. AND MRS. S.J. DEASON PARENTS OF FINE BABY BOY

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Deason of Clanton have announced the arrival of a fine baby boy, born last Monday morning early at their home here. Both mother and young son are doing fine.

It might be added that unusual energy was seen in Mr. Deason Monday morning in his regular rounds of delivering ice and investigation disclosed the announcement made above. We can't blame him for feeling great.

PRAYER MEETINGS TO BE HELD FOR STATE-WIDE REVIVAL

Group Meetings To Be Held Every Wednesday In This Section

"Every great spiritual awakening that has swept this and other nations of the world from Pentecost to the present time, has come in answer to prayer," said Bob Jones recently in discussing plans for the state-wide revival campaign to be held in every section of Alabama for three weeks next January.

"The most vital and important thing just now is to get the people all over the state to pray earnestly for this state-wide revival. If the people will lift their hearts to God in earnest, prevailing prayer, He will hear from heaven and will send a great spiritual awakening that will include the entire state."

"In order that people everywhere might be in prayer at the same time for the same purpose, we have set Wednesday of each week as the day and 10 to 10:30 a.m. as the time for state-wide cottage prayer meetings to be held each week until the revival meetings begin. These half-hour prayer meetings are to be informal group meetings with just one purpose, definite prayer for a revival. Prayer meetings are now being held in many sections of the state and we hope to have at least 10,000 prayer meetings organized between now and next January.

"Will you be one to start such a meeting and invite your neighbors and friends to join you in your home for this half-hour of prayer? Remember the time, each Wednesday morning from 10 to 10:30. Make this the keynote of your prayers: "Lord send a revival and let it begin in me."

Anyone in Clanton or in Chilton County who will start one of these Wednesday morning prayer meetings is asked to notify Mrs. Reese Mullins, at Clanton, who is Chairman for the Cottage Prayer Meetings in Chilton County. It is hoped that scores of people in this section of the state will join in these Wednesday morning prayer meetings.

The Wednesday morning prayer meetings are just one phase of a most unique plan ever undertaken in the history of evangelism. The Christian

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WHITE'S BEAUTY SHOPPE GETS WARM WELCOME ON OPENING

The opening of the White Beauty Shoppe last Thursday received a warm welcome from the people of Clanton. This shop opened upstairs above The Leader, with new equipment thruout.

Miss Arcula White is the operator of this new shop for Clanton and she stated to a representative of the News that she was well pleased with the visits from the ladies of Clanton, and is this week announcing a special price on permanent waves in an ad in this issue.

A. B. CHILTON IS APPOINTED DIST. ATTORNEY

Will Succeed Grady Reynolds By Appointment of Pres. Hoover Last Week

The appointment of Arthur B. Chilton, prominent Montgomery attorney as United States District Attorney for the Middle District of Alabama was announced last week in press dispatches from Washington.

This appointment will not be submitted to the United States Senate for ratification, as it is a recess appointment.

Mr. Chilton will succeed Grady Reynolds, attorney of Clanton, and son of Judge L. H. Reynolds. Mr. Reynolds has held the position since 1924, by virtue of a recess appointment by President Coolidge. It was stated that it is believed that Mr. Chilton will assume the duties as District Attorney in the very near future, as the latter part of last week the date had not been named.

Mr. Chilton is 41 years old and a native of Alabama. He is a graduate of the University of Alabama law school of 1916, and was a Captain in the Coast Guard Artillery reserve corps when the World War began, and served for a year on the staff of Gen. Douglas McArthur. From 1920 to 1922 he was an instructor at the University of Alabama law school. Mr. Chilton has been identified for a long time with the religious and fraternal groups of Montgomery.

Ice Cream Supper At Fairview School

There will be an ice cream supper at the Fairview School House Saturday night, June 20. Music will be furnished by "Our Band." Everybody is invited. Proceeds will go to the 4-H Club.

MR. AND MRS. DIEFENDERFER TOURING SEVERAL STATES

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Diefenderfer, and two children, Milton and Helen, left Monday morning in their car to visit several places of interest in Ohio, Washington and other states. They expect to visit in Cleveland and Akron, and will spend sometime in Washington.

Mr. Diefenderfer is expected to return to Clanton the latter part of this week, while Mrs. Diefenderfer and Helen and Milton are to remain on the visit for several days more.

MISS ADDIE THOMPSON AND MR. W. NORMAN BAKER WED

Impressively solemnized Tuesday evening, June 9, at 8:30 o'clock at the Rockford Methodist church was the wedding of Miss Addie Thompson, lovely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Thompson, and W. Norman Baker. Rev. J. P West, pastor, read the nuptial vows in the presence of a large assemblage of friends and relatives, including many out-of-town guests.

The church was decorated with lovely cut flowers of the pastel shades, and with greenery of ferns and palms. The center of the altar was made prominent by a larger arch in the distance, a smaller one in the foreground with a pyramid of lights between. On either side a balance of arches in receding heights was made picturesque by a little flower girl poised in each.

The music was directed by Miss Ruby McAllister, pianist, and assisted by the soloist Miss Mattie Mae Kilgore of Weogufka, Ala.

The four ushers, Smith Thompson, brother of the bride, A. B. Rudd, Ralph Harden, and Herschel McEwen, entered to the beginning of the strains of Mendelssohn's "Wedding March."

Following was Miss Alma Thompson,

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MORE INROADS ARE MADE IN LIQUOR TRAFFIC

9 Arrests Reported During Latter Part of Last Week And Monday & Tuesday

The untiring efforts of this county's sheriff and his diplomatic forces are making heavy inroads into the liquor traffic throughout the county, according to reports from the office of Sheriff Gillespie.

With the report as published last week, and the report as given the News Tuesday, shows that twenty-six arrests were made, nine since Thursday of last week, up to last Tuesday.

However, all these arrests were not for violating the prohibition law, as out of the nine reported this week only six were for violating of the prohibition law, one for using abusive language, one for driving an automobile while intoxicated and one for assault and battery.

Seven of the nine were arrested during Saturday and Sunday. Three of whom were arrested at a dance, out west of Clanton Saturday night. The quantities of liquor taken ranged from a pint to half gallons, it was stated.

No trail seems to be missed by the sheriff and his deputies in their efforts at enforcing the law, and according to rumors and reports, there is some fear in the hearts of the violators of the law, when the thoughts of the sheriff and his deputies is brought up.

CEMETERY CLEANING SCHEDULED AT CEDAR GROVE, 25TH

Announcement has been made that there will be a cemetery cleaning at Cedar Grove on next Thursday, June 25th. Everyone who is interested in this cemetery is requested to be there with necessary tools to do this work, and the suggestion was made that they begin early so as to finish before the weather gets too hot.

NOTICE TO ISABELLA F. F. A. MEMBERS

There will be a called meeting Wednesday night, June 24, at the Agriculture Building to discuss business, and give the Second Degree (Future Farmer) to members who are eligible

MARVIN M. DURBIN,
President.

EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE ENDORSES BILLS

Meeting Held in Montgomery Brings Out Cheers From Legionnaires

Montgomery, Ala., June 18.—In a joint meeting of education committees of the Senate and House last Thursday, aducational bills appropriating $900,000 additional to the equalization fund, $600,000 to the rural school building and equipment fund, and $500,000 to a new fund for school transportation received a favorable vote from the committees.

This open meeting was held in an auditorium of the Jefferson Davis Hotel and was attended by more than three hundred leaders in public education, school board members, district trustees, and members of the American Legion. Dr. A. F. Harman, State Superintendent of Education, made a stirring appeal that the interests of children be placed ahead of any other, and that pledges of the Democratic Party be redeemed. The most inspiring feature of the session, however, came when legionnaires who fought for Alabama in Western France arose in this meeting and told in no uncertain terms of their desire to see the rising generation properly cared for.

Secretary of State Jete Jarman, Col. W. E. Persons, Captain Bill Bloom, and Captain Hargrove Van de Graff represented the Legion group as speakers and brought out some wild cheering from all present as they told what they think should be done for better citizenship in Alabama and as they demanded that "children be first and not corporations, officials, or departments."

A. L. Brooks and T. W. Evans of Birmingham were visiting friends and relatives in Clanton Monday.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT
MRS. G. C. HARRIS

On Saturday, April 18, Mrs. Bessie Durbin Harris, wife of Grover C. Harris, Rural Carrier on Route No. 3, died at Memorial Hospital, Montgomery, Ala.

Mrs. Harris was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Durbin, of Fairview community, Chilton County.

She is survived by her husband, G. C. Harris, Co. Pres. R. L. C. A., a son, G. C. Harris, Jr, and a daughter, Elizabeth

Mrs. Harris was a devotedly religious woman, uniting with the church when quite young. She was a member of Clanton Baptist church, and was active in conducting Sunbeam work, Beginners Department and W. M. U. work. Also she was Past Worthy Matron Order Eastern Star.

Her health failed about five years ago and she spent a great deal of time in hospitals.

A good woman has gone to her reward.

in humble submission to Him who doeth all things well.

Therefore, be it resolved that we bow

Resolved further, that a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of our Association, a copy be sent to the family, The National Rural Letter Carrier and to each of the County papers.

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Mt. Creek News

Miss Hazel Baxley entertained with a lovely lawn party last Thursday evening in honor of her cousins, who are visiting at her home. A delightful time was reported. Interesting games were played and refreshments were served to Misses Hazel Baxley, Louise Bailey, Sudie Mershimer, Eleanor Thrailkill, Bessie Thrailkill, Queenie Pinson, Elizabeth Baxley, Josephine Bailey, Glennie Floyd, Nellie Mae Atkinson, Ruth Atkinson, Messrs. Samuel Cobern, Carl Cannon, Charles Floyd, Amzi Kicker, Luther Cannon, Carlton Baxley, Horace Cobern, Raymond Cobern and John Fike, Otto Norris.

Miss Sudie Mershimer had as her guests this week end her cousins, Misses Eunice and Era Bullard.

Miss Alma Gentry of Clanton entertained Misses Ruth and Edith Hand of Clanton, Messrs. Clayton Culver, Oscar Cobern and Tommie Glenn at her home in Mt. Creek Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Duffey were the guests of the latter's brother, Mr. Herbert Williams, Sunday.

Otis Headley is spending the week with his uncle, Mr. Luther Headley, of Montgomery.

Mr. Vernon Headley was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Henry Gaylor, Sunday.

Mr. Clayton Culver returned to his position Monday morning, which he holds in Montgomery, after a thirty-day vacation.

Mr. G. B. Gaylor was the guest of his brother, Mr. Henry Gaylor, Sunday.

Miss Lois Smith was the week end guest of Miss Inez Eiland.

Mr. Richard Howe and Misses Mabel and Irene Dennis attended preaching services at the Baptist church Sunday evening.

Mrs. Sam Eiland and her father, E. F. Culver, motored to Montgomery Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Rheay were the week end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Culver.

Mrs. Carrie Atkinson and daughters, Nellie Mae and Ruth, who spent the past week with the former's son, Mr. Newt Atkinson, of Mt. Creek, have returned to their home in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hyde and children, Billy Frank and Wilma, have returned from a visit to the former's mother, at Boothton, Ala.

Mrs. J. N. Atkinson spent a few hours at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Misses Bessie and Eleanor Thrailkill entertained Messrs. Batson Culver and Luther Cannon Sunday afternoon.

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My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

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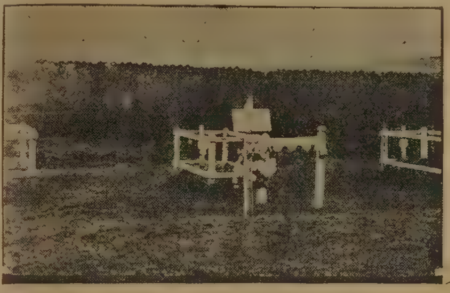

Graves of Corporal J. B. Gresham and Privates Enright and Hay.

Dock Construction Delayed.

Toward the end of October, accompanied by Gens. Richard N. Blatchford and Mason M. Patrick, and Cols. Charles R. Krauthoff and David S. Stanley, I visited Bordeaux, one of the ports chosen for the use of American troops. As facilities were only sufficient to accommodate a limited amount of additional medium draft shipping, we had started the construction of new docks at Bassens, 12 miles below, where deep water would permit vessels to come alongside. Although considerable quantities of material had been sent over, this new construction was delayed principally because of the lack of piling which the engineers had planned to have brought from the Pacific coast.

An incident happened in connection with the shipments of piling from home that would have been amusing if it had not been so serious. One ship that reached Bordeaux was supposed to be loaded with especially long piling, but upon inspection the engineers found it much shorter than prescribed. Upon inquiry it was learned that to get the piles in between bulkheads the supercargo had sawed the ends off. While speaking of forest products another example of inefficiency that occurred a little later might be mentioned.

One of the vessels from home was loaded by the quartermaster's department with shavings for the cold storage plant instead of steel billets for the manufacture of guns when tons of sawdust and shavings could have been obtained from the logging districts in France.

Trouble With Russians.

Continuing the inspection, we went on Sunday to Cornau, about forty miles from Bordeaux, thinking it might possibly be available for our use later on. It was then occupied by a brigade of disaffected Russians, who, like most of their fellows, had defied their officers and refused to participate further in the war. After being withdrawn from the line they had given the French so much trouble, even to committing depredations on the people, that they had to be sent out of the zone of the armies to this rather remote camp, where they were held practically as prisoners.

There was no transportation to carry them back to Russia, and as they had been allowed to keep their arms it was difficult to enforce discipline among them. I spoke to two colonels and criticized the lack of sanitation, but it was evident that they were unable to compel the men to work, even to the extent of cleaning out stables, latrines or drains, and the conditions may be better imagined than described. The men were a heavy, stupid-looking lot, who, in their new estate, apparently did not care how bad things were so long as the French continued to feed and clothe them.

Progress Is Noted.

Gievres, which lies 100 miles directly south of Paris, became the site of our principal supply depot in France. Under Col. C. J. Symmonds' able and energetic direction construction to cover an area of 12 square miles was going forward with all possible speed. Colonel Symmonds was gradually putting order and system into the place.

Regardless of the adverse conditions under which the line of communications was laboring there was everywhere a fine and enthusiatic spirit among the officers and men, who, without exception, were cheerful and optimistic.

After all, considering the lack of men and material, we were making progress on the physical side of the organization that would feed, clothe and furnish munitions for the great army we hoped to have.

One obstacle, however, was to be found in the number of independent bureaus represented at the ports and the larger centers of activity, not only in our own system but especially in that of the French, and the consequent difficulty of securing teamwork among them. As a remedy I sent to each base section a competent general officer with an organized staff to coordinate and systematize the management of affairs, and in a brief time considerable improvement was noticeable in methods of handling troop arrivals and cargo and in the increased progress of construction.

CHAPTER XIX

Breakfasting with me in Paris November 4, 1917, the British prime minister, Mr. Lloyd George, referred to the Italian defeat at Caporetto as being a most serious disaster, and pointed out that sending British and French divisions to Italy had materially weakened the lines in France. Mr. Lloyd George also spoke at some length on the lack of concerted action among the allied armies.

I agreed with him and added that in my opinion there never had been real co-operation on the western front between the British and French, that when one was attacking the other was usually standing still, and that the Germans were thus left free to concentrate their reserves against the threatened point.

We were facing a grave crisis next year, if not sooner, said Mr. Lloyd George, and no one knew how it was to be met. The enemy might attack each one separately, with the same results as in the case of Italy. He then asked what I thought of creating a supreme war council.

Having in mind councils called to decide upon military operations in the field, I told him that the advice of war councils was not usually of any great value and that the proposition did not appeal to me. I said that authority should be vested somewhere to co-ordinate the operations on the western front, and suggested the possibility of having a supreme commander.

Lloyd George Favors Council.

Mr. Lloyd George replied, in effect, that it was unlikely that the allies would agree upon any one, as the French would object to any but a Frenchman and the British might not like that. He thought the council would be useful for the purpose primarily of bringing the heads of the allied governments together at intervals to determine general policies.

I admitted that such an organization might serve to unite the allies in common purpose, but that the conduct of operations by the combined armies should be under military direction. I got the distinct impression that while he was seeking to secure greater unity of action, he also sought some means of controlling the activities of the British army. During previous months that army had been engaged in almost continuous offensive operations, practically single-handed, with very heavy losses and few compensating advantages.

Mr. Lloyd George went on to say that there was to be a meeting of the prime ministers at Rapallo, Italy, and that he hoped they might reach some agreement that would result in a council such as he had in mind. He thought that the United States ought to be represented at this meeting and suggested that I should attend. As the purpose of a council seemed to be more for political co-ordination than for purely military control, I told him that it seemed best for me not to participate without some intimation from my government to do so.

In the afternoon, at M. Painleve's request, I called on him, and he also told me of the proposal to form a supreme war council and wanted me to go to the conference in Italy. I gave him the same reply that I had given Mr. Lloyd George.

Shortly thereafter the Rapallo meeting was held, resulting in an agreement among the prime ministers of the governments participating, Great Britain, France and Italy.

Approved by Wilson.

The creation of the council did not meet with universal approval, the commanders of the British and French armies and high officials in civil circles being opposed to it. Military commanders were afraid it would result in undue interference with the conduct of operations and in derision it was often referred to as the soviet.

The action of the three governments at Rapallo was approved by President Wilson November 17 and that fact appeared in the press a day or so later.

The President's action strengthened the hands of those who favored the council and probably became the influence that saved it.

The fact is that if the French and British army commanders, in a friendly spirit of co-operation, had made a joint study of the military problem of the western front as a whole and then had seriously undertaken to pull together, as though under one control, the supreme war council would never have been born.

The supreme war council made a favorable start and gave the impression that a wise and conservative exercise of its really unlimited powers would characterize its actions. It refrained from interfering directly with military commanders and operations and confined itself largely to questions of policy, such as the co-ordination of allied resources and the conservation and distribution of allied strength. However, as time went on, the supreme war council assumed greater and greater authority over military questions.

Conflict With Wilson Ideals.

As to the political situation, the undercurrent at the moment, as nearly as could be learned, showed a continued lack of accord among the different nations, which were not at all in agreement with President Wilson's ideals. Each had its own aspirations and each sought to gain some advantage over the others. Some of the divergent war aims had to do with territory distant from France and troops were sent that might have been more usefully employed on the western front.

In a letter to Secretary of War Baker I inclosed a memorandum which was a report of a conversation held by a man in my confidence with a British official high up in the counsel of Great Britain. The date of this conversation was October 24, 1917.

"Perhaps it should not be taken too seriously," I wrote, "but it is an indication of the British attitude."

Sees Difference in Aims.

In this conversation the British official declared:

"The European allies and America are not fighting for the same thing. Mr. Wilson thinks a great deal more of his ideas of people governing themselves, of a friendly working arrangement among all the great powers after the war, than he does of territorials or specific things going to this or that country. What he wants is to smash the German military power and have a society of democratic nations afterwards. But to England, France and Italy these things are phrases, useful, perhaps, but of secondary interest.

"England wants to maintain her colonial possessions to keep her position on the sea, and her commercial place in the world. We know what France wants—Alsace Lorraine, as indemnity and security for the future.

Italy has definite territorial claims. Thus the governments of these countries think a great deal about what they want for themselves and less about ideals, unless these ideals are incidental to success. So there is no clear unity among the allies in Europe and America."

CHAPTER XX

Soon after the First division entered a quiet sector of the Vosges the peaceful aspect of the situation was disturbed by a German raid on an isolated post of the Sixteenth infantry November 3, 1917. A group was caught in a box barrage and although the men made a courageous resistance, three were killed, five wounded and twelve captured.

These were the first casualties that had occurred in our army to units serving in the trenches. The dead were Corporal James B. Gresham and Privates Thomas F. Enright and Merle D. Hay, all of company F.

The French took charge of the funerals and turned out a formal guard in addition to our own. The services were conducted by the French general, Bordeaux, who came with his full staff and delivered a beautiful oration over the graves. A large number of French troops also came informally to pay their final tribute. This joint homage to our dead there under the fire of the guns seemed to symbolize the common sacrifices we were to make in the same great cause.

Ammunition Question Acute.

The ammunition question again became acute at that time, despite our agreements with the French and their positive assurances that they would make prompt deliveries, but their explanation was that we had not furnished the full amount of raw material required.

In my early reference to the prospects of procuring artilery of 75mm. and 155mm. calibers and ammunition for its use, it had been expected that nothing should diminish our efforts at home in their manufacture, but when the probability of delay and possibly failure of the French to furnish ammunition for these guns was reported to Washington my cable met the complacent reply, much to my surprise, that "the French government must furnish it, for there is no other way of getting it. At the present time there is not in this country any actual output of ammunition of the types mentioned. None has been expected."

Home Ports Overcrowded.

The difficulty of providing the French with raw material was largely traceable to the lack of shipping, and, of course, the unscientific use of what we had. The fact is that the ports at home were overcrowded with all sorts of material and supplies awaiting vessels. The French had over 600,000 tons of supplies at seaboard, which they were unable to move, and were clamoring for 150,000 tons additional of steel rails.

As the situation in which we found ourselves regarding artillery ammunition was approaching a crisis, it became necessary to lay the whole question before the interallied munitions board. After a full investigation of their resources, both the French and British concluded that they could undertake to meet our requirements, with the distinct understanding that their plants must be greatly increased in capacity and that we should furnish raw materials promptly.

The late Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, chief of the War department general staff, represented us in the allied conference and reported results and agreements reached. He had brought the latest data from home and his knowledge concerning steel and munitions enabled him to give valuable assistance to my chief of ordnance in our efforts to find a solution to the difficult munitions problem.

A letter from Secretary of War Baker, dated September 10, had only recently been received, and gave me an idea of some of his problems. In part he wrote as follows:

"I am especially concerned that our troops should not be engaged in actual fighting in France until they are there in such numbers and have made such thorough preparation that their first appearance will be encouraging both to their own morale and to the spirit of our people here. I think it goes without saying that the Germans will make a very special effort to strike swiftly and strongly against any part of the line which we undertake to defend, in order to be able to report to their people encouragingly about our participation and also with the object of discouraging our soldiers and our people as much as possible.

"In the matter of selecting corps and division commanders I constantly feel that I ought to have your advice and judgment. From all that you have said, supplemented by all I have learned elsewhere, the need for young and physically strong men is apparent and I am perfectly willing to go any limit in meeting this requirement.

"It will, of course, necessitate passing over a substantial number of our older generals who are very eager to go to France and who, in their own ideas and that of the country, have certain right to be preferred. But their occupation here in the training of troops is, of course, a valuable contribution to the cause and, whenever I can feel sure in the selection of the younger man that he actually has the capacity to develop to a sufficient extent to justify his being preferred to a man of greater experience I shall not hesitate."

Mobilizing of Army Delayed.

In view of the emergency that was so clearly set forth by the Joffre and Balfour missions when they visited the United States, and which was confirmed after my arrival in France and reported with all emphasis, I have never been able to understand the unnecessary delay caused by waiting six months for the construction of large cantonments before calling out men and assembling them for training.

Of course it was particularly urgent that the specialists and laborers needed in France to build up our facilities should have been provided as fast as they could be profitably employed, but nothing should have postponed the immediate mobilization of the combat units of the regular army and the National Guard.

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The pastor is spending this week at Centerville conducting a revival, and will not be in Clanton next Sunday. However our services go on as usual, with the exception of the night service. We have no preaching Sunday night.

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After The Depression --- What?

We are indebted to Rockwell Smith, a real estate man of Van Nuys, California, for the collection of certain facts about financial depressions in the past, which should be valuable in predicting the future. Mr. Smith went thru a file of newspapers back to the 1850's and finds these facts:

There was a business depression in 1857 lasting twelve months.

There was a business depression in 1869 lasting eight months.

There was a business depression in 1873 lasting thirty months.

There was a business depression in 1884 lasting twenty-two months

There was a business depression in 1887 lasting ten months.

There was a business depression in 1893 lasting twenty-five months.

There was a business depression in 1903 lasting twenty-five months.

There was a business depression in 1907 lasting nearly twelve months.

There was a business depression in 1914 lasting eight months.

There was a business depression in 1921 lasting fourteen months.

The important thing about these past panics, however, is that every one of them has been followed by flush times. and the longer the depression lasted, the longer and more active the "boom."

The present depression has now lasted nearly twenty months. We can hardly say that the "boom" which will surely follow it has begun, but it is clearly on its way. And when it comes—oh, boy!

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Over The City Folks

Summer is here and we are changing our eating habits for the warm weather. The canners and the preservers do wonderful things, but somehow or other even the best canned goods don't taste like fresh vegetables right out of the garden. It is not to be wondered at that city folks all try to spend their summers in the country. People that never go outside the big cities don't know what really fresh peas and sweet corn and lima beans and the rest of the garden products taste like. And as for fresh eggs—well, we are just sorry for city folks.

With all the talk about depression and unemployment, we notice that people are eating just about as much as they ever did. That is one great thing about these United States, we can make an awful lot of fuss about hard times, but it is only in a very few parts of the United States that anybody has really suffered for lack of food through all of our recent difficulties. There has been a great deal of very genuine suffering in the regions affected by last year's drought. but that has not primarily been due to hard times, and the people of the rest of the United States have been generous in their response to the need. So it seems a fair statement that there are no conditions approaching starvation anywhere in the United States. And, as for the great majority of our people, they not only have plenty to eat, but more than they need, and now for the next few months they will have what we think is the finest food in the world. That is, the fresh stuff out of the gardens.

In the South the watermelon season has begun. It will work its way north until New England's melons are ripe, just a few days ahead of the first September frost. If there was nothing else to look forward to in summer, the watermelon alone would almost be a sufficient excuse for living. That is something we have that they don't have in most other parts of the world. It is hard to believe it, but there are literally hundreds of millions of people in Europe who have never had a chance to taste a watermelon. And cantaloupes! Some old-fashioned folks still prefer to call them muskmelons. They taste just as good under one name as under the other. And sweet corn? We don't know who invented Golden Bantam, but he ought to have a medal and his statue in the Hall of Fame. They have been picking strawberries in Florida since January, but it will not be long now before all the rest of the country will be eating fresh berries out of our own strawberry beds. Another week or two of sunshine and the meadows and pastures of the northern states will be covered with wild strawberries. They are a lot harder to pick, but they are a lot sweeter and juicier than the best and biggest berries ever grown in the garden patch.

Once we get started writing about good things to eat, it is hard to tell where to stop. What we are really trying to say is that this is the season of the year when we folks who live in the small towns and the country have it all over the city people who don't know anything about what good eating is until they come out to the rural districts. Well, come on you city folks. We are always glad to see you, and we feel kinda sorry for you when you have to go back to your kitchenettes and canned stuff.

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

> "When you get into a tight place and everything goes against you, till it seems as though you could not hold on a minute longer, never give up then, for that is just the place and time that the tide will turn."
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> —Harriet Beecher Stowe.

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If I remember rightly, I left off last week telling of some experiences of mine and some predicaments I got into, and judging from some expressions I have heard, several of you have been doing a lot of guessing lately. No more of those accounts of experiences of mine this week.

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Rabbi Ben Azai once said, "Despise not any man, and do not spurn anything; for there is no man that has not his hour, nor is there anything that has not its place."

That was a mouthful old Ben spoke. I have seen it run true time after time. It means in good old Clanton slang that "Every dog has his day." But some say that they must have had their when they were puppies.

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I'M WONDERING—

Who let the air out of my spare tire the other day.

If I'll ever get fat.

What is all this I hear and read about our almshouse.

Just what kind of burial is given deceased inmates of the county almshouse.

If negro men sit on top of caskets of inmates on the way to the cemetery.

If conditions have been bad at the almshouse and if they have improved since this controversy began.

Which side is right.

If the weather will get much hotter.

If so, what the dickens I'll do.

How many people read this column each week.

Who wrote me that letter the other day calling my attentios to her husband's improvements.

How I can note such improvements when I don't know the man's name.

Why a certain merchant didn't buy a man's eggs the other day.

Why he talked so much after the man left his place of business about other people.

If he ever thought about himself and his actions.

Wh ya man didn't keep his promise to me last Tuesday.

What you think of our new District Attorney.

If we can be as proud of that name there, as we are of the name of our county.

Why some people are like they are.

Why I am like I am.

What I will wonder next.

"Dollar Bill of The Sunshine Circus" will pass. It was well coached, and I think the characters were equally as well selected for their parts. Cohen Stapp was truly Dollar Bill, and Mack Wyatt with talents as shown in the Kiwanis Minstrel and the play Tuesday night, ought to go on the stage for a side-line, or hobby. He's pretty good. The Eastern Star should be congratulated on this presentation.

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I hope that the revival meeting under consideration for the Baptist church will go over in a big way this year and there will be no trouble in getting it started. Past revival meetngs in the local churches have always met with a great deal of enthusiasm, and the proposed one for the Baptists will no doubt meet with hearty interest in the whole county.

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The rain for the past few days helped out wonderfully down in these parts, and while I'm writing this column now, it looks like we are going to have some more of it.

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DOOKER POOKER GETS 'EM TOLD

The Great Dooker Pooker, International Authority on Wimmin, and the originator of the famous Dooker Pooker Pucker, the latest 1932 rinkle in osculatory art, and dispenser of Dooker's Pretty Pills, lets out the following in The Coal Bin in The Birmingham News the other day:

Dear Pooker: I am 25 and in love with Dick Taiter, but he doesn't know it. I am sweet and pretty, but can't talk much. I feel like I will die unless I become hisn. Can you help me? I tried Dorothy Dix, but without results.—MATTIE GASCAR, Clanton, Ala.

Fear not, Mattie, the International Authority ain't goin' to let you die from disappointment. I recently appointed "Doug," of The Chilton County News, as that county's Certified Critter-sizer. Meet "Doug" and Dick Taitor is yourn. He will qualify you with the D. P. Pucker, and show you how to talk with your eyes.

Dooker, I might tip you off that I have gotten in touch with Mattie, and with a little managing, we were able to be alone under the dangerous spell o' the moon the other night, and after your referring her to me, she was completely willing to allow me to give her the first lesson of your course mentioned. Miss Mattie only needed a little coaching. She's got all the qualities, but they just haven't been properly developed, and I believe my attentions to this for a few nights will fix her up in accordance with your wishes and desires. Mattie wanted to use her tactics on Dick Taiter, but just couldn't seem to get started just right, and now since I've been giving her lessons, I believe she has about decided to give Dick the gate, and I may have her on my hands for awhile. She is very anxious for the second lesson, and said she hoped there were lots more lessons especially about the pucker. Don't send any pretty pills, down here for her, because she don't need them, and if she got hold of any, I'm afraid I couldn't stand the pressure. If you get any more letters from here, let me know, and I'll take care of them if I can. Have you got a good supply of pills on hand? I may need some for myself soon. I'm getting a little fatigued.

And Dook, if you see Maud Lynn, tell her that I want to see her, and I would like to see Jane Anne, too.

Letters To The Editor

OBJECTS TO LOCAL BILL

Clanton, Ala., June 15, 1931.
Editor Chilton County News,
Dear Sir:

I guess you will be surprised to get a letter from me but I would appreciate you publishing my views on the Chilton County local bills that are before the Legislature.

As a tax payer of Chilton County, I object to the bills. I feel that those who handle the affairs of the entire county ought to be elected by the people all over the county. One commissioner has, or can have, as much to do with the affairs of the entire county as another and he should have the right, therefore it does not look right to me for a small group in one district of the county, say one-twelfth or one-fifteenth of the voters of the county to designate one-fourth of the governing part of the county and on the other hand the larger districts, say the fourth, which has I would guess most one-half of the voters in the county living in it and probably most one-half of the roads in it. just electing one-fourth of the governing force of the county in a financial way. It does not look nor sound like Democracy to me.

Practically the same thing will apply to the election of the School Board by Districts as outlined by said bills.

So far as electing the County Superintendent of Education by popular vote is concerned, the way I see it, the County Superintendent is a clerk of the School Board, or an agent through which the Board does business, the Board being responsible for the acts of the Superintendent, just as the Commissioners do through their clerk, road overseer or truck driver, so if we elect one, why not the other? I do not think it right.

We used to elect one man to superintend our schools and we left it all to him, now instead of electing one man we elect five men to run and manage our school business and give them authority to select a man or woman competent to assist and advise them and that is the Superintendent. The Superintendent is not a member of the School Board. He never has a right to vote on any question or matter that comes before the Board and has no say about the affairs of the Board unless it suits the Board. I believe the members of the School Board should be elected by the entire county and choose whom they desire as their clerk or County Superintendent so long as they meet the qualifications set up by the State.

It appears to me we would be electing two agencies to do the same work, each independent of the other. I think a bill to elect the County Superintendent should also abolish the School Board of the county for it appears to me it might happen that the two agencies for the self same purpose and they being entirely separate and distinct agencies responsible to the people for their acts and not to each other, might work a disadvantage to the best interests of the schools and to the Children, which interest is the main object after all and not the satisfaction of some men or some set of men.

I hope the people will take these few thoughts and ideas for what they are worth and consider them seriously. I wish to state further that I believe in the people and that they should elect all their governing officers by all the people.

Yours Very Truly,
W. H. HAYES.

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Meeting At Almshouse Held Last Tuesday

(continued from front page)

nent merchant of Lomax, stated that he saw the burial of one of the lady inmates of the almshouse, and that on the way to the cemetery, the casket had a negro man sitting on top of the box in which the corpse lay. He also stated that when the corpse was carried from the vehicle, the negro carried one end, while a white man bore the other end.

Another inmate of the almshouse, J. H. Teel stated that he knew nothing of whippings going on at the house, and spoke of the food, describing some of the meals served.

Millie Alice Newton, a woman inmate of the house said in her statement that "he came into her room and beat me with a stick, and he said, I'll beat hell out of you." She also stated that "he meant to kill me, I decided, and I stayed away for a couple of nights. I hadn't done a thing in the world. . . it was a large stick that came off a peach tree in the yard. She went on to say she had no complaint to make concerning the food served at the house. "I have seen Gip run in his room and said, Lord have mercy. And Mr. Bean was right behind him. I have seen no other whippings."

The testimony of Isaac Newton, husband of Alice Newton, and another inmate stated that he was being well treated at the almshouse, and had no complaint to make. He also told of some of the scrapes his wife got into with Mr. Bean, the keeper, and how he, Mr. Bean, gave her a little thrashing because she ran away from the house once or twice. Newton also stated that his wife's mind "was a little bad," and that he had to threaten her with his knife one day to make her behave.

The statement from Ellen Cooedy, who lives near the almshouse said that she could think of no complaint to make against the keepers of the almshouse, but that one day she saw Shavers throat was pinched. She also stated that she heard Mrs. Bean tell Mrs. Newton, an inmate, "you sorry no-account thing, get back in the house," the report stated.

Mrs. J. O. Smith, another resident near the almshouse stated in her testimony that she saw Lloyd Bean knock Gip McQueen, an inmate of the house, down three times out in the public road at the far building. Her testimony also said that some of the inmates came to her home and begged for something to eat.

Oliver Smith, who lives near the almshouse, stated in his testimony that he saw Lloyd Bean, son of the keeper, knock Gip McQueen down, and that the latter had come to his house asking for something to eat.

Ollie Brewer, another who gave a statement at the meeting Tuesday told of how he saw one of the inmates at a funeral once, and that the latter was dressed in poor clothing.

A negro, Bill Lowson, testified that he assisted in the burial of one of the women inmates of the almshouse and that he helped carry the casket containing the corpse to the grave. He also stated that he had heard some of the inmates grumbling about the food they were being served at the house, saying they could not eat it. The negro also said that one of the women inmates had come to his house to get something to eat, and when he told her she had better get back to the house, she told him how Mr. Bean had beat her.

J. R. Allen, another inmate of the house stated that he had no complaint to make about the food, that "it is enough food, owing to how hungry a fellow is." He also stated that he had been at the almshouse for thirteen months and had never seen Dr. Wood in their dining room.

The statements as copied by a stenographer at the house Tuesday, showed practically all the way through as answers to questions, and not as voluntary undisturbed testimonials, according to copies made, some signed by those giving them. Many of the statements jumped from one subject to another with no connection.

Dr. Glenn Andrews, of Montgomery, State Prison and almshouse inspector was present at the meeting and issued the following report. He was the only state official at the meeting:

Montgomery, Ala., June 15, 1931.
Hon. Court of Commissioners,
Chilton County,
Clanton, Alabama.
Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith you will find a copy of a report relative to conditions found existing in your county almshouse, upon an investigation made by a deputy of this department on June 8th.

I would respectfully suggest to your honorable board the advisability of a search being made for the inmate who is said to have run away, and have him returned to the home as early as possible for proper care.

Please note the recommendations as pointed out in the report, and institute such measures as are necessary to carry them out.

Very truly yours,
GLENN ANDREWS,
State Prison Inspector.

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June 11, 1931.
Hon. B. M. Miller,
Governor of Alabama,
State Capitol.
Dear Sir:

On June 8th the Chilton County almshouse was inspected, and the following report is respectfully submitted:

Thirteen white women and eleven white men were inmates at the time of the inspection.

One woman died recently. Gip McQueen, an inmate, had run away. It was reported that he had been returned to the institution several times, but the members of the Court of Commissioners had determined they would let him remain away, or return of his own accord. He is feeble minded, and repeated efforts to have him accepted at Tuscaloosa had failed, so it was stated.

Workmen were engaged in installing water at the time of the inspection. It is to be placed at the door of each cottage, and connected with the bathrooms in the recently erected hospital unit.

It is advised that connections for hot and cold water be provided for the kitchen, which was taken under consideration by the member of the Board of Revenue who is supervising the work underway.

The rooms of the inmates, with the exception of one, were found to be clean, the beds clean, well supplied with bedding and good mattresses, and all free from bed bugs. The inmates were well clothed and clean personally.

Several of the inmates are hospital cases, requiring close attention. All of these should be provided with either moisture proof mattresses, or other means of keeping their beds dry and clean. This will aid materially in the care of the patients.

A practical nurse is to be placed in charge of the patients and rooms generally, so soon as one that is competent can be had, so the Judge of Probate stated.

An employed cook should also be in charge of the cooking under the supervision of the wife of the keeper.

The county physician has examined several of the patients and in a written statement permits them to do certain work of a light nature, including assisting with the cooking.

The food supplies on hand were adequate, varied and suitable. Milk and butter is produced at this time and served to the patients.

Fresh vegetables are available from the farm and garden, and are being used daily.

The inmates stated that they had ample meals and that the food was changed from day to day.

It is advised that all the mattresses be supplied with slips made of unbleached domestic and securely fastened on. These slips can be removed when necessary and washed, and ro mattresses thus protected and its usefulness prolonged indefinitely.

All surplus clothing and bedding should be removed from the rooms, properly marked, and kept stored in the room recently built for this purpose. All nails were directed to be removed from the walls, and no clothing permitted to be hung about the rooms.

Where clothing has become too w to be of use it should be destr unless that which can be salvage washed and stored for use as cloth in case of sickness.

The pantry in the kitchen pur for the groceries should have addit al shelf space, and only the groceri and supplies kept therein.

Tin cans or properly constructed should be used to store all article food.

All the inmates should be requi to bathe at regular intervals, or as oft as is necessary to keep them clean fresh clothing supplied from the st room, the soiled clothing being pl in the room designated for such.

Provision has been made for t regulations to be carried out, and only a matter of supervision to see it is done.

An ice box of adequate dimen was in course of construction at t time of the inspection.

Window shades should be prov for all windows.

All refuse and debris that will accumulate about premises should be moved when necessary and burne otherwise destroyed, in order th could not be brought back by som the patients who wander about grounds.

The patients should be restr from going over the neighborh without the knowledge of the ke or his wife. Several of them ar such mental status as to render th roaming about disagreeable to the munity, and also they run the risk injury from the traffic on the roads.

Later the investigation was discussed with the Judge of Probate, who st it was the purpose of the board to the institution placed in a comfortable condition, and to provide quarters the negro patients as soon as th building could be occupied.

Respectfully yours,
GLENN ANDREWS
State Prison Insp

Inspected by A. R. D.
Filed in office this June 16th, 19
L. H. REYNOLDS
Judge of Probate

At this time there has been n port given out by the Commissio Court of the county concerning th vestigations held Tuesday.

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When his kitchen caught fire Lester Bunch, restaurant chef, of Modesto Calif., called the fire department and then risked his life by rushing back into the smoke and flames to rescue pork roast.

E. C. Clark and Miss Lithe Jones of Franklin, Tenn., were married recently in an automobile as they toured the town.

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Billingsley News

Prof. R. E. Upton left Thursday for the University where he is attending the meeting for the Principals of the High Schools of Alabama.

Mrs. J. A. Boozer of Tuscaloosa spent Sunday with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Downs.

Miss Thelma Baxter returned Saturday from a visit with her sister, Mrs. C. D. Golson, of Prattville.

Mrs. Letcher is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Gandy.

Mrs. Willis Lawrence of Eoline spent the week end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar.

Mrs. Tyus and children of Mulberry, Misses Lide of Pineapple and Mr. Holiday of Selma were visitors here Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. Glynn Foshee and Wallace Costen of Red Level visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hughes Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ernest Wilson returned to her home in Birmingham Sunday after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Hattie Dickinson.

Mrs. B. W. Thompson is visiting Mrs. W. A. Gandy for a few days. Mrs. Thompson is on her way to Lancaster, Pa., where she will join her husband and they will reside there in the future.

The W. M. S. of the Baptist church met Monday afternoon. Mrs. R. A. Hicks had charge of the program. The Y. W. A.'s and Sunbeams made the program more interesting by their presence and the numbers they rendered. After the program the plans were made for the Mission Study Institute which will be held at Clanton June 30-July 1 and 2. Those present at the meeting were Mesdames R. A. Hicks, J. T. King, Hattie Dickinson, Minnie Carter, W. J. Patrick, A. S. Bentley, B. M. Durden, and J. C. Hughes. The Y. W. A.'s, Misses Thelma Baxter and Lucile Dickinson: Sunbeams, Gladys Williams and Junior Hicks, Berniece Durden and Louise Overstreet.

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Remember, next Sunday is our regular preaching day. Let's everyone be on time for Sunday School, which is at 9:30 o'clock, and get through before preaching hour. Everyone is invited to come.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Y. Sims had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Deason of Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Owens of Fairview community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Herod of Haynes Sunday.

Miss Virginia Little spent the past week end with her friend, Miss Norine Headley, of Pleasant Grove community.

Little Junior Sims was the guest of his uncle, Mr. Morris Williams, of Fairview community Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams dined with Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Williams Sunday

Misses Bessie and Jettie Williams spent Saturday afternoon with Misses Connie and Sallie Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw and family spent a few hours at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams Saturday night.

Mr. T. L. Williams dined with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Culp Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Williams and children, Mrs. W. W. Willaims and niece, Allie, were the guests of Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton Saturday afternoon.

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Y. W. A. Met Thursday.

The Y. W. A.'s met at the First Baptist Church for their regular monthly meeting on Thursday. Devotional was read by Mary Lee Pyron and followed with sentence prayer. Committees reported during the business meeting. After the program refreshments were served in picnic baskets prepared by the ladies of Circle No. 2. Members present were: Charlsie Pyron, Lula Courtney, Mary Lee Pyron, Carrie Foshee, Miriam Kittrell, visitor, Vivian Gray, Melna Diel, Lona Thompson and Zora Guy. New members were Lona Thompson and Zora Guy.

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A taxi driver in New York who tried to collect 30 cents for a ride to the police station from the patrolman who arrested him after he had refused to obey traffic directions, was fined $5 for disorderly conduct.

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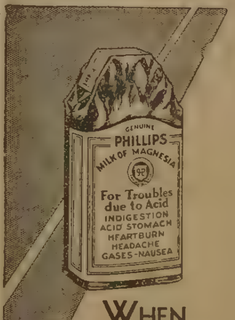

WHEN FOOD SOURS

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DEATH OF JOE BLACKMON

The death angel visited the home of Mrs. E. D. W. Shirley on June 9th and bore the spirit of our kind and loving father and grandfatehr, age 85, to the Great Beyond.

Mr. Joe Blackmon had to mourn his loss seven children, four girls and three boys: Mrs. Della Shirley of Lomax, Mrs. Lizzie Blackmon of Montevallo, Route Two, Mrs. Mable Farr of Birmingham, Mrs. Urre B. Howell of Columbiana, Mr. Andrew Blackmon of Talladega, Mr. Ellis Blackmon, Goodwater, Mr. E. G. Blackmon of Siluria, several grandchildren, great grandchildren, other relatives and a host of friends.

Oh, it was so hard to give him up, but the Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away, blessed be the name of the Lord. We feel assured that our loss was heaven's gain, as he told us he was ready to go.

Mr. Blackmon was carried back to his old home place near Columbiana by Mr. Hawkins, undertaker of Anniston. Funeral services were held by Elder Tucker, Rev. Ezell and Rev. Wooley.

A precious one from us has gone.
A voice we loved is stilled.
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—Written by a granddaughter, Flora Shirley.

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Theft of a two-and a -half story frame house and its brick foundation was reported to the police in Newark, N. J., by Joseph A. Fuerstman

Mrs. Agnes Tedford of Cornville, Mo., yawned so enthusiastically that she dislocated her jaw.

Mrs. Fred Shaw of Omaha, who caused her husband to lose his job by repeatedly calling him to pay her taxi bills, listened to a lecture from the judge on economy, and then left the court house in a taxicab.

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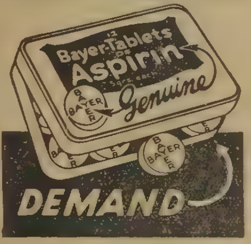

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JUNE 22, 23 and 24
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NOTICE
Send us your name, address and date of birth, if you haven't done so already. We want to remember you, and give you a pass to our show on your birthday. We also give three passes on each picture from names drawn from our birthday list. We give a birthday present on the 1st Saturday of each month, beginning May 1st, 1931.

COTTON POOLERS GETTING CHECKS

Montgomery, Ala., June 17.—J. A. Beaty, acting manager of the Alabama Farm Bureau Cotton Association, has announced that checks for several thousand dollars are being placed in the mails for delivery to members of the association.

This is being done, Beaty explained, to meet legimate claims of members on the association on cotton which they have delivered for marketing. Completion of the mailing of the checks will mean that members have been paid all of the initial advance of 90 per cent of the value of the annual pool cotton based on the market price the day the cotton was pooled, he said.

It has been announced that $120,000 of the cotton association funds were involved in the crash of the First National Bank of Prattville, but these checks meeting obligations to growers are being mailed in spite of the catastrophe.

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Mrs. Vera Grubb Kelly Hawn of Warsaw, Ind., divorced Jack Kelly in the morning and the same afternoon married Ward Hawn.

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Clanton, Ala.

News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

Rev. York is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Jones this week while he is teaching the Bible Course.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jones spent the week end with Rev. and Mrs. Jones.

Mr. S. J. Davenport spent the week end with relatives.

Miss Hattie Davenport spent the week end with her parents.

Circle No. 1 met with Mrs. Reinhardt Tuesday afternoon.

Circle No. 2 met with Mrs. W. H. Raybon Tuesday afternoon.

The Baptist Sunday School had the largest number present Sunday morning that they have had this year. We hope to have as many and more next Sunday.

The Y. W. A. will meet with Miss Sallie Thompson Friday afternoon at four o'clock. We are hoping that we will have a good attendance. We want to have a good union, and we want to do a good work.

Mr. C. C. Horten spent Monday in Birmingham on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Gamble spent the week end with relatives in Dadeville.

Miss Louise Bates had the misfortune of losing one joint of her finger while making sausage at the market.

Miss Loutisha Bean spent last week in Birmingham visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Roper, Mrs. Calister Williams and Mrs. Alma Bean of Clanton spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Gentry.

Mr. D. H. Gentry is improving some.

Mrs. Frank Thompson has returned home from a week's visit with her parents in Dadeville.

Mr. Herbert Adams spent the week end with Miss Ruth Martin.

Messrs. E. N. Bentley and Astro Wright went to Birmingham Thursday afternoon to a baseball game.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Vale, Mr. Willie Rhodes, Miss Frances Wilson and Mrs. Dennis spent last Wednesday at Lay Dam fishing.

Miss Wilma Goodgame is spending this week with her grandmother in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Robinson, Mrs. Eliza Robinson, Mrs. Maude Bentley and Mrs. Cora Smith went to Birmingham Saturday evening to visit their niece who has been seriously ill.

Mr. Coy Gibbons spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Meade, Helen Louise and Mrs. Thornburg spent Monday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Sutlive spent the week end with the latter's mother.

Mr. Harry Thompson of Birmingham is spending a few days at his home in Thorsby.

Mrs. E. W. Butler and Miss Margaret Butler left Friday for Oberlin College to attend their daughter and sister's graduating exercise.

Mrs. A. F. O'Barr and sons went to Leeds, Ala., Wednesday of last week visiting their old home and friends. They report a very happy day as it is always a pleasure to meet our old friends.

Mrs. H. O. Bean, accompanied Mrs. O'Barr on her to trip to Leeds. She enjoyed the day very much.

Miss Linnie Bell Reinhardt spent the week end in Wilsonville visiting old friends and relatives.

Miss Ola Mae O'Barr entertained a number of her friends at a social Friday evening. Music and games were enjoyed by those present.

Mr. and Mrs. Reinhardt had as their dinner guests Mr. G. F. Harper and Mr. Seals Reinhardt and wife of Wadley, Ala.

Mr. Kenneth O'Barr entertained the following at his home Saturday evening: Misses Edna Childress, Glennie Thompson, Lucile Howard, Mary Ruth Nix. Messrs. Garrett, Swanee, Bolling and Dickey, all connected with the new airport that is in progress in Thorsby, also Charles Childress.

Miss Edna Childress had as her week end guest Miss Glennie Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Meade spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Leary.

Mr. and Mrs. Kitchell, daughter Jean Lang, and son, Frank, Jr., of Birmingham spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Leary.

We are very glad to say that Miss Fairbanks thinks in about a week she will be able to leave the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway, Mrs. Relious Franklin, Peggy Mims Franklin and Mrs. Mack Gray spent several days in Dallas, Texas, visiting Mrs. Joe Funderburk and Mrs. R. H. Smith. They motored through via Selma, Ala., Monroe, La., Vicksburg, Miss.. Tyler, Texas, Fort Worth, Texas, Houston, Texas, New Orleas, La., Gulfport, Miss., Biloxi, Miss,, Mobile, Ala, and Selma. Mr. Calloway's sister is Mrs. Joe Funderburk, and Mrs. R. A. Smith is Mrs. Gray's aunt.

Miss Jessie Mims, who is attending Howard this summer spent the week end at home.

Dr. J. F. Lee's wife spent the week end here.

Mr. Sam Pate joined a party of friends from Clanton on a fishing party to Florida the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Davenport, Mr. Herbert Adams and Miss Ruth Martin spent Saturday in Birmingham shopping.

Miss Theresa Bosworth spent last week with her cousin, Miss Christina Bosworth.

Mrs. John Boyd of Preston, Ga., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Goddard.

Miss Christina Bosworth entertained at a party last Thursday night honoring her cousin, Theresa. Rook and games were played and refreshments were served to twenty-six.

Miss Christina Bosworth left for Selma Sunday to enter a business college to take a course in short hand.

Miss Ruth Peterson of Birmingham spent Sunday with friends in Thorsby.

Mrs. H. E. Bosworth and daughter, Helen, spent Saturday with Mr. James Bosworth's family.

There will be preaching services in the morning at the Congregational church and song services at night.

Mr. Lester spent the week end at home with his parents.

Mrs. Parnell and son, Eugene, of Birmingham spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. S. C. Wood.

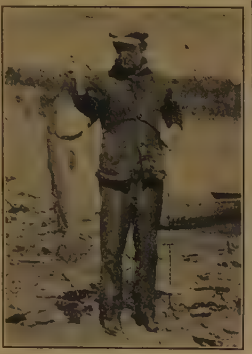
The sewing circle met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Carl Petersen.

Mrs. King and two children of Selma spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. S. C. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Petersen and two children of New York are spending their vacation with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Petersen.

Mr. E. W. Butler was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Norton Sunday.

SAM POWERS, LAY DAM SHOWS EVIDENCE HERE



SAM POWERS

Sam Powers, Superintendent of Lay Dam, near Clanton is showing the evidence in a big way in this picture, with a twenty-four pound drum caught at the dam recently. The fact that the fish was caught will go undisputed, and we are under the impression that the statement that Mr. Powers caught the fish will go undisputed. This drum is said to be one of the largest, if not the largest ever caught at Lay Dam.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

By virtue of two executions issued out of the Justice Court of T. W. Bryan, Beat Four, of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of One hundred Forty-two and 50|100 ($142.50) Dollars, principal and interest, and Eight and 70|100 ($8.70) Dollars, costs of suit, the amount of certain judgments and costs therein obtained on April 30th, 1931, before T. W. Bryan, Justice of the Peace of said County, in favor of J. D. Broadhead against Lonz Parrish.

I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at public sale, between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. at the court house door of Chilton County, Alabama, at Clanton, on the 29th day of June, 1931, all the right, title and interest of the above named Lonz Parrish in and to the following described personal property, viz:

One 1928 Model Dodge Coupe Automobile and one Atwater Kent Radio, (Seven Tube Set).

This 17 day of June, 1931.

W. H. GILLESPIE,
Sheriff.

Posted at Court House door June 17, 1931.

W. H. GILLESPIE,
Sheriff.

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Miss Margaret Tyus, after spendi her vacation with her parents, has r turned to the Norwood Hospital, Birm ingham, Ala., to resume her work a studies.

Mrs. W. F. Geiger and children o Birmingham came down Sunday a spent several hours with their fathe and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stapp and Mr Arthur Johnson motored to Opelik Sunday to visit the Boy Scout camp, a Camp Villa, where Joe Hall Johnson i spending several days.

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Clanton - Alabama

Sidney Davenport of Verbena was in Clanton Monday.

Eastview News

Mr. Odell Calloway and Miss Isie Dennis of Clanton were united in the bonds of holy matrimony here last Saturday afternoon. Rev. A. C. Nelson officiated.

The services at church were well attended Sunday and Sunday night. There was one added to the church by confession of faith.

There will be baptising here the 4th Sunday evening at three o'clock.

Mrs. Ora Morrison of Birmingham was the week end guest of her mother, Mrs. Sallie Strength.

Mrs. Paul Patterson was carried to Hill's Hospital last Sunday for an operation for appendicitis. We hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Zelma Lott is in the Clanton hospital. We hope she will soon be well again.

Miss Mary Sue Smith spent Saturday night with Miss Lillian Devaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Nelson and Mrs. Carrie Lee Nelson were the guests of Mr. S. P. Smith and family Saturday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Glenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins spent Saturday night with Mr. J. A. Dobbs and family.

Miss Jessie Bell Speer visited Miss Catherine Strength Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Nelson had for their Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Homer Griffith and Mrs. Mattie Griffith of Clanton and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Nelson of Elmore County.

Mrs. Mollie Strength of Thorsby is visiting relatives here this week.

Don't forget to come to Sunday school next Sunday at 10 a.m. and Christian Endeavor at 7:30 p.m. We need your help and the Lord needs your service.

Barney and Hubert Speer had for their Sunday guests Osborne and Herman Nelson, Alphor Glenn and Horace Smith.

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KILLS
Flies and Mosquitoes
Roaches, Ants
Moths, Bed-Bugs

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NOTICE OF REFERENCE

In the matter of the estate of J. H. Roberts, deceased, N. L. Roberts, Administrator. Petition for partial settlement.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity:

To Whom It May Concern:

Take Notice: That on June 6th, 1931, N. L. Roberts, administrator of the estate of J. H. Roberts, deceased, filed his account and vouchers for a partial settlement in the above estate, and the Court ordered a reference to be had in the above matter and that the day set for the reference is on Wednesday the 8th, day of July, 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the Register's office in Clanton, Alabama.

All parties interested may appear and contest same if they deem proper.

Witness my hand, this the 13th, day of June, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
6-18-3t Register.

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NOTICE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed by J. A. Maddox and wife Sallie E. Maddox, on the 22nd day of May, 1930, to the Southern Cotton Oil Company, a corporation, which said mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama in Mortgage Record Vol. 205 page 566, default having been made in the payment of the debt secured by said mortgage, the undersigned the Southern Cotton Oil Company, a corporation, will proceed to sell on Friday the 10th day of July, 1931, at the Court House Door of Chilton County, Alabama, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, within the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in the Town of Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the West side of Seventh (7th) Street, or the Clanton and Jemison road, and North of Fourth Avenue where the South line of Lillie L. Stewart's lot crossed said west line of Seventh Street, being also a point in the line of the lots now owned by W. B. McCain; thence running in a Northwesterly direction along the West line of said Seventh Street 225 feet; thence in a Westerly direction at right angles to said Seventh Street one hundred fifty feet to the right of way of the L & N Railroad; thence in a Southerly direction along the Easterly line of said right of way of the L & N Railroad Two Hundred Feet to the South line of the Lillie L. Stewart's lot, if said line was extended, due west; thence due East 175 feet, along said line to the West line of Seventh Street to the point of beginning, containing 36,452.5 square feet or Eighty three-hundredths (.83) acres of land, more or less.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, after the cost and expense of this foreclosure, including a reasonable attorney's fee, shall have been paid.

This the 12th day of June, 1931.

—The Southern Cotton Oil Company,
By Steiner, Crum & Weil.
LAWRENCE F. GERALD,
6-18-3tc Its Attorneys.

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGE

Default having been made in the terms of that certain mortgage executed by W. M. Nix and wife, Mandy Nix, to the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Company on the 20th day of April, A. D., 1917 to secure the principal sum of Twelve Hundred and No|100 ($1200.00) Dollars, and recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 156 of Mortgages, at page 510, and conveying the following described property lying and being situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

Southeast quarter of Northeast quarter (SE¼ of NE¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Thirteen (13), containing forty (40) acres. The Northeast quarter of Southwest quarter (NE¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Twenty-three (23), North of Range Thirteen (13) East of St. Stephens's Principal Meridian in Alabama. Ten (10) acres off the North end of Southeast quarter of Southwest quarter (SE¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Twenty-three (23) North of Range Thirteen (13) East of St. Stephen's Principal Meridian in Alabama. The Southwest quarter of Northeast quarter (SW¼ of NE¼); the Southeast quarter of Northwest quarter (SE¼ of NW¼; the Northwest quarter of Southeast quarter (NW¼ of SE¼), all in Section Twenty-eight (28) in Township Twenty-three (23), North of Range Thirteen (13) East of St. Stephen's Principal Meridian in Alabama. The above lands containing in the aggregate two hundred ten (210) acres, and being known as the "Home Place" of said W. M. Nix,

notice is hereby given that under the terms of sale contained in said mortgage, said property will be sold at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, during the legal hours of sale, at the Court House in the Town of Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, on the 14th day of July, A. D. 1931.

—PHOENIX MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Jack Thorington, Attorney. 6-11-3tc

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NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity No. 905.
Viola Scott, Complainant, vs. A. J. Scott, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Registrar by the affidavit of Raymond C. Smith that the Defendant is a non-resident or that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said A. J. Scott to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 3rd day of July, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 2nd day of June, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
6-4-4tc Register.

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NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity No. 919.
Irving J. Rouch, Complainant, vs. Bonnie Warren Rouch, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Lawrence F. Gerald that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that her place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort: and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring her, the said Bonnie Warren Rouch to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 25th day of June, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against her.

Done at office in Clanton, this 25th day of May, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
5-28-4tc Register.

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NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity No. 918.
Wesley Brown, Complainant, vs. Mayme Brown, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of Lawrence F. Gerald that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that her place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort: and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring her, the said Mayme Brown to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 25th day of June, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against her.

Done at office in Clanton, this 25th day of May, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
5-28-4tc Register.

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J. L Mixson, of the Bank of Thorsby, was in Clanton Monday attending to business matters.

J. B. ATKINSON
Attorney-At-Law
Office Over Robinson Department Store
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THREE DAY MEET FOR INSTITUTE TO BEGIN SOON

Supt. W. M. U. Urges Large Attendance for Chilton And Unity Assn.

In a statement issued this week by Mrs. S. J. Ezell, superintendent of Unity W. M. U., she is urging that all who can start now to make plans for the Missions and Methods Institute, to be held here for three days beginning June 30. Following is the statement from Mrs. Ezell:

"Begin today to plan to attend the Missions and Methods Institute which will be held in Clanton for three days beginning June 30. Men, don't dismiss it as a woman's affair. It is for Men, W. M. S. members don't think you are the only ones who ought to go. It is for all Children and Young People. Pastors, please do not think this lets you out. It is **Especially** for Pastors.

"Everybody is invited. A program is being planned that will be interesting and valuable to all. The very best speakers are being secured. Dr. L. O. Dawson will be here to deliver an address each day.

"Some fine missionaries will be secured. Mrs. F. A. Vernon, Vice President of Eastern District, Mrs. L. H. Dawson, District Young People's Leader, Miss Kathleen Hagood, State Young People's Secretary, Rev. John Cunningham, State R. A. Counselor, and many others. Baptist Boys! Begin to practice up on baseball, too. Some of those R. A. Chapters from Billingsley, Maplesville. Marbury or Clanton will beat you, if you don't look out. Mulberry or Sardis will make it hard for you, too. There will be fun and play for the young folks as well as information and inspiration.

"The Superintendents of Chilton and Unity W. M. U. urge all pastors to begin to talk up these meetings, as well as to plan to come themselves. They begin each morning at ten o'clock and will last through the day. There will be no night sessions, but Clanton will gladly entertain all who will stay each night.

The Merry Minstrel Four, a quartet of radio and stage stars will appear at the Wadesonian tonight. The quartet contains two premier Blackface comedians in the persons of Dan White the "Blues Yodeler of Dixie," and Buddy Shepard, the very funny "Laughing Coon." The offering will be a treat to lovers of old-time minstrel shows. These four young men will appear in person on the stage at the Wadesonian Theatre tonight.

J. H. Broadhead's SPECIALS

COFFEE 2 LBS	35c
BRUTON SNUFF Large Can	15c
PRINCE ALBERT 2 Cans	25c
SUGAR 19 LBS	$1
BREAD LOAF	5c

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J. H. BROADHEAD
WEST END

J. D. Evans Feted At Birthday Party

A clipping from a Winston Salem newspaper, occupying a prominent place on the society page, tells in a most elaborate manner the account of a birthday party given in honor of J. D. Evans, on his twenty-first birthday, by a friend of his, who, according to the write-up spared little in making the celebration one of the main social events of the younger social set of Winston Salem, last week.

J. D. is a Clanton product, one to be proud of, having gone out and is making much progress in the business world, now being connected with a prominent brokerage firm in Winston Salem. He is the son of Mrs. J. E. Evans of Clanton, and a graduate of the local high school. His progress in his work has been most commendable, having become connected with the firm of brokers in Birmingham sometime ago, shortly after completing his studies here, and was later transferred to Atlanta, and then to Winston Salem, where he has been for sometime.

SALE

Of Men's Suits & Ladies' Silk Dresses

You Have Never Seen Such Price Cutting in Your Life for 2 Days only --- FRIDAY and SATURDAY.

Mens Suits Look at This **Lot No. 1**

This Lot consists of 50 Mens and Young Mens 3-Piece Suits in sizes 34 to 39. In this lot you will find suits that are values up to $20.00, but they're going in this Sale for only **$5.95**

LOT NO. 2

75 Mens and Young Mens Suits in sizes up to 48. All wool material, and all are 3-piece suits,

for $8.95

Remember, This Lot consists of new materials and no shop worn, old suits.

LOT NO. 3

This Lot of Suits consists of our very finest of Suits. You will find this season's newest materials in Worsteds and Cashmeres for Young Men, as well as the conservative weaves. Look at these wonderful values, all sizes, 34 to 44

for only $10.95

Ladies Silk Dresses

We Have Placed Our Entire Stock in Lots --- Here They Are:

Lot 1, Silk Dresses Values up to $4.95 **$2.95**	Lot No. 2, Dresses that sold to $7.95 **$4.45**	Lot No. 3, Dresses that sold to $12.95 **$7.95**

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THORSBY GARAGE

E. N. BENTLEY, Proprietor Thorsby, Ala.

THE BIG SWING IS TO

U.S. TIRES

Miss Addie Thompson and Norman Baker Wed

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maid of honor, sister of the bride. She wore a clever frock of flesh chiffon with a corsage of rosebuds.

Preceding the bride little Janette Stewart, and Margaret Davis daintily dressed in green paved the way with rose petals from their baskets of pink.

The bride wore a lovely creation of powder blue chiffon with velvet ribbon trimmings. She carried a shower bouquet of brides roses and valley lilies. She ahd her father were met at the altar by the groom and best man, Erle Mauldin of Trade, Ala.

Immediately after the ceremony, the young couple left for a motor trip to the Carolinas where they will spend their honeymoon.

Following the wedding rehearsal on Monday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson entertained members of the bridal party, relatives, and out of town guests at an informal reception.

During the past month the bride has been the honoree of a number of delightful social festivities.

She is a graduate of the Coosa County High School and State Teachers College at Jacksonville, Alabama. During the past year she taught in Tallassee, Alabama.

The groom, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Baker of Harpersville, Ala., has a degree from Birmingham Southern College and has done graduate work at the University of Alabama. He is a member of the Kappa Phi Kappa Fraternity. During the past two years he has served as principal of the Coosa County High School at Rockford, Ala.

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Prayer Meetings To Be Held For Revival

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people of Alabama are being asked to unite in a great state-wide revival to be held in all sections of the state for three weeks next January. This section is to be included in this movement and people of all denominations are being asked to co-operate.

The thinking people everywhere agree that the greatest need of the hour is a turning to God in repentance, confession and faith. If the people of Alabama will do this, there would not only be a revival of religion of the only true sort, but a revival of prosperity as well.

LOST OR STOLEN

1 Female rat terrier or Fist dog, color white, except right side of face and eye black; $5.00 for her return.—J. B. Hicks, Maplesville, Ala. 6-18-1tc

H. R. Oden, a resident of the Isabella community was among the visitors to Clanton Monday.

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Mrs. John M. VanDerveer, Sr., returned to Clanton last Thursday from Kansas City, where she has been for several days on account of the serious illness and death of her mother.

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W. E. P. Lakeman, of Haleyville, and who is known among newspapers as being prominently connected with the Advertiser-Journal of that place, stopped over in Clanton Monday for a visit at the News office. Mr. Lakeman also visited relatives at Lay Dam before returning to his home in Haleyville.

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Miss French Evans has gone to Birmingham where she will spend the major part of the summer with relatives and friends.

JAMES SCOTT, AGE 65, DIED AT HIS HOME LAST THURSDA

James Washington Scott, age 65, d at his home near Jemison on h Thursday, June 11th, following an a tack of pneumonia. Funeral servi were held on the following Friday, Martin & Sons of Clanton in charg He is survived by his widow and se eral children.

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SENATE VOTE RECOUNT STILL SHOWS RESULTS

Bankhead Makes Net Gain Of Fifteen Votes In This County, Report

By Russell Kent
In The Montgomery Advertiser

Washington, June 21.—A meeting of the Senate sub-committee handling the Heflin-Bankhead contest is to be called by Senator Hastings of Delaware, chairman, as soon as he can find a date agreeable to the four other members. Future procedure will be determined by the sub-committee at this meeting.

With more than half of the ballots hich were cast in the senatorial election in Alabama last November recounted, 36 counties having been completed, Senator John H. Bankhead's [illegible] majority has been reduced temporarily by only 1,258. This is not a permanent reduction, for many of the ballots set aside for future decision will be restored to his column. It serves to demonstrate however, the futility of the contest filed by former Senator Tom Heflin if the ballots are to decide the contest.

Agents of the subcommittee have

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Pilot Club Given Charter Last Friday

The Pilot Club of Clanton met last riday night at the Baptist church and eceived its official charter, with one f the most interesting meetings held ince the club organized here several eks ago.

The meeting Friday night was presided over by Mrs. C. E. Stapp, president of the club. The charter was resented to the president by Harriet M. Swean of Selma, and secretary of ilot International, who made a most mpressive talk when presenting the harter.

Margaret Ormand, president of the elma Pilot Club, addressed the club n the work of the Pilots. Others from the Selma Club were Naemi Turnquist nd Emily Pointer.

The Clanton Kiwanis Club was represented at this meeting by J. Mell artin, president and Cohen Stapp, istrict governor, who made an address elcoming the Pilot Club and its work Clanton, in behalf of the Kiwanis lub.

Mrs. J. P. Hayes was present' and epresented the Study Club of Clanton, and Mrs. Grady Broadhead represented the Music Study Club of Clanton at the gathering. The Pilot Club ll meet on the second Tuesday night July, with Zora Guy, Mrs. Mamie ith and Mrs. Sadie Lande in charge the program.

OKE PIPES AND FAMILY VISITING RELATIVES HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Hoke Pipes and children, Mildred, Glenn and Richard arrived in Clanton last week from Harrisburg, Penn., to spend sometime this mmer with the parents of Mr. Pipes, . and Mrs. H. T. Pipes.

oke and his family made the trip their car, without one bit of trouble he stated. This is the first visit he s made to Clanton, his home town, approximately eight years, and he ted that Clanton has certainly grown. Pipes holds a responsible position h the Bethlehem Steel Company of nsylvania. They expect to visit er relatives and friends in the state will remain here for sometime be- returning to Harrisburg.

PECIAL INTEREST TO WORLD WAR VETERANS

An announcement that is of no ubt of special interest to World ar Veterans, states that July 3, 31, is the final date on which orld War Veterans may file suit inst the U. S. Government to re- er insurance benefits on undis- ed claims of total and permanent ability alleged to have occurred fore the lapse of War Risk Insur- ce policies.

hose' veterans who expect to e this step in regard to their in- ance are requested to act at once, bear in mind that July 3, 1931, is final date this can be taken care

VERBENA 4-H CLUB IS TO MEET ON FRIDAY NIGHT

The Verbena 4-H Club boys will meet tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock. All members are urged to attend, and all visitors are welcome. The meeting will be held at the Verbena Baptist church, according to an announcement from John A. Scott, secretary of the club.

BIBLE TRAINING SCHOOL AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SOON

A Bible Training School will be taught at the Presbyterian Church in Clanton beginning next Monday, June 29, according to an announcement made this week.

This school is for children from the ages of six to fourteen and will be conducted for ten days with Miss Anderson, daughter of Dr. C. C. Anderson, of Montgomery, as instructor. It will be non-denominational, and those who wish to attend are requested to get in touch with Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry.

TWO ROBBERIES REPORTED LAST WEEK IN COUNTY

Jemison And Maplesville Get Visits From Burglars; Small Losses

Two robberies were reported in the county during the past few days, from the office of the sheriff. Although several places of business were broken into, the loss was comparatively small, it was stated.

Jemison received a visit from burglars and three business houses were broken into in one night. According to the story given the News, the prowlers broke into a shoe shop at Jemison, and secured a pick or some iron instrument with which they broke into the hardware store there.

After gaining entrance to the hardware store, they secured a brace and bit and proceeded to burglarize the general merchandise store of C. G. Glass, gaining entrance by boring a hole through the door, and lifting a latch by means of a bent wire.

It was stated that the burglars then helped themselves to all the cigarettes in the store, and fitted themselves with shoes. Apparently there were two of the prowlers as only two pairs of shoes were missing and were of different sizes. Some overalls were also taken.

Sam Crysell then fell victim to the thieves, as they pried the lock from his garage door, and took his car, a Whippett sedan, in which they made their get-away. No trace of the thieves had been found late Monday night.

Burglars entered the store of John W. Foshee in Maplesville last Friday night and made away with a large quantity of merchandise, including shoes, and other articles of clothing.

A part of the loot was recovered soon after the robbery, having been seen near the railroad, near Maplesville, by an engineer on a train.

No arrests had been made up to Tuesday afternoon in either of the above robberies.

NO OPPORTUNITY SCHOOLS TAUGHT IN CO. THIS YEAR

Information from the office of the Superintendent of Education this week stated that there will be no chance, so far as is known, of the Opportunity Schools being taught in Chilton County this year.

This is due, it was stated, to the lateness of state funds with which to pay teachers for the past term, and the need for funds to pay some amounts already due teachers.

It was understood that Prof. H. A. Harris, yearly organizer of the schools, has made almost every effort to get the schools in the county again this year, but so far has not met with any degree of success, and it was stated that unless some miracle occurred, there would be no Opportunity schools for Chilton County this summer.

Miss Marie McClanahan, of Hartselle, arrived in Clanton several days ago to accept a position as stenographer in the office of T. W. Bryan, justice of the peace, in the Wilson Building. Miss McClanahan comes very highly recommended from her home, town by leading citizens, and is making her home at the Latham home on Eighth Street.

Grover Harris, Jr., is spending sometime with relatives in Mobile.

BARBECUE AT MAPLESVILLE IS PLANNED FOR JULY 4TH

There has been planned a big barbecue at Maplesville for July 4th, according to an announcement this week. The barbecue will be for the benefit of the ball team at Maplesville and will be held at the Maplesville School building. The Maplesville baseball team will play two games on the afternoon of the Fourth and everybody is invited.

COMMISSIONERS MAKE REPORT ON ALMSHOUSE

Report States Inmates Being Cared For As Well As Average Citizen

The Commissioners Court of Chilton County issued a formal statement or report recently, and a copy given the News this week, in regard to their conclusion concerning the condition of the county almshouse, reached, following a meeting called by the Court at the almshouse on June 16th.

At this meeting on June 16th, testimony was heard by the Court about conditions at the almshouse and treatment of the inmates of the house, from persons attending the meeting.

The report from the Commissioners Court, stated in part, "The Court proceeded to hear all charges and accusations against the management of the Almshouse and J. D. Bean, its keeper, and the Court concluded that the charges were frivolous and the result of prejudice of certain parties against the keeper J. D. Bean. . . . The Court might state that there have been several examinations by the state authorities prior to the one herein set forth and certain suggestions made, which the Court have in each instance followed, Also the last Grand Jury, which met in March, 1931, made no

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CHARLIE SULLIVAN, AGE 51, DIED ON LAST SATURDAY

Charlie Sullivan, age 51, died at his home near Mt. Pisgah, last Saturday afternoon, June 20th. Funeral services were held on the following Monday at Samaria, with the Rev. Moore officiating. Interment followed in the Samaria cemetery with Martin & Sons of Clanton in charge.

He is a member of an old family of the county, and is survived by his widow, one son, three daughters, mother and other relatives.

V. A. SHORT SENDS IN A COTTON BLOOM THIS WEEK

To V. A. Short goes the credit of sending in to the News office the first cotton bloom of the season. Mr. Short is one of the progressive farmers residing on Maplesville, Ala., Route 2

Mr. Short mailed the bloom in to the News office, and we would liked to have asked him something about it. Anyway, it is the first seen at the office this season, and the credit goes to Mr. Short. Who is going to be the first to send a watermelon in?

L. E. DIEFENDERFER RETURNS FROM EXTENDED MOTOR TRIP

L. E. Diefenderfer, operator of the popular Dief's Service Station in Clanton returned Sunday from an extended motor trip into the state of Ohio.

Mr. Diefenderfer was accompanied by Mrs. Diefenderfer, and children Helen and Milton, who are remaining to spend sometime with friends and relatives in Ohio. The trip was made without any trouble whatever, Mr. Diefenderfer stated.

ONLY SIX ARRESTS ARE REPORTED BY THE SHERIFF

Reports from the office of the Sheriff of Chilton County showed that since Wednesday of last week up to Tuesday of this week, only six arrests have been made.

One of these was for petty larceny, one for reckless driving, one for abusive language, one for desertion and two for violating the prohibition law.

WRESTLING AND BOXING HERE FOR JULY 4TH

Local Post American Legion To Sponsor Attractions Extraordinary

Last week it was announced that plans were underway by a committee of members of the Chilton County Post of the American Legion to stage boxing and wrestling matches in Clanton on Saturday, July Fourth.

This week it was definitely announced and the matches have been made, according to Max Scholder, of Birmingham, who has been engaged by the American Legion to outline plans and secure a number of boxers and wrestlers. Mr. Scholder is a fight promoter of prominence of the Magic City, and has been in Clanton recently in connection with the Fourth of July plans.

The bouts and wrestling matches will take place at the ball park of the local high school, and are scheduled to start at three o'clock Saturday afternoon, July 4th. The ring will be elevated and a goodly number of ring-side seats will be built. In addition to the ringside seats, there will be a general admission plan whereby everybody will be able to witness the bouts, etc.

One of the features which will open the affair, will be a battle royal, in which five or six negroes will go into

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RAYMOND MARCUS SERIOUSLY ILL AT HIS HOME IN SELMA

Raymond Marcus, son of Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Marcus, has been critically ill for the past several days at his home in Selma.

Latest reports, received Tuesday afternoon, stated that his condition was slightly improved.

CEMETERY CLEANING AT MT. CARMEL ON JULY 2ND

The News has been requested to announce this week that there will be a cemetery cleaning at the Mount Carmel cemetery on next Thursday, July 2. All who are interetsed in that cemetery are requested to be there and to bring necessary tools to work with.

H. L. BINFORD BACK ON HIS NIOLIN COFFEE ROUTE

The merchants through this section who buy coffee from the A. H. Niolin Company are glad to see that Hugh Binford is making his rounds again. Binford has been with the Niolin company, coffee roasters and tea distributors for sometime, but has not been working this territory until recently.

Binford is one of those salesmen we like to have call, and his personality, coupled with the brand of teas and coffee he sells, has made for him many friends in the county. Binford commented favorably last week on sales made in Clanton.

Wallace P. Pruitt, Jr., of Chatom, Ala., who has been attending school at Gadsden, was a pleasant visitor in Clanton and the News office last Saturday.

Roger Babson, Statistician, Stakes Reputation On Business Opinion

Speaking before the convention of the Advertising Federation of America Tuesday of last week, Roger W. Babson, best known and most reliable of statisticians, said at the close of his address in which he discussed business conditions:

"I am willing to stake my reputation based on thirty years' experience (1) that business has seen its worst; (2) that although the change will be slow it will be in the right direction; and (3) that within a reasonable time this country will again enter a period of marked prosperity. In short statistics today point to another period of prosperity just as three years ago they pointed to the present period of depression.

As a postscript Mr. Babson said to the advertising men: **As you go back home, tell your merchants that now is the time to advertise and give their customers an opportunity to benefit from present low prices. Some day these merchants who take your advice will be so pleased that they will have these ads of 1931 cut out and framed.**

ATTENDING PILOT MEETING IN PENSACOLA THIS WEEK

Misses Alma Allen, Dewey Branch, Mrs. Lillie Stapp, and Mrs. Sadie Lande left last Sunday for Pensacola, Fla., where they attended the Pilot International Convention, representing the Pilot Club of Clanton. They are expected to return today or tomorrow.

ROCKETT HAS ON SPECIAL PRICES, FRUIT JARS, ETC.

Dewey Rockett, of the Clanton Building Supply Company, has a special message this week to the people who are contemplating canning, preserving, etc. this year, and this message appears in the News this week in the form of an ad.

Mr. Rockett stated he has placed some extra special prices on fruit jars, and wants to see just how fast they will sell at the low prices he has on them. Find the ad in this issue and see for yourself.

PASSION PLAY TO BE SHOWN HERE FRIDAY

Local Methodist Church To Bring Big Picture to High School Friday Night

Coming to Clanton under the auspices of the Clanton Methodist Church, "The Passion Play" will be shown on the screen at the high school auditorium tomorrow night.

Many people in Clanton have seen this great play on the stage, and now it will be possible to see this magnificent and colossal play as though you traveled to Bavaria to witness the original prduction by the Oberammergau Players, who are known the world over for the parts they play in "The Passion Play."

In this picture will be protrayed Christ, His Disciples, Pilate, King Herod and all ancient characters, together with five hundred Roman soldiers and civilans. The picture is reproduced in beautiful colors, and is scheduled to start at eight o'clock tomorrow night at the high school auditorium. There will be a special musician here to furnish appropriate music along with the picture.

L. F. GERALD AND FAMILY EXPECTED HOME THIS WEEK

News was received from Birmingham this week, stating that Mr. and Mrs Lawrence F. Gerald and children. Lawrence, Jr., and Celia, are expected to return home this week.

Mr. Gerald has been confined in the St. Vincents Hospital for sometime following an operation, and latest reports state that he is expected to be able to return home this week.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION, PLEASANT GROVE JUNE 28TH

Following is the program for the Sunday School Convention at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, Jemison, for Sunday afternoon, June 28:

2:30 P. M. Devotional, W. T. Robinson.

2:40 Reports.

2:50 The Rural Sunday School and Its Greater Mission, Rev. J. W. Jones.

3:20 Things That Will Make a Rural Sunday School Go, Rev. J. C. Miller.

3:50 The Supt., His Task, and How to Meet It, C. D. Hughes.

4:10 General discussion and adjourn.

All Sunday Schools north of Clanton are urged to be represented. Especially do we want the officers and teachers.

H. A. HARRIS.
Pres. S. S. Work.

J. D. TIPPETT IS MANAGER OF PRESSING SHOP HERE

In this issue of the News there appears an ad from the Powell's Pressing Shop. J. D. Tippett has recently become manager of the shop, and is extending an invitation to his friends to visit there.

Mr. Tippett is well known throughout the county. He stated that they will have something of a regular schedule to gather work to be done in their cleaning and pressing shop. On Mondays they will work the Town of Clanton; Thorsby, Jemison and Maplesville on Tuesday; Mitchell Dam, Verbena and Cooper on Wednesdays.

UNITY INSTITUTE WILL BE HELD HERE FOR 3 DAYS

Foreign Missionaries Are On Three-Day Program To Open On June 30

The Institute of the Unity and the Chilton County Baptists Association is scheduled to open in Clanton at the Baptist church, Tuesday, June 30, beginning at ten o'clock a.m., according to an announcement this week from Mrs. Donald Merchant, supt., of the Chilton W. M. U., and Mrs. S. J. Ezell, supt., of the Unity W. M. U.

Everyone is urged to take advantage of this opportunity, and all pastors are especially invited. Clanton is able to take care of all who would like to spend the nights in town.

Lunches will be provided and served each day by ladies of both associations, it was stated. Those attending are urged to come early so as to be able to purchase the study course books before the institute opens at ten o'clock. These books are all priced at fifty cents each, except the one on "How to Pray" which is only twenty-five cents, and the R. A. Manual which is only ten cents.

Seals and certificates will be award-

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Kiwanis Club Will Go To Mitchell Dam

Members of the Clanton Kiwanis Club, and their guests will go to Mitchell Dam Friday night, where they will be the guests of Kiwanian John Hollis.

This meeting will take the place of the regular Thursday noon luncheon, and the greater part of the program for Friday night will take place on a large boat, while the party is taking a ride up the river.

Members of the club will bring their wives, or other guests and lunch will be served on the boat. Col. R. H. Mangum, of Birmingham, will be present and give the gathering an interesting talk. Billy Smith has charge of the program for Friday night.

At the luncheon last Thursday, C. E. Stapp had charge of the program, and had as guests of the club, several of the members of the Boys Calf Club of Chilton County, and F. W. Burns, livestock specialist of Auburn. Several of the boys told the club how they judged purebred stock and the things they are learning as members of the Calf Club. Mr. Burns also spoke, telling of the aims of the Calf Clubs over the state.

W. H. SARTOR EXHIBITS A FREAK IN CORN GROWING

W. H. Sartor, well known merchant of Clanton and owner of The Fair store here, was showing something at his store the other day that was truly a freak of nature, or something on that order.

This was a young stalk of corn, with tassels in their proper place at the top, the center, or main tassel had turned productive and was becoming an ear of corn. There were no shucks on the corn, and the kernels were perfectly formed, with silks as usual.

The other tassels were showing signs of turning into ears of corn There were also several kernels forming in the crotches where the tassels were growing at the top of the stalk. When asked what he did to make it grow that way, Mr. Sartor said, "I worked it and it just grew that way." It was the Hastings Prolific variety and grew in Mr. Sartor's garden.

WELCOME—PLEASANT VALLEY

The News extends a cordial welcome this week to the Pleasant Valley News correspondent, who makes a bow in this issue with a nice string of news from that community.

Is your community represented in the News each week with a news letter of happenings there? If not, get busy now and see that someone sends in the news from your community each week. to reach the News office not later than Tuesday of each week.

WILLIAM H. DRIVER DIED AT HOME ON SATURDAY

William H. Driver, age 82, died at his home in Chilton County, Saturday, June 20th.

Funeral services were held on the following Sunday morning at Mountain Springs cemetery.

Good Used Trucks

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1927 CHEVROLET Truck Chassis, with new tires on rear wheels, motor in good condition only	$165	1929 CHEVROLET Truck with cab, motor thoroughly reconditioned. Has new tires, paint only	$275
1929 CHEVROLET Truck with cab 32x6 rear tires, motor in perfect condition	$325	1928 CHEVROLET Truck Chassis in good condition, only	$100
1929 CHEVROLET Truck with cab, will give lots of transportation, with small amount of repairs	$150	1927 CHEVROLET Truck with Cab and Body, a Real buy at	$185
1927 CHEVROLET Truck as is	$95	MODEL "T" Ford Truck, as is	$50

All the above trucks are worth the money and can be bought for small down payment and balance on GMAC easy payment plan.

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NOTICE OF REFERENCE

In the matter of the estate of J. H. Roberts, deceased, N. L. Roberts, Administrator. Petition for partial settlement.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity:

To Whom It May Concern:

Take Notice: That on June 6th, 1931, N. L. Roberts, administrator of the estate of J. H. Roberts, deceased, filed his account and vouchers for a partial settlement in the above estate, and the Court ordered a reference to be had in the above matter and that the day set for the reference is on Wednesday the 8th, day of July, 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the Register's office in Clanton, Alabama.

All parties interested may appear and contest same if they deem proper.

Witness my hand, this the 13th, day of June, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
Register.

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NON-RESIDENT NOTICE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County. Circuit Court in Equity No. 905.

Viola Scott, Complainant, vs. A. J. Scott, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Registrar by the affidavit of Raymond C. Smith that the Defendant is a non-resident or that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said A. J. Scott to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 3rd day of July, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 2nd day of June, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
Register.

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NOTICE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed by J. A. Maddox and wife Sallie E. Maddox, on the 22nd day of May, 1930, to the Southern Cotton Oil Company, a corporation, which said mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama in Mortgage Record Vol. 205 page 566, default having been made in the payment of the debt secured by said mortgage, the undersigned the Southern Cotton Oil Company, a corporation, will proceed to sell on Friday the 10th day of July, 1931, at the Court House Door of Chilton County, Alabama, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, within the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in the Town of Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the West side of Seventh (7th) Street, or the Clanton and Jemison road, and North of Fourth Avenue where the South line of Lillie L. Stewart's lot crossed said west line of Seventh Street, being also a point in the line of the lots now owned by W. B. McCain; thence running in a Northwesterly direction along the West line of said Seventh Street 225 feet; thence in a Westerly direction at right angles to said Seventh Street one hundred fifty feet to the right of way of the L & N Railroad; thence in a Southerly direction along the Easterly line of said right of way of the L & N Railroad Two Hundred Feet to the South line of the Lillie L. Stewart's lot, if said line was extended, due west: thence due East 175 feet, along said line to the West line of Seventh Street to the point of beginning, containing 36,452.5 square feet or Eighty three-hundredths (.83) acres of land, more or less.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, after the cost and expense of this foreclosure, including a reasonable attorney's fee, shall have been paid.

This the 12th day of June, 1931.

—The Southern Cotton Oil Company,
By Steiner, Crum & Weil.
LAWRENCE F. GERALD,
Its Attorneys.

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NOTICE BANKRUPT SALE

Hugh Jones, Clanton, Ala.

Pursuant to an order made by the United States District Court, Northern Division, Middle District of Alabama, in Bankruptcy, I, as Receiver of Hugh Jones, Bankrupt, will offer, to the highest bidder for cash, during the legal hours of sale, subject to approval of said Court, on the 30 day of June, 1931, at the storehouse formerly occupied by the bankrupt at Clanton, County of Chilton, State of Alabama, all right, title and interest Bankrupt had in and to stock goods, wares and fixtures and book accounts.

Stock of dry goods, groceries,	$1627.98
Fixtures,	666.30
Book accounts,	2622.46
Total,	$4916.74

Right reserved to sell separate or as whole.

Inventory now on file.

Montgomery, Ala., 17 day of June, 1931.

M. HUGH STUART,
Receiver.

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGE

Default having been made in the terms of that certain mortgage executed by W. M. Nix and wife, Mandy Nix, to the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Company on the 20th day of April, A. D., 1917 to secure the principal sum of Twelve Hundred and No|100 ($1200.00) Dollars, and recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 156 of Mortgages, at page 510, and conveying the following described property lying and being situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

Southeast quarter of Northeast quarter (SE¼ of NE¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Thirteen (13), containing forty (40) acres. The Northeast quarter of Southwest quarter (NE¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Twenty-three (23), North of Range Thirteen (13) East of St. Stephens's Principal Meridian in Alabama. Ten (10) acres off the North end of Southeast quarter of Southwest quarter (SE¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), Township Twenty-three (23) North of Range Thirteen (13) East of St. Stephen's Principal Meridian in Alabama. The Southwest quarter of Northeast quarter (SW¼ of NE¼); the Southeast quarter of Northwest quarter (SE¼ of NW¼; the Northwest quarter of Southeast quarter (NW¼ of SE¼), all in Section Twenty-eight (28) in Township Twenty-three (23), North of Range Thirteen (13) East of St. Stephen's Principal Meridian in Alabama. The above lands containing in the aggregate two hundred ten (210) acres, and being known as the "Home Place" of said W. M. Nix,

notice is hereby given that under the terms of sale contained in said mortgage, said property will be sold at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, during the legal hours of sale, at the Court House in the Town of Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, on the 14th day of July, A. D. 1931.

—PHOENIX MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

Jack Thorington, Attorney. 6-11-3tc

Fairview News

The 4-H Club Boys cream supper at this place Saturday night was quite a success. A large crowd was present.

Mrs. A. B. Foshee came home Sunday from Birmingham where she has been visiting her son, Howard, and wife. She attended the revival while up there. Little Howard Foshee came home with her to spend the summer.

Mr. M. R. Durbin spent Sunday with his wife and mother, Mrs. Ola Edwards. He holds a responsible position in Birmingham at the Durbin Fish Market.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cox and children spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. V. C. McKee Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cox were the guests of Mr and Mrs. J. N. McKee Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reedie Taylor, Mrs. W. M. Poole motored out from town Sunday afternoon and visited Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelley Gilliland and children of the Cane Creek community were the week end guests of their mother, Mrs. J. D. Culp.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams were the dinner guests of Miss Inez McKee Sunday.

Mr. Winston Culp spent Saturday night with Mr. Delos Culp.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Keen and family from the Shiloh community attended the cream supper at this place Saturday night.

Misses Louise Cox, Willie Nell Owen, Myrle Buzbee, Inez McKee, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams and Mr. A. D. Headley motored down to the singing at Shiloh Sunday afternoon. They reported a nice time.

Messrs. Herbert Traywick and A. D. Headley, Misses Jewell Foshee, and Louise Cox spent a few enjoyable hours with Inez McKee Sunday afternoon and Sunday night.

Quite a number from this community went to the river a berry picking Friday and reported a nice time.

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JEMISON DEFEATS DOGWOOD MINES LAST SATURDAY

The Jemison baseball team met the strong Dogwood Mines team on the Jemison field last Saturday afternoon and after a hard fought game turned the invaders back with a score of 11 to 9. Watkins, who pitched for the Jemison team turned in some very fine work in holding the Dogwood team to nine runs while his team scored eleven runs. Langston playing for the Jemison team was the star of the day, getting two triples and a double out of four times at bat.

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Foozello: I'm sorry that my engagements prevent my attending your charity concert but I shall be with you in spirit.

Solicitor: Splendid! And where would you like your spirit to sit? I have tickets for two, three and five dollars.

Fond Love: My kisses must be getting better. Your slaps have weakened into pats.

Some Baby: I know, I'm tired.

TOO HANDY WITH GUNS

Another most regrettable double killing by a quick-triggered deputy sheriff is reported from Oklahoma, where two Mexican youths, one of them a cousin of President Rubio, were slain on the public highway.

The slayer and another deputy accompanying him say one of the boys drew a pistol as the officers approached their parked car to question them as to what they were doing. Whether this be true or not, the boys are dead and can not give their side of the case.

When a person is halted on the public highway, he does not know whether he is being held up by bandits or officers of the law. In either case if the citizen makes any show of resistance he is likely to be killed.

Innumerable killings and woundings of innocent persons by peace officers in recent years indicate that many of these officers are entirely too handy with their guns. On the other hand, the readiness of bandits to shoot officers makes the latter's position difficult at times.

Such is the state of civilization in the United States in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred thirty-one.

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RISKING TOO MUCH

While sharing the universal admiration for Lindbergh's courage and skill as an aviator, we can not help feeling that in his proposed flight across the Pacific with Mrs. Lindbergh he is risking two much.

Conceding that two adult persons have the right to risk their lives in any manner they choose, we are thinking of the Lindbergh baby, who would be left motherless if disaster should befall his parents in their daring enterprise.

Mrs. Lindbergh has already demonstratd her own bravery and skill in the air to an extent which should satisfy anyone. No possible practical benefit can come to the science and art of flying by her taking the desperate risk of a trans-Pacific flight. Even the great Lindbergh is only human, and he may tempt fate once too often.

However, we wish the brave pair luck in their proposed flight, although we consider the hazards involved entirely out of proportion to anything of benefit which it may accomplish if successful.

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SOIL EROSION COSTS $200,000,000 YEARLY

Soil erosion cost farmers of the United States $200,000,000 annually reports the Department of Agriculture which stated that "translated into terms of the average cost to individual farmers erosion cost $33 a year."

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New Stenog: Sharpleigh called about his account this morning.

Dunn-Brown: And you told him I'd just left for Europe?

New Stenog: Yes, and that you wouldn't be back till this afternoon.

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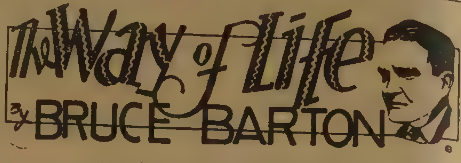

Setting The World Right

Carle Conway, head of the Continental Can Company, has a customer in Massachusetts who makes cranberry sauce. One day when Wall Street was thinking that the world was going to the dogs, Carle dropped in on this Yankee manufacturer and found him very serene.

They dined together, and after dinner the talk turned to world business conditions which, says Carle, "seem to have eliminated prohibition from conversation, so that there is that much to be said in favor of depression at least."

The cranberry man said: "During the war I was making cranberry sauce and we were not able to get sugar except at an exorbitant price. Everyone in the industry said we had better go out of business because we had to have sugar to make cranberry sauce, and sugar at thirty cents a pound would stop sales.

"I went into a huddle with myself that night and came to the conclusion that I would let the customers decide whether they would buy cranberry sauce made with thirty-cent sugar: that I had just one job in the world and that was to run my business, and I was going to let the world take care of itself, and everyone else take care of himself, and I was going to figure how I could take care of my business and solve the problems each day as they came along

"I did not think I was big enough to help or harm the world's progress, but I did think I could help or harm my own business."

One thing which makes this depression seem more discouraging than others is the fact that all countries have been so closely knit together. In other periods of slow business we in the United States did not worry because the [illegible] market was bad in Brazil or the corn plaster industry had collapsed in Timbuctoo. We had our own troubles to fight.

This year our newspapers, through their truly wonderful news gathering forces, have brought us all the bad tidings from everywhere. The result is that the average American business man is going around trying to carry the troubles of the whole big world.

I may be all wrong, but my idea about the other countries is that they are all having serious difficulties, just as we are, but in everyone of them there is a solid backbone of people just like you and me—hard working, sensible men and women who have their homes and families, who do not want to see the social order overthrown and who are doing their individual best to solve their own problems.

Ultimately, I believe, this silent majority will win.

In the meantime, when anybody comes into my office to discuss world conditions, I courteously ask to be excused. I am trying hard to work out my own salvation.

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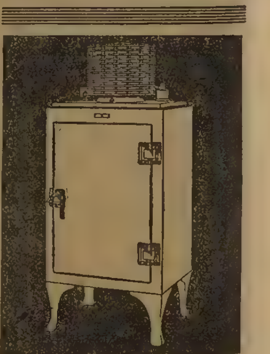

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The So-Called Room Tax

The so-called room tax is nothing more nor less than a minimum charge which uses the number of rooms in the building served as basis by which the minimum charge is determined. It means in actual practice that the fellow with the large house, and therefore the larger potential power requirements, pays a larger minimum price than the small fellow with the smaller requirements.

In Alabama these utility rates are fixed by the Alabama Public Service Commission after full hearing from both the utility and the public, and represent the mature judgment of the members of that Commission based upon the evidence submitted. From their findings both the utility and the public are given the right of appeal to the courts.

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ALABAMA POWER COMPANY
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To Judge State Coach Models

W. H. CARUTHERS

V. J. DOUGLASS

Birmingham Men To Aid In Rating Alabama Boys' Entries In July

Birmingham, June 18.—(Special)—Preparations were being completed here this week for the judging of all the miniature Napoleonic coach models which boys throughout Alabama have been constructing in competition for the four university scholarships and 980 other awards offered by the Fisher Body Craftsman's Guild.

All the boys in Alabama who are entering models in the competition are to bring or send their coaches to the Harris Transfer and Warehouse Company, 8 S. 13th Street, Birmingham, between now and July 1. This company will act as custodian of the models until the state exhibition and judging which will take place here in July.

The judging and exhibit of coaches will be held in the Birmingham Y. M. C. A. Boys' Building, 5 N. 20th Street. This convenient location has facilities for displaying the boys' models to the best advantage, and also has ample room to accommodate the throngs which the judging will attract. All are welcome to come.

It was also announced this week that the two local judges of the coach models had been appointed. They are W. H. Caruthers, Scout Commissioner, and V. J. Douglass, supervisor of Manual Training, Birmingham Public Schools. These two judges, sitting with a third judge from Guild headquarters, will judge all the coaches which have been constructed in Alabama. Their finding will select two boys to go to Detroit as representatives of the state at the first annual convention of the Guild—there to compete for the four university scholarships of four years each. They will also make the distribution of the numerous state cash awards.

THE CHILD PROBLEM

Interesting discussions concerning child training marked a conference on the subject at the University of Iowa. It appeared to be the concensus of the educators present that more rational methods and less sentimentality should be employed in dealing with the young.

Properly understood and properly dealt with, the tendency to independence which characterizes the youth of the present is not to be deplored, according to some of the speakers. Children must be led to do things because they are right and beneficial for them, not simply because someone lays down arbitrary rules.

Mrs. C. G. Wodehouse, head of the Bureau of Economics in Washington, declared that "the church and the law have lost their hold because both are so bound by prejudice that they are out of touch with modern needs," and that "religionists must revise their doctrines to meet modern problems.

Summed up, the conclusions appeared to be that children of the present and future must be governed, if at all, by principles which appeal to their intelligence rather than to their emotions.

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TODAY
AND
TOMORROW
BY
FRANK PARKER
STOCKBRIDGE

MEAT—

Meat packers are making a great to-do over the advice of the U. S. Public Health Service that people should eat less meat in Summer. The packers have sent a protest to the Government, saying that Eskimos live on meat the year around and do not suffer from it.

This is an interesting example of the way in which commercial interests try to influence Governmental affairs. The public health is a secondary consideration with the packers; they are concerned with selling more meat.

Americans are the largest meat eaters in the world. Also we have the highest rate of deaths from heart disease and hardening of the arteries. I asked an eminent heart specialist the other day whether there was any connection between these two facts. His reply was that meat is a highly concentrated source of muscular energy which should be used sparingly by everybody who does not regularly do a great deal of heavy physical work or exercise.

"Eat what you like, but all in moderation." was his advice, which sounds like good common sense.

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GAMBLING—

A colored man in Boston won $150,000 in a gambling pool on the British Derby. Thousands of other Americans won large sums and the city newspapers have printed columns about their winnings, which will make it easier for the sellers of chances on these events to rope in more suckers next year. Lotteries and other forms of gambling are illegal in most of the United States, but it is questionable whether they do any more harm than unlimited speculation in stocks or grain. The desire to get something for nothing is inherent in human nature. Mankind has always gambled and always will.

Nevada has recently legalized gambling and is licensing gambling establishments. A curious result of this is that a great gambling center will be set up close to the Government's "model city" at the Boulder Dam, on a twenty-acre strip which the authorities overlooked in acquiring land for the town site. Prohibition laws, it is said, will be strictly enforced, but it is easy to foretell where a considerable part of the wages paid to workers on the big dam will go.

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TELEVISION—

So many miracles have been performed by science in the past few years that we are ready to believe that anything is possible. That explains why the public has been so easily "sold" on the idea that before long we shall be able to see distant events while they are occurring, by radio television.

Scientific experimenters in this field are not so confident. The technical problems to be overcome are the most difficult they have ever encountered Leaders in radio development are hopeful but not certain. H. P. Davis, "father of broadcasting," Lee DeForest, inventer of the radio tube. Harold A. La Fount, of the Federal Radio Commission, Ray H. Mason, president of the Institute of Radio Engineers, and several others have recently stated that it will be years before broadcast television will be commercially practical, if at all.

Today a small picture in motion can be sent by radio, or better by wire, over apparatus which costs about $00,000 at each end of the line. That is the best that has been done so far. Thousands of clever engineers are working on the problem of improving and cheapening television, but few are willing to promise anything very definate.

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DIESEL—

Walter Lees and Frederick Brossy recently flew their airplane over Jacksonville Beach for 84 hours and 33 minutes without refueling. The engine that made it possible for them to stay so long in the air is the latest application to aviation of the invention of the late Rudolf Diesel. an engine which uses crude oil instead of gasoline, and ignites its fuel by the heat of compress-air and so needs no electrical ignition system.

Diesel engines today drive half of the world's ships, at a third of the operating cost of steam-engines. Building them light enough to fly with is a problem which engineers are beginning to overcome.

The new Navy Zeppelins being built at Akron will have Diesel engins. So will most of the airplanes and airships of the near future. Fifty years from now some other kind of engine may supplant theDiesels in turn.

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PROGRESS—

New York was the last city in America to abandon the old-fashoned horse-drawn street-cars, the last of which ran up to a couple of years ago. But it is the first large city to abolish the steam locomotive.

All passenger trains entering New York city from any direction have been drawn by electric locomotives for several years. Steam engines are still used for hauling freight trains on the West side of Manhattan Island, this summer.

It is exactly 100 years since the first steam-drawn passenger train ran on a railroad in America. There were railroads, with horses to draw the cars, for a hundred years before that. There will still be railroads a hundred years from now, but the method of running trains may be something we of today do not dream of, any more than our great-granfathers dreamed of electric motors. Perhaps air-propellers driven by Diesel-type engines will pull the fast freight from New York to Frisco in a day on high elevated tracks in 2031. Perhaps some means of propulsion by rockets will be used. All we can be sure of is that the speed will be greater.

VERBENA SERVICE STATION IS COMING TO THE FRONT

If you are curious and wondering why the Verbena Service Station is gaining so rapidly in popularity among motorists, then you should pay a visit to that station, and have one of the employees there to show you the many advantages to be found there.

It is not the policy of this newspaper to publish article after article boosting some individual place of business, but when a place of business is making efforts to forge ahead and be a credit to a town and county, then this newspaper believes they deserve recognition.

The Verbena Service Station is constantly adding new and modern features to its already competent service. Within a few days the recently erected automobile repair department of the station will be fully completed and is now, however, open for business and keeping their mechanic busy at all times.

Sanitation is another feature of the rest rooms of the station. The barber shop, located in connection with the station is operated by an experienced barber. A visit to the Verbena Service Station and a look around will show one why it is becoming popular, not only with residents of Verbena, but with motorists from all over the state who may be passing through Verbena.

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John D. Sloan, coal miner of Kona, Ky., aged 54, is the father of 34 children.

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Pursued by his wife from city to city. C. K. Waterfield was finally arrested in New York on a charge of desertion after evading her for 17 years.

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Accustomed to tea since his childhood, John Rodgers of Los Angeles said in a divorce suit that his wife insisted on giving him coffee and thereby spoiled his pleasure in life.

"Nerves"

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Marriage Licenses

The following marriage licenses were issued from the office of the Probate Judge of Chilton County for the month of June:

Roy Beveler and Miss Clara Gissendaner.

O. A. Blankenship and Miss Louise Seales.

A. M. Perkins and Miss Gladys Pauline Ray.

Odell Calloway and Miss Isie Dennis.

Grady Thomas Rhodes and Miss Myrtle Downs.

Albert Taylor and Miss Louella Williams.

S. A. Jones and Miss Mildred Raney.

T. H. Lecroy and Miss Gladys Sexton.

Floyd Bailey and Ella Mims.

Luther Arant and Miss Willie Otis Wells.

SLAVERY STILL EXISTS

It is almost incredible that there should still be 5,000,000 or more human beings existing in abject slavery in various parts of the world. Yet such is the case, according to a report of a slavery commission organized under the auspices of the League of Nations.

Slavery is found, it is said, in nearly a score of countries, and is especially prevalent in Abyssinia, China, Hedjaz and Liberia. A traveler in Abyssinia has described "slavery, open, cruel and fiendish; gangs of slaves marching in misery, the men chained together in rows, and the women and children dragging themselves along beside the main body."

There is no doubt that similar conditions exist in many other countries, although in most of them slavery is officially forbidden. In some areas the condition of actual slavery is disguised under the form of contract labor and peonage, or debt slavery, the latter also prevailing in some South American countries.

Some encouragement is seen, however, in the steps being taken by the League toward the abolishment of slavery particularly by the British government, through whose efforts about 700,000 slaves have been liberated since the close of the war

Now, as always, the suppression of "man's inhumanity to man" is one of civilization's major tasks.

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Ladies Pleated Dresses	65c and up

J. D. TIPPET, Manager

Budgeting Calories

by Jane Rogers

Cheap Cuts Can Be Converted Into Tasty Main Dishes. Wise Seasoning Plays Important Part

IN budgeting household expense money—so much for fresh vegetables, so much for fruits, and on down the line of every day necessities—the thrifty homemaker frequently finds a stumbling block in the selection of meats to round out the heavy meal of the day.

Steaks, chops and the finer cuts eat heavily into a weekly allowance. They are undoubtedly delicious, and father and the growing boys who have been burning up energy during the day, need this kind of food to supply them with stamina and build up muscle.

But it is not always necessary to select the finest offering from the butcher's counter. Especially at this time, when it is necessary to make the elusive dollar stretch farther than ever before, the housewife can still satisfy an appetite demand, and at the same time offer a tasty meat dish, without cutting too heavily into the budget items set aside for food.

Cheaper cuts can be turned into delicious bits by wise seasoning and a few variations in the method of preparation. Mutton, round steak, neck, and other cuts form the basis of some of the best recipes composed by leading dietitians.

One important rule for adding to the tastiness of these cheap cuts, a rule by the way that is almost a standard in many countries, is to add a touch of sugar along with salt, pepper, sage thyme and the other seasonings. Used much as you would use salt or pepper, the sugar does not call attention to itself but nevertheless blends and "points up" the other flavors.

A careful study of almost any cookbook will offer scores of suggestions to the housewife for ways in which the cheaper cuts can be used. Where they do not the housewife can benefit by this little seasoning trick which has been used by many chefs for years.

Here is one recipe that illustrates how an inexpensive cut can be turned into an appetite-appealing main dish.

Mutton With Apples

2 pound mutton steak
3 apples
2 onions
1 tablespoon sugar
salt and pepper
mint jelly

Cut the mutton into serving size pieces. Trim fat. Roll each piece in flour well seasoned with salt and pepper. Brown in a little fat in the frying pan. Arrange in baking dish. Place sliced apples and onions on top. Sprinkle with sugar, salt and pepper. Cover and bake in moderate oven for one and one-half hours. Before serving spread with mint jelly.

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G. O. P. And Prosperity?

Menalcus Lankford, one of those rare birds, a Republican Congressman from Virginia, appealed over the radio the other day, to the South to come into the Republican party. The basis of his argument was two-fold. First, that it was highly advisable in the interest of democracy that there should be two strong parties everywhere in the United States, in order that merit of policies rather than sectional prejudices should influence elections. Naturally he made no reference to his ideal condition in respect to such States as Maine, Vermont and Iowa, for example. The second string to his lyre was that by joining the Republican party the Southerners would come into a happy family, one destitute of such disturbing controversies as, according to Mr. Lankford, divide the Democratic party.

The touching harmony illustrated by the revolt of a third of the Republican delegation in the Senate against the administration, to say nothing of the surreptitious efforts by Robert H. Lucas, the Executive Director of the Republican National Committee, to prevent the return of Norris as Senator from Nebraska, must have occurred to everybody who heard the appeal.

Of course, the conflict over prohibition was the particular thing at which Representative Lankford adroitly hinted. Of course, the wet East and the dry South are not in accord on this issue, but it is a curious idea that this division in sentiment is confined to the Democrats. Republican Pennsylvania and the dry Northwest, equally Republican, are as far apart on it as Democratic Massachusetts and Democratic Georgia. The New York Republicans are as vociferously wet as the Kansas Republicans are dry. The only difference between the two parties in regard to this controversy is that there is some movement among the Democrats to get an expression of opinion on the subject and to have a majority of the party fix its policy, while on the Republican side the whole strategy is to make their party appear wet in wet States and dry in dry States.

On the economic side of things, the Republicans suffer a division that has no parallel in the minority party. The farm revolt is based in a preponderant degree on the resentment of the agricultural sections of the country against the tariff policy which gives them nothing that adds to the return for their products while imposing extortionate exactions on everything they have to buy.

The only harmony observable in the G. O. P. is their hope of retaining the government and their fear that they cannot do it with Mr. Hoover as their candidate in the face of the explosion of the issue based on the hypothesis that prosperity and a Republican administration always go hand in hand.

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Curtis As A Barometer

Politically, no less than in his governmental habit of mind, President Hoover appears to be beset by doubts and plagued by indecision.

Commentators on politics have been devoting a good deal of their attention to the question of who will be Mr. Hoover's running mate in 1932. Of course, the choice will be made entirely in accordance with Mr. Hoover's desires, as nearly as the Republican Convention is able to ascertain them or to gratify them. In such an election as that of next year reluctance on the part of high calibre men to take the second place on the Republican ticket will be a factor. Indeed, the dubiousness of the prospects of the Republican ticket next year is equally an element in Mr. Hoover's uncertainty and the statements attributed to Vice President Curtis that his mind is not made up yet as to whether he cares to be a candidate for a second term in the highly ornamental office he now occupies.

Should Mr. Curtis run again, and should the ticket be defeated, he would be left entirely out in the cold, an appalling fate for a gentleman who for forty-six years has occupied public office. He took no risk of this sort when he ran with Mr. Hoover in 1928, for he was still United States Senator and, if that election had been lost he would have gone on being a Senator until 1933. It is doubtful if the Vice Presidency is not just as attractive to him now as it was when he was Senator and the presumption is inevitable that, if he thought the Republican national prospects were promising, he would be glad to continue where he is. The alternative he is represented as considering is to again run for the Senatorship from Kansas, on the theory that the prospects are better there. Even Kansas is no longer a certainty, for a Democrat now occupies the seat Mr. Curtis vacated the day before he was inaugurated as Vice President. However, it is probably true that Mr. Curtis would have a better chance of election as Senator from Kansas than Mr. Hoover has for re-election as President. When as cold-nosed a politician as our Vice President is revolving in his own mind such a question as this, few people will doubt that his decision will be based on the consideration of which course is best for Charles Curtis. Moreover, the significance of his dilemma must be apparent to everybody inclined to place faith in an expert's prophecy of a political trend. The circumstances that Mr. Curtis is weighing the question is in itself definite evidence that even in the heart of this stalwart Republican there is not much hope of the G. O. P. winning the next Presidential election. Should he definitely decide to go after the Senatorship again, the country generally will interpret it as a confession that he has abandoned hope for a Hoover second term.

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

"A good thing to remember
A better thing to do;
Work with the construction gang
Not with the wrecking crew."
—Ben Franklin Witness.

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The Farmers Hardware, as usual, is catering to the desire of the people. Now they have gone and placed some nice new benches on the sidewalk for folks to sit on during these hot summer afternoons. It is not so comfortable there in the mornings, but in the afternoons, when the sun has started its descent, then it is fine in the shade. Now if the Farmers Hardware will just put some cushions on the benches, and serve lemonade in the afternoon, we'd say they were going fine, and I'd be there every afternoon. So if you are looking for somebody and can't find them, they may be at the Farmers Hardware corner.

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We have to thank John Temple Graves II, eminent columnist of the Birmingham Age-Herald for the following, which is pretty good:

If you haven't made your will and are weighted down with Hoover prosperity, you may find some suggestions worth following in the will said to have been left recently by a certain merchant. "My overdraft at the bank," it recited, "will go to my wife—she can explain it to them. My equity in my automobile I want to go to my son. He will then have to go to work to keep up the payments. Give my good will to the supply houses. They took some awful chances on me, and are entitled to something. My equipment give to the junk man; he has had his eye on it for several years. And I want six of my creditors for pallbearers. They have carried me so long they might as well finish the job."

Not bad, John Temple, and by the way, after you get hitched up, as I read by the papers that you are going to be soon, and I congratulate the lucky young lady, and extend congratulations to you also. I've been wondering if maybe you wouldn't change the title of your Age-Herald column to "Last Night" instead of "This Morning." Another suggestion that might strike you as worth considering, is to change it to "The Morning After," which after all, would be "This Morning," wouldn't it? Anyway, the column is okeh with me, and I like it. Hope you are the same.

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And I say, John C. Page, I was in Maplesville the other day, and a fellow remarked to my ever-hearing ears, "That fellow John Page, over in Clanton is one hustler, ain't he?" Well, I told him you was, and you are, ain't you?

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Now, I got to say something about this friend of mine, Henry T. Pipes, the railroad man who has to let the Pan-American by every morning. He done me a favor the other day, and don't know it, I don't suppose. But I'm much obliged, anyway, and thanks too. Next time you go fishing and catch a big fish, I'm gonna try to get the ed to put your picture in the paper.

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Some of these days I'm gonna get my picture in the papers, but I got to figure out something to do to get it there. I never have done anything to amount to much, but I'll do something some of these days, and maybe the ed will recognize me.

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I kind of feel all summerfied about something. Maybe it's the weather. Then along comes Bob Sumner, Senior and M. Lande, talking about a real golf course for Clanton. That kind of hits me right, but I can't play golf now, but I bet I could learn if Lande would teach me.

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And another thing. I ain't so hot when it comes to swimming, either. So I've just about decided that I'm gonna apply for swimming lessons, as I understand there is a fair young lady round town who might be giving swimming lessons this summer, and I believe I would be a good pupil, if I didn't start to wanting to take my lessons at night, under the spell o' the moon.

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Now here goes our ladies off to Pensacola for the convention of the Pilot Club. Boy, howdy, ain't Clanton going some these days. We were represented in Miami at the Kiwanis Club Convention, and Mrs. Lande, Alma Allen, Dewey Branch, and Mrs. Stapp, are going to carry the Clanton colors in Pensacola. Maybe I should say, have carried the colors, because they ought to be back in Clanton right away. They been down there since Sunday, and I'm kind o' getting lonesome without them. I wondered if maybe they needed a chauffeur or valet, or something that I could go along and do. Maybe fix punctures, or something.

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And there Mr. and Mrs. Dief, and little Diefs, been wandering away off up yonder through Tennessee, Kentucky, and round about in Ohio. Dief came back safe and sound this week, but Mrs. Dief and Helen, and Milton are still looking around in the state of Ohio. Saw where Dief drove over five hundred miles in one day. Ain't that traveling some, when I start out, I get about fifty miles a day, but there's a reason for that. I see too many things I always have to stop and look at, on the way.

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Peaches, pecans, pomegranates, pears, apples, figs, squashes, beans, watermelons, peanuts, grapes, cantaloupes, chickens, eggs and gosh knows what all, I saw down at Joseph B. Atkinson's house the other day. Strolling through his yards, front and back, is like walking through a miniature modern farm, with the variety of things raised there. And there's flowers too, but I'll give Mrs. J. B. credit for those pretty flowers in the beds out front. If there ever was a complete, happy home, they got it, and off comes my top-piece to them.

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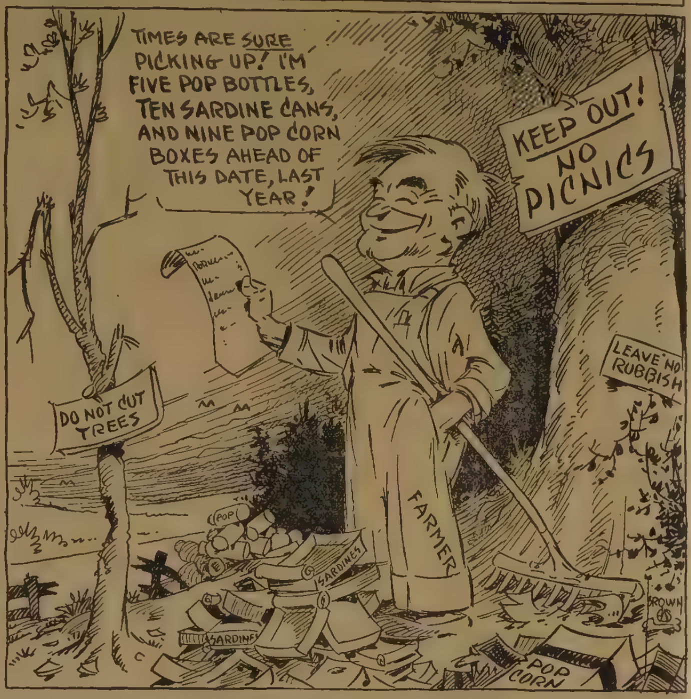
Been seeing Hoke Pipes round town during the past several days. He used to be one of the boys in Clanton, and although his hair is kind o' thin on top, now, he is still one of the boys here, and we are mighty glad to see him back here on a viist. And he brought Mrs. Hoke, and three little Pipes with him, al lthe way from up in Pennsylvania to visit his folks here, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Pipes and Claudy Pipes. Some of these days, Hoke, I'm gonna trickle off up in your neck o' the woods, and sit awhile with you.

Things Are Picking Up— ——— *By Ted Brown*


TIMES ARE SURE PICKING UP! I'M FIVE POP BOTTLES, TEN SARDINE CANS, AND NINE POP CORN BOXES AHEAD OF THIS DATE, LAST YEAR!
KEEP OUT! NO PICNICS
LEAVE NO RUBBISH
DO NOT CUT TREES
FARMER
POP
SARDINES
SARDINES
POP CORN
BROWN

Letters To The Editor

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Editor Chilton County News:

I wish to say to the people of Chilton County that I visited the almshouse of Mobile County and was greatly pleased with their manner of its administration being under the supervision of an employer. This I have advocated I believing would be its plan for our almshouse in Chilton County, for I have several petitions asking our commissioners to place our almshouse on that plan. My petition reads as follows:

We, the undersigned citizens and tax payers of Chilton county, respectfully petition your honorable court to place our almshouse in charge of a suitable employee under your direct supervision, governed by such rules and regulations as will best serve their welfare. After being advised to get the plan how Mobile was run, I withheld my petition but I have a letter from Judge William of Mobile saying that I shall have the information.

Yours respectfully,
J. W. HAYS.

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LINDQUIST ON THE BIBLE

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Thorsby, Ala., June 20, 1931.

Editor News,
Clanton, Ala..
Dear Sir:

Having today read an epistle of one Mr. Jones, father of a preacher, printed in Chilton County News, and I hope you will give the same favor in printing my Opus:

In the first place, there are very few real Christians, preachers included; but plenty of dogmatists, of the different beliefs and denominations.

Second, no preacher of any denomination would hold the pulpit five weeks if he preached the doctrine of Christ. Christ taught self respect and manhood to the slaves and free laborers and small farmers, or for the multitude practically revolt against the Pharisees and Sadducees, and priests and in part against the publicans, or the Roman tax gatherers, who were generally hated by all. Jesus had only one Pharisee among his eighty-four disciples and that yellow dog betrayed Him. The priests and scribes, lawyers and plutocrats held meetings to take Him away. But they did not dare to touch Him in day time, so they got Judas Iscariot, the traitor, to show them where Jesus was located at night, when the followers were sleeping. The recognition sign was a kiss. Further, his father, mother, brethren and His cousin, John the Baptist, and all His disciples were Essenees, and the New Testament does not mention them at all, but anyone who has read history, etc., can see their plans and rules. In most every verse of the gospels and epistles of his brothers, James and Jude, and disciple John, Christ's plan was called "The Way."

Further, I challenge any priest or preacher, or others to show by the New Testament that Jesus of Nazareth, the Christ, that He stated He was the son of God. He said "The son of man," before Caiphas. He, Jesus, said "You said it." And before Pilatus, He said, "They say so." His disciples said: He was the Christ, the One to come. Further, at the Passover feast, there were Jews from Greece and the Islands, and from the Tiber to the Nile, Euphrates and the Tigris, and they wanted Him to come and preach to them, and so He intended. But the priests, Pharisees, Sadducees and lawyers and the rich money-changers and plutocrats held a secret meeting with St. Annas to take Him away before the end of the feast, as if He get off. He will overthrow the system of the whole world, (so they got Him away.)

If Jesus had got out among the Diaspora Jews and Gentiles to preach the way we would have a different world today; and a very different New Testament, nearly opposite to the paulinism we got.

Jesus preached respect, character, will and power to the slaves and laborers and small farmers. Believe what you see and have faith on what you can not see, or can understand at present. He taught knowledge will come. He, Jesus, preached to the slaves, laborers and farmers to stand up for their rights and principles. In one thing Jesus was strict: abide by your agreements and contracts. But He practically preached rebellion against Roman robbers and plunderers, and their agents, not as Paul: meekness, humbleness, obeyance, etc.

Third, in all time past, and to present day, 99 preacher in every hundred or more, have always been against the common people's will and rights and always preached meekness (like Paul) and humble to every tyrant, and even murderers who murdered their slaves by the thousands a day, and blessed and prayed for war, and upheld tyranny, whether among gamblers or slavedrivers or tyrannical governments.

And few preachers preach the sermon on the Mount or Matthew X or VI Chapters, or James Epistle and neither preachers or churchgoers live after same. They act more like a tiger against a lion, and either devour a lamb.

I am an agnostic, but no atheist or infidel against Jesus of Nazareth. I have listened in several churches, but go to none regularly, because in no church so far have I heard Jesus taught, but cant and church dogmas. But I don't blame the preachers, because if they did not follow their rules and dogmas they would be out in short order, like Bishop Montgomery Brown of the Presbyterians. He preached and wrote facts of Christ and his brother Bishops kicked him out of church.

I have read three pamphlets of Rutherford, but never heard a radio or other speech from him, or any other of the Bible students. I hold that C. T. Russel and Judge Rutherford's teachings are nearer correct than any other, at least, it is not as dogmatic as others as far as I know.

I do not swallow all their views, and on certain points I think Rutherford is wrong, and wrote him so, but he said he had no time to answer letters.

Rutherford says: "When breath leaves the body, persons are dead and know nothing." I differ there. I hold that when breath leaves the body, the carcass is dead, but breath of life of the person are more just and correct then, within 20 miles of earth's surface, and alive. But while breath and mind are in carcass, good and evil thoughts can exist during the same minute, but after hic! Pooh!. good and evil can not congregate and as the majority of the thoughts have been, the same company life require. No life of any kind has since the deluge passed through the ether of 260 degrees Centigrade below zero. Before the deluge, when earth and ether were warmer when the poles were tropical, it was possible for spirit bodies to transfer.

Fourth: I say when Rome invested Palestine by Pompey, a high priest opened the gates of Jerusalem and let the Romans in, a traitor to his class and all Jews. And at the Judean Insurrection 79 A. D. the priests, lackeys, or errand boys, opened several gates to let Titus in. Taking Jerusalem then had been hard for Romans, but priests, Pharisees, Sadducees, and the rich, on one side, common people, multitudes on the other, were fighting among themselves, and the treacherous priests let the Romans in on their Jewish citizens. But Jesus's testimony came true.

I hold, and others, too: That any farmer who farms the soil, and any laborer who goes to church regular, is a traitor to his class.

Yours respectfully,
J. A. LINDQUIST.
Thorsby, Ala.

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WINNERS IN POTASH CONTEST ANNOUNCED

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Atanta, Ga., June 24.—The winners in the $1,500.00 south-wide contest among farmers for the best answers to the question "How does a top-dressing of 100 pounds of muriate of potash help cotton pay extra cash" were announced today by officials of the N. V. Potash Export My., Inc. Mr. J. C. Manning of Route 1, Valley Head, Alabama won second prize of $200.00.

Prizes of $25.00 were won by Lyle D Flynn, McKenzie, Alabama; Jesse F. Johnston, Route 6, Albertville, Ala.; and Isadore Washington, Pickensville, Alabama.

Other prize winners for Alabama were: Carl Boyd, Route 2, Cullman; Hoyt J. Bishop, Route 2, Roanoke; David H. Barnett, Newtonville; M. A Coleman, Millport; Leroy Fell, Route 1, Logan; J. P. Heatherly, Jasper; C. H. Hearn, Ward; Mrs. Belle Russell, Pigeon Creek; Herbert Solomon, Goodway; W. R. Sanderson, Town Creek; Zack Trimm, Route 5, Gordo; Lett Thompson, Route 3, Town Creek; Ernest Wilson, Eutaw; Mrs. Ernest Wilson, Route 3, Eutaw; J. P. Wade, Rt 1, Albertville; and J. A. Wade, Vincent.

Several thousand answers were submitted and the competition was exceptionally keen. The judges of the contest were leading agricultural authorities on fertilizers for the agricultural colleges and experiment stations. Mr. J. T. Williamson of the Alabama Experiment Station at Auburn represented Alabama.

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Three Years Ago

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Mr. J. R. Short of the Maplesville community sent to the News office last week two extra large rutabaga turnips which he states were grown on his farm. Each of the turnips weighed six and one half pounds.

Mr. J. H. Anderson of Verbena was in Clanton last Saturday.

The Exchange Barber Shop, one of Clanton's most attractive barber shops, opened recently and is now ready for business.

The Dixie Cafe is putting the finishing touches on the interior of their place of business and according to Mr. L. D. Easterling, wil lbe open soon again for business.

News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

Mr. S. J. Davenport spent the week end with home folks.

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Miss Dessie Robinson spent three days of last week with homefolks.

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Dr. Horace Franklin spent the week end with home folks.

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Quite a number of people from here enjoyed the all-day singing at Collins Chapel Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Williams spent Sunday with his parents at Mulberry.

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Mrs. E. L. Pate has as her guest this week Miss Rena Nixon of Deatsville, Alabama.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kyle and family of Birmingham were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton the past Sunday.

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Mrs. Lula Lamar of Birmingham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton.

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Mr and Mrs. Wilosn and Mrs. Cora Boyd were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Goddard on a visit to Tuskegee Institute and the Federal Veterans Hospital for the negro veterans. They reported having a grand time and that they were shown many courtesies by those in charge of both institutions.

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Miss Dorothy Butler who has just graduated from Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio, returned home Friday accompanied by her cousin, Katherine Goodnow, of Cleveland, who will spend several weeks with her.

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Mrs. E. W. Butler, who attended the graduation exercises of her daughter, Dorothy, spent a couple of days with Miss Thoroman in Cincinnati. She returned home Saturday.

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Mr. Clarence Butler and family of Montgomery spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. E. W. Butler and family.

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Mr. C. M. Williams is attending school at Montevallo and his little daughter, Charlene, is attending kindergarten over there.

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PERKINS-RAY

An elopement of much interest to their many friends was that of Mr. Samuel Perkins of Gardendale to Miss Pauline Ray of Hanceville, Ala. They came to Thorsby Saturday a.m. and were quietly united in marriage at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. A. F. O'Barr at three o'clock Saturday afternoon, Rev. J. W. Jones officiating. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Perkins motored on to Montgomery and other points south on a short honeymoon. After July 1st they will be at home to their many friends in Gardendale, Ala.

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Miss Ola Mae and Stella O'Barr are spending a few days in Birmingham, Cullman and Leeds visiting old friends and relatives.

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Mrs. H. O. Bean and daughters, Miss Loutisha and Willodean. also Miss Clara Hayes motored to Atlanta, Ga. last Wednesday, returning Friday. Mrs. Bean remained over there for a few days visit with her son, Mr. German Bean.

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Mr. Kenneth O'Barr returned home Saturday after a few days visit with relatives in Birmingham.

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Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Billingsley, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Davenport and Miss Bertha Littleton spent Tuesday evening in Selma visiting relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray spent Sunday in Prattville.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Raybon and family of Birmingham were visiting homefolks here Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moore, their son, John Richard and daughter, Jeanne, of Birmingham spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Laurell, who has recently moved here from Birmingham.

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The Womans Guild social will be at the home of Mrs. H. M. Gerald on Thursday afternoon of this week.

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The closing exercises of the daily vacation Bible school wil lbe held on Friday evening, June 26, beginning at 7:30. Everybody is invited to attend and see what has been accomplished with the children.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ctrmichael of Ensley spent Sunday with Mr. Carmichael's sister, Mrs. M. A. Williams, who is confined to her bed.

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Miss Freelan Marcus returned home Monday after spending a week in Birmingham.

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Miss Hazel Maddox was the guest of Miss Edna Raybon Monday evening.

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Dr. John McCleod, wife and daughter of Mansfield, Ohio, spent Sunday with C. M. Williams and family.

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Master Lamar Smith celebrated his 4th birthday Saturday afternoon. Those present were Mary and John Floyd Mims, Calvin ' Pabe, Mary Virginia Biee, Peggy Mims Franklin, Clementine Pearson, Marie Each, Helen Louise Mead and Emily Cleckler. Ice Cream and cake was served.

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Willie Kyle, Jr., of Birmingham is sptnding the week with Clarence Horton.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Marcus, Mrs. Leonard Hayes and Miss Hilma Collins went to Tuscaloosa last Thursday to see Mrs. John H. Collins. She seems to be improving some.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hayes and family were the invited guests of Mr. R. C. Collins Sunday night. Ice cream was served. They report a real nice time.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Peterson and family are visiting at West Point, Ga. Mrs. Peterson expects to remain for some time.

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There will be regular services at the Baptist church Sunday, both morning and evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Fletcher and son, Guy, of Birmingham are guests of Mrs. Fletcher's mother, Mrs. M. J. Primm.

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Miss Jean Swanson of Union Springs is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. G. Mixson.

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Miss Virginia Bice of Palatka, Fla., is visiting relatives at Lincoln, Ala.

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Friends of Mrs. Olaf Shive perpetrated a pleasant surprise on her last Friday afternoon. It was the occasion of her 81st birthday. It was a very pleasant occasion.

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Mr. Arthur Villadsen and family of Lincoln, Ala., visited home folks over the week end.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Love of Birmingham spent the week end with the latter's parents.

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Miss Jennye Robinson is visiting in Ensley this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Meade, Mrs. Thornberg and Rev. Each spent Monday in Birmingham.

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Nice, three-piece bed room suite, will sell for $30.00; also $45 refrigerator, all steel, for $30, at W. W. Fox, Clanton.

We have some exceptional good bargains in odds and ends of hardware. See us before you buy. W. W. Fox, Clanton.

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Billingsley News

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Pastor, A. S. Bentley, delivered two helpful sermons Sunday at the Baptist church, using for his subject, "The Eleventh Commandment," and "The Fatal Night." A well filled house heard him attentively.

Prof. and Mrs. R. E. Upton and baby Ralph, left Saturday for Dothan where they will visit his parents for a few weeks.

Mrs. Mary Lou Wonder of Birmingham is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar.

Dr. Marlar has been quite ill for several days.

The friends of Mrs. W. C. Wilson will be glad to know that her baby is improving from a severe illness at the Hubbard's Hospital in Montgomery.

Mr. T. L. Patrick and daughter, Miss Maude Lee, spent Friday in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier Marlar of Birmingham were the week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Marlar.

Mr. H. W. Willis has returned to Asheville, N. C., after visiting his sister, Mrs. S. J. Smedley.

Mrs. W. A. Gandy was called to Plantersville Monday to see her mother, Mrs. Letcher, who is very ill.

Mrs. J. F. Baxter has returned from a visit with relatives in Birmingham.

Mrs. J. F. Apperson had as her guest Friday her mother, Mrs. Roper, of Clanton and her brother, Mr. A. M. Roper.

Mesdames Hattie Dickinson, T. L. Patrick, and J. C. Hughes attended the meeting of the Baptist W. M. U. Executive Board meeting at Clanton last Friday.

Mrs. Laura Headley is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dennis, in Prattville this week.

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VERMONT COMMUNITY CLUB MET SATURDAY

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By Meldie Sansom

The Vermont Community Club met Saturday night with a very good crowd. It was decided that we would meet every first and third Saturday night until the rush of work is over. We also talked about the play we are planning to give in the near future. Title of the play "Litle Miss Jack." Everybody watch the paper for the date. If you miss the play you will miss a lot of fun.

We want to get al lof the members to come back to the meeting.

We are planning on a picnic in a short while, the members who are absent three times will not be allowed to take part in the picnic. So everyone come and take part in the meeting next first Saturday night.

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FOR RENT

6-Room House, located in West Clanton, garden, garage. See Mrs. S. J. Kicker, Clanton. 5-28-tfc

Maplesville News

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The evangelical meeting conducted by Rev. Myers closed Tuesday night.

The revival at the Baptist church will begin the first Sunday in August. Rev. Bryan of Livingston, Ala., assisting.

The Study Course of Sunday school was postponed on account of ten meeting. It will begin the twenty-second at 7:30. Invitation is extended to all surrounding communities to attend.

The W. M. S. held its regular meeting Monday afternoon. Mrs. Bobbie Saportis led. We planned to start cottage prayer meeting every Wednesday at 10:30.

At this writing Mrs. Monroe Ramsey, Sr., is dangerously ill.

Nine girls hiked out for a Sunrise breakfast Thursday morning, and had a Theatre party at Selma that afternoon. Those enjoying these occasions were Misses Imogene Dawson, Ruth Mize, Elizabeth, Lucie and Ruth Parnell, May Shanks, Louise Foshee, Little Sis and Blossom Bankhead.

Mrs. C. N. Parnell was the week end guest of Mrs. Carmichael of Montevallo, Ala.

Mrs. J. W. Gwin, Jr., entertained with a bridge party in honor of her sister, Christine, and Grace Sanders of Atlanta, Ga., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gwin, Sr., Tuesday afternoon. The home was beautified with cut flowers and pot plants. The honorees were presented with novelty gifts. Miss Ruth Mize won high score, a deck of cards. Low score was received by Miss Louise Pulilam, a deck of cards. A delicious salad course was served to the following: Misses Imogene Dawson, Elizabeth, Lucie and Ruth Parnell, Ruth Mize, Louise Pulliam, Annie Laurie Potts, Warine Griffin, Ruth Terry, Clevie Walker, Elizabeth Finalpon, Margaret Nix, Doris Martin, Mrs. Hancock, Mrs. A.T. Dawson, Mrs. Stanley Hayes, Miss Estelle Davis, Christine and Grace Sanders.

Maplesvilel baseball team played the Pletcher team last Saturday afternoon. Maplesville scored 10, Pletcher 7.

Baseball game Saturday at 2:30, Maplesville vs. Oakmulgee.

Any amateur team wishing a game with Maplesville team, please get in touch with the manager, S. D. McCary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dennis, Mesdames F. A. and E. N. Shanks attended the play, "Dollar Bill of the Sunshine Circus," Tuesday night in Clanton.

Mrs. W. H. Abney and daughters, Flora Jane, Margaret and Helen Nix are attending the Confederate Tea at the home of Mrs. R. P. Anderson Tuesday afternoon in Selma, Alabama.

Dr. H. Nix is attending a dental course in Montgomery this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Taylor entertained their friends with a picnic at Log Cabin Beach Sunday. Quite a pleasant day was spent with boat riding, swimming, a long to be remembered luncheon was enjoyed by the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Dawson, Miss Imogene Dawson, Aubrey Taylor, and Miss Lucie Parnell, Leo Brewster.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Strickland and baby, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Robinson and children, Jamie and Gene, Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Shanks, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Shanks and daughter, Jane, Maplesville, visitors Miss Margaret Harrison, Messrs. Bob Cumbie and Howard Powell, Selma, Mrs. Chas. Day and daughters, Bettie and Dorothy, of Birmingham. The end of a perfect day.

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Mrs. Agnes McNair and family with her week end guests, including Misses Elizabeth Parker, Elizabeth Wells, Annie Mae Shackleford, John Harris and Paul Wilson of Birmingham, motored to Haragan Springs recently, just out from Wetumpka where they were joined by Mrs. C. E. Thomas, Mr. Carl Enslen and son, Charles, of Birmingham, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Roberson and daughter, Ann, of Wetumpka. A bountiful picnic lunch, swimming, etc., was enjoyed by all.

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NEWS OF INTEREST FROM MAPLESVILLE, ALABAMA

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There will be a barbecue at Maplesville July 4th at Maplesville School Building. The barbecue will be for the benefit of the bal lteam, and two games wil lbe played in the afternoon of that date. Everybody is cordially invited to come.

Maplesville won another game last Saturday. The score was Maplesville 23 and Oak Mulgee 3.

The Maplesville team has another game scheduled for Saturday, June 27 with Pletcher at Pletcher.

The Maplesville second team would like to schedule a game with some team for July 4th.

Rev. Grady Williams is conducting a Sunday school study course at the Maplesville Baptist church this week.

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Home Makers Class
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The Home Makers Sunday School Class of the Baptist church will meet at the church Friday afternoon at two o'clock to do some work on the quilt they are to sell to one of their members. All members are urged to be present, and bring sandwiches.

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Miss Hilda Hart
Honors Visitors.

Miss Hilda Hart was hostess to a number of the young social set of Clanton last Friday evening at a dance given at her home. Miss Hart entertained in honor of Miss Ruth Sheppard of Memphis, Miss Virginia Ellart of Birmingham, Miss Sophie Clament of Birmingham, Miss Sara Joy Bell of Tuscaloosa, Geo. Gilliland of Macon and Miss Mary Lusk Davies of McMinville, Tennessee.

This event was attended by a number of the young social contingent of Clanton among whom were Misses Jeanette and Nell Sumner, Janice Danforth, Meyrl Walker, Lucile Cox, Elizabeth and Myra Johnson, Sallie Mahan and Peggy Page, Messrs. Paul Cox, Ed Mullins, William Arthur Willis, Tom Tiffin, Benson Sims, Aubrey Taylor, and Clarence Fiquette.

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Mrs. Minnie Brown of Montgomery spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. V. J. Gragg.

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Mrs. Thompson of Bessemer spent last week with her sister, Mrs. George Polk.

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Miss Mildred Blackmon of Birmingham is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cary Hubbard.

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Miss Ernestine Childs of Troy was the guest of Miss Corinne Polk last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Farris of Tuscaloosa spent last week with the latter's mother on Route 7.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Noah Scott and son of Huntsville are guests of relatives here.

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Miss Zonia McKinney, of Hubbard's Infirmary, Birmingham, spent last week end with relatives in Clanton and Mitchell Dam.

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Miss Dorothy Nell Jones of Montgomery is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Anna Jones.

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Miss Erin Danforth, who is in training at the T. C. I. Hospital, is spending several days in Clanton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Danforth.

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Harris Hardy, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hardy, spent last week end, in Gadsden, where he received his diploma in special work at the Alabama Trade School.

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John T. Ellis, Jr., of Montgomery has been spending several days in Clanton with his parents.

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Mrs. H. B. Bush and children, Owen and Dorothy Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson and daughter, Samantha, of Antwerp, Ohio, stopped over in Clanton the first of this week for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jones. Mrs Bush and Mrs. Johnson are sisters of Mrs. Jones, and will go on to Montgomery, later returning here for another short visit, before continuing on to Washington.

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Mrs. John Durwood Mullins has returned from a visit of several weeks to her parents in Aliceville.

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Leo Brewster of Camp Hugh is spending sometime in Clanton as the guest of Aubrey Taylor.

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Mrs. M. A. Gore Hostess
To "As You Like It Club."

Mrs. M. A. Gore delightfully entertained the members of the "As You Like It" Club at her home on Second Avenue, last Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was pleasantly spent by those present in sewing.

Late in the afternoon, Mrs. Gore served a delicious salad plate to the following: Mesdames H. C. Falkenberry, T. R. Burdette, L. H. Reynolds, V J. Gragg, J. B. Atkinson, W. M. Polk G C. Walker, Mrs Clara Mullins was an invited guest.

The Club will meet again on Thursday. July 2, and will be entertained by Mrs. V. J Gragg, at her camp on the Coosa River at six o'clock p.m. The members of the club will bring their husbands, or other guest to this outing, next Thursday.

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Mrs. Tom Jones of Brewton spent the past week end with Mrs. S. J. Kicker.

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Mrs. Roberta McCrory is confined to her bed at the home of her mother in West End, on account of illness.

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Miss Yvonne Merone, of Selma, is visiting her uncle, J. H. Broadhead, and Mrs. Broadhead in West End.

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Miss Marie Middleton of Panama City, Fla., and Miss Miriam Kittrell of Atlanta, Ga., are the attractive guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Marcus. While visiting in Clanton these two popular young ladies have been enjoying several social affairs.

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Miss Roberta Hogg, of Luverne arrived in Clanton this week to spend several days as the guest of Misses Jeanette and Nell Sumner.

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Master Margis Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Robinson of Mitchell Dam, is spending the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hand, of North Clanton.

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Lady Alexander Paget of London, from whose home a thief stole two famous snuffboxes, expressed the hope that the miscreant would sneeze to death.

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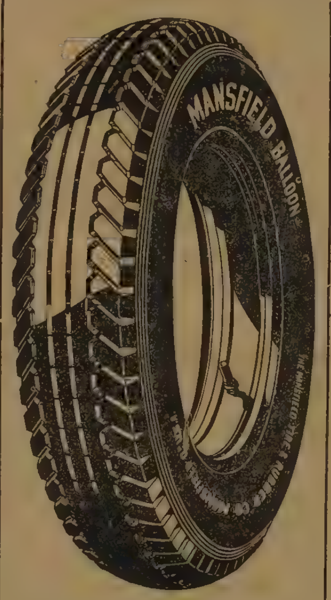

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My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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CHAPTER XXI

The units of the Twenty-sixth division, Maj. Gen. Clarence Edwards commanding, began to arrive the latter part of September, continued during October and the early part of November, and were now assembled in the billeting area near Neufchateau. I inspected the division November 1, 1917, and found the various organizations presented a very creditable appearance. The officers seemed alert and military and the personnel looked strong and vigorous. Their instruction had been carried out under the direction of Brigadier General Traub, one of the brigade commanders, and seemed to be well advanced.

Germans Ahead in Man Power.

s probable situation as to man er in which the allies would find selves in the spring was causing solicitude. The Germans had red Riga in September. Keren- power was at an end and the evik government was established, Lenin and Trotzky in control. situation was such that Russia become entirely negligible as far sistance to the allies was con-

analysis of the possible strength e contestants showed that Ger- would be able to spare a consid- e number of divisions from the ian front. Careful study by my in co-operation with the allied had led to the conclusion that tal number in the west by spring be as many as 217, not counting ossibility of the added strength rty-eight divisions from Austria. test number the allies could r, according to estimates, would 9 divisions, counting two Ameri- Italy could not be counted on to ore than barely hold her own, with the help of the eleven allied ons then on that front.

er American divisions might pos- be in Europe by May 1 if they arrive according to schedule, was doubtful, but they would be te to participate in the expected spring campaign. At the low f arrival we should not have than half of the twenty-one di- s promised by the War depart- ready for service by June.

tcome Depended on America.

his war, where the battle lines across entire countries, and ich the qualities of the oppo- were about equal, the strategical t largely resolved itself into a ation of the number and loca- of divisions on either side. The ion was of such a character that s a question which side could e the superiority of forces nec- o success. In other words, the e would depend upon the num- troops that America could send

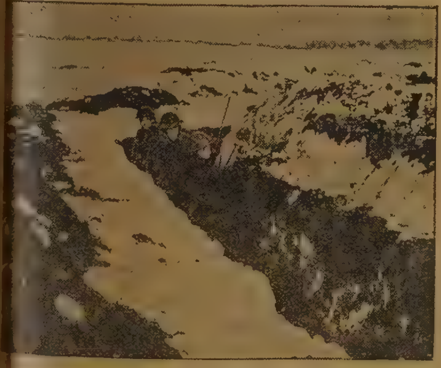
res were on the eastern front, ed statesmen the collapse of meant possible grave political ences; to the allied command- precast the release of approxi- 00 divisions and the increase enemy's ranks in Belgium and France to a preponderance ld not be overcome. To us it a race between America's ort to pour our fighting men nce and Germany's best deter- to crush the allies before our could arrive in sufficient num- dominate the battlefield.

ced Defeat With Allies.

estimates of the shipping for nd supplies as set forth in the which a due proportion of and line of communication ere to form such increment of sions would require by June 1. shipment of twenty-four di- a total of over 2,000,000 tons. seemed to know where we obtain the 1,400,000 tons of in addition to the 600,000 were then supposed to be

eared almost certain then that isaster befall the allied armies er these conditions we would go down with them.

ys felt certain, however, that could be found for our pur- the necessary pressure were exerted to force it into use. Appeals were made continuously and persistently in an effort to get action on this vital question, but several months elapsed before it really came.



Doughboys in the Trenches in Winter Time.

Taken as a whole, the apparently slow progress of our preparation in Europe also caused considerable adverse comment, if not dismay, among the allies. Inquiries were made directly by the military and civil officials as to why we did not move more rapidly, to which the reply was always, "lack of shipping."

New British Offensive.

Immobilized by the mud of Flanders, where British attacks had continued intermittently from the end of July to the middle of November, with rather excessive losses, the British commander in chief turned to a more southerly portion of his line for the final offensive of the year. Choosing the Cambrai front on which to launch the effort, careful preparations, including the concentration of an unusual number of tanks, were made to insure a break through the enemy's defenses. The tanks and the infantry were to make an opening through which the cavalry was to pass and attack the flanks of the enemy. Then French troops held in readiness in the vicinity were to follow. As to the question of command of these combined forces when both should become engaged it was to be left to the senior general officer in the vicinity, who might be either French or British. In going over these plans it seemed to me that their idea of securing co-operation after the French should begin participation was rather vague.

During the day we first went to visit General Byng, commanding the third army, who explained further details of the attack and the progress already made. He and his chief of staff were busy receiving news from the front and felt that all was going well.

British Victory Spurs Allies.

The attack was made on a six-mile front and the British had the advantage from the outset. The sudden debouchment of the long line of tanks, closely followed by the infantry, all without the usual warning of long preliminary artillery bombardment, completely surprised the Germans. The tanks broke wide gaps in the wire and subdued the machine-gun nests, aiding the infantry through the defenses with a minimum of loss.

The front was rather narrow, considering the depth of the objectives. A maximum gain of some four and a half miles was secured the first day, and a greater result was prevented, it was said, by a serious check to the tanks at Flesquieres.

For some reason or other the French were not called into action, but presumably it was because the British cavalry, which was to precede them, could not go forward as planned. The offensive continued for two or three days longer with varying success. It was, however, a decided victory, and, while not as great as the British expected, it gave encouragement to the allies on the western front and no doubt helped to offset temporarily the depressing effect of the serious defeat recently sustained by the Italian army.

CHAPTER XXII

An American mission headed by Col. E. M. House arrived in France toward the end of November for an interallied conference. Other members of the mission were Admiral W. S. Benson; Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, chief of staff, Oscar T. Crosby, for the Treasury department; Vance McCormick, chairman of the war trade board; Bainbridge Colby, shipping board; Alonzo E. Taylor, Thomas N. Perkins, war industries, and Paul Cravath.

As the representatives of different nationalities gathered in Paris recent reports of decreasing losses of ocean tonnage and greater destruction of German submarines, with prospects of still further improvement, seemed to give more of hopefulness in the general situation and allied spirits were somewhat revived.

The British had won at Cambrai and were making satisfactory progress in their advance on Jerusalem, which, it was said, would be facilitated by the use of their new base at Jaffa. The Italians seemed to have recovered their morale to a limited extent, with the stiffening of their lines by British and French divisions, and had successfully held their own against the Austrian attack on the Piave.

Not the least hopeful thing was the step just taken toward unity of command in the creation of the supreme war council. But the decisive factor in the whole situation, if it could be utilized in time, was the tremendous economical and physical power of the United States. To make that available before it was too late was the problem upon the solution of which depended the success of the allied cause. Would the allies see it and would they work together to solve it?

Interallied Conference.

When all were seated around the table in the assembly room at the ministry of foreign affairs Prime Minister Clemenceau, who presided, spoke briefly, setting forth the importance of the gathering and the necessity of translating the noble spirit of the alliance into action. No attempts at oratory were in evidence, nor was there prolonged discourse on any subject. Naturally questions concerning available man power, shipping, munitions and supplies were mentioned, but only in a general way. The conference did little more than agree that the study of the various subjects should be left to committees composed of interallied representatives.

It was very clear that everybody was looking to America to provide the additional man power needed to give the allies superiority. None was more eager to increase our forces than ourselves, but on my part every possible argument to procure shipping had been presented to the allies and to our War department, so when the conference urged the expedition of our forces it made the strongest kind of a case in favor of immediate increase of allied aid in tonnage.

For some time reliance upon the allies for any considerable amount of tonnage had seemed almost in vain, and it looked as though we should have to depend upon our own limited resources for most of it. The British were giving some assistance in the transportation of men. American ships had carried up to November 1, 67,218 and the British 54,751.

Our Engineers in Fight.

The results of the British success at Cambrai were not to be permanent, as the Germans quickly retaliated. General von Marwitz hastily assembled a force of some fifteen divisions, and November 30 suddenly launched a violent counterattack. The British were short of reserves, and before Von Marwitz was stopped his troops had regained most of the lost ground.

It was in this operation that a detachment of our Eleventh regiment of engineers became engaged while serving with the British. The men, to the number of 280, were at work in the Gauzacourt railway yard when the Germans attacked. One officer and nine men were wounded, and the detachment withdrew. They were then given arms and fought with the British.

War Council Meets Again.

The second conference of the supreme war council was held at Versailles December 1. Our representatives, political and military, at this meeting were Mr. House and General Bliss, respectively. At the opening session M. Clemenceau drew attention to the general situation, referring especially to the collapse of Russia, the probable release of enemy troops from that front, the adverse situation in Italy, the depletion of allied man power, and the reliance of the allies on American assistance.

The premier enjoined the military representatives "to bear in mind that their function is to advise the supreme war council as a whole and not merely as representatives of their respective nations on the council, and that they should view the problems confronting them not from a national standpoint but from that of the allies as a whole."

The military representatives at this conference were instructed to examine the military situation and report their recommendations as to the future plan of operations; to study the immediate situation in Italy from the offensive as well as from the defensive point of view, and to report on the utilization of the Belgian army.

It was evident that this body was to become a kind of superparliament not only for the discussion of resources, aims and purposes, but for the determination of policies looking to concert of action in support of the military efforts. The spirit in which the problems were approached at this meeting made it clear that the supreme war council would sensibly promote co-operation among the powers.

The second meeting of the interallied conference December 3 closed its sessions. None of the questions brought before the first session could be settled, but they were taken up by the more permanent body, the supreme war council, which, as time went on, undertook to co-ordinate the work of the various committees that had been forced to handle the problems involved.

CHAPTER XXIII

A large party, including Col. E. M. House, the American delegates to the interallied conference, Ambassador William G. Sharp and Lord Northcliffe, went by special train from Paris December 4, 1917, to our training area, stopping at my Chaumont headquarters en route.

On the train I had an interesting conversation with Lord Northcliffe of the British air board regarding the formation of an American army and its transportation overseas. Lord Northcliffe thought his government should do more to help with shipping, but, like most Englishmen, he believed it best for us to send our men for service with the British. He argued in favor of a proposal that Lloyd George had recently made to Mr. House, that we should incorporate in their units any infantry that we might not be able to organize immediately into complete divisions of our own.

"It is all very well," I said, "to make such an appeal to us, but it is impossible to ignore our national viewpoint. The people themselves would not approve, even though the President and his advisers should lean that way. We cannot permit our men to serve under another flag except in an extreme emergency, and then only temporarily."

I also insisted that we would contribute more largely to allied success by the use of the American army as a unit.

Hits Fault Finders.

About this time Mr. House told me that Petain had criticized the American ideas of training and also that Louis Loucheur, minister of munitions, had spoken about the rise in prices caused by American purchases. Mr. House wisely suggested to these gentlemen, he said, that matters of this kind were for me to settle.

I called without delay on M. Clemenceau and told him of the reports and explained my understanding about training agreements with Petain and also the steps that had previously been taken by the purchasing board, in co-operation with his own bureaus, to prevent the rise in prices. I also told him that French dealers were largely to blame if prices had risen, as we had eliminated competition among ourselves and that our purchases were and had been for some time actually handled through French officials.

I objected to these back-door methods of lodging complaints and emphasized the necessity of frankness and directness in all our dealings. I asked him to give instructions that if there was any fault to find with our methods it should be brought to my personal attention. He entirely agreed with me and expressed chagrin and surprise that any other course had been followed. On the face of it there was no other conclusion, however, than that both complaints were made for the purpose of finding out just the extent of my independent authority.

(continued next week)

Eastview News

Mr. William Driver, age 83, died last Saturday and was laid to rest Sunday at Mt. Springs. Rev. Gipson preached the funeral. He was assisted by Rev. Till Deason and Rev. A. C. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brown and their son of Montgomery were the week end guests of Mr and Mrs. J. L. Speer.

Rev. John Smith will preach here next Sunday at 11 a.m.

There will be baptizing at the creek near the brige at 3.00 p.m. There will be preaching here Sunday night by the pastor.

Miss Hazel Maddox will be at church Sunday night. She will begin a vacational Bible school here. She wishes to meet the young people at church Sunday night. Let us continue to pray for the revival that will begin here Saturday before the second Sunday in July.

Miss Maudie Ree Traywick visited Miss Jessie Bell Speer one day last week.

Mrs. Lou Nelson was on the sick list last Sunday.

Mrs. Zelma Lott, who has been sick in the Central Alabama Hospital, is reported to be improving. She is spending this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nelson.

Mrs. Caroline Nelson was the all-day guest of Mrs. Lou Nelson Sunday.

Rev. A. C. Nelson motored to Mt. Springs Saturday where he conducted services.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Smith motored to Montgomery Sunday.

Miss Emma Dean Smith was the all-day guest of Miss Lillian Devaughn Sunday.

Miss Jessie Bell Speer is visiting relatives in Montgomery this week.

Mrs. Jewell Patterson, who is in the Hill's Hospital in Montgomery, where she underwent an operation for appendicitis, is reported to be doing fine. She is expected to get to come home in about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Nelson visited the former's parents Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Veda Glenn had for her Sunday dinner guests Mrs. Carire Lee Nelson and two sons, Osmond and Herman.

Mr. Ottis Coggins visited his brother, Mr. Royal Coggins, of Mt. Springs, Saturday.

Mrs. Bessie Wells visited Mrs. Mattie Lou Wells Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Martin were the guests of the former's parents Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Will Martin.

Rev. A. C. Nelson and his father, Mr. G. C. Nelson, were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr Will Giles of Mt. Springs community.

Mrs. Ida Ray visited Mrs. A. C. Nelson Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Annie Smith was the all-day guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nelson, Sunday.

Mrs. Cape visited Mrs. Campbell last Sunday.

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The one who was so dear to our hearts has gone.
The voice we loved is stilled.
The place made vacant in his home and ours can never more be filled.
Oh, thy sweet voice is hushed, thy warm true heart is still.
And on thy bright and happy face is resting death's cold chill.
Oh, dear, the hope. The hope is so sweet
That in Heaven we soon shall meet.
There was an angel band in heaven that was not quite complete.
So God called our dear sweet brother, husband and son, to fill the vacant seat.
Through all sorrow in life he'd smile—a smile of heavenly birth,
And when the angels called him home he smiled farewell to earth.
Sweet be thy silent slumber;
You no more our sorrow and trouble know.
We miss you from your home and ours dear, we miss you from your place.
A shadow o'er our life is cast—we miss the sweet sunshine of that happy face.
We miss your kind and laboring hand, thy true and sweetest care.
Oh, Dear, our home is dark and lonely without you. We miss you everywhere.

—A Sister that loves him, (Ena) Mrs. W. T. Patterson.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Maud V. Barrett and children wish to thank their friends for the many kindnesses extended to them during the illness and death of their husband and father, J. E. Barrett.

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CARD OF THANKS

I want to take this opportunity to express my thanks for the kindness shown me and Mrs. Duke, during her recent illness. I wish to express my appreciation for the help from my good neighbors who aided me in carrying on my farm work. while my wife was ill, and to especially thank Dr. Marcus for his efforts. Mrs. Duke is much better now, and we expect that she will be all right within a short time. And we also thank the good ladies of our neighborhood for their close attention to Mrs. Duke, and for the cheerful words they spoke to her. We pray that God's richest blessings will be bestowed on each of them.

—Ben Duke.

One Year Ago

From Issue of June 26th, 1930

The engagement of Miss Susie Mae Townsend of Marion to Mr. Gresham Lowery of Thorsby, Alabama was announced this week.

Fire of undetermined origin swept thru the business section of Rockford last Sunday morning about twelve o'clock and destroyed the major business portion of the town.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Ross have announced the arrival of a fine baby boy on last Thursday, June 19th, whom they have named William Crutcher.

Chilton County received from the State for school uses $82,811 during the current year..

The Johnson Building which was considerably damaged by fire sometime ago is undergoing extensive repairs.

Mr. D. E. Sansom of Maplesville was a caller at the News office last Saturday.

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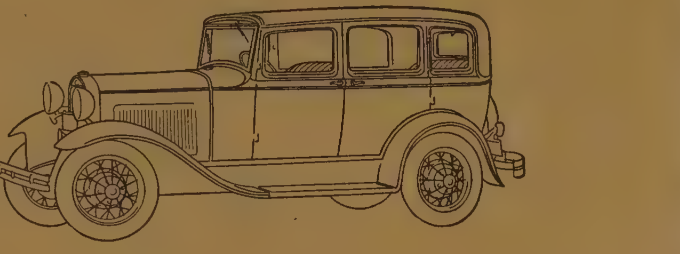

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RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT JAMES E. BARRETT

To the Worshipful Master, Warden and Brethren of Verbena Lodge, No. 754, A. F. and A. M.

Dear Brthren:

With bowed heads and hearts of sadness, we again acknowledge the work and wisdom of the Supreme Grand Master in removing from our midst by death our beloved brother, James E. Barrett, who departed this life on the 7th day of June, 1931.

Brother Barrett was born in Coosa County, Alabama on the 6th day of March, 1884. He was reared, educated and married in the county of his birth.

He joined the Baptist church in Coosa County at the age of twenty-one years, and remained an active, consistent member of this branch of the Christian church until his death.

He was united in marriage with Miss Maud Hatchett in Coosa County on the 22nd day of November, 1905. To this union were born eight children. He is survived by his wife and the following six children, Bertha, Ralph, Clyde, Evelyn, Josephine, and James, Jr. He moved to Verbena, Chilton County, Alabama in 1920, where he lived until his death.

He was made a Mason at Proctor Lodge, No. 571 in Coosa County in 1920, and transferred his membership to Verbena Lodge No. 754 on the 5th day of June, 1922.

Brother Barrett was a man of strong convictions and fearless in defense of what he conceived to be right. He was kind, generous, and interested in every move for the upbuilding of his community. He was a worthy and valuable friend and a kind and loving husband and father.

NOW, THEREFORE:—As God in His all-wise providence has seen fit to call our most worthy and beloved brother from his labors on earth to that Lodge Triumphant, be it resolved:

First, that in the death of Brother Barrett, this lodge has lost a faithful and loyal member and this community a worthy and valuable citizen.

Second, that our heart-felt sympathy is hereby extended his bereaved family and friends, and though his face we see no more, we shall ever cherish his memory.

Third, that a blank page in our record be inscribed to his memory and that these resolutions be spread upon our minutes and a copy thereof furnished his family under the seal of this lodge and that a copy be published in the Chilton County papers.

Most humbly submitted,

—J. C. Patillo, Q. C. Meroney, J. S. Hubbard, Committee.

JUDSON'S NEW PRESIDENT —DR. L. G. CLEVERDON

By Hugh Mallory, Chairman

It again becomes my happy privilege to present to the people of Alabama a new President of Judson College, Dr. L. G. Cleverdon, who goes into office on July 1st, succeeding Dr. Harry Clark who resigned to accept the position of Superintendent of City Schools in his old home at Knoxville, Tenn.

It is a happy and fortunate thing for Judson and the Educational interests of Alabama that we have Dr. Cleverdon to follow in the footsteps and carry on the great work which Dr. Clark has inaugurated.

Dr. Cleverdon is a man of genial and gracious personality and appearance, of unexcelled scholarly attainment, of brilliant mind, and a platform speaker whose charm and eloquence grips and holds the attention of young and old alike.

While he has not been in Alabama for a number of years, still we find pride in the fact that he was born and reared in this State, and because of his pride in and love for Alabama he has declined flattering offers elsewhere in order that he might return and cast his lot with the people of his home State.

He is thirty-six years old, and to the vigor, the dash and the charm of youth is added a wisdom that has come to him by reason of his years of experience as a college executive and teacher and as a leader in the various departments of our young people's work. He knows the problems of the young and because of this knowledge and of his sympathetic and understanding heart, he is especially attractive to those of college age, and I predict that no man has ever come into the educational field of Alabama who has exercised a greater influence or had a stronger hold upon the love and confidence of the student life with which they have come in contact that will Dr. Cleverdon, and I also predict for Judson under his administration a greater student body and a more outstanding position in the educational life of Alabama than she has ever known in the past.

Dr. Cleverdon has a charming family, consisting of his gracious wife and three children, who will add much to the College life of Judson.

I believe that Judson today has a stronger grip upon the hearts of the people of this State, of all denominations, than she has ever had before. They have come to realize that Judson offers a superior service in education and in character building to the end that parents and students alike are turning to her in ever increasing numbers.

I bespeak for Dr. Cleverdon the undivided support of our people and the hearty co-operation of the Educational and Christian forces throughout Alabama and the South.

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Pleasant Valley News

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Burkhalter entertained a number of boys and girls at their home last Thursday night honoring Miss Marie Neeley's birthday. Those present were Misses Mildred and Marie Neeley, Susie and Lucille Griffin, Lola Martin, Emmett Courtney, Myrle and Mary Burkhalter, Messrs. Otis and Austin Martin, Ernest Burkhalter, Lewis Courtney, Aubrey Neeley, G. C. Weldon, James, Turner and Virgie Griffin, W. E. Knight and Raymond Burkhalter.

A very enjoyable time was had by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis DeLoach spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Neeley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Martin and family of Montgomery were visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Martin and family Friday.

Mr. Chester Messer of Verbena was the week end guest of Mr. G. C. Weldon, Jr.

Miss Myra Keel spent the week end with Miss Mildred Neeley.

A farewell party was given Mr. Howard Lette of San Pedro, California on Friday night at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lette.

Miss Susie Griffin is visiting relatives in Clanton this week.

Misses Essie Neeley and Lula Campbell of Clanton spent this week end with friends and relatives of Enterprise.

Mr. Huff Burkhalter made a business trip to Prattville Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Oates Taylor and son, Houston, of Montgomery were visiting their relatives this week end.

Mr. Lincoln Burkhalter spent last week in Montgomery.

Mr. James Griffin made a business trip to Birmingham Monday.

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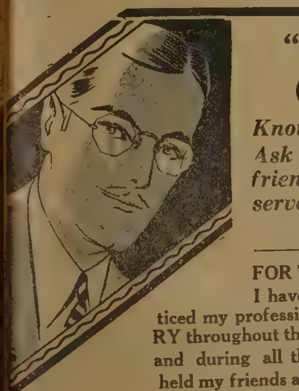

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MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

After closing a revival at Centerville last Sunday night I decided that I would ride to my home in Clanton. At ten oclock I was at Calera, and in fifty minutes more I was at my garage door. The distance traveled was 24 miles. During that time and distance I met 51 cars going north. I rode along and wondered where the cars had been and where they were going. Not many of them carried preachers from meetings, or memebers from church services. I venture that only one car was on the road at that hour of the night returning from church services. Doubtless many of them were returning from a day of fishing, picnicing, or visiting. God has given us our cars and we ride them away from His worship. Do you think that we can justify the presence of 125 cars per hour on our paved highway in the midnight hours of the Sabbath day?

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Early Monday morning I took my seat at my desk to look over the mail of the past week. I rapidly ran through the columns of the two dailies that come to me. When I had completed my brain was in a twirl. I saw large headlines about wrecks, shootings, drinking parties, robberies, bootlegger arrests, fist fights, cuttings, drownings, kidnappings, rapings, and many other blood curdling stories. Have you ever tried to scan the news of a week at one sitting? If you think that the world is having a nice quiet, peaceable time of it, you should take in the doings of the world at one time. The news of today carries us through one prolonged tragedy. Sometimes I feel like screaming at the world in language like this-"Take your blood from before my eyes, and just let me see the blooming flowers for a season!!

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Not long since I was in a bed room of a certain home. On the wall of that room I saw the picture of a young lady, so clad as not to produce thoughts of purity. True, the picture was on a card to which was attached a calender, but that did not keep it from making an impression on the mind. This room happened to be the room of the son in the home. That boy stood a poor chance to be what he should be with a picture like that greeting him in the morning, at noon and at night. Many a life has been altered from the impression of a picture that hangs on the wall. A large per cent of character elements slip into the soul by the way of the eye. Parents can not be too careful in the selection of pictures that are to hang on the wall of the bed room. Fling all vulgar pictures from the wall like you would fling a rattle snake from the bed room of your darling child.

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One day last week I went into the sick room with a roctor to visit a patient who was very ill. The man was near fifty years of age. Ten days before he came down upon his sick bed, he lost his desire for water He would plow all day in the burning sun and never take a sip of water. He complained that it tasted badly, and he could not stand it. His body burned out, and his organs ceased to function. When the doctor was called, the poor man was filled with poison, his tongue was swolen and he was sleeping himself towards death. The doctor got busy, and in three days the man was out of danger. Just as that man lost his desire for water, so many people have lost their desire for the worship of God on the Sabbath day. They complain about the preachers, about the churches and about the weather, and they lose their thirst for the finer things of life. They live on in the ways of the world and their souls burn out. Unless the Great Physician is speedily called, there will be no hopes. I heard the doctor say to the wife of this sick man, "Even if he does object to drinking water, you pour it down him anyway." You had better get yourself right back with the church and right with your God, even if you do not desire it. Eternal life is at stake.

On entering a home, the lady of the house apologized to me for the looks of her hands. She said that she had been canning berries, and the stain from the berries had gotten on her hands. That stain had changed the color of her hands to a dark color, and the good woman was really ashamed that they should be seen. In this case the color of the thing handled, had clung to the hands, and berries and hands looked alike. No man can dip his finger into the ink well and lift it out without ink stain upon it. As your hand will become stained in the handling of berries, as your finger will become stained when you deal with the dark things of life. Look within and see if your soul is not stained by the things that you are handling in life. People who have stained souls are always ready to apologize for their faults.

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Carpenters are putting bannister railings on the stairway in the Sunday school annex of the Methodist church. When people are climbing they need something to which they can cling, and something to protect them in their upward flight. Just as you need the banister railing to help you in climbing upward, so you need the church and the gospel of Christ to help you in reaching heaven. Church loyalty will not get you to heaven, but it will help you tremendously in your climbing heavenward.

PLENTY OF PEACHES ARE IN SIGHT THIS YEAR

Plenty of peaches are in sight for Alabama and the entire country this year.

F. W. Gist, agricultural statistician for the State and Federal Departments of Agriculture reports that on June 1 the peach crop for Alabama, was forecast at 1,292,000 bushels this year. "There is another good peach crop in the State, the condition being 77 compared with the same figures last year and an average of 65," he said.

According to statistics released by the United States Department of Agriculture there will be an abundant peach crop in most all sections of the country

A crop of 78,000,000 was indicated by June 1 conditions This would be a 46 per cent increase over last years short crop," the Department said

Almost 19,000,000 bushels are credited to the 10 Southern States, compared with 10,000,000 bushels in 1930. Most of the Western States, except California and Oregon, will likely have many more peaches than last season. New York expects a lighter crop than in 1930, but most of the other Eastern and Central States will have greatly increased production of this fruit. Illinois and Arkansas look for heavy crops, compared with practically no peaches in 1930.

Because her husband would not eat his meals at home, Mrs. A. C. Davidson of Tulsa, Okla., filed a divorce suit.

All the 250 waitresses of a chain of London restaurants bobbed their hair within three days after rules against bobbing were rescinded.

Record Potato Crop Produced

Alabama farmers this year shipped the largest Irish potato crop and the second largest strawberry crop produced in the State within the last decade.

This was announced by Seth P. Storrs, commissioner of Agriculture and Industries, who said that 4,500 cars of potatoes have been shipped from the State this season, compared with 2,709 cars last season or an annual average of 1,980 cars during the past 10 years. The previous record moved from the State was in 1928 when 3,131 cars were shipped. This year's movements surpasses the previous record by over 1,200 cars.

Commissioner Storrs released figures showing that the record strawberry movement from Alabama was in 1929 when the farmers of the State moved 1,354 cars. This year's shipments amount to 1,138 cars which compared with an annual average during the past 10 years of 687.3 cars

Statistics compiled by the Department of Agriculture show that over 7,200 cars of potatoes, cabbage, strawberries and cucumbers have been shipped from the State this season and

THE DESTRUCTIVE RAT

Of all the pests which infest the world, the rat is undeniably one of the worst. So great has the menace of rats become that an international association for their extermination has been organized.

Not only do rats destroy millions of dollars worth of farm products every year, but they are a menace to health through the fleas which infest them and spread diseases of various kinds, such as bubonic plague, trichinosis and hydrophobia.

It is said that one couple of gray rats will produce 800 to 900 offspring in a year, as the young become adults in four months. If all were able to find food and shelter it can readily be seen that they would ultimately overrun a community.

The program recommended for combatting rats includes the building of rat-proof structures, the cutting off of their food supply and the poisoning of those which survive other preventive measures.

Two Years Ago

From Issue of June 27th, 1929

The interior of the Alred Drug Company which has been undergoing extensive remodeling is rapidly nearing completion.

C. E. Stapp, county agent and president of the local Kiwanis Club, is attending the Kiwanis Convention being held in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

"Uncle Tom's Cabin" will be shown at the Wadesonian Theatre on July the fourth.

Fire of undetermined origin did slight damage to the second store of the Mullins Building last Thursday afternoon.

BOWELS
need watching

Let Dr. Caldwell help whenever your child is feverish or upset; or has caught cold

His simple prescription will make that bilious, headachy, cross baby or child comfortable, happy, well in just a few hours. It soon restores the bowels to healthy regularity. It helps "break up" a cold by keeping the bowels free from all that sickening mucus waste.

You have a famous doctor's word for this laxative. Dr. Caldwell's record of having attended over 3500 births without the loss of one mother or baby is believed unique in American medical history.

Get a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin from your drugstore and have it ready. Then you won't have to worry when any member of your family is headachy, bilious, gassy or constipated. Syrup Pepsin is good for all ages. It sweetens the bowels; increases appetite—makes digestion more complete.

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Concord-Billingsley

Our pastor, Rev. L. B. Headley, filled his regular appointment here Sunday. The message which he brought to us was very interesting. The services were well attended, both Sunday school and preaching. There was no services Sunday night on account of rain, although I guess everyone was glad to see the rain come. Gardens and crops look refreshed after the shower.

Bro. and Mrs. L. B. Headley and Mr. T. L. Williams dined at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Moates Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Culp and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Weldon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams visited their daughter, Mrs. J. F. Sheppard, of Clanton Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williams and children, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Morris and Mr. Porter Williams were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams Sunday.

Miss Ila Mae Cox and Mrs. Aston Mann were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Williams.

Mr. Olin and Miss Allie Williams spent Sunday afternoon with Misses Connie and Sallie Shaw.

Little Miss Elaine Tindal spent Sunday with Misses Clara Dell and Edna Sims.

Miss Lena Pearl Shaw is visiting her sister, Mrs. Victor Cowart.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the people who were so kind and thoughtful during the illness and death of our father, Bill Driver. We especially want to thank Mr. and Mrs. Dick Brown, and the physicians attending. We pray that the blessings of God will be on each of you

—Will Driver and Family.

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Chairs-Chairs, nice rocking chairs, varied sizes and styles. Will sell below cost.—W. W. Fox, Clanton, Ala.

Wrestling and Boxing Here For July Fourth

the ring for a regular "free-for-all." This will be the opening of the bouts.

The matches as outlined by Scholder who will also act as referee, are as follows:

White Saylors, 140 lbs., Birmingham, vs. Jimmie Musso, 143 lbs., Bessemer, 10 rounds.

Boxing

Kirl Kako, 130 lbs., vs. Blair Mash Terror, 138 lbs., 4 rounds.

Wrestling

Curlie Mc., 175 lbs., Rome, Ga., vs. Jack Freeman, 185 lbs., Birmingham. Best two out of three falls. One hour limit.

Ed Henson, 165 lbs., Tupelo, Miss. vs. Bill Edwards, 157 lbs., Birmingham. Best two out of three. Thirty minute limit.

The admission charges will be one dollar for ringside seats, plus a ten cent tax, and fifty cents general admission, plus a five cent tax. Proceeds are to go to the work of the Chilton County Post Number Six, of the American Legion. Tickets are to be placed on sale at drug stores in Clanton, Thorsby, Calera, Jemison and Verbena, soon.

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Senate Vote Recount Still Shows Results

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completed recounting ballots from 1,155 boxes in 36 counties, with a total of 130,656 votes. These boxes on the official returns gave Bankhead 76,749 and Heflin 53,707, while the recount gives Bankhead 70,875 and Heflin 40,891, a temporary reduction of 6,874 for Bankhead and 4,616 for Heflin. Thus far, Bankhead has been losing temporarily through ballots set aside for future decision at the rate of 7.65 per cent of the vote cast for him, while Heflin has been losing at the rate of 8.56 per cent.

The 11,490 ballots which have been laid aside temporarily for future decision are from various classes, principally those where the name of the voter was not found on the certified list sent the election officers. Practically all of these will be restored to the respective columns when explanations are forthcoming, such as a voter casting his ballot in a precinct to which he has moved after having registered in another precinct.

The possibility exists that the votes of two probate judges have been rejected temporarily by agents of the subcommittee, J. A. Carnley voted in box one of beat 17 in Coffee County. His name did not appear on the list of qualified voters of that box and the ballot has been temporarily rejected for that reason. There in another J. A. Carnley registered in beat six of Cofteee County. Whether the one rejected temporarily is the ballot of Probate Judge Carnley of Coffee County, who was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor last August is not known in Washington. The ballot cast by Cage Head in box one of beat one in Shelby County was laid aside temporarily for the same reason by the Senate subcommittee. There is a C. Head on the qualified list of beat four in that county who did not vote in that beat. Whether the temporarily rejected ballot is that of Probate Judge Head of Shelby County likewise is not known here.

While something more than 11,000 ballots have been set aside for future decision thus far, the fact does not connote fraud either way. In recounting more than 130,000 ballots, the official figures of the returns have not been changed by as much as 100; that is, there have been ballots in the boxes supporting the official returns, a tribute to the accuracy of the men and women consisting the force of election officers which served in Alabama last November. The 11,000 rejects, however, do constitute a serious problem for the Hastings subcommittee. The question arises, who is going to pass on these 11,000 ballots? This is one of the problems that the subcommittee will seek to work out when it meets as soon as Senator Hastings can get it together.

Thus far, the subcommittee has recounted ballots in five of the counties that were carried by former Senator Heflin on the face of official returns. Due to temporary rejections, Bankhead made a net gain on the recount of 17 votes in Shelby County, 29 votes in St. Clair County; 15 votes in Chilton County; seven votes in Coosa County; 44 votes in Clay County, and 15 votes in Escambia County. In Escambia, the recount contains only 22 of the 29 boxes, as seven boxes have been retained there by a court order owing to a local contest over Commissioner. In Chilton County, where Bankhead gained on the recount temporarily, the machinery is in the hands of the Republicans. In Cullman County, also a Republican-controlled county, which, however, was carried by Bankhead on the face of original returns, Bankhead gained seven votes temporarily on the recount.

The figures throughout indicate the fairness of the election, but nevertheless a drive continues to surround the contest with an atmosphere injurious to the Democratic party of Alabama and to the State itself.

Commissioners Court Reports on Almshouse

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criticism whatever of the almshouse or its keeper, but stated in substance that the same was being managed as well as could be under the circumstances. . . ."

"In conclusion the Commissioners Court wishes to state that the county has sufficient funds in the Treasury with which to make any improvements or furnish necessities for the inmates of the Almshouse, but the Court believes that these people are being as well cared for as the average citizen of the county and they do not think it necessary and wise to expend the people's money further than this and that the Commissioners Court is directly responsible for the management of the Almshouse and that if any citizen knows of any complaint now or in the future, that they will please file the same with the Court and they may rest assured that the court will investigate the matter thoroughly and make every change that the Court might deem proper under the circumstances."

Such is the substance of the report as issued by the Commissioners Court regarding the controversy about the almshouse.

In a statement given out Monday at the same time the above conclusion of the court was released, Judge Reynolds stated that the Commissioners Court has passed an order requiring that no inmate may leave the almshouse to go to other places for any length of time without securing a permit from the keeper. This order, Judge Reynolds said, is according to law and the suggestion of Dr. Andrews, state prison inspector.

The order further provides that in case the application for permission to go away is denied the inmate by the keeper, the inmate may apply to the Probate Judge or the Commissioners Court.

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MRS. E. C. MAYE, FORMERLY OF CLANTON, DIED RECENTLY

Montgomery, June 23.—Mrs. E. C. Maye, 58, widow of Dr. Ernest C. Maye Montgomery Methodist minister, died yesterday at the home of her daughter in New Orleans, according to news received here.

The funeral party was to arrive this morning from New Orleans and funeral wil lbe held at 2 p.m. from the Leak Chapel. Dr. Charles Rush officiating. The funeral will be private. Burial will be in Greenwood.

Mrs. Maye for the last two years had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Katheryn Maye Kress, who is a memberof The New Orleans Item-Tribune staff. She was before her marriage Miss Louise Delehay, of Lexington, Ky., and a granddaughter of Isaac Shelby, first governor of Kentucky. Her husband, Dr. Maye, died in Montgomery four years ago.

In addition to her daughter, she is survived by a son, J. McK, Maye, and four grandchildren.

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Unity Institute To Be Held Here For 3 Days

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ed Thursday afternoon. Any Missionary Society having one-half of the active membership taking these courses will be credited with a Mission Study Class.

The leaders and prospective leaders should attend the conference with Miss Hagood, Mrs. Ezell stated, and that it would pay churches to send them. If there is some question as what to do with the boys, then there will be Mr. Cunningham to show a way out of that.

On the program for the three days, June 30-July 1 and 2, Missionaries from China and Africa will appear, and everyone should hear these people. Following is the entire program for the three days:

10:00-10:30—Bible Study, Dr. L. O. Dawson, Howard College.

10:30-11:15—Mission Study Period:

W. M. S.—"The W. M. S. and the Young People," Miss Kathleen Hagood, State Young Peoples' Leader.

Intermediate G. A., and Y. W. A.—"Pioneer Women," Mrs. L. H. Dawson, Eastern District Young Peoples' Leader.

Junior G. A.—"The Treasure Hunt," Mrs. J. C. Hill.

R. A.—"The Treasure Hunt," Rev. J. C. Hill.

"The Manual," Rev. John Cunningham, State High Counselor for R. A.

Sunbeams—"Mission Children," Miss Emma Sue Morris.

Pastors and Laymen — Conference, Dr. S. J. Ezell.

11:15-12:00 — Inspirational Address, Dr. L. O. Dawson.

12:00-12:45—Lunch.

12:45-1:15—Bible Study, Dr. L. O. Dawson.

1:15-2:00—Mission Study Period.

Repeat morning study, except W. M. S.

W. M. S.—"How to Pray," Mrs. F. A. Vernon, Eastern District Vice President.

Leaders Conference, Miss Hagood.

Tuesday—Y. W. A. Leaders.

Wednesday—G. A. Leaders.

Thursday—Sunbeam Leaders.

2:00-2:15—Song service, Rev. J. C. Hill (in main auditorium).

2:15-3:00—All adults, "The Why and How of Foreign Missions," Rev. A. Y. Napier, China.

3:15-4:00—General assembly.

Tuesday—"China," Rev. A. Y. Napier.

Wednesday—"Our Young People," Rev. John Cunningham, Miss Kathleen Hagood.

Thursday—"Africa," Miss Mary Ellen Cayer, Africa.

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McFERRIN FAMILY REUNION AT CITY PARK, SELMA, ALA.

The Annual reunion of McFerrin relatives was celebrated June 14th. It was indeed a happy occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Connerly of Selma were host and hostess. Mr. R. C. McFerrin was host in 1930. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lennis of Selma will be host and hostess for 1932. Mrs. F. A. Shanks was elected secretary and Mrs. Clifford Connerly and Mrs. F. A. Shanks entertainment committee. No Southern spread could have had more good eats.

The following relatives were present: Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McFerrin and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Winston of Opp, Ala.; Mrs. Rebecca McFerrin, Powers; Miss Annie Powers; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Powers; L. D. Horace; T. J., H. A., Pearl, Gertrude, Bessie, Chrystal, Lois Powers; Mr. and Mrs. Will Powers, Pleasant Hill; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Connerly, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Dee Powers and baby; Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Powers, Selma, Ala.

Mrs. Katie Godwin, Etta, Clara, Lorenga and Harry Godwin, Braggs, Ala. Mrs. Mollie McFerrin, R. C. Byron, Jesse Mack McFerrin, Mr. and Mrs. Lamar McFerrin; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lennis and daughter, Mae Brune; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vance, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Day, Selma; Mrs. Eugenja McFerrin, Strickland; Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stricklind, Mr. and Mrs. Olie Strickland and daughters, Ann and Doro and son, Olie, Jr.

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MRS. MOSS ENJOYING VISIT IN NEW YORK, LONG ISLAN

A letter received from Mrs. W. Moss, who spends several weeks Clanton every summer with Mrs. Ma mie Smith and family, stated that is thoroughly enjoying her visit at Po Washington, Long Island, New York.

Mrs. Moss left Clanton about weeks ago for Long Island, going the L & N, boarding the Pan Ame can in Clanton at six a.m. and arri ing in Port Washington at five o'clo the afternoon of the next day. was high in her praise of the servi rendered her by the railroad, and spo constantly of the courteous treatme afforded by the employees of the ro In Cincinnati, where she changed tra the only change made, she was met the passenger representative of Pennsylvania railroad and escorted her train for New York, where pers al attention had been given her be and compartment in the radio car the train, by the passenger representa tive, who had instructions beforeha concerning her arrival.

Mrs. Moss also commented extreme ly favorably on the scenery throug that section of the country betwee Cincinnati and New York, stating th the trip was somewhat dreaded at fir but that she found it most enjoyable crediting the scenery and the trea ment from the railroad employees wi that. She is visiting her granddaughte Mrs. R. T. Alexander on Long Island and stated in her letter that she wish to thank the employees at the stati in Clanton for their most complete an courteous service rendered her on th trip.

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MUCH DAMAGE DONE IN COUNTY BY WIND, RAIN

Lightning Destroys A Barn, Crops Damaged South Of Clanton Monday

Clanton and surrounding territory within a radius of about seven miles received a heavy blow Monday afternoon from a sudden burst of wind, rain, hail and lightning. according to reports coming into the News office Monday afternoon and Tuesday.

The wind and rain started in Clanton about one-thirty o'clock and continued for some time, rain falling in torrents, accompanied by a heavy wind and sharp cracks of lightning.

The barn belonging to W. Y. Keel, over near the Enterprise community was struck by lightning and caught fire, burning to the ground, a total loss of all feed stuff and farm equipment in it. No livestock was lost, according to Mr. Keel, who was in Clanton Tuesday. He stated that they were unable to save anything from the barn.

Down in the same section of the county, perhaps a little nearer to Clanton, crops were reported as having been badly damaged by hail and wind. Fonza Vinson, Ocie DeVaughn and Joe Lansford reported that their crops were all but ruined. Mr. DeVaughn reported that his corn and cotton was beat to the ground by the hail and wind, and almost a total loss.

Clanton, Verbena, Thorsby and several other places were without electrical power all the afternoon Monday and up to about eight o'clock Monday night. The local office of the power company reported that five large poles were blown down out east of Clanton during the heavy wind, and two poles down south of Clanton.

These poles carried the high tension wires, carrying the current direct to the transformers in Clanton for distribution. Leonard Williams, manager of the local office of the Alabama Power Company, stated that he did not believe lightning struck the poles, but

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STATETEACHERS EXAMS JULY 20

Superintendent Gives Out Information And Rules Regarding Exams

The annual state examination for state teachers is scheduled to be held in Clanton on July 20 to 22, according to B. Lawrence, Superintendent of Education, who gives out the following information concerning them:

The next annual state examination for teachers will be held at the courthouse on July 20-22, 1931. All applicants not known to me personally must be properly identified and no applicant will be permitted to write an examination who does not live or teach in this county; or who does not present a permit from the State Department of Education, if living in some other county to be transferred to this county.

No third grade examination will be given but applicants for second grade certificates failing to make the necessary grade for such certificate may receive a third grade certificate provided the papers show a minimum of 40 per cent on each subject and an average of at least 60 per cent on all subjects. No third grade certificate may be substituted as part of an examination for second grade.

No one will be permitted to take the second grade examination who does not submit satisfactory evidence of graduation from a Junior high school or of equivalent education. Each application for a first grade certificate shall submit evidence of graduation from an accredited senior high school or of education that is the equivalent. An applicant for a first grade certificate may substitute a valid second grade certificate for all second grade papers.

Each applicant for a life certificate shall satisfy the examiner that he has held a first grade, Alabama Teacher's Certificate, or its equivalent, for at least five years, within which time he has taught a minimum of forty scholastic months, and that he possess a "high degree of proficiency and professional attainment."

No person under 17 years of age may

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MASONIC CONFERENCE AT MARBURY JULY 15 AND 16TH

The Chilton County Masonic Conference will meet with Marbury Lodge Marbury, Ala., on Wednesday and Thursday, July 15th and 16th.

All Masons in the County are requested to be present. Especially are all newly elected officers of the various lodges urged to attend. A cordial invitation is extended to the Masons of Autauga County to attend this meeting of the Conference.

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W. O. W. TO MEET AT THORSBY ON NIGHT OF JULY 7

Large Class To Be Initiated At Meeting And Contest Will Be Held

There will be a Woodmen of the World meeting at Thorsby Tuesday night, July 7, for the purpose of organizing Central Alabama Log Rolling Association, composed of the Camps in this district.

An executive committee has been selected who will present the by-laws for the organization according to Mr. Evans, District Manager. These meetings will be held every month somewhere in the district.

There will be a large class of new members initiated. Colonel L. A. Ellington will preside as Consul Commander. Mr. Ellington is recognized as the best Consul Commander in the State. All Woodmen of this section are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

Colonel Z. R. Tew of Montgomery will be present to look after the interest of the drill team work.

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WELCOME TO COOPERS

The News and its correspondents extend a cordial welcome this week to the córrespondent at Coopers, Alabama, who makes her appearance for the first time, in this issue of the News, under the head "Cooper News."

Every community in Chilton County should be represented in the News each week. If your community is not represented, then get busy and send in a news letter of happenings in your community. Be sure to sign your name at the bottom of the last sheet, so we will know who is sending in the news.

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The many friends in Clanton of Raymond Marcus, were exceedingly glad to see him in town, the past week. He had been seriously ill at his home in Selma for several days.

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8 Year Old Boy Drowned In Well

Tragedy stalked along the path of an eight year old lad Tuesday who was doing his part of the work around the house, and ended by his death from drowning in the well at his home near here. The lad was Alonza Rolland Varden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isom Varden, who live about six miles east of Clanton.

The lad had gone out to give the calves some water. and his father later seeing that the calves had not been watered, started a search for the boy, and saw his hat floating on top of the water in the fifty-foot well in the yard. The body was recovered, and it is believed that the lad climbed on top of the well to fix the windlass and rope to get water for the calves.

Funeral services were held yesterday at Maples Springs.

CLANTON WILL GET BAKERY IN NEAR FUTURE

New Place Will Be A Bakery Combined With Cafe On Main Street

Another business place will open in Clanton right away, according to C. R. Bruce, who will be the proprietor of a bakery which will open here in the very near future.

This place will occupy the building formerly occupied by the Town Talk Eat Shop, next door to the Alabama Harness & Shoe Shop, and will be a restaurant and bakery combined. Mr. Bruce stated that he hoped to have the restaurant department opened by Saturday, July 4th.

The interior of the building is now undergoing some remodeling and Mr. Bruce will extend an invitation to the people of Chilton County to inspect the place as soon as it is completed. In speaking of this new business for Clanton, Mr. Bruce stated that when he has installed the bakery equipment, he hoped to furnish this section with bread, cakes, pies and other such eatables.

Mr. Bruce at one time lived in Chilton County, and is very well known here, being related to one of the county's best known citizens, Ed Bruce. He has been in Birmingham for the past several years where he operated several bakeries, selling out his interests there recently to move to Clanton to go into business. Mr. Bruce has had twenty years experience in bakeries all over the country, and at times being connected with some of the largest in the South.

Mr. Bruce has moved his family here and is now making his home near the home of Ed Bruce, just north of Clanton.

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Democratic Executive Committee To Meet

A called meeting of the Chilton County Democratic Executive Committee will be held next Saturday, July 4th, at the New Wilson Hotel, according to P. D. Wilson, secretary.

The meeting is scheduled to open at ten o'clock Saturday morning.

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TIMBER OF THE U. S. IS GOING AT A RAPID RATE

The United States is using its timber four times as fast as nature is replacing it by natural growth says the Alabama Department of Agriculture and Industries which reports only 40 per cent of the original 1,284,590 square miles of virgin forest land found by the early colonists remain.

The amount of timber at present is estimated at 746,000,000 cubic feet and is being consumed at a rate of 26,000,000 cubic feet a year.

GOLF COURSE IS ASSURED FOR CLANTON

Sixteen Members Are in Club With Prospects of Others Coming In Soon

The proposed golf club for Clanton is now assured, according to information received Tuesday. Sixteen members have already enrolled in the club and others are expected to come in right away.

The tract of land for the course will be on the farm of J. N. Dennis, just south of town, on the left side of the Birmingham-Montgomery highway, going south, instead of the site selected several weeks ago.

It is expected that actual work on construction of the course will start this week, according to Dane Jensen of Minneapolis who has been in Clanton several days making arrangements for the club to become organized, and who will superintend the construction of the course. Mr. Jensen is an experienced builder of golf links, and stated that it would take something like three weeks to complete, and will employ about ten men.

Those who have enrolled as members of the club are. R. J. Sumner, Otto Jones, J. C. Page, M. Lande, Raymond Shith, Claudie Pipes, Omar Reynolds, Reedie Taylor, Lester Jones, T. H. Neighbors, V. J. Elmore, Tom Taylor, DeWitt Easterling, W. D. Woodson, G. C. Rowe, and John Durwood Mullins.

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Mr. and Mrs. Hoke Pipes and children of Harrisburg, Penn., left yesterday to return to their home, after spending several days in Clanton as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Pipes.

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Revival To Start At Jemison Soon

The revival services at the Jemison Baptist church is scheduled to start next Monday, July 5th, according to the Rev. J. W. Jones, pastor of the church.

The Rev. I. W. Myers, former State Evangelist will do the preaching during this revival, and those attending these services twice daily will be assured of hearing some outstanding sermons from a man who is a most forceful preacher.

Services will be held each morning at ten o'clock and at seven-forty-five o'clock at night, and the meeting is scheduled to continue for ten days. The public has a cordial invitation to attend these services.

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Grover Harris, Jr., has returned to Clanton after spending several days with relatives in Mobile.

Largest Winter Cover Crop in History of Chilton County Expected to be Planted this Fall

County Agent Stapp states that in 1925 less than a thousand pounds of vetch and Austrian pea seed were sown in Chilton County for soil building purposes. In 1927 about 9 thousand lbs. of vetch and peas were planted; in 1928 plantings increased to about twenty thousand pounds; in 1929 a carload of forty thousand pounds was planted in the county. In 1930 the plantings were about the same as in 1929.

The value of these crops based on increased yields is estimated to be more than $44,000. Due to the fact that a large number of farmers over the county have seen the value of these crops. and too, since the price of seed will be cheaper this year than ever known, County Agent Stapp believes that an unusually large acreage will be planted this year. The price of seed declined some last year, but indications are now that they are going to be cheap enough this time that they will be within reach of every farmer in the county.

STORES IN CLANTON MAY CLOSE ON NEXT MONDAY

Due to the fact that July 4th, comes on Saturday this year, almost all the places of business in Clanton will not close as is customary on July 4th. Instead, many are planning to close next Monday, in order that their clerks may have the day, instead of Saturday.

The people in this section are asked to remember this and any business they may intend to transact Monday, that could be attended to before, should be.

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ALL IS READY FOR A BIG DAY HERE SATURDAY

American Legion Brings Big Attractions To Clanton For July Fourth

Words and words and words could be written about what will be offered in Clanton in the way of entertainment and amusement for next Saturday, July 4th, but why would it be necessary to go into such detail, when one might say that "A great time and lots of fun awaits you in Clanton July 4th."

The Chilton County Post of the American Legion is bringing to Clanton the main attractions for the day, when they have announced the beginning of the wrestling and boxing matches to be staged at the ball park of the local high school. The entire program of that was published last week, with the starter being a regular "free-for-all" between five or six negroes placed in the ring together.

Practically all the stores in Clanton will remain open and ready to receive the hundreds of people who are expected to come to Clanton Saturday to celebrate the Independence of our Country.

The boxing and wrestling matches are scheduled to start at three o'clock Saturday afternoon, and any additional information desired concerning this can be had by seeing Joe Calloway at Calloway's Drug Store, or Mack Wyatt at The Union-Banner.

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MITCHELL DAM GIRL SCOUT NEWS

Mitchell Dam Girl Scouts are spending the week at the Old Higgins place above Mitchell Dam. Mrs. Stanley and Mrs. McGraw are our chaperones. We are having the time of our lives. We go swimming three times a day and we do our own cooking over an open fire. We are going to pass off our swimming test while here.

FLORENE OGLETREE,
Reporter.

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Revival To Start At Liberty Hill

The annual revival services at the Liberty Hill church. west of Clanton, are scheduled to start Sunday, July 12, according to D. W. Ward. chairman of the Board of Deacons of the church.

The Rev. J. S. Holland, pastor of the church, will do the preaching and will probably have some other pastor to assist him. Services will be held twice daily and the public has an invitation to attend at all times.

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Arthur Littlejohn, who is connected with the Tutwiler Hotel in Birmingham. is spending several days in Clanton with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wiley Littlejohn.

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Misses Bobbie Ray and Era Holloway of Hamilton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McMurray Sunday.

FARMERS BEING URGED TO PLANT VETCH AND PEAS

Contest on for Club Boys In County with Cash Prizes To Be Offered

"Plant vetch and Austrian winter peas," is to be the slogan of the hundreds of progressive farmers over Chilton County this year, according to the outline of a program, from the office of the County Agent

Merchants, banks and other business men in the county are lending their wholehearted cooperation in the move to plant more vetch and Austrian winter peas in the county for fertilizing purposes. County Agent Stapp stated that by planting winter cover crops as outlined in the program, the cost of fertilizer on the same field next year will see a tremenodus cut, and thereby save the farmers of the county many dollars in production cost.

"Let the land give you your fertilizer, and make it work for you," one farmer was heard to say recently, on the idea of planting vetch and Austrian winter peas as winter cover crops.

Contest For Club Boys

County Agent Stapp stated Tuesday that he was offering a fifteen dollar cash prize to the 4-H Club in Chilton County that scores highest in the vetch and Austrian pea planting campaign, and an additional five dollar prize to the individual member of a club who scores highest. The individual members reporting to their club secretary.

The basis of scoring in this campaign is as follows: 50 points for each sale of seed, and fifty points for each 100 pounds of seed sold. That means that fifty points will be given each club or individual club member for sales turned in for seed and fifty points for each 100 pound order for seed.

This contest for the 4-H clubs of the county is open now, and will close on August 15th this year. Awards will be made at the close of the planting season, which will be somewhere around October 10th or 15th. Any additional information desired by anyone in regard to this can be had on application at the office of the County Agent.

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DISTRICT S. S. BETHEL CHURCH

Bethel Baptist Church To Be Meeting Place of Sunday School Convention

The District Sunday School Convention scheduled for July 5th, will be held at the Bethel Baptist church beginning at two-fifteen o'clock in the afternoon, according to W. J. Patrick, assistant superintendent.

Following is the program for the afternoon, and everyone is invited to attend:

2:15 Devotional, by J. F. Apperson.
2:30 Reports of Schools.
2:50 Special Song.
2:55 The Sunday School as a Soul Winning Agency, by Rev. A. S. Bentley.
3:15 The Workers Conference an Aid in Sunday School Building, by Rev. H. T. Wooten.
3:35 The Standard of Excellence, a Program of Work for Every S. S., speaker to be supplied.
3:55 General discussion.
4:15 Adjourn.

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Chilton Represented In Jacksonville

Jacksonville, Ala., June 27.—Chilton County is well represented in the summer school of the Jacksonville State Teachers College. According to the college records ten people are pursuing courses this summer toward the completion of the two year course or the four year course leading to the B. S. degree. Indications are that the Chilton County teachers will soon compare favorably in preparation with other counties in the state. The following people from Chilton County are enrolled in the State Teachers College.

Claudia Eiland, U. B. Curlee, Marjorine Henley, Olene Mims, Mrs. J. S. McNeill, Ethel Genry, Isabel Messer, Carl J. Glasscock, Claudia Smith, Willie M. Littlejohn.

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J. E. Lett, a resident of Verbena, was among the visitors to Clanton Monday.

MAKE THIS ANOTHER SAFE AND SANE FOURTH

A plea that may be timeworn, yet worthy of the breath used to utter it, worthy of the ink used to print it. Clanton and Chilton County has been fortunate, much more fortunate than other places so far as casualties, accidents as the result of carelessness on someone's part during celebrations on July 4th. Last July 4th, with hundreds of people gathered in Clanton, hundreds of automobiles crowding the streets, not one accident was reported here.

With July 4th, 1931, coming on Saturday, a day taken as a holiday almost every week by many, will no doubt become more of a holiday and a day of celebration than ever this year. There are perhaps hundreds of "Don'ts" that could be said, and possibly as many "Dos" in a plea to be careful, but it is not necessary to give that list. The mere words of "Better to be safe than sorry" should be sufficient.

Statistics show that 50,900 persons were killed in automobile accidents, during eighteen recent months, the same length of time that 50,510 American soldiers were killed in action and died of wounds in the World War. A bit of carelessness on someone's part could cause the death or serious injury of a person, or several persons. Be careful, consider the other fellow, show a bit of courtesy.

Automobile accidents do not cause all the deaths, so in everything one does, swimming, boating, and other recreations, give some thought to safety, and let's make this another safe and sane Fourth of July for Clanton and Chilton County.

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Seed cost less than at any time in history of the crop in Alabama. Alabama farmers have planted peas and vetch:

Year	Amt. Lbs.	Year	Amt. Lbs.
1918	1,535	1924	505,905
1919	2,465	1925	526,905
1920	10,470	1926	397,928
1921	35,508	1927	790,649
		1928	1,127,096
1922	142,455	1929	1,956,884
1923	315,765	1930	1,955,224

A year's average over the whole State of Alabama showed increased yield after peas and vetch of 22 bushels of corn per acre, and 356 pounds of seed cotton per acre. This accounts for the above increased plantings from 1918 to 1930.

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ALABAMA IS PRODUCING A LARGE HONEY CROP

Alabama is this year producing the best honey crop produced in the State within the past five years according to Thomas Atchison, Apiary inspector for the Department of Agriculture and Industries, who reports prospects for a 5,500,000 pound honey crop in the State this year.

Not only are beekeepers producing a large honey crop but they are at present shipping over 200,000 queen bees to northern states and Canada, Mr. Atchison said. "Most of these queens are used for requeening and improving colonies of the north."

Mr. Atchison also reported that beekeepers have just completed shipping about 22,000 two and three pound packages of bees to northern states and Canada to make new colonies, strengthen old colonies and to pollenize fruit orchards.

"Practically all of the honey produced in Alabama is consumed in the State and several cars are shipped into the State each year. This being true farmers can well afford to increase the honey production on their farms," he said.

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CAUSES OF CRIME

In their efforts to find an explanation for the increasing prevalence of crime, many thoughtful persons have concluded that the tendency to burden the public with a multiplicity of laws may account for much of the lawlessness which now prevails.

Speaking before an international convention of police chiefs, Dr. Carlton Simon said: "We can limit and harass human freedom to such an extent that even the normally balanced individual feels that he is oppressed and will seek unlawful means of expressing his personality."

Through the operation of innumerable laws and the activities of government agencies employed thereunder we are restricted, inspected, spied upon, investigated and caused many unnecessary annoyances which are resented by a people who love freedom.

If more attention were paid to apprehending and punishing real criminals, while allowing greater freedom from harassment to respectable citizens, we should doubtless have a more law-abiding and happier citizenship.

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CUPID'S POOR SHOTS

Judging from the increasing prevalence of divorce and its attending evils, Cupid is doing some rather poor shooting these days. His darts have either failed to hit the mark, or having hit it failed to stick.

Convincing proof of this is seen in a statement from Detroit, where it is declared that not only are divorces reaching a high total, but alimony is assuming large proportions in the matrimonial picture. In that city it is said that no less than 11,000 divorced husbands are under orders to pay alimony and 4,000 of them are prosecuted every year for failure to do so.

The number of recalcitrant husbands confined in the Detroit house of correction for failing to pay alimony has run as high as 125 and at the time of the last report it was 116. Furthermore, it was stated that alimony payers in the city were increasing at the rate of about 70 a week.

Truly, Cupid is making a mess of things nowadays.

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WHY HE WENT CRAZY

This story, with various modifications, has been doing duty for a good while, but for the benefit of those who have not chanced to run across it we tell it again.

It concerns an inmate of a lunatic asylum, who on being asked by a visitor how he got that way, replied:

"It all started when I married a widow with a grown-up daughter. Then my father, being a widower, married the daughter. That made my step-daughter my step-mother, and my father became my step-son; my wife also becoming the mother-in-law of her father-in-law.

"Then my step-mother had a son, who was my brother, being my father's son; but as the boy was the grandson of my wife, he was also my grandson.

"Then my wife and I had a son. My father's wife is my son's half-sister and also his grandmother. Now, it is easy to see that my father became my step-son by marrying my step-daughter. Therefore, being my father's father, I am my own grandfather—"

The visitor stopped the lunatic at this point, thoroughly satisfied as to why he went crazy.

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When his car was wrecked the third time, Patrolman Aloysius Burngasser of Tonawanda, N. Y., turned in his badge, which was number 13, in hope that his luck would take a turn for the better.

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Charging that her husband put pepper in her face powder, Mrs. Ethel L. Morrison of Long Beach, Calif., filed suit for divorce.

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Billingsley News

Miss Edna Simpson has returned to her home in Autaugaville after a visit with Miss Ethel Herrall.

Miss Jettye Gray has returned to Birmingham after spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Gray.

Dr. E. H. Downs spent the week end in Tuscaloosa.

Mrs. Charles Patrick and little daughter, Marilyn, of Montgomery are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Patrick.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Dopson and son, Charles, of Montgomery spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Marlar.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Powell of Selma visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams Sunday.

Miss Inez Patrick visited friends in Tallassee last week.

Mrs. A. S. Bentley and children are visiting her mother in Bibb County.

The marriage of Mrs. Vastie Wright and Mr. J. O. Simmons Saturday came as a surprise to their friends.

Friends sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Irby Beadlescomb, and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. DeRamus in the loss of their homes by fire. Mr. Beadlescomb's burned Friday and Mr. DeRamus's on Monday. Both caught from the stove flue.

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DON'T GET UNDER AN OAK WHEN LIGHTNING

Kent, O., June 29.—To seek shelter under an oak tree during a thunder storm is almost as dangerous as to search for gasoline with a lighted match. Of all trees, the oak is most susceptible to lightning.

So says a bulletin issued by the Davey Institute of Tree Surgery, which has been studying the phenomena of lightning in relation to trees.

If you must get under a tree, says the Davey Institute, find a beech, for it is rarely ever the victim of lightning. The ratio of the oak to the beech in being struck by an electrical bolt is 60 to 1, according to observations made over a period of years.

The roots of a tree tap the electrical field of the ground. When a storm cloud is overhead the positive electricity in it is attracted by the negative electricity in the earth, and lightning follows.

Trees, such as the oak, which have a large root area naturally have larger electrical fields than others. Oaks also have "tap" roots, which go far into the ground and bring up large quantities of water to the tree, which serves as another attraction for electrical bolts.

The best advice of the Davey Institute is to avoid trees altogether when lightning is at work, as it would be somewhat difficult for the layman to make a scientific selection in time of emergency. Better to keep in the open spaces, if no house is near, and get thoroughly wet than to offer yourself as a target for lightning.

MOTORISTS PRAISE CONVENIENCES AT VERBENA SERVICE STATION

Recent Improvements Bring Service Station Up Into Ranks Of Best

CHAS. GULLEDGE

Verbena, Alabama can now boast of what can really be termed a complete one-stop service station for automobiles, as anyone would conclude after stopping at the Verbena Service Station of which Chas. Gulledge is operator.

The Verbena Service Station is now five years old, having been opened on a small scale in 1926, when Mr. Gulledge foresaw a regular haven for motorists on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway at Verbena, a town known for its hospitable citizens.

At the start this station was only a filling station, with two or three gasoline pumps, cold drinks, etc. Now, the Verbena Service Station shows up as a complete station where motorists, whether men or women may stop for a complete service.

Among the many services to be found there is included of course, gasoline, oil, water and free air service. But in connection there is a modernly equipped repair department which has recently been completed. This department adjoins the original building of the station, and Mr. Gulledge stated that it is equipped to do any kind of repair work to any make of car. An experienced mechanic, Harry Walker, who has been connected with large repair shops in Birmingham, is with the Verbena Service Station, and has charge of the new repair department, which was built at considerable expense. But Mr. Gulledge says his station must be complete in every way regardless.

Another item the Verbena Service Station should be commended on is its comfort rooms for ladies and gentlemen. These rest rooms have been classed with the most sanitary rest rooms along any highway, and Mr. Gulledge invites inspection of these comfort rooms. Cleanliness is predominate, and Mr. Gulledge tells one that cleanliness and comfort come first in the comfort rooms of his station. The ladies rest room is equipped with sani-gard protection. There are also rest rooms for colored motorists at the Verbena Service Station, a service seldom found anywhere. This addition has only recently been installed and is situated at one end of the repair department, with concrete floors and sidewalks.

Speaking of concrete, the Verbena Service Station has just recently received an addition of several hundred dollars worth of paving in front of the entire station, reaching from the paved highway to all corners of the station, adding much to the looks of the station, as well as adding to its convenience.

In connection with the many services, there is also a neat barber shop, operated by Ernest Bonnett, an experienced barber, and who is also a thorough believer in service plus cleanliness.

On the inside of the Verbena Service Station, one will find a complete stock of groceries, candies, cold drinks, fruits, automobile accessories, tires and tubes. In this issue there will be found a full page ad from the Verbena Service Station on Mansfield tires, and something concerning why they have selected that tire to supply motorists at their station. Also on the inside of the station will be found Miss Daisy Whitworth, who has charge of that section of this one-stop service station, and able assistant to Mr. Gulledge.

The word "Service" seems to be evrywhere at this station. When an automobile stops there, the driver may rest assured of getting prompt service. Aside from the careful study of Mr. Gulledge, there is Hugh Champion, who takes care of the customers under the filling station, with the help of several assistants.

Mr. Gulledge has gone to considerable expense in making his place of business one of the most popular service station on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway, but his faith in the future of Verbena is well founded and will justify his work in aiding to show the people who pass that way, that Verbena is still that place where hospitality reigns supreme.

This station is also a distributing point for feed stuffs for the Farm Bureau of this county.

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A resident of Rastatt, Germany found a pair of baby's shoes in the stork's nest which rests on the roof of his house.

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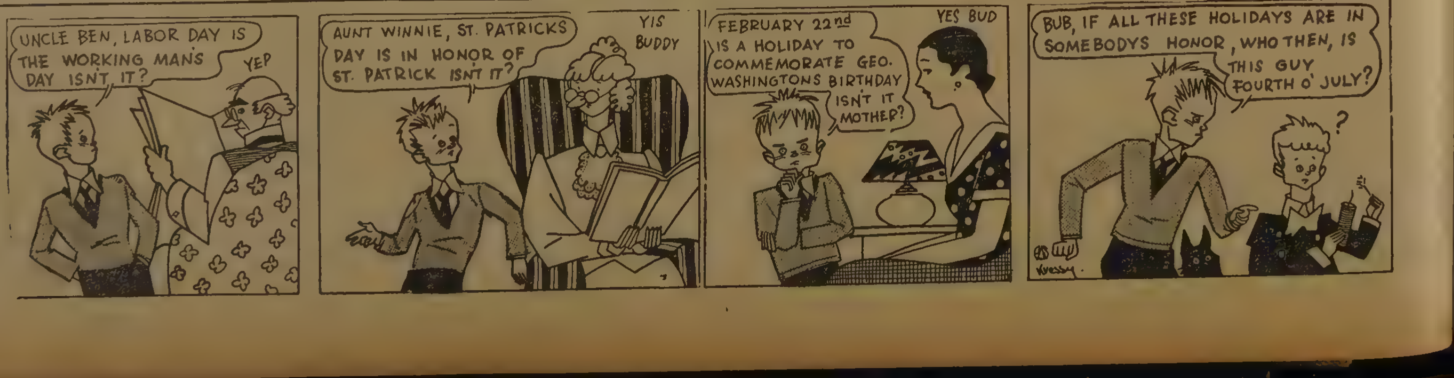
By Ed Kressey



UNCLE BEN, LABOR DAY IS THE WORKING MANS DAY ISN'T IT?
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AUNT WINNIE, ST. PATRICKS DAY IS IN HONOR OF ST. PATRICK ISN'T IT?
YIS BUDDY
FEBRUARY 22nd IS A HOLIDAY TO COMMEMORATE GEO. WASHINGTONS BIRTHDAY ISN'T IT MOTHER?
YES BUD
BUB, IF ALL THESE HOLIDAYS ARE IN SOMEBODYS HONOR, WHO THEN, IS THIS GUY FOURTH O' JULY?
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We overheard a citizen of the town complaining recently about the cost of our modern improvements, the schools, the water system. the pavement and sewer and lights.

He spoke of them as an expense.

This is not true. Modern improvements are not an expense. They are the insurance against the decadence of our town..

This party we doubt not, has all of his property insured against loss by fire.

By the same reasoning, if he has no fire, his insurance premium is a loss. He has paid it out and received nothing in return that he could see or touch.

Modern improvements are the small town's insurance against their loss of population to the larger neighboring towns

Without them the small town would become a less desirable place in which to live and people who desire modern improvements and facilities would not continue to live in a town that did not provide them.

Modern improvements cost money, but they are the insurance that the smal ltown must pay if it is to keep up these days with the competition afforded by her larger neighbors.

Don't complain about the cost of improvements. Rather be glad that the leadership of the town is such that it goes out and contends for the things that make a community a better and more desirable place in which to live.

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A Daughter's Training

Among the replies received in response to a request for a brief plan for training a daughter, a magazine received the following from a successful mother:

Teach your daughter to value a man, not wealth, looks or family, but by his character and what he himself has done.

Discourage her in looking upon men as suitors until she is at least 18.

Give her an education and keep her employed part of the time during vacation.

Make her home pleasant, so that she will not be anxious to leave it for an inferior one.

Encourage her to attend church, Sunday school, club meetings and other places where the right kind of people may be met, urging her to be particularly careful in choosing her girl associates.

These are all excellent suggestions, even though they do not always secure the desired results, and the mother who follows them will have done about all that it is possible to do for her daughter.

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A Promising Program

All sorts of people are putting forth all sorts of schemes designed to prevent a recurrence of the industrial depressions such as we have been going through. Most of the schemes are merely schemes, put forward by people who do not really know what they are talking about. There seems, however, to be real promise in the suggestion of the National Civic Federation to call a national congress of selected delegates from every line of industry and business, and from the ranks of all the important trades as well, to create a permanent organization to maintain the proper balance between production, distribution and consumption.

The suggestion originated with Matthew Woll, vice-president of the American Federation of Labor, in a letter to James W. Gerard, former Ambassador to Germany, who is chairman of the Commission of Industrial Inquiry of the National Civic Federation. Elihu Root, America's most distinguished "elder statesman," is the honorary chairman of the Federation.

Under such auspices, any movement for public welfare starts off with a fair chance of success. Every intelligent person knows that all that is needed to keep business and industry on an even keel, and labor steadily employed, is co-operation to that end between all of the elements involved. Capital alone cannot do it, management alone cannot do it, labor cannot bring it about. But if all the groups of these three elements of business and industrial life get together and agree on a program, it is pretty likely to be a program which stands a chance of success. Its value will be increased if the farmers are also included. And it will be lessened in precisely the degree in which politicians take part in it.

The advocates of this movement are referring to it as "the Ten-Year Plan." They figure it will take ten years of experiment, trial and error to arrive at a working basis which will be reasonably certain of accomplishing its purpose. If some method could be devised to compel all of the interests involved to live up to their joint agreements there is no reason in the world why something of this sort should not be effective. And, as the gentlemen who are active in promoting the 10-year plan point out, unless intelligent action in this direction is taken, the alternative will be the government stepping in and regulating business, socializing industry in ways which are entirely foreign to the American conception of individual rights and liberties.

"ROUND TOWN"

---*by Doug*

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

"Laugh and the world laughs with you. Weep and your eyes get red."

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It is a great, difficult job to try to write when flies are swarming around you, lighting most unexpectedly on every part of your anatomy, excepting some parts. The darn little things are just about to run me batty right now. And one of the most aggravating things I know of is one blamed little fly, flitting around a table where a meal is being served. That one fly is more conspicuous than an elephant would be sitting at the head of the table.

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If you wonder why I started off writing about flies, well, it's easily explained. They are the peskiest things I know of with one exception, and that is a flat automobile tire on the road in July about one o'clock in the afternoon.

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Rambled off down to Verbena not so long ago, and edged around the yard of the home of Mrs. Lila Shepard. There she has rebuilt some of the olden times places at that stately old house, and by the latter part of this month, I'll bet that place will be a place of beauty. The scenery is also rather impressive. Aside from being beautifully shaded, and with flowers, bird houses, a spring, tennis court, and lots of other things, there is the Misses Shepard—Lila Jane and the Little Miss Shepard, who add much to the scenery to make it attractive to an old bachelor like myself. (Use your own judgment).

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All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy. That is truly true. Why even I've found that some of our most successful business men get out now and then and play around a bit. But, drat it all, I never can seem to find time to get out and give a little time to things that I like. And even if I did, I'm afraid I wouldn't know how to play, being out of practice so long. I just kind of have to get my play by jumps and leaps, provided I don't jump or leap too far like some folks I know of have done.

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Hello, Scottie, way down there in Dothan. Yes, I'll call you Scottie in this column, because maybe I can get away with it—for the time being. The next time you are in Clanton, you better look me up. I want you to know that I appreciate the kindness shown me the other day when we were at the same place at the same time, etc. But don't worry, or become alarmed, you will be Mrs. Frasier to me next time I see you.

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Heard a criticism on this column the other day. No, it did not come in a round about way, but was made to me personally. The person said she didn't like this column back some weeks ago when I was telling of some of my experiences among some "400's" I've run into. You see readily, L. C., that I changed the subject in this column pronto, and I think I'm gonna be right over to see you shortly, if not sooner. Thanks for the letter.

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I went right ahead and let S. A. Jones get all married up to a pretty girl, and didn't say a word about it. There ain't much I can say, now that he has married the girl I thought a lot of, but I will congratulate them both.

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Well, readers, it won't be so long now until I'll be picking another Who's Who in Clanton, and now that I have had my eyes opened about some things, you can expect the next selections to come of people of several walks of life, and there is a possibility that my next Who's Who will include many more places than those formerly named, and boy how I'm gonna pick the ladies.

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Hear that the Kiwanians of Clanton went on a big blow-out the other night down at Mitchell Dam and took a boat ride. I bet that was a fine outing, because when these Kiwanians round this town pull anything, they pull one.

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Recent figures given out show that there are more women in Alabama than men—just about 27,000 more, I believe were the figures. Now I might call Dooker Pooker's attention to this matter, in case he hasn't already been advised. I think I'll take the census of Clanton to determine whether there are more men or more women here. In case there should be more women, then I'm sure that I will have to do something about that. There is a possibility that the static so bothersome on the radios at times round town, is due to the talking of the women, and that ought to be looked into, and maybe placed before the Legislature.

There is one advantage to the fact that there are more women than men in Alabama. And that is that us men have a wider variety to select from, whereas the women can't be too choicy about it, and too, it gives some of us men a chance to have at least two of the necessary evils, without cramping anybody's style. But at the same time, us men had better stick together on this matter, for fear there might be an uprising among the fairer sex, and we may fall before the attack.

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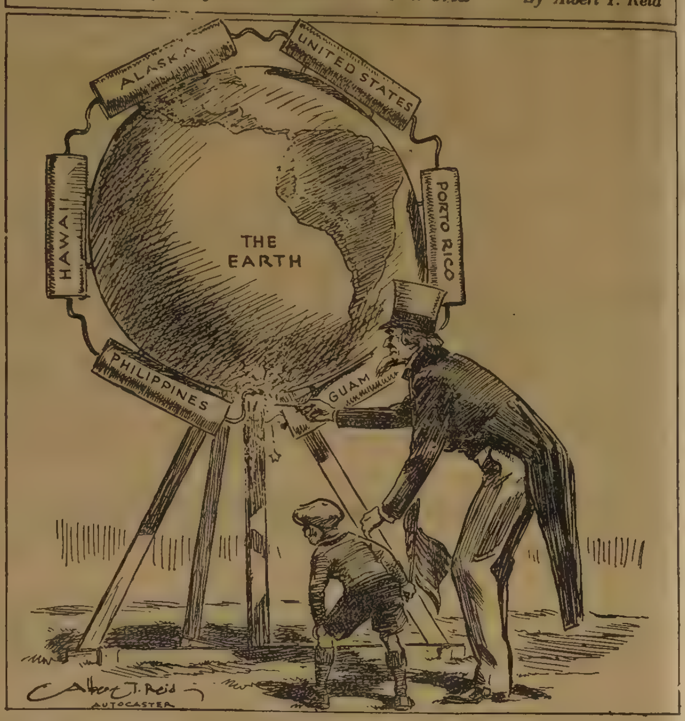
Alabama Writers Come Forth

We read poems, books, childrens stories, and very seldom stop to think of the person who wrote either of them. How many people know that Alabama has some of the most distinguished writers in the United States, and some of the most talented? The Alabama Writers Conclave which holds forth for a three-day meeting once each year, met at Alabama College at Montevallo last week for its ninth annual meeting.

It was a pleasure to the editor to be able to attend the recent Conclave, and there found that although the majority of the people of Alabama know little or nothing of the Writers Conclave, it is moving forward and doing some splendid work under the leadership of Alabama women who are striving for the better things in the literary field.

Our Fourth of July Goes 'Round the World— - By Albert T. Reid



THREE UNITED STATES PRESIDENTS DIED ON JULY 4TH

One historic fact relating to July 4 is seldom remembered in our usual observance of Independence Day, we are informed by the Division of Information and Publication of the United States George Washington Bicentennial Commission. This is especially strange because this historic fact has touching and dramatic meaning. July 4 is the day on which three Presidents of the United States died. Each of these three early Presidents played a prominent part in the very formation of our government, and each received, as a reward from the people, elevation to their highest office. Having performed great labors in planning the theory of our government, it fell to their lot to set noble examples in putting the theory into practical effect.

These three Presidents were John Adams, Thomas Jefferson, and James Monroe. Indeed John Adams and Thomas Jefferson died almost at the same hour on July fourth, 1826. After many sharp differences of opinion, which had divided them during a part of their lives, Adams and Jefferson became not only reconciled but closely attached friends. The correspondence of their final years is one of the glories of American letters. Adams lived to be ninety, Jefferson eighty-three. Neither knew how close to death was the other, and Adams's last words, when conscious that death was near, are said to have been, "Thomas Jefferson still lives." But Thomas Jefferson was already dead.

Before their Presidency, both these great men served as Vice President, and one of them as Vice President while the other was President. The older man, John Adams, was Vice President under George Washington himself. All three were closely associated with Washington during our formative days, and to one of them, John Adams, goes the credit for playing a major part in throwing George Washington into the arms of destiny.

It was largely the action of John Adams that led the Continental Congress to appoint George Washington as commander-in-chief of the Revolutionary forces. Before that time Washington had been an outstanding sectional figure, a man of the South. In command of the Continental forces, he became a man of the country, and history knows full well how he played the part.

James Monroe, a younger man, appeared on the scene of action after the great political groundwork of founding the nation had been accomplished. But as a young man he played a gallant part on the field of battle, as a follower of Washington.

Strange to say, he at first opposed the Constitution of the United States, and, as a member of the Virginia Convention, elected to act on adoption of the Constitution, he voted against it. Yet he lived to become the President who enunciated a Doctrine that statesmen regard as no less a settled rule of American policy than the Constitution itself. James Monroe died on July 4, 1831; but the "Monroe Doctrine" is immortal.

The older men, Adams and Jefferson, are forever linked with George Washington as leaders in the movement that made America independent. Washington was distinctly the man of action, the soldier, the director of affairs, and without him the Revolution might never have moved to victory. But just as necessary were the philosophy of Jefferson in shaping our principles of government, and the abilities of Adams in waking and training popular opinion, a labor in which he had few peers. Both Adams and Jefferson served on the committee to draft the Declaration of Independence. Both signed the Declaration, and to one of them, Thomas Jefferson, belongs the immortal honor of having written that timeless instrument.

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A BACKWARD STEP

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In the past few years great progress has been made in rural electrification through the cooperation of agricultural colleges, farmers' organizations, government departments and the power companies. But now, if certain groups of politicians are to have their way, this development may be seriously retarded.

One or two states have passed legislation prohibiting power companies from selling electrical appliances, and similar legislation has been proposed in others. In some states such measures have been killed, but the agitation persists.

There is no doubt that the rapid extension of electric service to the farmer has been largely due to the energy and enterprise of the power people in marketing suitable devices for his use, allowing him to buy at reasonable prices and on favorable terms. This has aided rather than injured the business of other dealers, because the more farms served with electricity the greater number of potential customers there will be for all dealers.

In fact, in Tennessee the other electric dealers and service men have protested against the bill prohibiting competition by the power companies. Certainly there is no demand for such legislation on the part of the general public.

To any except demagogue politicians who thrive by their attacks on useful utilities and industries, interference with the development of rural electrification will appear as a backward step.

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MILDEW ON ROSES

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Powdery mildew, a disease which usually attacks all roses at some time or other during the growing season, can be reduced by growing the somewhat resistant varieties such as Paul's Scarlet, Mary Wallace, Silver Moon, etc., among the climbers; and avoiding very susceptible varieties like Crimson Rambler and Dorothy Perkins among the climbers, and Ophelia and Killarney among the hybrid teas.

Practice sanitation, provide favorable conditions for growth, and treat the plants with fungicides. Sanitation includes the collection and burning of diseased leaves. A humid atmosphere and an accumulation of moisture favors the development of powdery mildew, and infection may occur as a result of too close planting or of planting climbing roses near buildings.

The best fungicide for home gardens is a dust of 9 parts powdered sulphur and 1 part dry arsenate of lead. The applications of this dust should begin before the disease appears and must be repeated at regular intervals thru-out the season, taking care to coat the under side of the leaves thoroughly.

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THE FAMILY DOCTOR

By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M.D.

Smooth Diet

I am glad to hear authors and intelligent physicians talking about the "smooth diet" for their chronic, constipated cases; there has been such an exhaustless stream of "roughage" advice. For a long time, the patient entering his doctor's office has been filled chock full of the roughage fad. This regardless of what is the real trouble in the sluggish bowel-wall.

A colon may be ulcerated, or narrowed from past disease. The X-ray is available now for accurate diagnosis; and roughage is absolutely contradicted in such conditions. It is safe to say that one-half the patients that get roughage advice get the very wrong thing for them.

Only one class of cases are benefitted by coarse diet, namely, the patients that have perfectly normal digestive tracts, other than over-loaded, neglected, habitually constipated colons. And these, I believe are in minority, among the patients that come to my office.

The contracted or ulcerated colon is made worse by roughage. No patient whose bowel is obstructed by a nest of hemorrhoids, and is constipated thereby, can ever be cured by a diet of roughage. He needs a good proctologist who will quickly set him right.

What is the smooth diet? Well, the soft green vegetables, such as "greens" and spinach; wilted lettuce and perfectly-prepared cabbage, or cauliflower; mushes and boiled rice; mashed potatoes—even baked potato, if perfectly cooked; eggs properly prepared; butter and a regulated amount of white bread; stewed fruits, ripe or dried; orange or grape-fruit, free from fiber; jellies, "jello," starch puddings, sweet potato; baked, boiled or stewed meats in moderation. Just plain milk and bread may make an evening meal if "whole milk." Of cake, the plain cookie in moderation should suffice. No more sugar should be used than is necessary to make food palatable. The same of salt and pepper. All these should be well borne, if there is no actual, organic disease. Breakfast wheat-cakes are smooth diet; but there should be no over-loading with syrup. Omit any of the above that disagree.

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Clanton, Alabama

THE FLY NUISANCE

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The fly nuisance in dairies is serious. Flies annoy cattle and are likely to contaminate the milk with disease or filth. Clean premises are essential—but cleanliness is not enough. The manure in which flies breed should be removed twice a week and scattered thin to destroy immature flies. Or pile the manure in a compact rick and treat the surface with a solution of 1 pound of borax in 2 gallons of water. Flytraps help—the conical trap described in Farmers' Bulletin 734-F is most effective. Blackstrap molasses diluted with three parts of water makes a satisfactory bait. Milk is good—or rotting bananas. Place traps outside the doors of dairy buildings where flies are thickest. Sprays are also helpful, but sprays alone will not control the nuisance. One pound of fresh pyrethrum flowers soaked for 48 hours or longer in a gallon of kerosene and strained through cheesecloth makes a good spray which kills both house flies and horn flies. Pyrethrum is used in some proprietary sprays, which may prove fairly economical for limited spraying. Or, buy a concentrated pyrethrum extract to mix with kerosene. Screen the milk room carefully. Large dairies and creameries often have screened vestibules. Other flies which annoy livestock are reduced in numbers by manure disposal and spraying.

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The Scrap Book

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By Harrison Smith Morris

When the bubble moon is young,
Down the sources of the breeze,
Like a yellow lantern hung
In the tops of blackened trees,
There is promise she will grow
Into beauty unforetold,
Into all unthought of gold.
Heigh ho!

When the Spring has dipped her foot,
Like a bather, in the air,
And the ripples warm the root
Till the little flowers dare,
There is promise she will grow
Sweeter than the Springs of old,
Fairer than was ever told.
Heigh ho!

But the moon of middle night,
Risen, is the rounded moon;
And the Spring of budding light
Eddies into just a June.
Ah, the promise—was it so?
Nay, the gift was fairy gold;
All the new is over-old.
Heigh ho!

Mt. Creek News

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A lovely lawn party was enjoyed very much Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Sam Eiland. Everyone reported a delightful time. Refreshments were served to Misses Icie Bell Cobern, Hazel Baxley, Mary Elizabeth Eiland, Elizabeth Baxley, Norma Atkinson. Messrs. Marion McGalliard, Otis Headley, Sandie Sheay, Clair Norris, Batson Culver, Newt Atkinson, Amzi Kicker, Claude Norris, Lee Cobern. Luther Cannon, Carl Cannon, Mrs. Henry Gaylor, Mrs. Sam Eiland, Mrs. L. L. Rheay, Mrs. Marion McGalliard, Mrs. Maggie Cannon.

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Mr. Otis Headley spent the past week end with his sister, Mrs. Henry Gaylor.

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Mr. Clayton Culver was the week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Culver.

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Miss Alma Gentry was the week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gentry.

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Messrs. Luther Cannon and Batson Culver were the guests of Misses Jessie Dora and Clara Pinson Sunday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gaylor were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vesper Thrailkill.

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Mr. Herman Adams was the guest of Miss Bessie Thrailkill Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Williams visited the formers parents of Thorsby.

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Mr. Amzi Kicker and Miss Hazel Baxley were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Newt Atkinson Sunday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Rheay spent part of last week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Epps Culver, while they were on their vacation.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Rheay, Mrs. Maggie Cannon, Mrs. Sam Eiland and daughter spent a few pleasant hours with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gaylor Friday evening.

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Mr. G. B. Gaylor was the week end guest of Mr. Vesper Thrailkill, Jr.

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Mr. Albert Sims was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Jack Dennis, Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thrailkill were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vesper Thrailkill Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Hall spent a few hours with the former's mother, Mrs. Margaret Culver.

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Mrs. Joe Bailey and daughters who have been visiting the former's parents of Mt. Creek, have returned to their home at Little Rock, Ark.

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The people of the community regret to have Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gibbons leave them. They are moving to Deatsville, where Mr. Gibbons will resume his work as a depot agent.

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Batson Culver says if you don't want your name in the "News" you had better watch your step in Mt. Creek.

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Mrs. Venie Youngblood of Birmingham is visiting her nieces, Mrs. Daisy Culver and Miss Ellen Glenn.

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Sunday was our regular preaching day. Mr. Joiner preached a very impressive and uplifting sermon. I'm sure it was enjoyed by all. A perfect attendance was reported.

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An explorer found in Africa a motion picture show that has not changed its program in three and one-half years.

A dinner which must be a "mirthful festival" is ordered on the first anniversary of his death by the will of Ferdinand Borenstein of Newark, N. J.

Mrs. Lillian Monbrod of Chicago told a judge she "didn't mind much" when her husband confessed he was in love with another girl but when he began to take their dog along to see the other woman, she sued.

The lightest sentence ever imposed in federal court in Duluth, Minn., was meted out to Mrs. Katrina Evikervich, who served ten minutes in the custody of a deputy marshal for a liquor law violation.

Hubert Farley

Radio & Electric

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PHONE 29

Farmers Hdwe. Co.

SPRING PIG CROP LARGER IN COUNTRY BUT SHORT IN STATE

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An increase of 2.5 per cent in the United States spring pig crop of this year over that of 1930 and a prospective sharp increase in the number of sows to farrow this coming fall are shown by the June pig survey covering about 77,000 farms made by the Department of Agriculture in cooperation with the Post Office Department through the rural mail carriers, reports F. W. Gist, Federal and State statistician:

The report shows that pigs saved in Alabama this spring were 11.5 per cent less than in 1930. The number of sows farrowed was 10.7 per cent less but the number of sows bred for fall farrowing was 35.7 per cent greater than the sows farrowed in 1930.

The reports of the number of sows bred or to be bred in the United States for farrowing in the fall of 1931 point to a marked increase in fall farrowing this year over last, if the relationship between breeding intentions and subsequently reported farrowing is about as shown in the preceding four years. The increase in breeding intentions shown for the fall of this year is the second largest shown in nine years.

If the June survey this year indicates the change in the markets supply of spring pigs from the corn belt states about as the June survey for the past four years have indicated these changes the market supply of hogs from the 1931 spring crop will be about 7 per cent larger than from the 1930 spring crop. This would represent an increase of about 1,750,000 head of hogs.

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DAIRY TRAINED MEN RECEIVE EMPLOYMENT

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Prof. A. D. Burke, head of the dairy department of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute at Auburn. has found employment fo rthe three young men who specialized in dairying and graduated at the recent commencement. W. F. Barnett is in dairy herd improvement work at Selma; E. E. Allredge is with the Frozen Custard Corporation at Birmingham; and Clifford Alston is with the Foremost Dairies milk station at Burkeville in Lowndes County.

Prof. Burke said that dairying opens a broad field to those interested in it as a vocation. "Aside from," he said, "the manufacture of ice cream, butter, cheese. milk powder and condensed milk which are industries in themselves, the field is open to those who are well trained in bacteriology and chemistry. Dairy inspection, market milk work and certain phases of public health administration demand a knowledge of these two latter subjects. Hence, the man engaged in dairy manufacturing is scarcely limited in a choice of his life's work.

"In the field of dairy production one finds many opportunities. While a student specializing along this line may primarily feel the urge to return to the farm better equipped to carry on—there are opportunities in farm management, and dairy herd improvement association work."

Prof. Burke has presented statistics on the dairy industry of the United States which is almost equivalent to cotton and cotton seed in the production of cash income, and cotton and cotton seed are cash leaders among American farm products. In total value milk exceeds cotton and cotton seed but much milk is never turned into cash.

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KING COTTON'S COMPLAINT

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King Cotton spoke with mournful air, while seated on his fleecy throne: "My subjects drive me to despair. I wish they'd learn to stand alone. They lean on me for everything; and all their burdens I must tote. Although I am a kindly king, I vow their methods get my goat. Each autumn, from my whitening fields, I bring to them a goodly rent; but little joy to them it yields because the coin's already spent. They buy on credit at the stores. most everything from pork to pills; to my account they charge the score, and I'm compelled to foot the bills. Eggs, bacon, beans, or onion sets, they buy them from the merchants' shelves; and keep me loaded down with debts for things they should produce themselves. They spread my credit out so thin it hurts my prestige and my fame. They play a game that cannot win, and when they lose, I get the blame. If they would raise a garden patch, and keep some pigs, say three or four, the wolf would not so often scratch the varnish from their kitchen door. If they would keep a cow or two, some hens of goodly ancestry, 'twould change their pessimistic view, and greatly ease the strain on me. I'm sure if they would do their part to live at home and board there, too, that I could help them get a start and own the comforts that are due. But when they ask me to supply each want, from soup to shingle-bob, I really must confess that I feel hardly equal to the job. If I were not compelled to dig for things their gardens should produce, for products of the cow or pig, the hen, the turkey or the goose, then I could help them hoard some dough, and slow but surely get ahead, and all my bounty would not go to pay for horses that are dead."

—W. P. Morrison in Farm and Ranch.

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Send us your name, address and date of birth, if you haven't done so already. We want to remember you, and give you a pass to our show on your birthday. We also give three passes on each picture from names drawn from our birthday list. We give a birthday present on the 1st Saturday of each month, beginning May 1st, 1931.

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Chevrolet	4.50-20	5.60	5.60	10.90
Ford	4.50-21	5.69	5.69	11.10
Ford Chevrolet Whippet	4.75-19	6.65	6.65	12.90
Erskine Plymouth	4.75-20	6.75	6.75	13.10
Chandler DeSoto Dodge Durant Graham-Paige Pontiac Roosevelt Willys-Knight	5.00-19	6.98	6.98	13.60
Essex Nash	5.00-20	7.10	7.10	13.80
Marquette Oldsmobile	5.25-18	7.90	7.90	15.30
Buick	5.25-21	8.57	8.57	16.70
Auburn Jordan Reo	5.50-18	8.75	8.75	17.00
Gardner Marmon Oakland Peerless Studebaker	5.50-19	8.90	8.90	17.30
Chrysler Viking	6.00-18	11.20	11.20	21.70
Franklin Hudson Hupmobile	6.00-19	11.40	11.40	22.10
LaSalle Packard	6.00-20	11.50	11.50	22.30
Pierce-Arrow	6.00-21	11.65	11.65	22.60
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BUTLER FARMERS URGE USE COTTON BAGGING

Greenville, Ala., June 30.—A movement which it is hoped will spread nation-wide to increase the consumption of cotton through using it for cotton bagging and sacking for farmers' supplies, was inaugurated here by the board of directors of the Butler County Farm Bureau.

In a resolution, unanimously passed, the farmers who compose the governing body of the Butler organization, called upon the other 1837 county farm bureaus of the Nation to join them in demanding the "use of cotton sacks as containers for fertilizers, feeds, seeds, and other products used in the production of crops.

The resolution also requested the Alabama and American Farm Bureau Federations to "use their influence to cause a tariff to be placed upon jute so as to prohibit its importation into the United States."

The jute and cotton question was brought to the attention of the Butler farmers by J. S. Brunson in the meeting presided over by President W. M. Harrison, who appointed E. J. Hancock, E. O. Cates, and J. E. Helms to draw up a suitable resolution, which, after discussion, was passed without dissent.

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DeMabel's Shoppe Celebrates Anniversary

July 1st marks the fourth anniversary of the establishment of DeMabel's Beauty Shoppe in Clanton. During this time Miss Howard, manager and operator, has devoted herself to a careful study of the many things of interest to the women of Clanton and surrounding towns and has worked up a steady clientele. Her shop is well equipped with the best and most modern things which are necessary to give the best service possible. Miss Howard uses a "Eugene" permanent waving machine and supplies which are considered the most superior method of permanent waving throughout the

Another up to the minute feature of great interest which Miss Mabel is encouraging is "La Gerardine," a lotion which will train a wave in hair that has always been straight. The truth of this amazing statement can be proved by the simple use of this lotion in your own home or getting the treatments from Miss Howard in her shop.

Powder blending is another modern requirement which Miss Howard is able to give to her customers who want to be smart in appearance and enhance the beauty of their complexion by having their face powder blended to suit their individual type. Along with powder, Miss Howard carries a Beauty Parlor Exclusive line of other cosmetics and all the latest things to protect the skin from the hot sun and winds, for tan and to prevent blistering.

Together with her beauty work Miss Howard devotes spare time to painting cards and snapshots and photographs. Whenever you need a greeting card to send a sick friend, a birthday congratulation, for a shower or any occasion get it from DeMabel.

Beginning this year of her business Miss Howard wishes to express her appreciation for the splendid patronage she has received from the women of Clanton and Chilton County and wishes all those who are not already a customer to visit her shop if you want to "look your best always" and you know "It pays to look well." The shop is located in the Mullins building upstairs, next to Exchange Hotel on the main highway.

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Humorettes

Shop Assistant — "The gentleman wants to know if that sweater will shrink."

Boss—"Is it too big for him?"

Shop Assistant—"Yes, sir!"

Boss—"Of course, it will!"

Mrs. Crabber—Oh, I wish I'd thought twice before marrying you.

Mr. Crabber—Huh, I'd be satisfied if I'd thought just once.

Myrtle Dove—You are beginning to take some things for granted. I shall have to be a little firm with you.

Fonda Love—Great! Let us make it a partnership!

"Thanks very much," said the vicar, as little Tommy handed up his offering for the harvest festival: "I must call 'round this afternoon and thank your mother for these eight beautiful apples."

"P-please, sir," stammered Tommy, "would you m-mind thanking her for t-twelve apples?"

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TODAY AND TOMORROW

BY FRANK PARKER STOCKBRIDGE

RISKS —

The first reaction of everyone who read about the accident to the submarine "Nautilus" which disabled it while it was cruising on the surface from America to England, was how fortunate it was that this did not occur while the ship was under the Artic ice.

Perhaps Sir Hubert Wilkins and his crew are not proposing to take any more serious risks than did many of the pioneer aviators. In the case of flying it was fairly easy for anyone, however, to recognize the value of these early experiments if they should prove successful. It is difficult to see any possible value to humanity, or importance to science, in the effort to reach the North Pole by a submarine boat.

It looks, to an impartial observer, as if human life were being risked merely to provide thrills, just as a circus performer provides them.

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RADIODYNAMICS —

That is the word coined by John Hays Hammond, Jr., and now accepted by the patent office and Congress, to mean the control of energy at a distance by means of radio.

Hammond began to experiment with radiodynamics when he was a student in Yale in 1909. He invented a method of controlling a boat on the surface of the water and a torpedo under the surface by radio impulses, as well as steering an airplane over a long course without a pilot on board.

This is something quite different from transmitting power by radio. Only enough power can be transmitted to set a piece of machinery in motion or stop it. The machenery must have its own independent power plant. The day may come when actual power can be sent through the air, but that is a long way in the future.

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SPORTS —

Interest in collegiate football is declining, the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching reports.

There is a very decided difference between sports participated in by students for the benefit of the students themselves, for the maintenance of their health and the upbuilding of their morale, and sports undertaken as a means of advertising particular colleges or of making money.

Nobody is spggesting that all intercollegiate sporting contests should be abolished, but it is certainly true that public interest in them is declining, and it is probable that they will play a less important part in college life in the future than in the past.

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ROCKETS —

Prof. Robert H. Goddard, of Clark University, who has been experimenting with and talking about propelling aircraft by means of rockets, has taken out patents on a rocket-propelled airplane. The plane is expected to rise from the ground like any other plane, its propellers being turned by a turbine engine, for which the gas from a succession of rockets will furnish the power. When it gets into the rarified upper atmosphere the engine will be cut off and the propulsive force will be that of the rockets themselves.

Prof. Goddard is no idle visionary. Just what he has got in his desert laboratory in New Mexico he is not telling the world as yet, but if anyone in this country is going to succeed in flying by means of rockets Prof. Goddard will probably be the first.

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PIGEONS —

A blue homing pigeon flew 503½ miles from Salisbury, N. C., to New York City, in 13 hours, 11 minutes and 51 seconds the other day. This was not quite a record for the 500 mile annual pigeon race, but it comes very close to it.

A large part of a homing pigeon's time in flying long distances, however, is taken up in the bird's questing, or circling at high altitudes to find landmarks to guide it back to its home loft. There is no longer any great mystery about how the homing pigeon finds its way home at night or in a dense fog or conditions of low visibility. Like almost all birds, however, it has telescopic powers of vision beyond anything which human beings can easily imagine, according to Dr. Casey Wood, famous oculist, who has devoted many years to the study of the eyes of birds. The homing pigeon memorizes landmarks near its home loft, and, as it is given longer and longer flight trials, it learns the lay of the land at greater distances, until it knows the country so well that, when liberated within 500 miles from home on a clear day, it can see some remembered landmark in the direction of its home.

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LYNCHING RECORD FOR THE FIRST SIX MONTHS OF 1931

According to the records compiled at Tuskegee Institute in the Department of Records and Research that in the first six months of 1931 there were lynchings. This is 4 less than the number, 9, for the first six months of 1930; 1 more than the number, 4, for the first six months of 1929; it is the same as the number, 5, for the first months of 1928; 6 less than the number 11, for the first six months of 1927 and is 4 less than the number, 9, for the first six months of each of the years, 1926 and 1925; it is the the number, 5, for the first six m of 1924; 10 less than the number, for the first six months of 1923; 25 less than the number, 30, for the first six months of 1922, and 31 less than the number, 36, for the first six months of 1921.

There were 32 instances in which officers of the law prevented lynching. Of these 4 were in Northern and Western States and 28 in Southern States. In 26 of the instances the prisoner were removed or the guards augmented. In the 6 other instances used. Thus a total of 55 pers whites and 45 negroes, were saved from death at the hands of mobs.

Of the persons lynched 1 was white and 4 were negroes. The charged were attempted rape, 3, murder, 2.

The states in which lynchings occurred and the number in each State are as fololws: Mississippi, 2 Missouri, 1; North Dakota, 1; Tennessee, 1

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SWEET MIXED PICKLES Alabam Girl Brand	26-oz. Jar	25
PEANUT BUTTER I. G. A.	16-Oz. Jar	21
RELISH SPREAD or MAYONNAISE, I. G. A.	Large Jar	17
GRAPE JUICE, I. G. A. Pure Juice Concord Grapes	Pt. Bot.	21
GINGER ALE, I. G. A. Pale Dry.	3 Large Bottles	41
TEA, I. G. A. Finest Orange Pekoe	¼-Lb. Pkg.	21
FANCY CAKES, NBC DeLuxe Assortment	Lb. Pkg.	25
CALIFORNIA LEMONS, Sour & Juicy	Dozen	23
SLICED BACON, Sunlight Rindless	Pound	27
FLOUR, I. G. A. Plain or Self Rising	24-Lb. Bag	98
FLOUR Duchess Self Rising or Columbia Plain	24-lb. Bags	80

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My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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W. N. U. Service.

Gets Apology From Petain.

I took occasion a few days later to let Petain know very politely what I thought of the impropriety of this sort of thing and also criticized him then and there for telling anybody, even Mr. House, as he had done, about the plan to attack the St. Mihiel salient as the first offensive by the American army. I was pleased with Petain's apology and his statement that there would be no further action of this kind on his part.

As a matter of fact, I think the French erroneously regarded House as a sort of special ambassador, and thought that they could lay the foundation for an approach through him to the question of amalgamation.

Just before his return to the States House said to me that he entirely agreed with me, and that he felt sure the President and secretary of war intended to leave the whole question regarding the disposition of our troops to my judgment. Assurance on this point was in no sense necessary, as I had full confidence that this was the case.

During his stay in France I formed a high opinion of House's ability. We formed a friendship in the beginning which enabled us to discuss all matters most freely and frankly. Before he left for home he and I arranged for confidential communication by cable should it become necessary to reach Mr. Baker or Mr. Wilson direct.

The Missing Turkeys

Immediately upon my return to headquarters at Chaumont December 1917, General Harbord reported there had been a shortage of turkeys and other essentials of a truly American Thanksgiving dinner, and in a facetious manner deplored the heartlessness of a staff at Washington that would so neglect our troops.

He stated that the shortage was due to these supplies, which had been ordered in September for delivery November 1, being buried under a large cargo that could not be unloaded in time. The following cable was sent as written by Harbord:

"On September 18 supplies for Thanksgiving were ordered. Your cablegram stated mincemeat shipped on Montanan. There was no mincemeat on Montanan. Mincemeat arrived November 26 on Powhatan, underneath heavy cargo, which it was necessary to discharge before mincemeat could be unloaded. Result mincemeat aboard ship Thanksgiving day. Sweet potatoes arrived on Dakotan and could not be unloaded until November 22; result, some troops did not have sweet potatoes. It was necessary to buy geese to fill requisitions on account of part of turkeys not arriving, notwithstanding the fact that Thanksgiving supplies were ordered to arrive in France November 1."

Although we had treated this matter lightly, I really felt regret that some of our troops had been deprived of a homelike Thanksgiving dinner, and at the same time I was not at all pleased to have further evidence of careless loading of ships.

Need Two Regular Divisions.

In considering the composition of our expeditionary forces, it was a question whether we ought to organize higher units by using regular regiments, with a proportionate number of new officers, or utilize the permanent commissioned personnel of the line for equitable assignment to the citizen contingents and leave our regular organizations to be completed from the relatively raw material at our disposal, and thus build up all categories of the army simultaneously. I recommended that regular regiments at Honolulu and elsewhere be relieved for this purpose by National Guard regiments. These regular troops would more nearly approximate the standards of our allies at the start, and, more important still, their use would diminish the chances of reverses during our first encounters with the enemy. The acting chief of staff at home, Maj. Gen. John Biddle, agreed with my suggestion, but the widely separated locations of these regiments made their replacement somewhat difficult, and only the Third, Fourth and Fifth divisions came in time for service early in 1918, the Sixth and Seventh arriving to take part in the fall campaign.

CHAPTER XXIV

The progress of our preparation at home at this time (December, 1917) was far from being satisfactory, as tests of newly arrived troops showed their instruction was not up to our standards in France.

It was evident that my recommendations were being disregarded. This faulty training at home threw an extra burden upon us of training officers and men after their arrival.

I had urged that we should follow our own conception of training, emphasizing the rifle and bayonet as the supreme weapons of the infantry soldier, and insisted upon training for open warfare.

The training of officers for the general staff, which also necessarily had to be undertaken in France, was well under way at the general staff school, at Langres, forty miles south of Chaumont, under the able direction of Major General McAndrew. The three months' course of instruction was based upon our staff organization and was conducted by our own instructors, with two or three French and an equal number of British officers to assist as lecturers. The difficulty was the scarcity of officers available for detail as students.

We were confronted with the task of building up an army of millions that would require as many trained staff officers as we had officers in the whole regular army at the beginning of the war. To meet this urgent demand Washington was asked to send over in advance a small percentage of officers from each division for instruction, but only a few ever came.

My diary notes the following:

Chaumont, Wednesday, Jan. 2, 1918.—Both French and British pressing us for amalgamation.

Went to Marshal Haig's headquarters Friday by rail, accompanied by Colonel Wagstaff, and spent the night. Motored through heavy snowdrifts out from Etaples; gangs of "conscientious objectors" opening up roads. Discussed with Sir Douglas possible shipment by and training of American troops with British.

Visited king and queen of Belgium and their army at Adenkirke on Saturday.

As we have seen, there has been some talk of the British providing shipping to bring over American troops for training behind their lines. During the evening I spent with Sir Douglas Haig, as noted in the diary, he presented his plans for training our troops. His idea was to place the battalions as they arrived, one to the brigade, in selected British divisions, preferably those serving on the southern part of their front, and then gradually to increase the number of battalions until the division should become wholly American.

Hoping to commit the British definitely on the question of tonnage, which up to that time we had not succeeded in doing, I did not offer serious objection to the plan and even approved some of the features, especially those pertaining to the earlier part of the proposed training, and for the moment the question was left open for further conference.

Causes King to Wait.

I left British headquarters the next morning en route to the Belgian front to pay my respects to the king and queen. As Sir Douglas was off to London my car was attached to his train and we traveled together to Boulogne, where he boarded the channel boat and I took a special, consisting of my car and one other, and proceeded on my way.

We were due at Adenkirke, my destination, at a fixed hour, but to my surprise the train pulled in ten minutes ahead of time. I was changing into my best uniform—in fact, was just putting on the right boot—when my aid, Colonel Boyd, stuck his head in at the door of my compartment and said breathlessly: "General, we have arrived."

I knew it only too well, as the train had stopped and the royal band outside was playing "The Star-Spangled Banner" in the mournful cadence common to foreign bands. It was an embarrassing thought that I should be late. In another minute, when the orderly and myself were struggling, this time with the left boot, Boyd again appeared and said in a stage whisper that was no doubt heard by the entire escort outside: "Sir, the king is out there standing at the salute."

That was too much, the humor of the situation overcame me and for an instant all of us, including the orderly, who rarely smiled, were convulsed with laughter. That did not help matters, of course, and meanwhile the band outside, which had already played the national air through three times, was dolefully beginning on the fourth, when I hurriedly descended the steps of my car opposite his majesty, buttoning my overcoat with one hand and saluting with the other.

At my appearance the band started afresh and, as though they had just begun, ran through our national anthem rather more vigorously, cheered up no doubt at last to see me in evidence. A few months later I had the courage to relate the incident in all its details to their majesties and they both seemed to enjoy it immensely.

King Decorates Pershing.

After inspecting the escort in company with the king, he and I drove to their residence, where the queen, in her most gracious manner, received us at the entrance. We had a very enjoyable luncheon, which Boyd thought was quite gay, especially when I became bold enough to air my dreadful French. After lunch King Albert, to my surprise, said he wished to bestow upon me the Order of the Grand Cordon of Leopold, and as I hesitated, saying that we were not permitted to receive foreign decorations, he insisted that I should accept it conditionally, which, of course, was the only thing to do. Boyd was decorated also.

In the afternoon the king, with his chief of staff, took me to his G. H. Q. and then to the front-line trenches, explaining the disposition of the limited force with which their positions were held. It consisted of only the six divisions which had stubbornly retired in 1914 in the face of overwhelming odds. It was then being recruited by Belgians escaping from within the German lines at the risk of their lives.

(continued next week)

MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

A member of my church in a former pastorate had a daughter who rode much, but she never traveled far. There was a driveway in the city that formed a circle, and I have counted the times that the girl would pass my home going in the same direction in one afternoon, and often the number would mount to fifteen. She rode for hours, but she rode in a circle. The father told me that the gas bill of his daughter amounted to forty dollars per month. She traveled many miles at much expense, but she never went anywhere. A friend stopped at the parsonage last week, and after spending a few moments with us, she arose to go. I asked, "And where are you going?" She replied, "I do not know where we are going, but we are in a hurry." These two pictures are true to the life of today. We are eternally in a hurry, but we are riding in a circle. We spend much money and shed much perspiration in our rush, but we never go anywhere, and people never accuse us of doing much. We are riding like Jehu, but we are traveling in a circle.

Last Friday night the Methodist church in Clanton sponsored the "Passion Play" going to quite a bit of effort to give to the people of our city a play that was Christian, and one that was elevating. People were invited to see the life of Christ in moving play as it was partially lived in Palestine, but Christ never received a colder reception in Judea, than the people of Clanton gave to this wonderful picture of His life. There were only thirty people in the auditorium of the High School building to see this picture. There was no kissing in that picture, except when a penitent woman fell at the feet of the Master and kissed His feet. There was no hugging in that picture except when Martha and Mary hugged Lazarus, their brother, as he came out of the tomb. There were no bed scenes in that picture except when an invalid was brought to Christ for healing. There was no infidelity in that picture except when Judas betrayed his Lord. All of that is too tame for the vulgar mind of today. We want fast riding, much shooting, abundance of suggestion, much blood, and lot of sex display. May the Lord have mercy on our souls.

A Scout friend of mine was walking through a school building and came upon the sexton busy at his task. This husky black man had found a worn out American flag in the building, and he was using it as a dust mop. On seeing the Stars and Stripes in the hands of the sexton, being used as a dust cloth, this Scout leaped upon him, snatched the flag from his hands, and then read the riot act to that man of dark shade. The Scout said, "How dare you use the flag of my country for a dust cloth?" He then took that old tattered flag, folded it with care, placed it on a table, saluted it and then carried it away to be disposed of according to Scout reverence. Saturday is the 4th of July, and the flags of our country will be on display. When you see the Stars and Stripes, salute them with reverence. If the flag is large or small, it stands for our American liberty, it stands for our civilized laws, and it stands for our Christian ideals. Never make the color of white, representing the purity of our ideals, never make the color of red, representing the shed blood of our ancestry, never make the color of blue, representing the sky line of our liberty, things that are common. That old flag is sacred, and it should be handled in reverence. The flag is not a play thing for child life, it is out of place as decorations on cars, it should never be worn on the lapel of the coat. It represents to us the most sacred things of our national life, and that flag should float high in the breezes, that we may look up to it as the sacred embodiment of our patriotism.

A modern man begins the day with the crimes of yesterday served to him as he is at his breakfast table. He runs through the columns of the daily to read about the suicides, the homicides, the car wrecks, the divorce courts, the sex battles and national differences. Then he goes out to spend the day in close contact with the selfish scheming, and close competition of the business world. He feels the keen lash of competition below the belt, and the horrid hurt of deception and dishonesty in almost every trade. When the day is over he goes out for the night and at the picture show, or in the theater he is served with false standards and moral rot that is enough to eat out the very foundation of his honor and integrity. The modern man being served this daily diet, what can we expect but to have moral rags everywhere? Men are absenting themselves from the house of God, and there is a moral rot that is setting up that is alarming in its nature. The time has come when men and women should be aroused to think upon whatsoever things are true, honest, virtuous and of good report. If men would change their moral daily diet, we would have different conditions throughout the land. When men feast on the truth, the truth shall make them free, but when they feed on the dregs, the sediments of society, a fullness of that deposit never fails to make them mad and corrupt.

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

Last Sunday was one of the hottest days ever felt in Clanton, but the Methodist church was fairly cool. We turn on our big electric fan in the basement and it sends up a current of cool air that makes comfortable the auditorium. Try it next Sunday.

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Mrs. Agnes Gilliland of Sylacauga is spending her vacation with her friends and relatives in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Taylor and family were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Neeley.

Miss Elizabeth Griffin of Clanton spent a few enjoyable hours with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Greene Griffin, Sunday.

We are glad to say Mrs. Effie Vinson who has been in bed for several days on account of illness is now improving.

A large number from this community attended a singing at Prospect last Sunday and reported a very nice time.

Miss Susie Griffin is spending this week with her relatives in Montgomery.

Mrs. Ella Tatum and family of Montgomery were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Prickett.

Our Sunday school at this place is progressing nicely. We would be delighted to have anyone visit us who will.

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Pleasant Grove News

The Pleasant Grove and Liberty Hill singing society met at this place Sunday with a large crowd and it was one of the best singings we have had this year. Let's everybody come out and make the next one still better. We invite all singers and lovers of music to come and be with us at Pleasant Grove the fourth Sunday afternoon and at Liberty Hill the second Sunday afternoon.

The following sang two songs each: Mack Durbin, J. M. Lowery, Melvin Devaughn, H. J. Littlejohn, F. I. Popwell, Leonard Culp, S. A. Henley, Mrs. Zella Scott. Lottie Henley, R. W. Kendrick, George Wililams. The closing song was sung by the chairman, Mack Durbin.

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And he did get off to a bad start, what with an unprecedented drouth and total crop failure marking his first year. He didn't make enough money to pay his taxes and had to borrow enough money to buy groceries for his family. But his two cows and a third that he managed to buy saved the day for him and were the start of a dairy venture that now brings him a gross income of $1,000 a month.

Pasture development has kept pace with the growth of Mr. Balch's dairy herd. When he first bought it the land was so poor it took several acres to grow enough grass for a cow. Now, the same land will grow enough grass to graze a cow per acre and cut enough hay to carry her through the winter. Dairy products, strawberries, sweet potatoes, hay poultry products and high yields of cotton, corn and other crops account for the gross income of $12,000 per year that Mr. Balch has averaged for the past five years from his 200-acre farm which now represents an investment of $28,000.

Fairview News

Mr. and Mrs. John Parrish, Mr. Cecil Harris, Misses Ressie and Dollie Mae Harris visited their sister, Mrs. G. M. Durbin Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cox and family and Mrs. M. R. Durbin spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Roper of Deatsville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cox Saturday night.

Miss Lovalia Roper was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. W. S. Cox last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Keen and family Mr. and Mrs. V. C. McKee, Mrs. S. C. Cox and children, Mrs. Howard Ball and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hannon Owen, John Cox and Leonard Traywick spent the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. McKee Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Culp, Mrs. Clinton Culp spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Foshee Sunday.

Misses Mildred and Edna Durbin, Mr. Osmond Culp were the guests of Inez McKee for a while Saturday night.

Mrs. Ola Edwards dined with Mrs. Zora Traywick Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Giles were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Wagoner Sunday.

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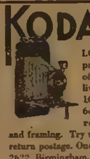

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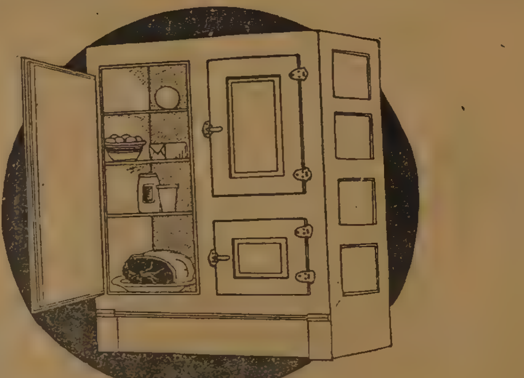

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Cooper News

We are performing a fine Christian working B. Y. P. U. here. All visitors are cordially invited.

Mr. Walker Allen has been in Birmingham visiting relatives the past week.

A Junior Sunday school class was entertained by Miss Lucile Taylor Saturday afternoon.

Miss Elsie Dennis, Mr. Samuel Morris, Mr. Luke Calloway, Master Calvin Dentis of Cooper attended Miss Mae Dentis' birthday party given by Mr. Charlie Mims. All reported an enjoyable time.

Mrs. R. C. Morris and Mrs. Ida Henson were the Saturday afternoon guests of Mrs. W. T. Morris and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rushing attended church at Eastview Sunday morning and the baptizing Sunday afternoon. Preaching Sunday night was enjoyed.

Miss Ineas Vance is still on our sick list, and has been for four weeks. We hope she will soon recover.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Morris attended church at Pleasant Valley Sunday morning.

Miss Bessie Mae Smith of Verbena was the guest of her grandparents last week.

Miss Lucile Taylor spent Friday night with her friend, Miss Carmell Smith.

Master Emmett Morris, Mr. Robert Morris and Mr. Barnie Driver were the Sunday supper guests of Mr. Samual Morris, which was greatly enjoyed.

We are proud to say that Mr. W. T. Morris is increasing in his business, garage and furniture shop here.

It has been reported that Mr. John Rockett and family were poisoned on chicken. All are better. We sincerely hope it will cause no further harm.

Mr. H. N. Smith is in the filling station business in Cooper now. We hope his business does well.

Next Sunday and Sunday night is regular preaching time at Chestnut Creek. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Hand. Everyone attend who will and can. We are more than glad to have you.

NOTICE OF REFERENCE

In the matter of the estate of J. H. Roberts, deceased, N. L. Roberts. Administrator. Petition for partial settlement.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity:

To Whom It May Concern:

Take Notice: That on June 6th, 1931, N. L. Roberts, administrator of the estate of J. H. Roberts, deceased, filed his account and vouchers for a partial settlement in the above estate, and the Court ordered a reference to be had in the above matter and that the day set for the reference is on Wednesday the 8th, day of July, 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the Register's office in Clanton, Alabama.

All parties interested may appear and contest same if they deem proper.

Witness my hand, this the 13th, day of June, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
Register.

6-18-3t

NOTICE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed by J. A. Maddox and wife Sallie E. Maddox, on the 22nd day of May, 1930, to the Southern Cotton Oil Company, a corporation, which said mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama in Mortgage Record Vol. 205 page 566, default having been made in the payment of the debt secured by said mortgage, the undersigned the Southern Cotton Oil Company, a corporation, will proceed to sell on Friday the 10th day of July, 1931, at the Court House Door of Chilton County, Alabama, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, within the legal hours of sale, the following described real estate, situated in the Town of Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the West side of Seventh (7th) Street, or the Clanton and Jemison road, and North of Fourth Avenue where the South line of Lillie L. Stewart's lot crossed said west line of Seventh Street, being also a point in the line of the lots now owned by W. B. McCain; thence running in a Northwesterly direction along the West line of said Seventh Street 225 feet; thence in a Westerly direction at right angles to said Seventh Street one hundred fifty feet to the right of way of the L & N Railroad; thence in a Southerly direction along the Easterly line of said right of way of the L & N Railroad Two Hundred Feet to the South line of the Lillie L. Stewart's lot, if said line was extended, due west; thence due East 175 feet, along said line to the West line of Seventh Street to the point of beginning, containing 36,452.5 square feet or Eighty three-hundredths (.83) acres of land, more or less.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, after the cost and expense of this foreclosure, including a reasonable attorney's fee, shall have been paid.

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News from Thorsby

Miss FRANCES WILSON, Correspondent

Mr. Dewey E. Robinson is spending his vacation in Birmingham and Warrior

Miss Jessie Mims, sister, Mrs. Leonard Bean, and little daughter, Ruby May, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Mims.

Mrs. C. M. Gray and Mrs. Jack Sims spent Thursday and Friday in Birmingham.

Mr. Cecil Each and Miss Clara Vines spent Sunday with home folks.

Misses Vivian Roebuck and Mildred Langford of Birmingham spent the week end with Mrs. C. M. Gray.

Miss Nell Wells was the dinner guest of Miss Agnes Leary Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Billingsley of Clanton and Miss Zula Parnell of Moulton spent Wednesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard and sister, Mrs. John R. Boyd.

The Congregational Social will be held at the church Thursday evening at seven o'clock on the lawn. Everyone is invited. Games will be played, and refreshments will be served.

Mrs. Alga Alexander, her daughter, Mrs. French, of Montgomery are visitors of Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Jones for the week.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Baptist church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the church for their regular monthly meeting. All members are urged to be present at this meeting. Subject for study, "Youth and Christ."

Mrs. O. C. Kyle and children and Mrs. Houston Stokes and children of Birmingham spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton.

Mrs. J. W. Horton and mother, Mrs. Wiley, of Courtland, Ala., spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton.

The sewing circle met with Adolph Laurell Monday afternoon.

Mr. Stewart Horton of Courtland, Ala., spent several days with his brother, Mr. C. C. Horton.

Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald and Miss Marguerite Davison were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Norton.

Miss Alta Each entertained at her home Friday afternoon, honoring those who had a perfect attendance record of the Bible vacation school. Cake and punch were served.

Saturday afternoon the Endeavor invited those who attended the Daily Bible Vacation School over to Rev. Each's for a social hour. Games were enjoyed and a good social time was enjoyed.

Dr. Lee went to Birmingham last Thursday and brought his wife here to live.

Mrs. A. P. Villadsen and children are visiting her mother here.

Mrs. Eva Brown, sister of Mrs. M. J. Primm, returned home Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Adams of Prattville spent Sunday with her brother, Mr. C. M. Williams.

Mrs. M. J. Primm. W. H. Raybon and family and Kathryn Lenoir spent Saturday in Siluria visiting Mr. Hugh Primm and family.

Mr. S. J. Davenport spent the week end with home folks.

The W. M. S. Circle meeting was held at the church Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Akins Collins, Miss Hilma Collins and Mrs. Walter Robinson went to see their mother, Mrs. J. H. Collins, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Butler, daughters, Margaret, Dorothy and Katherine Goodnow drove to Montgomery Sunday to visit Mr. Clarence Butler and family.

Mrs. H. W. Reinhardt spent the week end visiting relatives and friends in Wilsonville.

Miss Fairbank writes that she hopes to return to Thorsby at the end of this week. She will probably have to go back to Birmingham to receive continual treatments from her doctor.

Mrs. S. J. Gentry and little daughter, Imogene, of Birmingham is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Gentry.

Mrs. Josie Jordon of Shelby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dolphus Gentry.

Miss Margaret Butler spent the week end with home folks.

Miss Maddox and Miss Alta Each left Sunday for Eastview to help in a vacation Bible School.

Mrs. Clyde Mead and Mrs. Carl Chambers spent Saturday with Mrs. Mead's mother, Mrs. Bean, of Collins Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson spent the week end in Thorsby visiting Mrs. Thornburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Moody of Birmingham spent the week at Lay Dam visiting Mrs. Eldire Hanson.

Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald is spending this week in Birmingham.

Mrs. Young and family of Columbia spent Sunday with her brother, Mr. H. W. Reinhardt.

Mrs. Villadsen gave a party Friday evening, June 26th, in honor of Arleen Villadsen of Aldrich, and Edith Foss, of Thorsby, whose guest Arleen was. Ice cream and cake were served to about twenty. A good time was enjoyed by all.

Katherine and Edith Foss, Dorothy Peterson, Carl Foss and Mrs. Villadsen carried Arleen Villadsen and two brothers home Sunday and spent the day at Aldrich. Ala.

Mr. Ben Childress and family of Loxley, Ala., spent the week end with relatives and friends.

Mr. Harrison Hayes and family and brother, Green, and Mr. H. Riggins of Loxley, Ala., spent the week end with home folks.

GOOD COTTON OFTEN MISTAKEN FOR BAD

As late as 1928-29 private cotton buyers were frequently "mistaking" an extra white, strict middling, inch-and-a-sixteenth bale of cotton for a blue half and half dog-tail, according to reports given in government publications

The "Farm Price of Cotton Related to Quality," a bulletin published by the Georgia Experiment Station and U. S. Department of Agriculture, shows, along with other publications, that some farmers received $32.50 per bale less than others for the same quality of cotton, in the same town, on the same date in 1928-29. The bulletin reports that differences of $20 per bale were frequent.

"Twenty dollars to $32.50 a bale seems like a big 'mistake' to us, but we don't ask the cotton shippers to look into it just now," said J. A. Beaty, acting manager of the Alabama Farm Bureau Cotton Association. "They have right serious problems, like pinning the world depression, prohibition, and the pink boll worm, on the Farm Board. Later, maybe they will have time to explain how that $32.50 'mistake' is the untrammelled working of the laws of supply and demand."

"I can readily see how it "cramps their style' when cooperative associations put out quotations daily, showing the value on the days market for every grade and staple and supplying the services of federally licensed graders employed by the farmers themselves to fix that grade and staple," he added.

A DAUGHTER'S TRAINING

Among the replies received in response to a request for a brief plan for training a daughter, a magazine received the following from a successful mother:

Teach your daughter to value a man, not by wealth, looks or family, but by his character and what he himself has done.

Discourage her in looking upon men as suitors until she is at least 18.

Give her an education and keep her employed part of the time during vacation.

Make her home pleasant, so that she will not be anxious to leave it for an inferior one.

Encourage her to attend church, Sunday school, club meetings and other places where the right kind of people may be met, urging her to be particularly careful in choosing her girl associates.

These are all excellent suggestions, even though they do not always secure the desired results, and the mother who follows them will have done about all that is possible to do for her daughter.

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LEADS IN VALUES

(Plant Vetch and Austrian Winter Peas This Year)

THE LEADER

M. Lande, Prop. Clanton, Alabama

LEADS IN VALUES

A & P STORES SHOW AN INCREASE IN BUSINESS

Sales of The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company for the five week period ending May 30th were $102,946,053. This compares with $104,673,214 for the same period in 1930, and is a decrease of $1,727,161, or 1.65 per cent.

More goods were sold during the May period in 1931 than in the same period a year ago, as shown in the estimated tonnage figures. May sales, expressed in tons, were 563,223 this year, compared with 488,753 in May, 1930. This is a gain in quantity of merchandise sold of 74,470, or 15.24 per cent.

Average weekly sales in May were $20,589,211 compared with $20,934,643 in 1930. a decrease of -345,432. Average weekly tonnage sales were 112,645 compared with 97,751 in May, 1930, an increase of 14,894.

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MRS. T. L. LECROY GIVEN SURPRISE BIRTHDAY DINNER

On Sunday, June 28, the children of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. LeCroy decided to give Mrs. T. L. LeCroy a surprise birthday dinner and shower honoring her fifty-sixth birthday which was on June 27th.

After Mrs. LeCroy had left for Sunday School at the Mulberry Baptist church the children, grandchildren, friends and relatives began to gather. When she returned from church the table was set under some trees in the front of the house, and dinner was waiting. Just after everyone was seated at the table some of the grandchildren presented the many and beautiful gifts to her.

There were thirty-five present at this affair, some coming in the afternoon just after dinner. Only one of Mrs. LeCroy's children was absent, that was Fannie LeCroy, who is in school at Livingston, Ala. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Tucker and family of Bessemer, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Davenport and family of Maplesville, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bell and family of Selma, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. LeCroy of Savannah, Ga., Mr. and Mrs. T. H. LeCroy of Wetumpka, Mr. J. H. LeCroy of Maplesville, Miss Lorene LeCroy of Maplesville, Mr. Braxton LeCroy, of Maplesville, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. LeCroy of Maplesville, Mrs. R. N. Roebuck, Buster Roebuck, and Ruth Roebuck of Maplesville, Miss Cora Margaret Owen of Clanton, Mrs. W. J. Morris, Clyde Morris and Pauline Cox of Clanton.

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FREEDONIA WILLIS, AGE 86, DIED MONDAY. JUNE 29TH

One of Chilton County's oldest citizens, and a member of one of the prominent families of the county passed away at the home of her daughter last Monday. This was Mrs. Freedonia Willis, age 86, who died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Robinson.

Funeral services were held Tuesday with Dr. S. J. Ezell, pastor of the Clanton Baptist church, officiating. Interment followed in the Union Grove cemetery with Martin & Sons in charge.

She is survived by six sons, Watt Willis, George Willis, J. M. (Tug) Willis and Carter Willis, all of this county; Ed Willis and Charles Willis, of Texas. Four daughters, Mrs. Perry Robinson of near Clanton, Mrs. Irene Williams of Birmingham, Mrs. Jim Collins of Troy and Mrs. William Vines.

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Reduce your Cigarette smoking to less than 1-3 of usual cost, with a TARGET Cigarette roller.. Have Good "Ready Rolls" all the time at a small cost. Come in and see them made and you will carry one home with you. Only a limited supply on hand.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Swann of Roanoke, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McMurray, Saturday.

Lost, Strayed, or Stolen

Dog, about two years old, male, reddish brown, white around neck, and white under body, tip of tail black, with plain scar on side of body. Answers to the name of "Jack." Information as to his whereabouts will be appreciated, and if finder will bring him to the News office a reward will be given.

The Fall Crop Of Irish Potatoes

The two main factors limiting the production of fall grown Irish potatoes in Alabama are (1) climatic conditions in some sections of the state during July and August, and (2) through force of necessity spring grown seed are usually planted which generally result in a poor stand. Of course, climatic conditions cannot be controlled, but results during the past few years have shown that we may materially increase the sprouting of new or spring grown potatoes by a comparatively simple treatment. Certain sections in north Alabama seem particularly adapted to the production of a fall crop of potatoes where a stand is secured, and these recommendations should prove of greatest interest in these sections.

Ethelene chlohydrin is the material which has been found to be most effective in hastening the sprouting of new potatoes. This treatment is as follows:

1. Mix 1 pint of 40 per cent ethelene chlorhydrin in 4 gallons of water.
2. Cut potatoes as usual before planting. Where small potatoes are used which are not cut before planting, slice off one side of peeling to permit direct action of the chemical.
3. Dip potatoes in solution just long enough to make sure they are thoroughly wet.
4. As soon as potatoes are dipped they should be placed in a fairly tight container, cover over top, and allowed to remain for 24 to 36 hours. To avoid overheating, which usually results in decay of the potatoes after planting, this container should be kept in a cool place while the potatoes are going thru this treatment.
5. The potatoes should be planted at the end of the treating period (24 to 36 hours). They should be planted about 6 inches deep to avoid excessive heating from the sun and first few inches of top soil.

See county agent for further information.

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KIWANIS OUTING FRIDAY ENJOYED AT MITCHELL DAM

The Clanton Kiwanis Club with approximately thirty guests, enjoyed an outing last Friday night at Mitchell Dam, through the courtesy of Kiwanian John Hollis, superintendent of the power plant. This outing took the place of the regular weekly luncheon,

Members of the club carried guests. and the entire crowd was carried up Coosa River on a large boat, on which lunch was served, picnic style, and the entire program took place on the boat. Kiwanis songs, readings by Miss Mary Ellis, and Mrs. Burton Higgins, opened the program immediately following invocation, and introduction of guests.

Among the out-of-town guests on this outing were Col. and Mrs. Robert H. Mangum of Birmingham, Col. T. B. Baird, W. A. Steadman, of the Southern Bell Telephone Company, Commissioner John H. Taylor and Jimmie Jones, president of the City Commission of Birmingham.

The principal address for the occassion was made by Col. Mangum, director of publicity of the Alabama Power Company in Alabama, who gave the gathering many laughs by his wit and humor, and at the same time, issuing some concrete words that were thoroughly enjoyed. The other visitors from Birmingham also spoke to the crowd. The trip up Coosa River and back to Mitchell Dam consumed about two hours.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray of Thorsby had as their guests the past week end Misses Mildred Lankford and Vivian Roebuck, of Birmingham.

For disturbing the peace, Monroe Crossley of Nevada, Mo., was fined $1 and costs, amounting to $650.15.

Concord-Billingsley

The Sunday School met here Sunday morning at the regular time, 9:30 o'clock. It was the last Sunday in this quarter, and our lesson was a general review of all the lessons in this quarter. Quite a bit more time was consumed than usual. Everyone seemed to have enjoyed it. Tell everyone to come back next Sunday morning and begin the new quarter with more interest and a larger attendance.

The C. E. program was very good, although some were absent.

The president of the Junior Christian Endeavor society, Mrs. Willie Mae Weldon, entertained the Juniors by giving them a little social at her home Sunday afternoon. I'm sure they had an enjoyable time together.

Mr. Clyde Sims spent the past week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams of Fairview community.

Mrs. J. P. Williams took dinner at the home of Mrs. Clyde Little Sunday.

Messrs. Otice Collins and Carson Williams of Haynes, Ala., spent the past week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. J. F. Sheppard. of Clanton, Ala.

Miss Virginia Little was the guest of Miss Clara Dell Sims Sunday.

Mrs. W. W. Williams spent the latter part of the week with her daughter, Mrs. R. A. Hicks, of Billingsley.

Miss Allie Williams spent Sunday with Misses Bessie and Jettie Williams.

Several from here attended the singing at New Cedron Sunday afternoon.

Remember singing at this place next Sunday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock. Come and bring your song books and friends.

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MISS TOMMIE BAKER WEDS MR. SCOTT IN TEXAS, 19TH

The many friends in Clanton of Miss Tommie Baker were surprised recently to learn of her marriage to Mr. C. J. Scott, Jr., of Raymonville, Texas, and have been extending their congratulations to the young couple. The wedding took place in Raymonville, Friday, June 19th, in the presence of a few intimate friends of the couple.

Mrs. Scott is remembered in Clanton as a member of the young social set here and a popular student at the local high school. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Baker, who made their home in Clanton for some time, and who are now living in Raymonville, Texas,

Mr. Scott is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Scott, Sr., of Raymonville, and comes from an old and prominent family of that section of the Lone Star State. He is connected with his father in business in Raymonville.

Teachers Examination Will Be Held Soon

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legally write an examination for any kind of teacher's certificate. The application fee for each kind or grade of certificate is $2.00 No exemption from answers to questions will be allowed for statements of Reading Circle and Extension Credits.

An examination for music certificates will be given at this time. Applicants for music certificates who pass the theoretical examinations will be notified as to the time and place of the practical tests.

Those applying for first grade and substituting a valid second grade certificate as a part of the first grade examination need not come until noon Tuesday. All other applicants should be present at 9:00 o'clock Monday morning, July 20.

Respectfully,
B. LAWRENCE,
County Supt. Education.

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CHURCH CONFERENCE TO BE ANNUAL EVENT

Ministers and other church workers of Alabama who attended the rural church conference at Auburn, June 22 to 26, were unanimous in asking that such a conference be made an annual event at Auburn. They declared that the first conference was very beneficial to them and asked that the program for next year be enlarged and more ministers and laymen in church work attend.

More than one hundred actual ministers attended the conference. Laymen and rural workers present increased the total attendance to more than two hundred. Many denominations were represented, although the conference was entirely non-denominational.

In addressing the conference Professor L. N. Duncan explained that the program of this the initial conference was arranged to acquaint those present with the rural forces of the state, and with a view to using this as a spring board for future conferences. He asked that the ministers prepare the program with such help as they wish the extension service of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute to give them each year. In this way each conference will meet the wishes of ministers and other church workers, he said.

During the week the work that is being done in Alabama for the improvement of agriculture, the home, education, child welfare, and health was explained by officials in charge. This brought the various forces and agencies into closer relations and gave the church workers a better understanding of each. Consequently, the service of each will be improved, Prof. Duncan said.

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SOUTHERN SEED & PLANT CO.
FALL SEED IRISH POTATOES

Never before have we been able to get fall seed potatoes thru this section, but we have them now. ROSE FOUR is the variety and is especially recommended for fall planting. Cullman County will plant twenty-five carloads this season.

The Little Red Filling Station

Located on the Birmingham-Montgomery Highway, between Coopers and Verbena, where the road to Rockford and Mitchell Dam leaves the highway, has been taken over by

T. B. DeRAMUS

The motoring public is cordially invited to visit this Modern filling station, where Standard Oil Products are dispensed. It is also a good place to stop for delicious sandwiches. Courteous Service awaits you here.

J. W. LETT, Mgr.

Much Damage Done By Wind, Rain, Ha

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that the strong wind blew them ove One new pole was put in while th others were replaced. The local cre of the power company deserves com mendation for their quick work in re pairing this heavy damage to the li and putting lights back in the town left in the dark. In addition to t crew here, composed of Mr. William Houston Nivens, and J. L. Richards a crew was sent out from Montgomery to assist in replacing the large po and the high voltage wires, and t towns thrown without lights were gi en current Monday night about ei o'clock, a lapse of time of only abo six hours.

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LOST DOG—Pointer, female, abo six months old. Liver and whi spotted. Left about two or thre weeks ago. Reward for informati —Tom Sims, Clanton, Ala.

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Miss Jewel Thrash of Jemison ha her tonsils removed at Doctor Johnson's Infirmary Tuesday.

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WELFARE DEPT. ELIMINATED BY COMMISSIONERS

Salary of County Agent Also Gets Reduction To Take Effect August 1

Information received from the office of the Judge of Probate of this county Tuesday, stated that in the meeting of the Commissioners Court of the county, held Monday of this week, an order was passed to abolish the office of the County Welfare Department of Chilton County, to take effect August 1, 1931.

However, this does not mean that the office of the Attendance Officer will also be abolished at this time, it was stated. The Attendance Officer and the County Welfare Department are handled by one person and from the same office, with Mrs. C. E. Stapp as superintendent.

No particular reason for this action on the part of the Commissioners Court was stated when the information concerning this action was given out.

From the same meeting of the Commissioners Court, came the information that the salary paid the County Demonstration Agent of Chilton County had received a cut of $37.50 per month by the county. This is to take effect August 1, 1931, also it was stated.

B.Y.P.U. Convention At Indian Grave, 12th

The Unity Associational B. Y. P. U. Convention is scheduled to meet at the Indian Grave church, west of Clanton, near Billingsley, next Sunday afternoon, according to an announcement received this week. Following is the program for the afternoon, beginning at 2:15 o'clock:

2:15 Song service and devotional led by Mr. Alonza Askins.

2:30 Business, Records, Announcements.

2:45 Talk, "What Is Recreation," Mr. Hampton.

2:55 The Value of Good B. Y. P. U. Socials, by Miss Roberta Weaver.

3:10 Special Music.

3:15 Using Leisure Time Well, Rev. Grady Williams.

3:30 Living for Jesus in Recreation, Rev. J. C. Hill.

3:55 Needs of the Howard College, Rev. Grady Williams.

4:10 Closing.

REVIVAL MEETING TO START SOON AT EASTVIEW CHURCH

An announcement was made this week to the effect that a revival meeting will begin Saturday of this week at the Eastview church, and continue thru next week.

The Rev. G. D. Hunt of Roanoke, Ala., will assist the pastor, Rev. A. C. Nelson, in conducting the meeting, and a cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend.

"AS YOU LIKE IT" CLUB GOES ON OUTING AT GRAGG'S CAMP

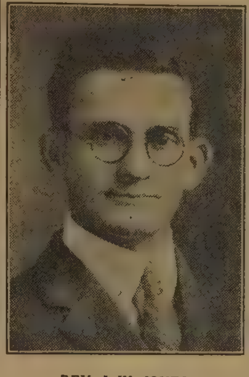
One of the most enjoyable outings of Clanton held so far this summer took place last Thursday night when the "As You Like It" Club entertained on a picnic outing at Gragg's Camp on the Coosa River. The members of the "As You Like It" Club, composed of matrons of Clanton, spared little effort to make this affair a most successful one, and husbands of the members and other guests were invited.

The party assembled at six o'clock at Gragg's Camp, which sits on a small hill surrounded by shade trees, overlooking a large lake of calm water.

Two motor boats were placed in use and those taking part in this affair enjoyed several rides on the river. At a later hour, a well prepared and delicious picnic lunch was served under the shade trees near the conveniently located and furnished cabin of the camp. Those sharing in this outing were

Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Haskew, Mrs. M. A. Gore, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mell Martin, Mr. and Mrs. C. Reece Mullins, Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Walker, and son, Mrs. L. H. Reynolds, Mrs. G. C. Polk, Mr. and Mrs. J. B Atkinson and daughters, Mrs. Clem Higgins, Billy Smith, Dr. and Mrs. V. J. Gragg and daughter, Mrs. W. M. Polk, Mrs. W. W. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Burdette, Mrs. Walter Martin and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. L. Warr.

TO CONDUCT REVIVAL AT SAMARIA BAPTIST CHURCH SOON



REV. J. W. JONES

Of Thorsby, who will conduct the revival meeting at the Samaria Baptist church, beginning July 19th., and who will also open a revival at the Thorsby Baptist church, assisted by the Rev. F. M. Barnes of Montgomery, on July 26.

INTEREST BEING SHOWN OVER CO. ON VETCH, PEAS

Progressive Farmers State Their Experiences In Favorable Words

Interest is being shown as steadily increasing over the urgent request by the County Agent, business men and progressive farmers of the county that more vetch and Austrian winter peas be planted this year, to serve as winter cover crops and as food for stock.

In this issue there appears an ad over the signature of the Peoples Savings Bank, of Clanton, showing additional reasons why it pays to plant vetch and Austrian winter peas. The office of the County Agent has been receiving requests for information regarding these items, and much information has been mailed out by them.

In commenting on the planting of such crops, and speaking from experiences, several farmers, and other citizens of the county have made most favorable comments on it. Following are some of the comments received in regard to this, this week:

L. C. Keen has this to say about vetch: "I've tried vetch enough to know that I'm going to plant it as long

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Nineteen Arrests Reported By Sheriff

The Sheriff's office of this county reported nineteen arrests made within the past several days. Fifteen of these were for violating the prohibition law, one for distilling, one for assault and battery and two for public drunkenness.

The majority of these were reported as of last Friday and Saturday, and includes arrests up to yesterday.

CALF CLUB MEETING

On Thursday, June 18, 1931, the Clanton Calf Club met at its usual meeting place at Mr. Stapp's office. The club had with them Mr. F. W. Burns, a livestock specialist from Auburn. The boys first went to the farm of Judge L. H. Reynolds, near the Cotton Mill to judge hogs. All the boys made splendid placings and ratings.

We then came back to town and were carried to the Kiwanis Club, where everyone enjoyed a good dinner. There Mr. Stapp called on three of the boys to make talks on judging hogs, dairy cattle and to tell the difference between dairy and beef cattle. Mr. Burns was also called on to explain the purpose of all 4-H Clubs. After luncheon we went to the barn of Mr. Bay Fiquette to judge dairy cattle.

On account of Mr. Burns having to leave we adjourned until the next meeting.

QUENTIN KELLY,
Reporter.

Miss Naemi Turnquist of Selma spent Saturday in Thorsby with relatives. She had as her guest Miss Agnes O'Rook, also of Selma.

Miss Vivian Gray is spending a few days in West Point, Ga.

INSTITUTE AT BAPTISTCHURCH DRAWS CROWDS

Report Superintendent Shows Splendid Work Done Here Recently

Those who attended the Unity-Chilton Institute held at Clanton Baptist church last week had a feast of good things. Dr. L. O. Dawson was at his best. Our missionaries, Rev. J. L. Moye, Chile, and Miss Mary Ellen Caver, Africa, told of personal experiences and presented missions in a wonderful way. Every member of the faculty made his or her book intensely interesting. Anyone desiring a seal on Torrey's little book, "How to Pray," should read the book and answer the following questions:

1. Name four reasons why persistent prayer is needed. 2. Give a reason why prayer is so important. 3. Why do we link obeying with praying? 4. (a) In whose name should our prayers always be given? (b) Through which two things may we know the will of

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NO SERIOUS ACCIDENTS IN COUNTY DURING CELEBRATION

Again Chilton County will come out in the front ranks when it comes to accidents during the celebration of Independence Day. No serious accidents have been reported in the county as occurring on July 4th, this year.

MR. AND MRS. GRESHAM LOWERY ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Gresham Lowery, formerly of Thorsby, have announced the arrival of a fine baby boy at the home of the mother's parents in Marion, Ala., on Saturday, July 4th. The new arrival has been named Gene, the name his father is known so well by over numerous radio broadcasting stations. At present Mr. Lowery is engaged in the song services broadcast from Station WBRC, in Birmingham, on the program of the Radio Revival and has been singing at a revival meeting at Labuco, Ala. Both the mother and young son are doing fine.

Miss Virginia Murphy, a former member of the local high school faculty, is spending several days in Clanton as the guest of her sister, Mrs. John D. Mullins.

FIVE PEOPLE IN CO. ARE VICTIMS OF MAD DOGS

Three Beasts Show Positive Tests; State Health Official Blames Carelessness

Montgomery, Ala., July 7.—Within the past three days, three mad dogs have bitten five people at Clanton, according to records at the State Laboratory, where tests established that the dogs were affected with hydrophobia. All of the persons bitten are taking the anti-rabies serum treatment

Back of the appearance of the three mad dogs is a situation causing it, that could have been avoided, Dr. L.C. Havens, director of the Laboratory, said yesterday. Some two months ago, he stated, one rabid dog bit a number of other dogs, also several people. All of the people attacked took the anti-rabies serum. The canine preventive serum was given to a few of the more valuable dogs bitten, but these and the others not treated, were not confined.

The result, Dr. Havens said, is that

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MISS PEGGY PAGE ATTENDS OPENING OF GIRLS' CAMP

This vicinity was represented as usual in the happy opening this week at Eagle's Nest Camp for Girls, Brevard, North Carolina,—this time by Miss Peggy Page of Clanton, charming little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Page.

So many of the girls and counselors at Eagle's Nest have been there before some for four and five summers, that the fun started in right where it left off, and the crowd is already busy with swimming, hiking, horseback riding and many other frolics.

PARTY OF CLANTON PEOPLE ARE VISITING IN INDIANA

A party composed of Messrs. Ben and Alex Margolis, and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sherrod left the latter part of last week for a motor trip which will take them into Tennessee, Kentucky, and Indiana. Ben and Alex Margolis will make the entire trip, while Mr. and Mrs. Sherrod will leave the party at Evansville, Ind. The Messrs. Margolis will probably visit Chicago while on the trip.

Mr. Russell Parrish was a visitor in Clanton last week.

Settlers Of Thorsby Have Annual Picnic On July 4; Horse Shoe Pitching Takes The Day

The annual old-settlers picnic held at Thorsby each year on July 4th brought together again this year, many of the first residents of Thorsby at the Carlson grove just north of Thorsby.

Many of those present at this home-coming Saturday, came many miles to meet once again with their neighbors who fought and struggled in Chilton County to make the town of Thorsby years ago. The group this year was somewhat smaller than was gathered together last year, as several of the settlers of that place were unable to attend.

There are perhaps very few things more enjoyable to these people than the annual home-coming held each year. The group gathered at the Carlson grove, a most desirable place for an affair of this kind, in the morning, and almost immediately those who have gone on somewhat in years began to bring out pleasant memories of the years gone by and the struggle they encountered in settling the place now known as Thorsby.

A bountiful picnic lunch was spread on a long table under the shade of large trees, at the noon hour, and the affair was interrupted for several minutes by an uninvited, but somewhat needed, shower of rain. This however, only tended to make the afternoon more enjoyable by bringing cool breezes to the erstwhile warm afternoon.

It did not take the men and boys long to inaugurate a series of games of horse shoe pitching in the shady spots of the grove, and with interest so high, it was rather difficult to discontinue the games long enough to eat the delicious and well prepared lunch the ladies had so tastefully arranged on the long picnic style table. It was apparent that Frank Nelson, one of the early settlers of Thorsby along with Mayor Carl Peterson, were fully ready to partake of some of the choice morsels of the picnic lunch at that hour.

In the afternoon, the men separated from the charming ladies at the gathering, began in earnest their horse shoe pitching again. Interest began to increase each time a shoe went toward the stake, and with the coaching of the mayor of Thorsby, Carl Peterson, and the arguing of Frank Nelson, the games reached a point to where it was becoming difficult to determine who was likely to be termed champion. M. J. Soberg sauntered into the games and after a while seemed to get the slant on the idea and the stakes began to get hit after hit from his horse shoes. Ernie (Jiggs) Hanson, with his quiet yet witty manners, took on considerable interest and showed the pitchers a few ringers now and then, while Martin Nelson, one of the younger residents and son of Frank Nelson, showed that he had been practicing somewhere and the shoes seemed to be drawn toward the stakes. Frank Nelson was accused of having been practicing before he came down to the picnic, and it was found that he had, having done some fine pitching at the picnic on July 4, 1930. Perhaps unintentionally, Mayor Peterson would drop a shoe within very close range of the stake, and express his regret, shadowed by a witty remark and a smile of satisfaction. Emil Borg unbuttoned his shirt collar and without any great amount of words, would step up to the line and his horse shoes would drop in close range to the stakes except in times when they seemed to have rubber on them and would bounce away.

Nels Peterson made his appearance along later in the afternoon and in his attempt to show "how it was done" the shoes and the stakes came in close contact with each other, now and then. Had it been bolts from a railroad, in-

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ELECTED COMMANDER OF LOCAL AMERICAN LEGION POST

R. D. WOODSON

Of Lay Dam, who was elected Commander of the Chilton County Post No. 6, of the American Legion, last Monday night, to succeed Joe N. Calloway, of Clanton.

LEGIONNAIRES ELECT OFFICERS MONDAY NIGHT

Legion Auxiliary Officers To Remain Same For The Next Term

The Chilton County Post of the American Legion held its regular monthly meeting last Monday night at the courthouse in Clanton. Business matters were taken up and disposed of and the annual election of officers took place.

R. D. Woodson, of Lay Dam will succeed Joe N. Calloway as Post Commander. Lloyd C. Warr of Clanton was elected as first vice-commander, Mack Wyatt of Clanton, 2nd vice-commander, Lonz Robinson of Clanton was elected as Adjutant, and E. W. Clinner will serve as Service Officer.

A committee was also named to represent the local post of the American Legion at the State Convention to be held in Talladega on July 27, 28 and 29.

The ladies of the American Legion Auxiliary also held regular monthly meeting Monday night, and due to the fact that the local Auxiliary, one of the most active in the state, was only recently organized, the ladies now holding offices will remain for the next term, it was stated.

July Conference Baptist S. S. Here

The July Conference of the Sunday School Department of the Unity and Chilton County Baptist Associations is scheduled to be held in Clanton next Sunday, July 12th, according to an announcement from C. D. Hughes, vice president. The meeting will be held at the Baptist church in Clanton. Following is the program for the afternoon beginning at two-thirty o'clock:

2:30 Devotional.

2:45 Reports.

3:00 Training for Better Bible Teaching and Evangelism by Mrs. S. J. Ezell.

3:20 The Church Using the Sunday School Organization in the Revival Meeting by Mr. J. Z. Mims.

3:40 Conference; adjourn.

WE EXTEND HAND OF WELCOME TO CORRESPONDENTS

One of the greatest pleasures in the job of running a newspaper is getting the news each week from the different communities of the county. The management of the News wishes to express appreciation to those correspondents in many of the communities of Chilton county who are faithfully sending in a record of the items of interest happening about them. This shows a spirit of progerssiveness about a community which we are glad to see.

This week we wish to welcome into this fine group of reporters, the correspondent from Stanton and also the one from New Salem. These are two fine progressive communities of Chilton county, and we are indeed glad to have a weekly news letter from them.

Is your community news published each week? If not, you have an invitation to send it to the Chilton County News.

SITE WANTED FOR A $50,000 FISH HATCHERY

Chilton Co. Has Chance To Secure Hatchery If Site Can Be Found

An opportunity has presented itself to Chilton County, by which a fish hatchery can be had provided a suitable site is shown as a location for the hatchery, according to Hon. W. B. Oliver, Congressman, who advised the county of this fact in a letter to Judge L. H. Reynolds, recently.

A meeting has been called and set for next Friday afternoon, July 10th, at four o'clock at the courthouse, at which time anyone who has in mind a prospective site is asked to be present and tell of it. Following is the statement from Congressman Oliver in regard to the hatchery.

"There is now available for expenditure in Alabama $50,000 for the purpose of establishing a Fish Hatchery. The Bureau of Fisheries desires to inspect any suitable sites in your County you may have to offer. I understand the Bureau will want about 100 acres of land and the contour of the land must be such that numerous small ponds can be made from time to time thereon as

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Results Of Legion Fights Here On 4th

The reception which the people of Clanton and Chilton County accorded the first boxing and wrestling show to be staged by the local post of the American Legion, proved disappointing in the extreme. As far as gate receipts and public interest in the fight was concerned the results were almost nil. In spite of the fights being well advertised several weeks previous to the date on which they were held, the public manifested practically no interest whatsoever. There was practically no advance seat sale and when the fight opened there were only a few fans in the park. After the card was half finished and after an unsuccessful attempt to clear the fences of knothole peepers referee Scholder opened the gates and a fairly good crowd came in free of charge.

The fighting card which was the first which the local legion post has sponsored, was staged Saturday afternoon in the local ball park. The fights and wrestling bouts were arranged by promoter Scholder of Birmingham who refereed the bouts.

An unexpected rain coming a few minutes before the show was to be staged also went a long ways toward decreasing the number in attendance.

The main attraction was a ten-round bout between White Saylors of Birmingham and Jimmie Musso of Bessemer. Neither fighter seemed to have any decided advantage over his opponent. Nor did either fighter seem very anxious to mix with his opponent, each attempting to see if he could feint the other off his guard. Consequently the main bout of the program was more of a dancing and sparring match than a real fight.

The program was opened with a battle royal between six negroes. The negroes were from Clanton and there was perhaps more real fighting done in this bout than in any of the others.

The second match was fought between Johnny Bass of Bessemer and Crowson of Clanton This was a three-round fight and Crowson has probably a slight advantage over his opponent in spite of a nose that was bleeding profusely at the end of the fight.

The first wrestling bout was fought between Bill Edwards, 157 pounds, of Birmingham, and Ed Henson, 175 pounds, of Tupelo, Mississippi. Edwards took the first fall in 13 minutes. Henson took the second fall in five minutes and the match was called a draw.

The second boxing match was held between two negroes, Earl Weaver of Birmingham and Kid Sampson of Detroit. This fight went three rounds with Weaver having the best of the fighting. The negro from Detroit seemed more interested in covering up and keeping out of his opponent's way than he was in fighting. When Sampson was able to catch his opponent, which was seldom enough, he seemed unable or unwilling to press the fight.

The second wrestling match also resulted in a draw. Jack Freeman, 200 pounds, of Birmingham, and Big Boy Taylor, 185 pounds, of Birmingham, fought the one hour limit each taking a fall.

THEY SAY
IT'S HAPPENING
IN WASHINGTON
From the Bureau of Publicity,
Democratic National Committee, Washington, D. C.

Chairman Shouse Approves Hoover's Moratorium Proposal — Names Issues in Georgia Speech

Washington, July 6.—In giving approval of President Hoover's proposal for a one-year moratorium on international war debt payments, Jouett Shouse, Chairman, Democratic National Executive Committee, in a speech at Atlanta at a dinner of the Young Men's Democratic League of Georgia in honor of Governor-elect Richard B. Russell, Jr., took occasion to deny the statement of administration defenders that Democrats have found fault with everything the President does. "That, of course, was never true," Chairman Shouse said. "We have not hesitated to criticize acts that merited condemnation.

"It is gratifying," he continued, "to be able to endorse and to commend, and that I do without hesitancy or reservation, in connection with the recent proclamation of the President calling for a year's truce in all international debts. His position shows statesmanship, courage and decision. If followed, the plan that he has outlined will give the world a breathing space and Germany, in particular, will be relieved for the time being of the burdens that have been pressing her and which conceivably might have led to a collapse. Such a result would have reacted with terrific force on the political and economic structure of the entire world. In such a crisis, with so much at stake, it is gratifying that the President has taken the position he has taken and it but made the burdens of many coun- is to be hoped he will meet with support at the hands of patriotic citizens generally.

"I look for no party obstruction to the President's purpose," he said. . . . "My prophecy is that a majority of our delegation in Congress will cooperate to the fullest extent with the program.

"I do think he (the President) might have gone further and that he delayed unduly in arriving at his present state of mind. . . . I welcome the act of the President, even though in my opinion no small part of the conditions which compelled it are due to the administration's own deeds."

The speaker discussed the Hawley-Smoot tariff, which he said "not only ruined our import and export trade, tries so unbearable that industrial and governmental collapse became an actual danger."

Other issues, he said, were "lack of prosperity, unemployment and constructive farm relief."

Discussing the question of prohibition, which the speaker said he did not regard as a paramount issue, he reviewed the proposal of the Chairman of the Democratic National Committee for a solution of this problem and for a straight out declaration upon the question by the National Convention, and said: "I believe that there is greater peril in evasion than in declaration."

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Psychology of Hoover Indiana Speech Tested Out By New Convert

Washington, July 6.—The psychological effect of President Hoover's Indianapolis speech upon the writer of a letter to the editor of the Charlotte (N.C.) Observer, is thus set forth:

"It (the speech' has enlightened me and made me understand all economic wisdom. I now see that old Adam Smith was simply suffering from the blues when he penned his economic thesis which the passing decades have stamped as a classic.

"I, like many other misinformed and misled people, have been thinking that we were going through what the ignorant call a panic. . . . But after reading Mr. Hoover's speech, I have discovered that the panic or depression so called is a delusion and a snare. It does not exist. We have all been suffering from mental myopia and economic strabismus. We have been able to look thru the 'mists' of the depression, or, better still, get 'more confidence' and the mists will fade away. 'Tis as simple as that.

"A poor crippled chap stopped me on the street. He was under the delusion that he was hungry. I gave him Mr. Hoover's speech and told him to have confidence. He was healed on the spot and his delusion was lifted.

" . . . A contumacious citizen came to me laboring under the notion that he had no job, and argued that his baby had no milk and that he had no money to buy it. I gave him the President's speech and told him to go home and face his cow with confidence and that she would supply the needed nourishment. . . . He advised me that he had no cow. Now woe is me! What shall I tell him?

"TOM J. JIMISON."

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It was Senator Caraway, as we recall, who said of Mr. Hoover's Twenty-Year plan: "It is not a plan at all, it is a dream."

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Official Church Paper Sharply Criticizes Incidents in the Scheme to "Humanize Hoover"

Washington, July 6.—Concerning the Republican campaign to "Humanize Hoover," The Living Church, official publication of the Episcopal Church, published at Milwaukee, comments as follows:

"Especially does the whole program touch upon morals when children are used to promote publicity. Why should little Peggy Hoover, the grand-daughter of the President, be made the theme of a column of slushily sentimental description as she enjoys herself at the circus? Will it contribute to her modest usefulness for future years to be pushed into the limelight at the tender age of five? What is the type of mind of the 'publicity hound' who will send out descriptions of what clothes Peggy wore to the circus, intimate revelations of her conversations with the little girl who was her companion, and photographs of the 'little lady of the White House' who, after all, was only one of several thousand little ones who went to the circus on that day?

"Again: a boy caught in a blizzard with his young companions does a brave deed. He deserves recognition as a modest hero. But unless the hero stays modest, the time may come when all who meet him will regret that his name ever became known. It may 'humanize Hoover' to have columns of newspaper publicity about the boy's visit for a week at the White House. What does it do for the boy?

"It brings up the whole question as to the American attitude toward children. Is it sane and sensible? Or is it silly and sentimental?"

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Weather forecasters see no indication of a drought in 1931, but in the realm of politics and economics the "Hoover Blight" still remains.

Fairview News

The 4-H Club of this place met July 3rd, with all members present. They have fifteen enrolled. They rendered a nice program. After the program they planned a three-days camp on the river. They are planning on leaving here about 7:30 o'clock Thursday morning for Lay Dam where they will have a picnic and barbecue. We hope they will have a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Warren of Birmingham were the week end guests of their mother, Mrs. Ola Edwards.

The family reunion at Mr. and Mrs. J. N. McKee's was enjoyed by all the 4th. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Keen and children, Morris Warren, Eloise and Louise. Mr. and Mrs. V. C. McKee, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billingsley, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. McKee, Cecil and Inez McKee.

Mrs. M. R. Durbin spent last wtek with Mrs. J. M. Roper of Deatsville.

Miss Pauline Durbin is spending this week with her sister in Birmingham, Mrs. M. L. Warren.

Mr. Howard Foshee of Birmingham spent the 4th with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Foshee. Miss Jewel Foshee went back home with him to spend the week.

Miss Edith Culp dined with Mrs. Era Fox Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Durbin were the guests of Mrs. Edwards Sunday.

Misses Peggy Foshee, Lucile Williams, Gracie Culp, Messrs. Herbert Traywick, Clyde Foshee and Bernice Vance, Osmond Culp, Woodrow Durbin were the guests of Inez and Cecil McKee for a while Saturday night, and all reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. McKee motored down to the river Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Maddox at their camp.

Mr. M. R. Durbin spent the week end with his wife, Ruth Durbin.

AUBURN GETS READY FOR FARMERS' WEEK

Preparations at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, for the annual farmers' week are nearing completion, as announced by Prof. L. N. Duncan, director of the Extension Service. The dates are July 27-31, inclusive.

On Wednesday and Thursday, July 29 and 30, the state convention of the Alabama Council of Home Demonstration Clubs will meet in Auburn. Mrs. J. D. Giles of Selma is president of the Council. On Thursday and Friday, July 30 and 31, the annual convention of the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation will be held in Auburn.

The program provides for meetings in the forenoon and outside work in the afternoon. In the evening, or night, general sessions will be held. The outside work during the afternoons will consist of visits to the experiment station where studies will be made of work in progress, giving special attention to crops, livestock, farm machinery, fruits, vegetables, and poultry.

The program has been arranged by a special committee composed of President Bradford Knapp, Director L. N. Duncan of the Extension Service, Dean M. J. Funchess of the School of Agriculture and Director of the Experiment Station, and Dr. C. A. Cary, dean of the School of Veterinary Medicine and State veterinarian.

A special program for farm women has been arranged under the direction of Miss Helen Johnston, state home demonstration agent, and the district home agents, Miss May I Cureton, Miss Ruth Dobyne, Miss Elizabeth Forney, and others of the home demonstration staff.

A program is being arranged for the home demonstration council and another for the Farm Bureau convention.

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Samuel Gannon of Surgeon, Eng., found five years after his wife's death, $7,600 that she had hidden in a false-bottom chest.

Charles Flint, aged 104, of Yarmouth, Eng., recently walked a mile to vote in a local election.

Ali Mehmed of Tunis, arrested for beheading his wife said she asked him to do it "as a favor."

Recently Policeman Jan Veeran of Capetown stopped a young woman on the street and sent her home to "put on more clothes."

First Sandwich Ser In Gambling Den, I

The history of foods is always esting—the story of sandwiches exception. The idea of a "sand, wich" does not seem so very ap ing yet the word originally came a Kentish "village on the sands," being the early English word ing town or village.

The sandwich as we know it born in 1758 when the gambling of Sandwich gave orders that the be laid between two slices of bre that he would not have to stop pl when the stakes were high.

The modern sandwich has gon way of the modern generation. become frivolous and frisky, ma tiny golden brown squares of stuck together with toothpicks, than the substantial slabs of bread rying the roast boar and venison, the first Lord Sandwich ordered.

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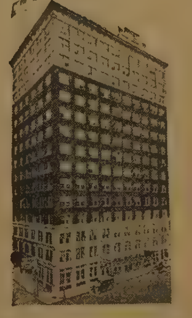

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A Few of Our

Week End

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MILK, I. G. A. It Whips	3 Tall Cans 20c 6 Small Cans 20c	
GRAPE FRUIT, I.G.A. Grill and Serve	Large Can	19c
PORK & BEANS I. G. A.	3 Large Cans	23c
PINK SALMON, I.G.A. Makes Delicious Salads	Small Can	9c
MAYONNAISE, I. G. A.	Pint Jar	33c
MALT I. G. A.	3 Cans	$1
PURE VINEGAR I. G. A.	Qt. Water Bottle	19c
TEA, I. G. A. Finest Orange Pekoe	¼-lb. Pkg.	21c
COFFEE, "I" Blend "G" Blend "A" Blend ALWAYS FRESH	LB. Pkg. 33c Lb. Pkg. 25c Lb. Pkg. 21c	
PREMIUM CRACKERS NBC	Large Pkg.	10c
SLICED BACON, Sunlight Rindless	Pound	27c
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Cooper News

We are sorry to say Master Calvin Dennis is on our sick list. He has been very sick, but is better. His physician said he was poisoned from nitrated soda. We hope he will soon recover.

Mr. C. J. Cane and family from Montgomery were the week end guests of relatives here this week end.

Mr. G. C. Youngman of Autaugaville visited Cooper Furniture Shop on business Tuesday.

Miss Lucile Calloway visited Miss Elsie Dennis Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Eunice Cone of Montgomery spent Friday night and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rushing.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Morris had for their Fourth of July guests Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Morris, Mr. Reedie Smith, Mr. Emmett Morris. This day was wonderfully enjoyed.

Miss Annie Bell Ballew was the Sunday night guest of Miss Gertrude Driver.

Mr. Lewis Strength was in Cooper on business Thursday morning.

Mrs. H. N. Smith was the Monday evening guest of Mrs. R. J. Eiland.

Mrs. Mooney and family of Florida were visiting friends here last week.

We are sorry to say that two of our boys here were in auto accidents Sunday night. Mr. Carson Eiland and Mr. Howard Smith, in the car with them were Mr. Reedie Smith of Coosa. But be are proud to say they were not injured very bad. The crash was met by a man from Lock 18, name not reported.

Miss Elsie Dennis visited Clanton on business Monday afternoon.

We believe and hope lumber business is picking up. Mr. H. N. Smith has been running his planer here the past week.

We thank everyone for their presence at Chestnut Creek church here Sunday morning and Sunday night. We had a fine Sunday school, B. Y. P. U. and preaching. Come again. We are more than glad to have you.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Morris and family visited their church. Pleasant Valley, Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rushing spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Morris of Verbena. The visit was greatly enjoyed.

Mr. Samuel Morris returned home for the Fourth of July. His visit was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Minor had for their company Saturday his father and mother, Mr. Sinkler Minor of Clanton district.

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Pleasant Valley News

Miss Jewell Pierce entertained a large number of girls and boys in her home from this community last Saturday night. Everyone reported a very enjoyable time.

Miss Vera Vance of Montgomery is spending several days with her relatives in this community.

Misses Vivian and Lee Silas are spending this week with their sister in Tuscaloosa.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Gilliland of Georgia spent this week end visiting relatives of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johns of Sylacauga are spending their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Neeley.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal Stroud of Birmingham were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Greene Griffin.

Mr. Marshall Burkhalter and wife were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Burkhalter Sunday.

Misses Jewell and Thelma Pierce spent last Sunday with their brother, Mr. Leon Pierce.

Mr. J. E. Crumpton of Clanton has been visiting Mr. Jack Courtney for the past few days.

Don't forget the singing at this place next Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited to come and bring your 1931 Stamps song books.

SCOUT LEADERS TO GATHER AT CAMP SPRING VILLA

Auburn, Ala., July 6.—Special.—Leaders in Scouting and scouts of Eagle rank of the Central Alabama Area Council will gather at camp Spring Villa on August 3, and 4, for an intensive two-day training course in troop scouting under the direction of John J. Sigwald, scout executive. An outstanding authority of scouting, Dr. Charles F. Smith, dean of scouting at the New York University will be the principal instructor.

Dr. Smith's work in the field of scouting has brought him both national and international recognition. His book "Games and Recreational Methods" is widely used by all camps and physical instructors.

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During a betting craze, several members of a Cardiff congregation were expelled for making wagers in church.

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At the funeral of Mrs. Janet Runyon at Leeds, Eng., all the mourners wore bright colored clothes as she had requested.

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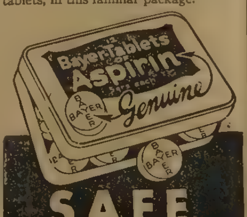

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Eastview News

The annual revival meeting will begin here Saturday and run through next week. Rev. G. D. Hunt of Roanoke, Ala., will assist the pastor in the revival. The public has a cordial invitation to meet and worship with us.

On the Fourth of July Rev. C. A. Taylor and relatives met at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Minnie Nelson, for a reunion. Those present were Rev. C. A. Taylor and family of Eclectic, Mr. Otis Taylor and family, Mr. Palmer Taylor and family. Mr. Zelmar Taylor and family, all of Montgomery. Mr. Clarence Taylor and family of Tallassee. Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Lott and Mr. and Mrs. George Newman of Sylacauga and Mr. and Mrs. Comer Nelson of Deatsville.

Miss Catherine Strength is visiting relatives this week in Montgomery.

Mr. S. P. Smith and family had for their Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Deloach and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Smith.

The singing and music school will begin here the 20th of July. Be ready to begin the first day.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson motored to Eclectic Saturday where he conducted services at Union Watson Chapel and Seaman.

The vacational Bible school closed here Tuesday. Miss Hazel Maddox, who was teaching the school, is teaching a school at Mt. Springs church.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Deloach Tuesday.

The church met Tuesday to scrub the floor and clean off the church grounds to get ready for the revival.

The Ladies Aid wil lmeet at the church Saturday at ten a.m. All members are requesed to attend.

Come to Sunday school next Sunday.

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Tamale—I can't afford an auto.
Carne—But I thought you had one.
Tamale—I have. That's how I discovered that I can't afford one.

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How To Eat More Eggs Explained

Last year thirty-six billion eggs were produced and eaten in the United States. They were eaten for breakfast, luncheon, dinner, or supper, in numerous ways. A New York hotel, for example offered to patrons 141 egg dishes.

These facts about eggs were printed in a recent issue of McCall's Magazine, the article being written by Beulah V. Gilaspie who continued:

"Then, you use eggs as a Thickening for sauces, pie filling, boiled dressing and custards.

"Eggs become a source of Leavening when you use them in puffy omelets, suoffles, sponge and angel cakes.

"They are a coating agent when you dip cutlets, croquettes, and other foods in them before frying

"For muffins, cookies, croquettes, and some kinds of cake you use them as a Binder to hold other ingredients together.

"They improve the texture of frozen mixtures, because they act as a sort of Wrapper around the crystals, preventing them from collecting in lumps.

"If you ever make clear broth or soup stock, you pin your faith on eggs as a Clarifier.

"Mayonnaise, Hollandaise, and similar emulsions demand eggs as a Stabilizer—a term I shall explain later.

"As a Garnish for salads, cold meats and some kinds of fish, eggs have no rival

"Lastly, eggs improve the Flavor, Color and Texture of the products in which they are used."

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"Mama," said little Dorothy, "sister don't tell the truth."

"Why, Dorothy, you mustn't say such things," reproved the mother.

"Well, last night I heard her say, 'Charlie, if you do that again I'll call mama.' An dhe did it twice more and she didn't call.

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A Statesmanlike Move

In calling in the leaders of both the major political parties and getting their approval beforehand, President Hoover acted in a statesmanlike way in putting forward his proposal for a one year suspension of payment of principal and interest on war debts.

It seems to be the belief of the men who know most about such things that this will bring about an immediate improvement in business conditions all over the world. President Hoover's justification is, of course. that it will benefit the United States of America. We are not in the business of doing things because they will benefit some other country unless we get a corresponding benefit. But when men like Owen D. Young, the famous Democrat whose name is attached to the Young plan for German reparations, such men of big affairs as Charles G. Dawes and Andrew Mellon on the Republican side, and statesmen on the order of Newton Baker and Carter Glass on the Democratic side, all agree that to ease up the economic pressure on Germany will result in improved business in America, we, naturally, have to agree with them. They know a great deal more about it than we do.

We do not understand that anyone expects an instantaneous return, or a return in a single year, to the high point of prosperity which we reached in 1928. But already the financial and business world is demonstrating its confidence that the upswing has begun, and the outlook for the coming year seems distinctly brighter than it did a month ago.

After all, it is only good business to give a debtor easy terms if he cannot meet the terms agreed on. That is true as between nations, as it is between individuals. Everybody who owes more money than he can immediately pay has found his creditors generally willing to take what he could give them, rather than to apply undue pressure. It is only fair to Germany to give that Republic the same kind of chance to catch up that, private business interests grant to their customers who may be in difficulties.

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Sticking To Business

One of the lessons which business men have learned as a result of the experience of the past two year is that no business will run itself. We think Henry Ford was about right when he said the other day that one of the principal causes of the business slump was that too many business men made speculating their business and left the management of their real businesses to their employees.

We have never seen a business yet that would run for any considerable length of time without the personal attention of the man or men whose money is invested in it. The boss can take a vacation for a while, when things are running smoothly, and his business will go ahead on momentum till competition gets too strong, or collections begin to fall off. But whether it is a big automobile business like Henry Ford's, or an ordinary country store, the only person who can make the decisions which have to be made in a crisis is the boss himself. If he leaves that function to others he is heading for trouble.

We know of many business men who thought that because they had got a business well established and earning a good income they could treat it as a gold mine, continuing to take money out without putting any effort or thought in. We know a man who tried to run a newspaper that way once. He is not in the newspaper business any more.

The only people who have any right to speculate, as we see it, are the ones upon whose intelligence and business experience nobody is dependent. A man who hasn't anything to lose can afford to take a chance. The man who has retired from business and is living on the income of his invested capital can do as he pleases with it. But the man who is responsible for running a business upon which the prosperity of his community depends has no more right to divert his energies into speculative channels than has the head of a bank to use the depositor's money to gamble with.

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Highways And Motor Vehicles

Slowly but surely we are making progress in the effort to find the best answer to all the questions which the automobile and the paved road have created. Just a few items from the week's news:

West Virginia has a new traffic law, effective the last of May, which makes it unlawful for anybody to drive so slowly as to impede or block the normal movement of traffic. The top speed limit, where conditions make it reasonable and prudent, is increased to 45 miles an hour. Slowly legislators are learning that it is carelessness, not speed, which is dangerous.

Two of the big oil companies have notified the French authorities that they will discontinue roadside posters. Here's hoping they follow the same practice in America.

The American Road Builders' Association reports that the value of highways and motor vehicles in the United States is now around thirty billion dollars. We spend, as a people, eight billion dollars a year for the operation and upkeep of cars, an average of $300 a year for each of the 27,000,000 autos. We buy 14,000,000,000 gallons of "gas" and pay in gasoline taxes and registration fees about eight hundred million dollars. Outside of that, the cost of maintaining improved highways is about $200,000,000 to the taxpayers at large. But everybody benefits by good roads and motor transportation, whether he runs a car or not.

"ROUND TOWN"

---*by Doug*

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

Fools rush in where columnists
fear to write about."

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As a matter of fact, I have found it is somewhat difficult to please everybody in this column. Some didn't like my personal stories, while others wondered and asked why I didn't write some more of them, saying they liked it. I suppose that is the reason why some people buy the Literary Digest, and others buy True Confessions. Maybe if I write a little about several things I'd come darn near pleasing the whole bunch, and then maybe a statue would be erected to my name for being one person who pleased everybody, or something.

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Many thanks, and much obliged, Mrs. S., for the letter you sent in the past week. The ed handed it to me, and I appreciate it. I'm already looking forward to that invitation, and feel better already, because I have an idea that I'm going to enjoy myself at your place, with all the flowers, scenery and other things that go to make life pleasant, especially for columnists.

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Barnyard golf. Now ain't that something before breakfast for you. A person with a good imagination could possibly make lots of things from that term.

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It occurred to me not so long ago that Clanton ought to become noted and famous about something. Of course I know I'm making my home here a great part of the time, and that that adds some distinction to the town, and even the county, but I mean something different. Now suppose Clanton should become famous for its pickles. We don't have any pickles, but maybe we could. Pickels are sometimes made from cucumbers, pigs feet, beets, and peaches, and pears, watermelon rinds, but most pickles are made from cucumbers. The cucumber, when ate green, will cause other things to occur to a person's anatomy, other than making pickles. In fact I don't believe they will make pickles when ate while green, as the b. a. is the inevitable result.

We folks who live in Clanton could put the pickle industry over the top, I believe. We could write about pickles, talk about pickels, sing about pickles, and eat pickles. We would eventually be known from coast to coast as the Pickle Town, and when a person wanted some good pickles, they would come to Clanton or send for them, or something. Then we could start making pickle ice cream, or originate a Pickle Punch drink, the kind with the pre-Volstead effect, and the Prohibition punch. We could give pickles as souvenirs to tourists, and if necessary, serve them green and the tourist would not forget Clanton, but that wouldn't be so nice. We'll forget that thought. Clanton Pickles, if laid end to end would reach around the world forty-two times. That wouldn't be a bad advertisement. Then we might add that although they are not placed end to end, nor are they grown that way, however they do go around the world. Pickle Punching Papas would also be in style. We could call our big growers that name.

Then again Clanton might become famous by the manufacture of shoe strings. We could make shoe strings from cotton, and place them on the market. By using a bit of stick mucilage on them, we could advertise them as "The shoe string that doesn't come untied." Shoe strings are a most important item in a person's dress. If a shoe string breaks, then the person is put to a lot of trouble, and sometimes is embarassed. There is many a slip to occur in regard to a shoe string. The shoe strings that are manufactured nowadays are subject to wearing out. Now we might be able to get the Government to appropriate several thousands of dollars for the research work, into finding out why shoe strings break. The investigation would of course have to go into finding out whether it is the stuff the string is made from, whether the eyelet in the shoe causes it, whether the dye in the string is detrimental, whether the eyelets are not placed properly in the shoe, whether the enamel on the eyelets is bad on shoe strings, whether the shoe strings wear out in black shoes first, or in tan shoes, or oxfords or high tops. Then maybe it is the pull given the shoe string when lacing the shoe. Maybe it is the weather.

By investigating the eyelet, we would have to have a chemical analysis of the metal, and also the enamel on the eyelet, and perhaps try different kinds of metal and enamel. Then in looking into the dye on the string, that would call for a chemical analysis and quite a bit of research work, as some of the dye used may come from a foreign country. We'd have representatives visit these foreign countries to see about that. We would have to have several persons employed. tying and untying their shoe strings to determine how long it took a shoe string to wear out, and count the number of times they tied their shoes. Some would have to wear black shoes, some tan, some oxfords and some high tops.

Oh, well, I don't much believe we'd better go into the shoe string industry, and maybe we'd better just let that alone. It gets more complicated than ever, the farther I go with it.

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THEN WHAT HAPPENED?

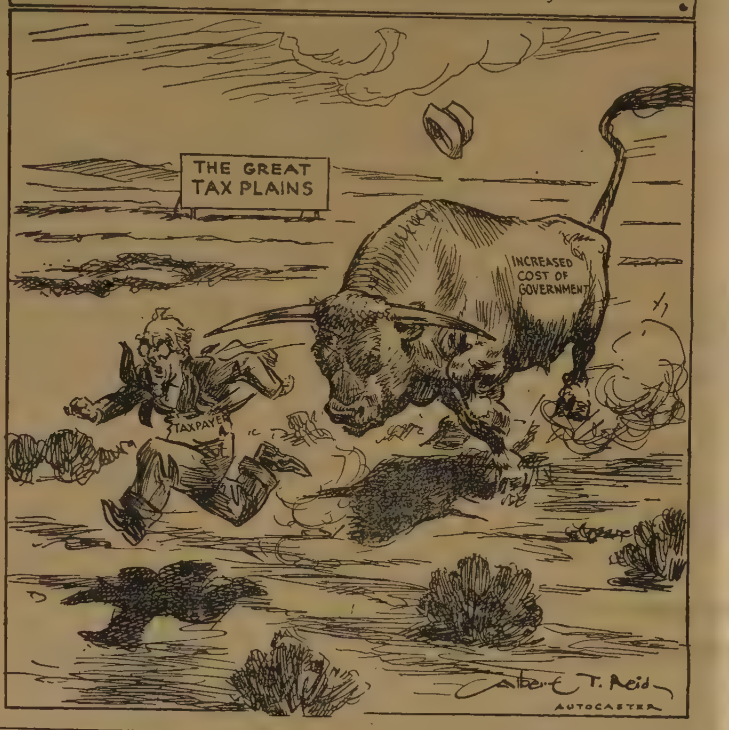
Lem Jinks patronized a physician
Who'd studied in Austria and France;
He diagnosed Lemuel's condition
As acute St. Vitus'es dance
Mixed up with gall stones and hay fever,
Sciatica, lumbago and gout,
And the doc plied his trade with a cutlass and spade,
And counted Lem's dough with a pout.

Lemuel paid into medical coffers
All his kopeks, both silver and gold,
And despite the jeerings of scoffers,
He trekked back to his hometown of old.
He looked up the dour fam'ly doctor
Who'd helped him to make his debut,
And remarked, "Here I am. Do your worst, Doctor Sam,
You're a hick, but what can you do?"

The old doctor glared at his victim
And fed him some ropey, black goo,
And, issuing a rapid, stern dictum,
He left him to carry it through;
Then wandered all over the County
Curing this, mending that, with a pill,
And Lem, on his own, couldn't get up a groan,
And left without paying his bill.

—THE MAD HATTER.

No Tree or Fence in Sight— —— *By Albert T. Reid*



TODAY AND TOMORROW

BY FRANK PARKER STOCKBRIDGE

ANTIQUES—

The craze for "antiques" has reached the point where almost any piece of furniture that was made before 1890 can be sold at a fancy price to somebody. There are not enough "colonial" pieces to go around, so the latest craze is for "Victorian" antiques.

In a New England antique shop the other day I saw kerosene lamps, china dogs, walnut "what-nots" and haircloth-covered chairs and sofas, which might have come out of my grandmother's parlor, marked at fancy prices as "antiques.' Alongside of them were a leather-seated cobbler's bench, a home-made bootjack and a high-wheel bicycle.

"We'll sell them all," said the dealer, confidently. "Most people haven't any taste. They'll buy anything that looks old."

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BOOKS—

It is a widespread belief that Americans generally read nothing but fiction.

As this is written, the most popular book in America is "The Education of a Princess," written by the former Grand Duchess Marie of Russia. The Grand Duchess, reared as a member of the imperial family of the Czar, married a Swedish prince from whom she was later divorced, and came to America to earn her living. She got employment in a fashionable dress establishment in Fifth Avenue, and wrote the story of her life, which reveals the inner workings of the Czar's regime, at the suggestion of friends. never dreaming that it would sell so many copies as to make her rich.

Actual personal experiences, if well told, are far more interesting than the best fiction. The trouble is that few persons who have had interesting experiences can tell them interestingly.

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GLIDERS—

The nearest approach to flying the way a bird does is the glider plane, which is an airplane of special design without any engine. Once it gets off the ground it navigates on the air currents-just the way the big soaring birds do, without moving their wings.

A Canadian, Lieut. Lisant Beardmore, was the first to fly across the English Channel in a glider, a few days ago. A German experimenter recently covered 162 miles in a single glider flight.

There is no likelihood of the glider displacing the engined plane, but every flight made in one increases airmen's knowledge of air conditions and navigation and so tends to make flying safer.

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MOVIES—

The Motion Picture Producers and Distributors of America, Inc., which is the organization of which Mr. Will H. Hays is president, takes exception to my statement in this column recently that "Two-Gun" Crowley admitted that he got the idea of being a "bad man" from the movies.

Whether he did or not, however, does not seem to me to effect my contention that children and persons of immature minds who see crime and criminals exploited in the films are much more seriously affected than they can possibly be from reading crime news in the newspapers. For one thing the immature do not read newspapers outside of the big cities, whereas they go to the movies everywhere.

I have no animus against Mr. Hays or the motion picture industry as such, but I do maintain that in presenting life as it is not in the films the movie magnates give youth a distorted impression of values and do immeasurable harm.

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SPEED—

The world is moving at a faster pace than ever before. A few years ago thirty-five miles an hour was considered high speed for automobiles. Four-wheel brakes and smooth roads make 75 miles a safe speed today and many cars can do 100 miles an hour or better.

The other day the fastest speed ever made on rails was achieved by the new German air-propelled "rail Zeppelin." Driven by gasoline motors which whirl an air propeller, the car made the 173 miles from Hamburg to Berlin at an average speed of 106 miles an hour, and for one stretch made over 143 miles an hour.

It is certain that travel at the rate of 100 miles an hour by any means of transportation will seem commonplace to the people of the next generation.

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WHITE COLLAR JOBS

Boys should be taught to think less of fitting themselves for "white collar" jobs, says Prof. F. G. Nichols of Harvard, who points out the greater opportunities for promotion in industry than in clerical pursuits.

The young man who starts at the bottom in a factory often soon distances one who begins, say, as a bookkeeper. The idea is that while the clerk or bookkeeper may have a white collar job from the very first, the ambitious and intelligent industrial worker has a better chance to rise to an executive position, so that when he does reach the white collar job it means something worth while.

Advice along a similar line is given by President Thatcher of the Massachusetts Agricultural College, who defends vocational schools against the reproach sometimes leveled against them by the classical student. He says that "the idea is erroneous that vocational schools are undignified because they work with materials near at hand and not with a knowledge of things that are ancient and far off."

Literally, however, the proportion of white collar jobs is constantly increasing. With the continual advent of new machines for doing the "dirty work" of the world, the time may come when everyone may have a white collar job.

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Mrs. L. M. Dyke, of Dallas, Texas is spending several days in Clanton as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade.

TOO MUCH MEDDLING

Thoughtful citizens, regardless of political affiliations, are beginning to sense the menace presented by the growth of government departments, bureaus, boards, commissions and other agencies for the regulation of every detail of our daily lives.

This menace is two-fold. It menaces our liberties and it menaces our material welfare through forcing us to support an army of useless officials. Every new law which is suggested by the professional reformer and busybody is designed to add to this army of political job holders. The burden is becoming intolerable.

This is particularly true in business and industrial life, in which the harassment of reputable citizens at the whims of politicians has about reached the limit of endurance. Speaking to the American Bar Association on this subject some time ago, Mr. Justice Sutherland of the United States Supreme Court said:

"Never before have the business activities of the people been so beset and bedeviled with vexatious statutes, prying commissions and governmental intermeddling."

Judge Johnson of Idaho observes that "the appetite for minding other people's business grows by what it feeds on, and the result is a swarm of agents, inspectors, detectives and nosey Meddling Matteis going about worrying and bulldozing the people."

Still the busybodies are clamoring for more laws, more bureaus and more investigations, because these mean more political job-holders to be supported at the expense of the taxpayers.

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THOSE WILD STUDENTS

Although we do not hear so much about the wildness of youth, and particularly college youth, as we did a year or two ago, when it was the fashion to insist that the younger generation was going to the dogs, there are still many who look upon our young people with apprehension.

It may be in some small degree reassuring to these to know what some of our college students are really doing in the way of serious preparation for the duties and responsibilities of life.

It may be satisfying for them to know that one-third of the entire student body at Yale is either wholly or partly self-supporting, through earnings outside of school hours. During one year these earnings totalled $593,679.67, of which $350,856.17 were from work during the school term and $242,823.50 during the summer vacation.

Among the occupations which enabled these students to earn their way were those of artist's model, bookkeeper, caretaker, chauffeur, clerk, entertainer, gardner, guide, messenger, reader, tutor, translator, mechanic and others. Some acted as salesmen for various commodities, one having earned more than $4,000 during the year, another $3,000, four earned more than $2,000 each, 28 earned between $1,000 and $2,000, and 135 earned more than $500.

When such a large percentage of college students show the industry to make spare time earnings like these in addition to keeping up their exacting school work, it does not appear that modern youth is so frivolous, after all.

S YOUR POULTRY FLOCK PROFITABLE

By C. E. Stapp, County Agent

When egg prices are low many of us mplain. If a flock is not making a fit something must be done. Good ding and summer culling will result a profitable flock even if egg prices m low.

t requires 3 lbs. of mash and 3 lbs. scratch feed a hen a month.
lbs. of scratch @ 2c ---- 6c
lbs. of mash @ 2½c ---- 7½c

ost of feed for one month 13½c
0% production ---- 15 eggs
12c per dozen ---- 15c

rofit above feed cost per bird 1½c
t 50% production on 300 hens we make $4.50 per month.
t 60% production on 300 hens we make $13.50 per month.

igh egg production is necessary n egg prices are low.

ull the non-producers; feed a moist ng mash each day; keep dry laying h before them at all times and feed t pounds of scratch per 100 hens day. This will result in high production and a profit.

OINTS TO LOOK FOR WHEN CULLING

Head And Body

ead of poor layer is snaky and narrow. Comb shriveled, eyes listless and sunken. Good layer's head shows alertness, comb full and red, eyes bright.

Back of poor layer rounded, tapers to rear. Breast shallow and flat. Back of good layer long, flat. Breast full, deep and prominent. Neck fairly short.

Legs And Toes

Shanks of poor layer round and beefy; yellow in yellow-skinned breeds. Toenails long. Shanks of good layer flat, tapering to rear. Bleached in yellow-skinned breeds. Toenails short.

Molt

Poor layers molt early, dropping one or two wing feathers at a time. Cull out June, July and early August molters. Good layer molts early and more rapidly, dropping three to five wing feathers at a time.

Laying

When distance from lay bones to keel bone is less than three fingers, the abdomen hard, skin thick, vent dry, hen is not laying. Hen that is laying has three to five fingers spread, abdomen is soft, skin loose, vent large and moist.

unday School Lesson

for July 12

THE PREACHING OF THE APOSTLES

Acts 4:1-14

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

aith in any religion is indicated by way its followers seek to propa- it. Passing the truths of Christity on to others is one of the basic ciples which Jesus Christ proclaim- Naturally the apostles' teaching sed the opposition of those who especially related to the Jewish hedrin. One particular reason for sing those of the new sect was that asserted that the body of Jesus been raised from death. This was sition that the Sadducees denied. was with real eagerness that the ducees saw to it that Peter and were put under guard for trial next day. These apostles had ght a miracle under the power of Holy Spirit in healing a cripple had asked alms from them as they going into the Temple area. Of se a crowd was attracted and Pet- sed the opportunity of preaching he people.

e Sanhedrin was summoned and healed man was present with at his silent testimony. The ques- was asked "By what power, or in name have ye done this?" Again r had a lead for further witness- concerning Jesus of Nazareth and active work of the Holy Spirit. climax of the message was in the statement about Jesus Christ: "And in none other is there salvation: for neither is there any other name under heaven, that is given among men, wherein we must be saved."

The Sanhedrin could not deny the fact of the healed man who was in their midst. Their sentence was that this kind of preaching must stop. Peter's bold answer to that injunction is given in the Golden Text: "We must obey God rather than men," Acts 5:29.

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TO TELL HOW TO KEEP COOL

New York, July 9.—"How To Keep Cool in Your Kitchen," will be the subject of a radio talk tomorrow morning when Miss Katherine Fisher, Director of Good Housekeeping Institute, speaks on the A & P Food Program over the N. B. C. network.

Miss Fisher has promised to answer such questions as "How Can You Use Less Heat in Cooking?" "How Can You Feel Cool When It Is Hot?" "Can A Good Cook Keep Attractive in Summer?" She will also tell about refrigerator meals.

Before joining Good Housekeeping Institute, seven years ago, Katherine Fisher was a member of the faculty of Teachers College, Columbia University. At one time she was Dean of the School of Home Economics at McGill University, Montreal, Canada.

Colonel Goodbody, who has brought many guest speakers to the A & P microphone, will present Miss Fisher on his regular program, "Our Daily Food."

The A & P Food Program is heard locally over station WAPI at 7:45 A. M. each week day.

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MONDAY and TUESDAY—JULY 13th and 14th
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R. W. TAYLOR AND PARTY MAKE INTERESTING TRIP

A party composed of R. W. Taylor, of the Taylor Wholesale Grocery Co., of Clanton, Jimmy Reaves of Montgomery, M. H. Harper, Mayor of Geneva and Ira Henson of Meridian, Miss., left Clanton on June 18th for an extended motor trip into some of the Western States.

They went out of Alabama through Athens and into Tennessee by Pulaski, then on to Whiteville, and Memphis. They drove into the State of Arkansas the following day at Wilson, Ark., and visited a flour mill there, as the trip was being made to visit wheat fields and flour mills of the West. The party arrived in Missouri the second day, late, and went on over the Ozark Mountains, on to Van Buren, Mo., where they visited the largest spring in the United States.

At Springfield, Mo., Mr. Taylor stated that they were able to purchase gasoline at six cents per gallon, and in some sections it sold as low as five cents per gallon. They also visited a large flour mill at Springfield. They then motored on to Cartridge, Mo., a city with a population of ten thousand, and then on to Joplin, Mo., another pretty city with a population of thirty thousand, where gasoline was selling at eight and three-quarters cent per gallon.

From there the party motored on into the State of Kansas, entering at Coffeeville, and on to Windfield, and Wellington, Kan., where they saw the first oil well seen on the trip, and then on to Wichita, where they remained for several hours. After leaving Wichita, they motored on to Whitewater, Kan., where they were shown through the large Whitewater Flour Mills, and later rode through the vast wheat fields, visiting Newton, Kan.

On Tuesday, June 23, the party, accompanied by some friends in Kansas, made another tour of wheat fields, by way of Hutchison, Kan., with a population of twenty-five thousand. From Whitewater they motored on to Ottawa, Florence, Peabody, and Cottonwood, and Emporia, the home of the large J. C. Penny Co. At Ottawa they visited another flour mill, and more wheat fields, and nursery farms. Later passing over the Kansas River, arriving in Kansas City, Mo., where they were entertained at the Grain Exchange. They were also shown thru the butchering department of Armour & Company, and later visited the largest grain elevator in the world, the property of the Santa Fe Railroad, with a capacity of ten million five hundred thousand bushels of wheat. Later they were driven through the city, and entertained by the manager of the M & O Railroad.

They visited Columbia, Mo., St. Louis where they spent some time, before leaving for Nashville, Tenn., passing through Delville, Ill., Freeburg, Ill., Carbondale, and Marion, Ill., where large peach and apple orchards were seen. Then on to the State of Kentucky, crossing the Tennessee and Cumberland Rivers and on into Hopkinsville, Ky., and Springfield, Tenn.

The party left Nashville on June 30, passing through Franklin, Tenn., arriving back in Alabama at Athens, later arriving in Birmingham, and back at Clanton at seven-thirty that night.

Stanton News

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Parnell had as their guest for Thursday their grandson, Paul Warren, of Selma.

Miss Helma Ruddick returned to Birmingham after a week's visit with her grandfather, Rev. J. W. Ruddick.

Miss Robert Lee Lester had as her guest Sunday afternoon, Miss Louise Mull of Montgomery, Mr. Thomas Hitower of Birmingham and Mr. Thomas Jefferson of Lawley.

Mrs. C. L. Jones and son, Latrell, is spending a week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Mull.

Mrs. L. M. Barnes will return to her home at Selma after spending a two-week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Mull.

Mrs. A. C. Wheeler and daughter, Miss Dorothy Wheeler, is spending a while with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Mull, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Parnell had as their guests Saturday and Sunday, their son, Mr. Early Parnell, and family of Piper.

—A Reader.

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New Salem News

Last Saturday night and Sunday were our regular preaching times and a very large crowd attended. Rev. Z. Y. Appleton delivered to us a splendid message both times.

Our Sunday school is progressing nicely. We are always glad to have visitors to be with us at all services.

The revival meeting will begin at this place July 26. Rev. Ben Dykes will do the preaching.

All persons interested in the cemetery at this place are requested to meet Thursday, July 16, for the purpose of cleaning off same. Bring tools and come early.

INDEPENDENCE VOTED ON JULY 2, 1776

July 2, has been neglected as an anniversary date of importance by the American people; yet it is one of the most significant dates of our history. For it was on July 2, and not on July 4, 1776, that American independence was really voted by the Continental Congress then in session.

The United States George Washington Bicentennial Commission calls the attention of the Nation to this fact and suggests that, when the people throughout the land celebrate Independence Day in 1932, during the Celebration of the Two Hundredth Anniversary of the Birth of George Washington. July 2 as well as July 4, be recognized in the merry-making and thanksgiving which the anniversary of that great document brings forth.

The story of how independence was voted is here briefly told. Before 1775, independence was not thought of by most of the American leaders or by the American public at large. The colonists were interested in righting the wrongs inflicted by the British but not in breaking away completely from the mother country.

Several attempts at conciliation were made, all without result. But many of the colonists were still anxious to close the breach rather than widen it. As late as January, 1776, New York. New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Maryland instructed their members in Congress to vote against independence.

As the months went on, led by the more radical colonial statesmen, the demand for independence began to crystallize. Soon it became the goal. Complete independence from England was to be the reward for American sacrifices!

January 1776 brought to Congress news of the burning of Norfolk, Virginia, by the order of Lord Dunmore. About that time Thomas Paine's "Common Sense" stirred the Colonists to fever pitch. Also, reports reached Philadelphia in May that England was hiring Hessians to coerce the Colonies. There was also the stigma of being proclaimed "rebels" and treated as such. All these events and conditions had their effect in arousing public opinion to the point of demanding independence.

George Washington, at the head of the Continental forces, was urging the Colonies to declare independence. He thought that the time for parleying and compromises was past. Complete severance and independence from the mother country, he thought, would help bring the struggle to a successful end.

On June 7, 1776, Richard Henry Lee introduced in Congress three famous resolutions. The first of these declared the United Colonies free and independent States, one of the most momentous resolutions ever introduced in Congress.

Lee's resolution was tabled for the time being but Congress created a committee, with Thomas Jefferson at its head, to draw up a declaration of independence. Lee's resolution for independence was brought up in Congress for debate on July 1. On the next day, July 2, 1776, the vote was taken and it showed twelve states in favor of independence, New York not voting.

It was, therefore, on July 2, 1776 that independence was really declared Thomas Jefferson's declaration of independence was then taken up, and after several changes were made, the Declaration of Independence as we know it was adopted by Congress on July 4, 1776.

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Snappy Stuff

Joseph Kasser, a hairdresser of London, has always refused to bob women's hair because he believes the Bible forbids it.

Eight-year-old Ruth Stevens of Chicago recently wrote the post office asking why babies were delivered by the stork instead of being sent by parcel post.

A military servant carried a piano on his back from Lebong to Darjelling, India, six miles, trotting all the way.

Declaring that her husband charged her $3 taxi fare every time she rode in

Silby Sheppard, a fisherman, pulled a 280-pound sturgeon from the sea off Boston and sold it for $67.80.

Locals - Personals - Society

PHONE 147

B. Lawrence, who is taking a special course in educational work at the University of Alabama, spent the past week end in Clanton, attending to business matters at the office of the Superintendent of Education.

Miss Ruth Sessions, who is attending the University of Alabama, spent the past week end in Clanton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Sessions.

Miss Lucille Scroggins is spending several days in Selma with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Williams.

Mrs. S. J. Prince and daughter, Miss Ruth Prince, are spending some time in Decatur visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson and daughters, Mary Frances, Joan and Gwendolyn, spent Monday afternoon in Vincent with relatives. Mary Frances and Joan will remain there several days.

W. E. Maddox of Route Five was in Clanton attending to business Tuesday morning. While in town Mr. Maddox called at the News office to have his subscription marked up for another year.

Miss Margaret Daniel of Marbury was a visitor to Clanton Monday night.

J. D. Culp, who resides on Route Seven was a visitor to Clanton last Saturday, and while in town was a pleasant caller at the News office.

Dewey Smith, manager of V. J. Elmore's 5c & 10c Store of Wetumpka is visiting friends and relatives here this week while on his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Smith of Haleyville are spending their vacation visitwith friends and relatives in and near Clanton this week.

Dr. J. C. DuBose and Mr. Cox. of Maplesville spent Saturday in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Page left last week for a two weeks visit with relatives in McMinnville, Tenn., and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Watson of Birmingham were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade, Sunday.

Mrs. Agnes McNair and family, with her guests of the Fourth, motored to Log Cabin Beach, where they enjoyed a bountiful picnic lunch, swimming etc. Those included in the party were Miss Elizabeth Parker. Annie Mae Shackelford, Mr. Carl Enslen and daughter, Mary, with her guest, Miss Josephine Gonifero, of Biloxi, Mr. Paul Wilson and John Harris of Birmingham.

Mr. Hubbard Allen of Ohio is home on his vacation and has as his guest Mr. Paul Bennett of Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards from Indiana are visiting in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rowden of Notasulga visited friends in Clanton Sunday.

Mrs. T. L. Williams. Delene and Berniece, motored to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus, Jr., daughter, Billie Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Kimbrough and son, Duke, Jr., were the week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus.

Sunday School Class Party.

The Girls Class of the First Baptist church enjoyed a picnic at Reynolds Swimming Pool Monday evening. A picnic lunch and swimming was enjoyed by the following: Mrs. Renfro Mullins, Carrie Foshee, Mary Foshee, Mary Lee Pyron, Mary Ellis, Berniece Williams, Flora Harris, Glennie Mims, Gladys Williams, Marine Harris, Julia Ruth Hester, Miss White, Delene Williams, Nell Sumner, Vera Jones, Jeanette Sumner, and Annie Mae Foshee.

Mr. William Hester motored to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. Vernon Farnum came down to spend two weeks with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus.

Mr. Jim Roberts left Wednesday to spend a few days in Pensacola, with his sisters.

Mr. Grover Williams, a member of the Sigma Pi Epsilon Fraternity at Howard College, was a week end visitor of Miss Delene Williams, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Williams.

Miss Ruth Sessions and Miss Cofeild who are attending summer school at the University of Alabama, spent the week end in Clanton.

Mr. Frank Williams and Mr. Chas. Shields of Birmingham visited Miss Berniece Williams Monday.

Mrs. Bill Edwards of Anderson, Indiana is visiting her brothers, Jim and Buck Roberts.

Mr. Raymond Mims, who is attending summer school at the University of Alabama, spent the week end at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Underwood of Birmingham were guests of friends in Clanton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Lande, and son Ervin motored to Nashville Sunday, and were accompanied on the return to Clanton by the former's mother, Mrs. S. Lande, of Chicago, and Mrs. H. Dembsky and charming little son, Alvin Perry, of Nashville, who will spend several days in Clanton as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lande.

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C. A. GULLAHORN

Thomasville, Ala., July 7.—C. A. Gullahorn, prominent lumberman of this section, died at his home here Sunday morning after a short illness from heart trouble. Mr. Gullahorn was stricken after midnight and passed away before medical aid could be summoned. Funeral was held from the home Monday with the Rev. W. B. McCreary officiating. Burial followed at Clanton, the former home of the Gullahorn family. Surviving are his widow, his mother, a sister, Mrs. Shontz of Jackson; another sister in Philadelphia.

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RESOURCES	
1. Loans and discounts	$316,372.23
2. Overdrafts	524.96
3. United States Government securities owned	30,000.00
4. Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned	32,723.92
6. Banking house, $10,000.00 Furniture and fixtures, $2,430.00	12,430.00
8. Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	21,494.37
9. Cash and due from banks	95,286.38
11. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	1,500.00
Total	$510,331.86
LIABILITIES	
15. Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000.00
16. Surplus	50,000.00
17. Undivided profits—net	7,324.15
20. Circulating notes outstanding	30,000.00
21. Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	10,249.96
22. Demand deposits	203,800.84
23. Time deposits	158,956.91
Total	$510,331.86

State of Alabama, County of Chilton, ss:

I, J. C. Page, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. C. PAGE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, 1931.

*—Seal E. C. PARRISH, Notary Public.

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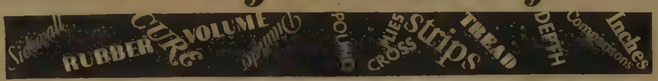

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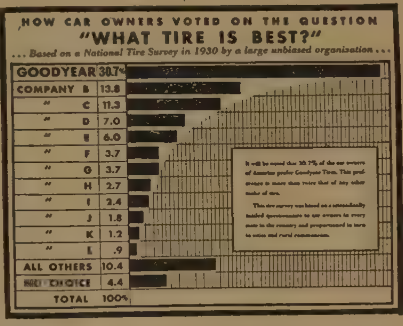

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Recently six different couples were arrested in New York for shoplifting.

Mrs. Hanah Hurley of Hull, Eng., 103 years old, takes a walk every day regardless of the weather.

Mark Rayden of Chicago held three policemen at bay with a toy pistol for an hour and then surrendered.

3 RULES

big help to BOWELS

What a joy to have the bowels move like clockwork, every day! It's easy, if you mind these simple rules of a famous old doctor:

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3. Try for a bowel movement at exactly the same hour every day.

Everyone's bowels need help at times, but the thing to use is Dr. Caldwells' Syrup Pepsin. You'll get a thorough cleaning-out, and it won't leave your insides weak and watery. This family doctor's prescription is just fresh laxative herbs, pure pepsin, and other helpful ingredients that couldn't hurt a child. But how it wakes up those lazy bowels! How good you feel with your system rid of all that poisonous waste matter.

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Mt. Creek News

The Senior B. Y. P. U. members had their quarterly social Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Epps Culver. All reported a splendid time, especially the boys, as they always enjoy anything where there's eating. Those present were Misses Hazel Baxley, Sudie Mershimer, Elizabeth Baxley, Mary Elizabeth Eiland, Norman Atkinson, Clara Pinson, Icie Belle Cobern, Jewel Pinson, Mrs. Pearl Eiland and Mrs. Maggie Cannon, Messrs. Luther Cannon, Samuel Cobern, Clinton Gandy, Oscar Cobern, Carl Cannon, Batson Cuiver, John Baxley, Newt Atkinson.

Misses Mabel and Irene Dennis had as their guests for the Fourth of July holidays Misses Dolly and Mamie Culpepper.

Mrs. Will Alston spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Maggie Cannon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Rheay of Montgomery spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Epps Culver.

Mr. Otis Headley spent the Fourth of July holidays with relatives of Mt. Creek.

Mr. Sam Eiland of Dothan spent the Fourth with his wife and other relatives of Mt. Creek.

Mr. Will Alston, Miss Estelle Alston and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Milstead have left for a motor trip through the country to points of interest in Georgia.

Misses Mabel and Irene Dennis, and Messrs. Andrew Dennis and Richard Howard went on a fish fry one evening not long ago. They reported a lovely time, even of Mabel did fall down just as she reached the top of a steep mountain and rolled back to river, with the pot they fried fish in tumbling after her. Sound like "Jack and Jill" doesn't it? only Jill was the unfortunate one, although "Jack" did have to take the flash light and go hunt the pot. Nice wasn't it?

The people of the community are very glad to have as their new neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Dowdle Johnson.

BUY HOME PRODUCTS

Campaigns having for their object the encouragement of buying products manufactured near at home have been carried on in various communities with varying success for many years. Nearly everyone agrees that the idea is sound in principle, but many fail to put it into practice when their time comes to buy.

Any small local industry which manufactures a worthy product and sells it at a reasonable price might be enabled to grow large through the loyal support of home people. Its growth would enable it to increase its payrolls, increase its consumption of locally produced raw materials, build up increased taxable wealth, and in every way contribute to the progress and prosperity of its community.

These are trite and self-evident facts which have been put forward time and again, and yet many otherwise good citizens deliberately contribute to the upbuilding of distant cities at the expense of their own towns and counties, through failing to patronize home industries and mercantile establishments.

The simple policy of buying at home would do more for the average town than can be accomplished by all the commercial organizations and boosters' clubs which may be maintained. These organizations are needed, of course, but their efforts should be aided by the all-important policy of supporting the enterprises already present in the community.

Billingsley News

There were about fifty from here who attended the W. M. U. Mission Study Institute at Clanton last week. So much inspiration, information and lasting good received that hopes were expressed for the meeting to be had next year.

Rev. E. E. Stafford of Plantersville was at the Methodist church Sunday for his regular services.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Williams of Montgomery and Mrs. Willis Lawrence of Eoline spent the week end with Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar.

Miss Patsye Poyner of Newton, Ala., is the attractive guest of Miss Maude Lee Patrick.

Mr. L. C. Lewis of Montgomery was a visitor the past week end, the guest of Miss Willie Jeanne Patrick.

Miss Sara Louise Hall of Kansas City, Mo., is visiting the family of Mr. W. J. Patrick and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Uel Nummy and children of Birmingham are spending their vacation with Mrs. B. F. Nummy and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Marlar.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Golson of Prattville were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baxter Saturday.

Mrs. W. A. Gandy had as her guests on the Fourth Messrs. B. W. and Letcher Thompson of Lancaster, Pa., and Mr. A. G. Thompson of Bessemer.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Pennington of Northport spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Patrick.

Rev. A. S. Bentley, Mr. W. J. Patrick, Miss Inez Patrick and Mrs. J. C. Hughes attended the S. S. Convention at Bethel Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. J. Traywick and Mrs. W. C. Wilson and son, W. C., Jr., spent Monday in Montgomery.

A young man offered to marry Miss Mary Walker of Chicago when she was tried for theft, but she told him she preferred jail.

Justice Salter of Leeds, Eng., heard 103 divorce cases in ten and one-half hours.

News In Brief Form

An editorial in the Washington News of June 9 says that more than one hundred million acres of virgin forest and farm land in the United States "has come limping back into public ownership in the past few years."

Credits of more than $1,000,000,000 have been extended to agriculture by the 12 Federal Intermediate Credit Banks in the little more than 7 years of their existence, according to a statement issued at Washington.

A $300,000,00 0- government - nitrate-producing company, called Cosach, is now functioning in Chile. Instead of collecting an export tax of about $12.00 per ton the government has stock in the company and expects to profit on a basis of stock rather than tax.

When the Pennsylvania railroad station now under construction at Philadelphia is completed it will include 250,000 cubic feet of Alabama limestone from the quarries at Rockwood in Franklin County. It is estimated that 500 cars will be required to ship the stone. To prepare it workmen will be busy at the quarries day and night for several months.

During the week of July 27-August 1, the farm people of Alabama will observe Cotton Week again, according to Miss Dorothy Dean, extension clothing specialist at Auburn. One day of the week will be known as Farm Bureau Sack Day and each woman present will wear a sack dress.

In washing silk stockings do not wring them to remove the water, but squeeze them and pat them between towels.

Miss Marie Louis of San Francisco, 17, eloped with her employer, a widower, 72 years old and the father of 11 children and 8 grandchildren.

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A Fictitious Issue

After quoting an authoritative statement to the effect that the electric bill of household users of electricity in the United States averages only eight and a half cents a day—which half of the customers pay five cents and the other half pay 12 cents a day on an average the (Atlantic City, N. J.) Union says:

"In other words, ten million Americans receive all the advantages of electric power for the price of a daily package of chewing gum, and ten million more receive it for less than the cost of a package of ordinary cigarettes."

—*The Wetumpka Herald.*

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My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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Amused By U. S. Congressmen

While we were driving, King Albert related with much amusement some incidents of a recent visit by a party of our congressmen, and inquired whether it was customary in our country for them to be on familiar terms with the President. He said that some of them had called him Albert and one had slapped him on the back, saying: "King, you're the right sort of fellow and everybody in America admires you." I explained to him that our congressmen were more or less privileged characters at home and that they only meant to be friendly. As a matter of fact, I think their familiarity did not offend him at all.

During my brief visit I was particularly impressed by the extreme simplicity of the home life of the king and queen, living there, as they were, in a very modest country place within sound of the enemy's guns and almost within range! The queen often went into the trenches to cheer the troops, and the fine bearing of their majesties through it all made them the outstanding heroic figures of the World war.

CHAPTER XXV

Returning to my headquarters at Chaumont December 31, 1917, I was not surprised to receive the following cable from Secretary of War Baker, in view of the numerous suggestions that had come to me regarding various plans for training our troops with the French and British:

"Both English and French are pressing upon the President their desires to have your forces amalgamated with theirs by regiments and companies, and both express the belief in impending heavy drive by Germans somewhere along the lines of the western front. We do not desire loss of identity of our troops, but regard that as secondary to the meeting of any critical situation by the most helpful use possible of the troops at your command. The difficulty of course is to determine where the drive or drives of the enemy will take place; and in advance of some knowledge on that question any redistribution of your forces would be difficult.

"The President, however, desires you to have full authority to use the forces at your command as you deem wise in connection with the French and British commanders in chief. It is suggested for your consideration that possibly places might be selected for your forces nearer the junction of the British and French lines, which would enable you to throw strength in whichever direction seemed most necessary.

"This suggestion is not, however, pressed beyond whatever merit it has in your judgment, the President's sole purpose being to acquaint you with the representations made here and to authorize you to act with entire freedom to accomplish the main purposes in mind. It is hoped that complete unity and co-ordination of action can be secured in this matter by any conferences you may have with French and British commanders and line of action that may be agreed upon."

Bishop Charles E. Brent.

French Show Determination.

The following cable also was received from Washington, which showed the determination of the French to carry their point:

"The French ambassador called on the secretary of war today and read him a dispatch from M. Clemenceau to the effect that General Pershing and General Petain had conferred as to the wisdom of seasoning American troops by attaching their regimental units to the French division before committing a part of the line to an American division made up of troops not accustomed to actual front conditions.

"M. Clemenceau's cablegram stated that General Pershing had reported himself and General Petain in substantial agreement after conference on the subject, but General Petain conveyed to M. Clemenceau the opposite opinion. Apparently some misunderstanding has arisen which the secretary of war will be glad to have General Pershing endeavor to clear up by placing himself in communication with M. Clemenceau and reporting the result of the interview.

"The French urge action as outlined above as being safer for American troops than it would be to give them at once an independent place in the line, and urge very strongly that the secretary of war here accept their view and commend it to you. This the secretary of war is not willing to do, desiring to leave the matter wholly within your discretion after full consideration of the important elements of the matter."

Pershing Replies to Baker.

The following extract from my cable of January 8 conveys the main points of my reply:

". . . The French have not been entirely frank, as unofficial information indicates they really want to incorporate our regiments into their divisions for such service in the trenches as they desire. As to our instruction, a certain amount of work with French troops is beneficial, and this we are having and expect to have . . . Have expressed a willingness to aid in any way in an emergency, but do not think good reason exists for us to break up our divisions and scatter regiments for service among French and British, especially under the guise of instruction."

It thus appeared quite clear that the French were so intent on their plan that Premier Clemenceau presumed to cable Washington as to how our units were to be handled. Upon the receipt of the cable from Washington about the disagreement between Petain and myself I wrote at once to M. Clemenceau, quoting the cable and adding:

Field Kitchen of the A. E. F.

"May I not suggest to you, Mr. President, the inexpediency of communicating such matters to Washington by cable. These questions must all be settled here, eventually, on their merits, through friendly conference between General Petain and myself, and cables of this sort are very likely, I fear, to convey the impression of serious disagreement between us when such is not the case. . . ."

Clemenceau's Reply.

M. Clemenceau's reply, translated into English, follows:

"My Dear General: I hasten, without losing a moment, to reply to your letter dated January 5, 1918. I found myself in the position of cabling to the ambassador of France at Washington because the two contradictory responses which I had received from General Petain and from yourself, when you did me the honor of calling on me, obliged me, in the interests of the common cause, to seek an arbitration between the two commanders in chief.

"I need not conceal that I placed full confidence in the American government with regard to this. However, it was not to the American government that I addressed myself. I cabled to the ambassador of France, which was my right and my duty, in order to give him directions for the conversations which might take place either with the secretary of war or with the President of the United States.

"It might very well have happened that later on I should have addressed the American government, but I insist, on this point, that I have done nothing of the sort. I had not authorized the ambassador of France to read all or part of my dispatch to the secretary of war. I regret that he did so, but I do not disavow anything that I wrote.

"I am giving you here the explanation which I owe you and I am going to exercise all the patience of which I am capable in awaiting the good news that the American commander and the French commander have finally agreed on a question which may be vital to the outcome of the war."

Clemenceau's Motive Questioned.

As the French were dead set on getting our troops under their control it is more than probable that the French premier, feeling that their plans were not working out, sought to create some distrust in the minds of our administration at Washington against my management of things in order to pave the way for insisting that we were entirely wrong in not consenting to amalgamation. However, at later meetings with Clemenceau and Petain the alleged differences were seemingly settled amicably, as indicated in my cable of January 14, which follows:

"For chief of staff: Have now definite understanding with French satisfactory to them and to me that our divisions now in France shall complete their training as already begun. In the future divisions arriving in zone of French armies are to have period of training with French, each regiment in a French division. When sufficiently experienced by training in a quiet sector with French our divisions are to be united under their own commander and will be placed in the line in our own sector."

CHAPTER XXVI

The necessity for controlling the use of strong drink among our troops had been brought forcibly to my attention through the ease with which alcoholic beverages could be obtained.

The use of light wines as a part of the French ration was simply the continuance in the army of the universal custom of the people of having wine with their meals. The wines and beer were not so objectionable, but strong alcoholic spirits were regarded by the French themselves as dangerous and were prohibited for their troops, but the prohibition was not well enforced outside the zone of the armies.

The problem of preventing our troops from drinking the stronger liquors was difficult, especially at the ports of entry. Efforts to obtain enforcement through conferences with local authorities and through agreements with the port and district officials were made from time to time, but with little result.

I finally appealed to Prime Minister Clemenceau for support, but he would only counsel local officials, as he did not wish to declare a "state of siege" (martial law). In the end it was necessary to take the matter in our own hands and declare every bar and restaurant where the heavy liquor was sold as "off limits" for our troops. Our officers were directed to give their personal attention to the enforcement of this order.

Vice in Army Denied.

About this time a cable was received from Washington that some publication at home had made a sweeping charge of both immorality and drunkenness against our men. No such statement could be based on fact, nor could it serve any purpose except to cause unnecessary anxiety to parents and relatives and perhaps satisfy on the part of some one an unworthy desire for sensation. In reply I cabled in part as follows:

"There has never been a similar body of men to lead as clean lives as as our American soldiers in France. They have entered this war with the highest devotion to duty and with no other idea than to perform these duties in the most efficient manner possible.

"Engaged in healthy, interesting exercises in the open air, with simple diet, officers and men like trained athletes are ready for their task. Forbidden the use of strong drink and protected by stringent regulations against other evils and supported by their own moral courage, their good behavior is the subject of most favorable comment, especially by our allies. American mothers may rest assured that their sons are a credit to them and the nation."

Seek More Chaplains.

My diary notes the following:

> Paris, Thursday, Jan. 10, 1918. Have appointed Maj. Robert Bacon to be colonel and A. D. C. on my staff. Bishop Gwynne, deputy chaplain general, British army, and Bishop Brent were my guests at Chaumont on Monday.
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> On Tuesday Brent and I discussed increase in number of chaplains, which we both favor.

Bishop Brent had been selected by me for appointment as chaplain with a view to his being the chief of the chaplain corps which it was planned to organize. The bishop did not approve of this idea and in deference to his opinion, and upon his suggestion, a permanent executive committee of chaplains was appointed to study the problems involved and make recommendations direct to me from time to time. Bishop Gwynne of the British forces explained their system, the methods of administration and the control and direction of chaplain's work, from which we adopted such features as were applicable to our service.

Custom in our army, arising from lack of appreciation of the usefulness of chaplains, had relegated them as a class to the status of handy men who were detailed to write up boards of survey or run libraries

Aviation Problem Serious.

Aviation questions demanded unremitting attention, for in no other service was unpreparedness so evident and so difficult to overcome. Apparently there was earnest effort at home, but it was too often misdirected.

On the part of the allies, especially the French, lack of mechanics and delay in procuring motors and material, such as spruce, had given them a setback. Due to these conditions and their own increased programs the French and also the Italians were unable to take more than a small proportion of our 1,500 flying cadets who were on the ground and who, under agreement, were to be instructed by them.

About this time the contract for planes we had made in August was formally abrogated, the French government being unable to meet its conditions due to the delay in receipt of machine tools and raw materials from the United States, a possibility which had been forecast in my cables to the War department. In its stead we later made an agreement whereby we should be dependent upon the allotment that might be made us according to the number of divisions we might have in France.

Early in December I signed an agreement with Lord Northcliffe of the British air board that we should send 15,000 enlisted men to England and maintain that number in training in their aircraft factories and air service stations. This plan proved to be beneficial to both sides, as far as carried out, but especially to ourselves in providing us with trained men and saving us the necessity of establishing extra schools for teaching them ourselves. Due to the nonshipment of air personnel from home we lacked 4,500 of reaching the number specified, and later the need for line troops prevented our completing the number.

Lord Northcliffe.

British Wanted U. S. Men.

When General Robertson came for the conference regarding the shipment of troops for training with the British as mentioned in my diary, we began to discuss the details of the disposition to be made of our forces which might be brought over in British shipping. It was found that General Robertson's proposal was practically the same as the one submitted to E. M. House through Mr. Lloyd George. He wanted to bring our infantry and machine-gun units by battalions only, and pointed out how much more expeditiously this would meet the shortage of men in the British army than to ship whole divisions with all their equipment and stores.

He believed that the British government would take the task of releasing temporarily some shipping engaged in carrying food and raw materials if America could see her way to provide the men, although, he said, it could not well undertake the transportation of complete divisions as not enough men would be brought over in this manner to justify the great risks involved. In other words, the British had the shipping to transport American battalions on condition that they would serve in the British armies.

However, as General Robertson's proposal would enable us to increase our strength more rapidly, my preliminary cable to Washington reporting the conference recommended that it be given consideration and, in view of our national attitude regarding service with another army, that if approved the plan should be regarded as a temporary measure to meet an emergency; that as soon as possible the remaining troops of our divisions thus temporarily broken up should be brought over and the units reassembled; that division, brigade and regimental commanders and their staff be sent with their infantry for training with the corresponding British units, and that the infantry be taken from those divisions that would not otherwise be transported until after June.

CHAPTER XXVII

Every one in authority realized that all resources the allies could muster would be required to meet successfully the great offensive of the central powers expected in the spring, but to use them effectively close co-operation among commanders would be imperative. With this in mind I proposed to Premier Clemenceau that the commanders in chief and chiefs of staff get together to examine the situation and, if possible, determine a general program of combined action.

M. Clemenceau at once approved the suggestion. It was also favorably received by General Foch, who, it will be recalled, was chief of the French general staff. I proposed that the meeting be held at my headquarters, but the French selected Compiegne, Petain's G. H. Q.

At the meeting, January 24, 1918, Robertson, for the British, spoke first, and suggested a general statement as to: (1) Mutual support between allied armies, (2) Situation as to reserves, (3) Question of troops in Italy, (4) Situation as to the transportation of the American army and facilities given it in France

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MASONIC CONFERENCE AT MARBURY JULY 15 AND 16TH

The Chilton County Masonic Conference will meet with Marbury Lodge Marbury, Ala., on Wednesday and Thursday, July 15th and 16th.

All Masons in the County are requested to be present. Especially are all newly elected officers of the various lodges urged to attend. A cordial invitation is extended to the Masons of Autauga County to attend this meeting of the Conference.

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UNCLE SAM SAYS

Several Kentucky counties are driving hard to get rid of all the scrub and grade sires.

"Give the old hens a ride" may sound like gangster talk, but it's good advice. Let them ride to market.

All the milk of magnesia that Federal drug inspectors found on sale in a recent survey was of good quality and up to standard.

The picnic shoulder is one of the cheapest cuts suitable for slicing cold Potato salad goes well with cold sliced ham.

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D. W. Haskew, Pastor

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We really have good services at our church and we want you with us. Sunday school at 9:45 and preaching at 11 A. M. The league meets at 7:15 and preaching at 8 P. M.

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LOST

Bunch of keys last Monday. Identification tag bears name of L. C. Ross. Finder please return to The Fair Store, Clanton. Liberal Reward. 7-9-1tpd

"Every time I ask my husband to go to work he just weeps," Mrs. J. C. Donald, of Newark, reported to the police, and she was advised to sue him for non-support.

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Interest Being Shown Over County On Vetch and Peas

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as I can get the seed."

J. Hance Alred planted about five acres to Austrian peas last fall. He says anyone who doubts the fertilizer value of Austrian peas should see his patch of corn following peas turned under this spring. He says he expects to plant 25 acres or more in Austrian peas this fall.

Dr. W. L. Parrish planted about 15 acres in Austrian peas and vetch last fall. About three acres of the 15 were in Austrian peas and oats. Dr. Parrish says he is going to plant more peas and oats this fall for hay next spring. He also says that mules fed plenty of good hay made from oats and Austrian peas and vetch seldom have colic or other digestive troubles.

"I am a thorough believer in legume cover crops," says J. N. Dennis. His advice is: "Plant more of them to stop washes, increase feed and fertilizer, save fertilizer cost, and add to your general yields and profits."

Three Day Institute At Church Draws Crowds

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God. 5. What attribute should we have in order to pray? 6. Quote a passage of scripture about praying always. 7. What two conditions must be met for Christ to answer prayer? 8. Quote Phil. 4:6-7. 9. Name four hindrances to prayer. 10. When should we pray?

The questions on "Gospel Triumphs in Argentine and Chile," two questions to a chapter, are as follows:

1. What did President Alvear consider the fundamental difference between his country and the United States? 2. How have most of the new mission stations been opened? 3. Give an illustration of fanaticism. 4. Tell of some of the superstitions. 5. Tell of an interesting happening to Mr. Penzotti. 6. What has paved the way for the missionaries? 7. Why establish Christian schools? 8. Tell of a student in one of these schools. 9. Why did Dr. Willingham send Mr. Bagby to Sao Paulo? 10. How did R. S. Hosford befriend the missionaries? 11. What is shipped all over the world from Chile. 12. Tell how Baptists came to Chile.

All the papers from Unity Association should be sent to Mrs. J. A. Hester, Clanton, and from Chilton to Mrs. J. W. Jones, Thorsby, Ala.

We wish to express our thanks, not only to the inspiring speakers and most excellent faculty, but to the Group Leaders, Mrs. J. H. Bruce, Jones, Mrs. Geo. Nash, Jemison, Mrs. J. F. King, Billingsley, Mrs. J. W. Jones, Thorsby. Mrs. S. R. Hudson, Mt. Creek, and Mrs. S. J. M. Webb, Maplesville, Route, and to their churches, who furnished delicious lunches each day, and to the W. M. S. of Clanton, who assisted in every way possible and served so graciously, to each local committee, and to the membership of Clanton church and the city for generous hospitality; to the pastors, who by their presence, added spirituality, and to all who came for their interest, and faithful attendance.

—Mrs. Donald Merchant, Supt. of Chilton County W. M. U. Mrs. S. J. Ezell, Supt. of Unity W. M. U.

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Five People In County Are The Victims Of Mad Dogs

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since then heads of dogs have been coming in to the Laboratory for examination from the Clanton section at the rate of about one a week until lately, when the rate increased. Examination of these heads has revealed the presence of rabies germs.

Had all the dogs first bitten been confined this situation with its attendant menace to humans could have been avoided, he said, the way to the spread of the infection being immediately to close all possible avenues that might permit its spreading, particular attention being given to the confining or destroying of dogs and livestock exposed to infection by being bitten by a dog suffering from hydrophobia.

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Settlers of Thorsby Have Annual Picnic July 4th

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stead of horse shoes, Nels would probably have made a ringer every time, as he is accustomed to seeing such articles, being at the depot the larger part of his life. Walter Parnell and J. O. Johnson tried out at the different stakes and if they hadn't partaken so freely of the picnic lunch, there is a possibility they would have come in line for the championship.

After several elimination games in which Mayor Peterson, Frank Nelson, Martin Nelson, Ernie (Jiggs) Hanson, Emil Borg, M. J. Soberg, Walter Parnell, Nels Peterson and Billy Smith took part, the championship of the day in horse shoe pitching, began to come to a finer point, games started taking on a tight score at the endings and ringers, leaners were more frequent.

Late in the afternoon coffee and cake, served by the ladies came in at a good time to appease the appetites of the horse shoe pitchers, and soon the games were resumed, lasting until almost dark, with each player in the lead (according to the opinion of each) so the champion will probably not be named until next July 4th, at which time it is hoped that all will be able to be present again, and continue the contest.

Among the out-of-town residents, who formerly lived in Thorsby, were Mrs. John F. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Carls Peterson, Miss Ruth Peterson of Birmingham, Miss Naemi Turnquist of Selma, Mrs. Mamie Smith and Billy Smith of Clanton.

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Mme. Bertha Cadeur of Toulon, France, who died on her 106th birthday had been married seven times.

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The prison population of the United States has nearly doubled in the last 25 years.

Maplesville News

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The Fourth passed off very quiet, not an accident of any kind. Quite a number attended the ball game and barbecue at the schoolhouse.

There were twenty who enlisted for the S. S. Manual taught by Rev. Grady Williams of Clanton. The class thoroughly enjoyed the course.

There was quite a number who took the B. Y. P. U. last week under direction of Mr. Herbert Foshee. On Thursday night after the class Mesdames Shanks, Parnell and Mize entertained with a Treasure Hunt and other social games. An ice course was served to thirty-three.

Those attending the W. M. S. Institute last week from here were Mesdames Jno. Foshee, Hill Foshee, Aubrey Shanks, Stanley Hayes, J. R. Bumpers, Herbert Foshee, Margaret Nix, Annie Laurie Potts, Maplesville, Mrs. Booth of Birmingham.

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Mrs. Bill Nix has returned after an extended visit to relatives in Bessemer, Birmingham and other points.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Nix and children spent last week at Mitchell Dam. Mr. Nix reports catching about 50 pounds of fish. They were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burl McCary.

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Mrs. Kincaid and family of Bessemer were the week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Nix.

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Mrs. J. P. Payne and children and Mrs. Stanley Hayes spent Saturday at Jemison.

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Mrs. Booth and son, Wessler, of Birmingham are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Foshee.

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Mr. and Mrs. Burl McCary and children of Mitchell Dam are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Nix.

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Mrs. J. P. Nix, Lamar and Louise, of Ensley. Ala., made a short visit to Nix's Monday.

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The W. M. S. held its regular meeting Monday. Mrs. Jno. Foshee was the leader. Mrs. C. N. Parnell, pianist. Had an interesting program and big attendance.

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Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30, Baptist church, Mr. Maples, leader. Everybody invited to come.

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Rev. Paul Oden filled his regular appointment Sunday, with an unusually large crowd at both services and he always brings a great message to his hearers.

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Site Is Wanted For A $50,000 Fish Hatchery

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the Hatchery is expanded. The supply of water must be adequate, clear, and of quality well suited for fish culture, and the site must be free from seasonal overflows. This suggests sites where the water can be supplied by springs or overflow wells if possible. The site must be easily accessible by rail and dirt road. You will understand how important this last item is since fish will be distributed in the Spring and Fall from the Hatchery by motor cars, as well as by rail.

"My suggestion is that it would be well for you to call a conference of representative citizens who are informed on matters of this kind, and submit through me at once to the Bureau of Fisheries such sites as you feel meet the requirements. It is very probable that the representative of the Bureau will start visiting the Counties offering promising sites on July 15th, and he 'phoned me yesterday that he would like to visit the Counties of my District first. I will ask that his visit be postponed until full information can be had, but you will recognize it is important that the matter be given immediate attention. Many counties in the State are offering sites."

If secured, this fish hatchery will mean quite a pull for Chilton County, and it is most important that those citizens who may have suggestions to offer, attend the meeting at the courthouse tomorrow afternoon at four o'clock.

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A shrewd Chicago detective emptied the steaming coffee pot in Henry Derin's home and found a diamond ring that Derin had stolen.

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A pin swallowed 10 years ago was recently removed from the lung of Mrs. Ellen Gartin of Fort Worth, Tex.

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Ernest Bradshaw. who a few years ago was a taxicab driver in Gorton, Eng., has become a millionaire shipowner in Australia.

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William Baskendorf, near Salt Lake City, without finding a still, but their automobile got stuck in the mud and Baskendorf charged them $2 to pull them out.

Concord-Billingsley

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We received a good rain during the past week of which we are very thankful for.

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The singing was very well attended here last Sunday afternoon. But we would like to have more singers to come and help us in our singing.

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We extend to you a special invitation to come and be with us each first Sunday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Henley and family of Selma were visiting here the latter part of the past week.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williams and children spent Sunday with Mrs. W. H. Little.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams and Misses Virginia Little and Allie Williams took dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams Sunday.

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Mrs. C. A. Surles and family, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mae Weldon visited Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton Saturday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams and children spent Saturday night with parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lon Buzbee and family of Clanton Route 3, spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Waites.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Baker were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Williams.

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Miss Connie Shaw left Saturday for Coosa County where she will spend some time with friends and relatives.

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Ice Cream Supper

There will be an ice cream supper at Concord church two and one half miles north of Billingsley next Saturday night, July 11. We extend to everyone an invitation to come and bring your friend. The proceeds of the supper will go on the painting of the church.

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FAMILY REUNION AT HOME OF MR. AND MRS. B. A. MULL

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The family reunion was enjoyed by a large crowd at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Mull, one and and one-half miles east of Stanton. It was a surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Mull, ages 77 and 75. Those present for a bounteous barbecue dinner were Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Mull, Mr. Harvey H. Mull, Miss Roberta Lee Lester, all of Stanton. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mull, Miss Louise Mull, Walter Lewis Mull, Mrs. A. C. Wheeler, Miss Dorothy Wheeler of Montgomery. Mr. Ike Mull, Woodrow Mull, Robert Mull, Irene Mull, Ernestine Mull, Jessie Mull of Lawley. Mr. and Mrs. Buck Keener, Miss Goree Keener, Leon Keener, Leroy Keener, Lewis Keener, Hazel Mull, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Keener, Mr. Alvis Taylor of Maplesville. Mr. and Mrs. Lum Keener of Plantersville. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Burk and daughter, Frances, of Birmingham. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jones and son, Latrell, of Selma. Mrs. L. M. Barnes of Selma. Master Chas. Golson, Lewis Golson, Mary Golson, Mrs. Rosie Rankin of Stanton. Mr. and Mrs. Roister of Plantersville. Mr. and Mrs. George Grover, Miss Marvareen Grover, Wilton Grover, Welda Grover, Marie Grover, Lurline Grover, Dora Grover of Stanton, and a crowd of visitors.

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King George sold 48 of his Windsor pigs to a London butcher for $5,860.

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Their Special Guests
Sunday, July 12, 1931

Warning Issued In Stock Deal

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In an official statement of the St Securities Commission, Sproull (the Charles R. Rowe, J. R. Hutcherson a J. E. Gaskill were criticized for the stock operations in Alabama. The f statement follows:

"The commission has received reli ble advice and has evidence in its fil which shows that the above named m are carrying on an extensive busin of trading in securities. They ha been operating individually and coll tively. The general scheme of oper tion is to trade an investor out of sound securities which have a present market value by substituting their stead other securities of appro mately the same par or face val (with perhaps a higher rate of inte est or dividends), but which have present low market value.

"This is to advise the investing pub of Alabama that none of the ab named men have at any time secur registration as a dealer under the pr visions of Section 9896 of the Alaba Code of 1923 (as amended by S. B. 4 A. G. L., 1927). The investing pub of Alabama is therefore warned aga dealing with any or all of these me The public is furthermore requested report promptly to this commission a solicitations made by any of the abo mentioned men, giving time, place a name of such men, together with summary of the proposed "trade" order that this commission may promp ly transmit such information to t proper solicitor for investigation a for such legal action as the facts justi and warrant.

"The State Securities Commission now asking the Legislature to ame the present law so as to protect t public better in these matters. W earnestly ask the public to urge t Legislature to amend the law so as enable us, as far as possible, to prot the people and to insure honesty a fair dealing in these transactions."

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NOTICE

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This July 7, 1931.

L. H. REYNOLDS, Judge of Probate.

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SEVERAL SITES PROPOSED FOR FISH HATCHERY

Information Sent To Bureau Following Meeting Here Last Friday

Following a communication received last week from Congressman W. B. Oliver, to Judge L. H. Reynolds, stating that $50,000 will soon be available from the state for a fish hatchery to be located somewhere in the state, a meeting was called for last Friday afternoon to discuss the opportunity and to have citizens of the county to suggest sites where the hatchery might be located in the county.

It is understood that The Bureau of Fisheries specifies the need of 100 acres of land, where there is a suitable water supply for the hatchery, and that the contour of the land should be such that various pools could be added as needed.

Eleven sites were proposed at the meeting last Friday, which was attended by a large crowd of citizens from over the county. Those naming the sites were asked to write the Judge of

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W. O. W. LOG ROLLING ASS'N. FORMED IN THORSBY RECENTLY

This district of the Woodmen of The World, comprising five counties held a meeting in Thorsby recently, at which time a Log Rolling Association was formed. There were twelve camps represented at Thorsby, meeting at four o'clock in the afternoon, with four drill teams present, with the team from Maplesville in charge of the floor work.

Among the out-of-town distinguished visitors at this meet were Col. L. A. Ellington of Montgomery and Col. Z. R. Tew, who was in charge of the drill work.

The Maplesville team was the winning team in the drills and was treated to a fine banquet that night at the Bir-Mont Cafe in Thorsby, where a long banquet table was arranged especially for this event.

J. E. Edgar of Clanton was elected as president of the Log Rolling Association. with Donald Merchant of Thorsby as secretary. The next meeting of the association will be held at Brent, Alabama in Bibb County on the afternoon and night of August 4th.

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J. E. Lett of Verbena was in Clanton attending to business matters last Tuesday.

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Reynolds Opens Filling Station

W. A. Reynolds, widely known resident of Clanton is announcing the opening of a service station which is located on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway, just south of Clanton and that it is ready for business.

This announcement is contained in an ad in this issue of the News, which also gives some attractive offerings for this week. The new place of business will be in charge of Hoyt B. Reynolds, and will be known as Brownie's Place, dispensing Bear Cat gasoline and oils.

Mr. Reynolds also stated that they will be in position to service an automobile completely when it comes to greasing, washing, etc. Turn to the ad from Brownie's Place in this issue and read their message to the people.

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MIDDLETON AGAIN NAMED AS ASST. DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Appointment by the Attorney General of the United States of J. Osmond Middleton of Birmingham, formerly of Clanton, and former Assistant District Attorney, to again take over those duties as assistant to District Attorney Arthur B. Chilton, who on July 1, succeeded Grady Reynolds in that office, was announced last week.

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SHERIFF'S OFFICE REPORTS SIX ARRESTS DURING WEEK

According to the reports from the office of the Sheriff of Chilton County, only six arrests have been made during the past few days. This report covers from July 9 to July 13, and all six were for violating the prohibition law, it was stated.

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The Dixie Cafe is showing civic spirit by having improvements done in front of their building. Concrete is being placed between the sidewalk and the curb this week.

ARE YOU READING THE STORY ON THE WORLD WAR?

If you are not reading the story by Gen. John J. Pershing of his experiences in the World War, then you should start right away.

This story appears in the News each week, and during the installments now being published is some of the most interesting of the General's experiences during the great conflict between the nations. Along with the story there is carried pictures of various persons playing parts in the World War, and scenes on the battlefields, as well as maps showing courses of battles, etc.

FARMERS WEEK IN AUBURN TO OPEN JULY 27

Interesting Program Planned For Alabama Farmers' Week In Auburn

With a program designed to acquaint those present with the agricultural leaders of the state, the annual farmers' week exercises for Alabama farmers at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, will begin Monday morning, July 27, to continue through Friday, July 31.

Dr. Bradford Knapp, president of Auburn, will be the first speaker. He will welcome the visitors and speak on a timely subject. Other speakers for the initial session are Prof. L. N. Duncan, director, Alabama Extension Service, Miss Helen Johnston, state home demonstration agent, Prof. M. J. Funchess, dean of the School of Agriculture and director of the Experiment Station, Dr. C. A. Cary, State veterinarian and dean of the School of Veterinary Medicine, S. P. Storrs, commissioner of agriculture and industries, Montgomery, E. L. Deal, executive secretary of the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation, and Dr. J. B. Hobdy, director of Vocational Education, Montgomery.

Training leaders will be the central thought of each session, the aim being to prepare men and women to serve in responsible places in community, county, and state organizations for the purpose of serving agriculture and farm

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BROADUS CONNATSER GOES TO B'HAM, STOPS OVER HERE

Clanton received a pleasant, though short visit this week from Broadus Connatser, who stopped over here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fox.

Broadus is playing ball with New Orleans this year, and according to the newspapers, is certainly making a name for himself in the athletic field. New Orleans will play in Birmingham this week for five days, the first game being played Tuesday.

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Singing School At Mt. Pisgah

The News has been requested to announce this week that a singing school will be conducted at the Mt. Pisgah Church, near Clanton. The school will open on Monday, July 20, and continue for twenty days.

Instruction will be given by Prof. Emmett Wilson, and the rates are said to be in reach of all.

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ROCKETT SHOWING UNIQUE TIRE ADVERTISEMENT HERE

One of the most unique displays in regard to automobile tubes is being shown in one of the display windows of the Clanton Building Supply Company here. It is an automobile tube inflated to such an extent that it is almost as high as an ordinary man. Mr. Rockett states that it is a regular stock inner tube, and he pointed out the strength of the tube, by the high pressure of air within it.

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MT. CREEK W. M. S. TO PUT ON PLAY NEXT FRIDAY NIGHT

The W. M. S. of Mountain Creek is putting on a play on next Friday night, July 17th. The title of the play is "The Sewing Circle Meets With Mrs. Martin," and is scheduled to start at eight o'clock, Proceeds will go to the church. Everyone is urged to see this play and they will enjoy it, at the same time aiding the church. The play will be given at the Baptist church in Mt. Creek.

MEETINGS IN COUNTY CALLED BY CO. AGENT

Sixteen Farmers' Meetings Scheduled To Be Held, Beginning Monday

County Agent Stapp is anxious to every farmer in Chilton County plant at least 5 acres of Austrian Winter peas or vetch per plow. While in attendance at the meeting in Auburn in June, Mr. Stapp made plans for an extensive soil-building campaign this fall. He has already sent out four circular letters pertaining to the campaign. He has offered nice prizes to the club boys who are most active in the campaign. The banks of the county are cooperating in a splendid way. In an effort to reach as many people personally as possible and discuss with them the great importance of Austrian peas and vetch as soil building crops, Mr. Stapp has arranged the following series of meetings:

Thomas Jr., School, Monday, July 20th, 7:00 P. M.

Enterprise School, Tuesday, July 21,

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Jim Dunlap Manager Of Filling Station

Jim Dunlap became manager of the Standard Oil service station, located on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway, next to Jones Place the latter part of last week, succeeding Eric Hart.

Mr. Dunlap will have connected with him, his brother, Hughie "Jack" Dunlap. In the future, under the management of Mr. Dunlap, this service station will be known as the Central Service Station, dispensing Standard Oil products, and giving services which include washing, polishing, dopeing automobiles.

In this issue there appears an invitation to the people of the county to visit the Dunlap brothers at their new place of business.

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MISS EDITH JOHNSON BECOMES THORSBY REP. FOR NEWS

It is with genuine pleasure that the News announces this week the securing of Miss Edith Johnson as representative in Thorsby. Miss Johnson assumed her duties this week and will have full charge of the Thorsby section of news items carried in this newspaper each week.

Miss Johnson is a popular member of the younger social set of Thorsby and has recently completed studies at Piedmont in Georgia.

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COUNTY TEACHERS RECEIVE BACK SALARY THIS MONTH

Information gathered from the office of the Superintendent of Education this week stated that all teachers of this county are receiving their pay, which was held up for sometime due to a lack of funds. Only two of the teachers refused to accept their salary at this time, due to the interest they would have to pay, it was stated.

The County Board of Education secured a loan with which to pay the teachers the back salary, and it was said that approximately $15,000.00 will be paid out this month to school teachers.

FIDDLERS ARE INVITED HERE FRIDAY, JULY 24

American Legion Will Sponsor Musical Entertainment At The Courthouse

Definite announcement is made this week that a Fiddlers Convention will be held at the courthouse in Clanton on Friday night, July 24th, beginning at eight o'clock.

All fiddlers in Chilton and adjoining counties are invited to come and get into the contest. The committee in charge of the arrangements states that prizes will be awarded as follows: First prize $5 in cash; second prize $3 in cash; third and fourth prizes $1 in cash each.

The committee states that in addition to the cash prizes, there will be lots of other prizes offered by merchants and business houses of Clanton. It is hoped that enough prizes will be available so that every fiddler who enters the contest will be given an award of something.

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Quarterly Conference Mt. Nebo M.E. Church

The Third Quarterly Conference for Verbena Charge, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, will convene at Mt. Nebo, next Sunday, July 19. The Rev. D. W. Haskew, of Clanton will preach at eleven o'clock and administer the Holy Sacrament. Dinner will be served at the church, and immediately after dinner, the business session of the conference will be held.

The efficient Presiding Elder, Dr. Norman McLeod of Selma, will preach at Clanton in the absence of the pastor, Dr. Haskew.

All the officers of Verbena Charge are expected to attend this conference. A 100 per cent attendance is wanted. Members of the Clanton Quarterly Conference are invited to visit this session.

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MRS. ALICE WILLIAMS SERIOUSLY ILL AT DOCTOR'S HOME HERE

The many friends of Mrs. Alice Williams will regret very much to learn this week that she is seriously ill at the home of Dr. Odom, near West End. Mrs. Williams is remembered in Clanton as being one of the most popular telephone operators employed here in sometime by the Southern Bell Telephone Co.

Reports from her bedside last Tuesday stated that her condition is serious, and little hope is held for her recovery.

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SOME VALUES LISTED IN THIS ISSUE OF THE NEWS

To the wise and thrifty buyer, this week's issue of the News carries some important messages in advertisements from various business houses over the county.

Read the ads in this issue carefully, every one of them. They not only carry bargains and savings for the people of this section, but carry as well, some real news interest.

Vetch And Austrian Pea Planting Campaign Gaining Ground In Interest, Statements Show

M. T. Smith, Clanton, Route 3, has the following to say about vetch: "My cotton where I had vetch last year and followed with corn is the best cotton I have. The ground surely works good."

W. L. Popwell says: "I expect to plant at least 60 acres to vetch and peas this fall. I only bought three tons of soda this year and I want to buy less next year." Mr. Popwell joins Mr. Stapp and many others in the county in urging the farmers of Chilton County to grow their nitrogen this winter instead of paying high prices for it in sacks next spring. Mr. Popwell further states that, "I think I have the best corn I have ever seen in my life. It is on land where a good crop of vetch was turned this spring. No fertilizer was used."

R. J. Williams, Thorsby Route 1, has the following to say: "I have been sowing vetch seven or eight years and find that it is one crop that always pays me. My second crop of corn where vetch was turned last year, followed with corn, is almost as good with no nitrogen applied this year as it was last year. I expect to plant more vetch and peas this fall than I have ever planted."

A. N. Thrash, Jemison, Route 1, was in Mr. Stapp's office last Saturday making arrangements for vetch and peas. Mr. Thrash said that J. L. Wade, near him, certainly has some fine corn this year on land where a crop of vetch was turned last spring. Mr. Thrash, too, thinks farmers should grow their nitrogen.

Dr. P. T. Hinkle says, "Winter legume crops are certainly worthwhile. I have been growing crimson clover successfully for years. I believe I will make near 100 bushels of corn per acre this year on land where I turned under good crops of crimson clover this spring."

KEEP AN EYE ON THE NEW COLUMN IN NEWS

Keep your eye on the new column that is appearing in the News, beginning this week. It is the column headed "O'er The County" by the Rambling Reporter. The column will tell you something about a lot of people in the county and about the things the Rambling Reporter finds them doing when he stops at their homes.

Watch this column as it appears, because the Rambling Reporter may call at your home sometime, and if he does, he'll write about you in his column.

DIEF'S STATION ENTERS DEALER ZEPPELIN RACE

Winner of Goodyear Contest Will Get Free Trip To Visit Akron Plant

Dief's Service Station, Goodyear tire dealer in Clanton, is entered in the third annual Goodyear Zeppelin race, a contest in sales based on a two months' quota, and participated in by thousands of dealers all over the country, according to Mr. Dief, manager of the service station.

"So many people have been asking us what we are so hopped up about in these so-called vacation days," continued Mr. Dief, "that I thought I would explain that we are in the contest to win, because it means a free trip to Akron to see the Goodyear Zeppelin Corporation's airdock where the world's largest airship is nearing completion for the U. S. Navy."

"Akron will be the center of national interest in August, because the ship will be making its trial flights about that time. The U. S. S. Akron, though huge in dimensions, is trim and shapely, measuring 785 feet in length or about 24 times the length of a standard box car, and twice the size of the U. S. S. Airship Los Angeles.

"The Akron will be carried aloft by 6,500,000 cubic feet of helium, a non-inflammable gas contained in 12 separate cells, the largest of which has a capacity of 1,000,000 cubic feet. Eight twelve-cylinder motors, delivering a to-

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NEW BAKERY EXPECTED TO BE READY FOR BUSINESS SOON

In a statement from Mr. Bruce, who has recently come to Clanton to open a bakery shop, stated that he expected to be baking bread within the next few days.

His place, which is located next door to the Alabama Harness & Shoe Shop, has been open for several days, but this is the restaurant part only. New equipment is expected to arrive most any day for the bakery, Mr. Bruce stated.

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Chilton Doctors Have Fish Fry

Doctors of Chilton County, members of the Chilton County Medical Society, were highly entertained Tuesday of last week at the attractive camp of Dr. V. J. Gragg, on Coosa River, when they gathered together for a real good time together and to eat broiled chicken, pheasants and fish.

A splendid attendance was noted. Those attending brought their wives, and several out-of-town doctors were there as guests of the local doctors, and a regular meeting was also held by the medical society.

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HUGH JONES LOCATED IN DUNLAP'S FORMER STAND

The friends over the county of Hugh Jones will be pleased to know that he is now located in the store formerly operated by Jim Dunlap, next door to the First National Bank, in Clanton.

Mr. Jones is handling a line of groceries and other household items in his new place, and extends an invitation to the people of the county to call on him when in town.

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REVIVAL SERVICES TO OPEN AT MOUNT PISGAH SOON

Announcement was made this week that the revival services at the Mt. Pisgah church, near Clanton, are to begin next Sunday, July 19. The Rev. J. F. Limbrick will do the preaching and everyone is invited to attend all services.

FARMS IN STATE SHOW INCREASE IN SIX YEARS

Federal Census Figures Show 19,765 More Farms in Alabama Since 1925

In 1930 there were 19,765 more farms in Alabama than in 1925 and the average number of acres in an Alabama farm had decreased from 70.4 acres in 1925 to 68.3 acres in 1930, according to the new federal census figures released by the Bureau of Census. In 1925 Alabama had 237,631 farms compared with 256,396 farms in 1930

The average value of farms shows decided change in the last 10 years The average Alabama farm in 1920 consisted of 76.4 acres and was valued at $2,123; in 1925 the average farm consisted of 70.4 acres and was valued at $1,746, and in 1930 the size of the average farm was 68.3 acres and its average value was $1,961.

"We are accustomed to think that our farming in Alabama is done largely by tenants," says Seth P. Storrs, commissioner of Agriculture, yet the federal census figures show the state's farm acres operated as follows: Owners 9,412,904; managers, 340,807; tenants, 7,826,097.

In 1920 there was a total acreage of all land in farms of 19,576,856. In 1925 this had dropped to 16,739,139, and in 1930 had again climbed to 17,579,808. It is informative to contrast these figures with the total value of all farm lands and buildings at the three periods. In 1920 the value was $543,657,755; in 1925 it was $414,858,647 and in 1930, $504,756,249.

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FRED HOWARD IS SELLING FRUIT TREES IN THORSBY NOW

The people of this section are well acquainted with Fred Howard, one of the oldest and prominent residents of Thorsby, and in this issue of the News is an ad from him stating that he is ready to take orders for all kinds of fruit trees.

Mr. Howard is highly experienced in this line and those purchasing trees from him may take advantage of his knowledge of tree planting and fruit raising. Mr. Howard is a member of the widely known firm of Howard Brothers, florists of Thorsby. To Mr. Howard, many give the credit for the idea of the road stands, selling fruit, in Alabama, as he erected one of the first, if not the first, in Thorsby, many years ago.

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S. S. Convention At Mulberry August 1

The annual Sunday School Convention of the Unity-Chilton Associations will be held with Mulberry church on Tuesday, August 4th, according to H. A. Harris, president. All Sunday schools in the two associations are earnestly requested to send representatives to this meeting. All pastors, Sunday school officers and workers are especially urged to attend.

A good program is being arranged, and will be published next week. Be sure to send report for the year.

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MR. AND MRS. MARION SMITH WILL MAKE HOME IN CLANTON

Marion S. Smith who has been studying at Livingston during the past several months, arrived in Clanton last week for a short visit. At the present, Mr. and Mrs. Smith are making their home in Thorsby, but plan to move to Clanton in the very near future to make their home. Mrs. Smith, the former Miss Jewell Martin, is connected with the office of the County Superintendent of Education.

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Mrs. Arthur Johnson and Miss Alma Allen, accompanied by Joe Hall Johnson and Arthur Johnson, Jr., motored to Tuscaloosa last Sunday. Arthur Jr., remained where he is studying at the University, and Joe Hall is spending sometime at Camp Horn, near Tuscaloosa.

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Mr. and Mrs. Latham Ellis spent several days vacation at the Martin and Upchurch Camp on Coosa River recently. They were joined for the week end by officers and employees of the Bedsoe-Colvin Drug Co., making a total of forty-seven persons enjoying this outing.

Fairview News

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Cox and children left last Saturday morning for Vernon, Alabama to visit Mrs. Cox's parents. They went through the country in their car and we wish them a pleasant trip. They will be gone three weeks.

Miss Edna Durbin spent last week with her uncle, Mr. G. C. Harris, of Clanton.

Mrs. Ratliff and daughter, Mattie, and Mrs. Jewel Deason, of the Antioch community spent the day with Mrs. L. B. Giles Wednesday.

The 4-H Club boys came back Saturday from their picnic and they all report a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wagoner visited their sister, Mrs. G. M. Durbin, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs J. D. Williams were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cox Saturday night.

Miss Inez McKee attended the quarterly conference at Pleasant Hill in Autauga County Saturday.

Mrs. Ola Edwards and daughter, Myrle, spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Popwell last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Mims and children were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Devaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Devaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Mims and children dined with Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Henley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Nelson of the Shiloh community, Mr. and Mrs. Hannon Owen and Mr. and Mrs. Olen Bice were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billingsley Sunday.

Miss Zula Nelson was the guest of Mrs. Lee Billingsley Sunday.

Misses Louise Cox and Inez McKee dined with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams Sunday.

Mr. Herbert Traywick who holds a responsible position with the State spent the week end in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Culp spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Culp Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Henley and children and little Edwin Culp spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Olen Culp, near Billingsley.

Mr. Harvie Mims spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Edith Culp.

Next Sunday is the regular preaching day at Mt. Nebo and there will be quarterly conference also. Let's everybody come and make this the best service of the year. The revival will also start and let's all pray for this to be the best revival ever held at this church.

COUNTY AGENTS TELL ABOUT FARM PROGRESS

Many good short stories of work being done for the advancement of agriculture in Alabama were found in the June reports of the county demonstration agents sent to District Agents J. T. High, R. G. Arnold and Emmett Sizemore at Auburn.

County Agent C. H. Bedingfield of Lee County told of work having been done preparatory to planting 100,000 pounds of Austrian peas on Lee County farms this fall. This is a big increase over 1930.

R. M. Reaves, Cullman County, reported success with 13 farmer-demonstrations in producing and saving seed per acre.

An enthusiastic report was made by J. D. Wood of Franklin County, who said thát the acreage planted this year to hay is 25 per cent greater than that of last year, 16 per cent increase in corn, and a 50 per cent increase in truck crops and gardens.

M. T. Gowder said that 7 purebred bulls of the shorthorn and polled Hereford breeds have been placed with farmers in seven different communities to improve beef cattle production in Jackson County.

Progress in commercial apple production in Walker County was reported by J. W. Sartain; while R. D. Winch mentioned success in raising sheep in Marengo County made special mention of the situation around Marion Junction. Fifty farmers in that section received from one company last year $160,000 for milk. Mr. Blake said that it is the most prosperous section of the county.

News In Brief

In 1930 fifty farmers around Marion Junction in Dallas County, Alabama, received $160,000 for milk. One company bought it.

The Mexican bean beetle which was found in Alabama in 1920 has spread eastward and northward into the Saoat College of Agriculture as to how to control it.

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Preliminary census figures for 1931 give Greater London a population of 8,202,818 and Greater New York a population of 6,981,927. Therefore, Greater London is decidedly the biggest city in the world, with New York second.

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Dr. Stephen Moulton Babcock, who revolutionized the dairy industry by discoveḣing in 1890 a test to determine the butterfat content of milk, died at his home in Madison, Wis., on July 2. He was 87 years old and was professor emeritus of Agricultural Chemistry at the University of Wisconsin.

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Arthur M. Hyde, secretary of agriculture, says that in his judgment world-wide production of wheat this year will be 350,000,000 bushels less than that of last year.

J. MELL MARTIN
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FLOWERS FOR ALL OCCASIONS
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BEAR CAT GAS 14c
at
BROWNIE'S PLACE
Opening Day
Saturday July 18th

On next Saturday, July 18, I will open a new gasoline filling station 200 yards south of Upchurch Drug Store on the highway. I have built a side track and will install a large tank and buy gas by the car load. This will enable me to buy cheaper, and I am going to sell to you cheaper.

I ask those who buy gas to give me your patronage. I will handle the best grade anti-knock gasoline, and give my customers the very best courteous service. My opening day price will be 14 cents, and I will give one quart of the best heavy Texas oil free with each purchase of five gallons of gas on Next Saturday, July 18.

No doubt the big oil companies will cut their prices to meet my price, but just remember one thing, the big companies have been operating 20 years and they have not cut the price. The only place you can buy gas cheap is where you find independent gas companies.

I have gone to a very great expense in order to give you a good high grade gas at a much cheaper price. All I ask is an opportunity to serve you. You stick to me and I will stick to you.

W. A. REYNOLDS
Clanton, Alabama

O'ER THE COUNTY

By The Rambling Reporter

Over in the community where Clanton Route Four mail carrier goes, there are some fine families, as well as some fine homes. Turning off the paved Birmingham highway onto a good dirt road, I found Mrs. Maud Childress at the Plainview Farm fruit stand. Peaches and other fruits attract the motorist's eye here and this place has grown to be real popular and well known. With Mrs. Childress the other afternoon were two charming little girls, Miss Ruth Cox, and Miss Helen Kendrick, both of whom live nearby.

On out further is the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hay, who moved to this county not so long ago, to make their home.

Still further on is the home of Mrs. Oakley Vincent, who has two bright children, and a nice home place. Mr. and Mrs. Vincent moved to this county recently from Jefferson County. They expect to go on a fishing trip to Biloxi, right away.

One of the most progressive farmers living in that section, and on Route Four, is E. C. Cox. I drove up to his home in the afternoon, and found a large, two-story, 7-room house, well built, and attractively furnished. Mr. and Mrs. Cox have two charming daughters, Ruth and Inez. Mr. Cox has 77 acres of land under cultivation, and does quite a bit of truck farming. He was one of those fellows in the county who came out in front this year in strawberry growing, having sold something like $1100 worth. He has a nice peach orchard, plenty of grapes. He was high in his praise of the value of planting vetch or Austrian peas as cover crops, and says he is going to plant them again this year. Mr. Cox has three fine cows, supplying his family and two others with milk and butter the year round. His chickens keep the family supplied with eggs, and gives enough for market at times. He owns his home and land, and a trip over his property would show a person that Mr. Cox is truly a modern, progressive farmer and still a young man.

Came to a house where some men were busy cleaning out a well. One was down in the well, while the other was drawing out the sand and rocks. The man who was so industriously engaged down at the bottom of the well was B. James, who also lives out on Route Four. He has a nice little home place, where he, Mrs. James and their little daughter live.

J. R. Blow was the man who was helping Mr. James clean the well, and lived in a nice home just beyond the home of Mr. James. Mr. Blow is another farmer, and has three children, Cecil, Oscar and Loris.

The family of Tap Scott has recently moved to this county and settled in that community near Thorsby. Mr. and Mrs. Scott and their children, Lucy, Grady and Eleta Mae, came from Decatur last December. They have a nice little home on top of a hill, and are showing some real farming spirit.

Somewhat further on the same road is the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Riggins. This is another nice home and shows that Mr. and Mrs. Riggins are another family of industrious people.

G. E. Brown has rather a fine farm home, further north on the same road I've been on, where I found these other homes, out on Clanton Route Four. A look around the premises of Mr. Brown's place shows a spirit of progressiveness. Miss Mary Brown is there too.

Around about two curves and over three little hills is the little home and farm of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Barrett and three children, Julius, Willadean and Ethel. Mr. Barrett gives a person the impression of a young progressive-spirited farmer. I found him busy in his barn and lot the other day. He farms 22 acres, has his own cow, chickens, and other things that are needed by a farmer.

Drove on up to the large and attractive home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam P. Collins, up in the Collins Chapel community, and on Clanton Route Four. Mr. Collins was busy out at his barn, so I found Mrs. Collins a real interesting lady to talk to until I could see Mr. Collins also. Mr. Collins has forty acres of land under cultivation. His home and yards show that someone there is certainly industrious and progressive. They have practically everything needed around to make a happy farm home. They have two children, Miss Giula Collins, and a son who holds a responsible job in Birmingham as a mechanic.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Gentry live up in that same community and have a nice little home, and five children, Charlie, Louise, Estelle, James, and Claud Paul. Mr. Gentry farms about thirty-five acres of land and is expecting a good crop this year.

Melvis Collins has a nice home further on the same road, where he and his brother and mother live. Mrs. Collins is one of the pioneers of that section and a very interesting lady.

Drove up to the home of J. C. Connell, and found him with a leg all bandaged up. Mr. Connell had the misfortune of breaking his leg, but I'm glad to say that he is getting along much better now. Mr. Connell has a nice farm home, and a real industrious wife and four children, Effie Lee, Ernest, Alice and Crit.

A visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Allen is a visit to a home that is happy, and shows that the owner is wide-awake and a most progressive farmer. This is on Jemison, Route One. Living with Mr. and Mrs. Allen are his sister, Miss Barbara Allen, and his mother, Mrs. Penney Allen. Mr. Allen profitably cultivates approximately 70 acres of land, and says he is a firm believer in the value of planting vetch and Austrian peas as winter cover crops. He has a fine field of corn now where he planted vetch last year, and he says he is going to plant more vetch this year.

Next week, I'll probably take you readers to another part of the county and tell you about the people I find there.

WESTERN UNION INAUGURATES NEW SERVICE IN MESSAGES

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Mrs. Anna Fry of Chicago asked the judge to have her brother put in jail, explaining that he had killed 30 of her chickens and 11 of her rabbits after an argument with her.

The only assets scheduled by Henry Moore of Chicago in his bankruptcy case consisted of a set of golf clubs.

The National Industrial Conference Botrd of New York says that the cost of living for the average wage earner is now lower than at any time in the past 12 years and is still going down. A survey report shows that in 1930, as a whole the cost of living averaged 3.8 per cent lower than in 1929, and 4.2 per cent lower than in 1928.

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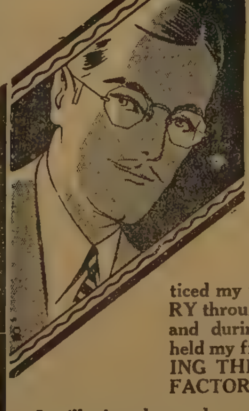

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Sunday School Lesson

for July 19th

SOCIAL SERVICE IN THE EARLY CHURCH

Acts 4:32-35; 6:1-4;
II Corinthians 9:1-7

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

Christianity is far more than an ideal. Its principles can be put into practice. Calvin Coolidge recently said in one of his daily messages: "It would be difficult to find anywhere on earth a human being whose life has not been modified in some degree by the influence of the Christian religion." Thought of others rather than of self is basic. This began with the Founder and every true follower has the same idea.

Today the world still needs the fullest expression of Christian socialism. As people had need in the Jerusalem congregation, provision was made by turning into a common fund whatever could be spared. Many quarrels resulted over the distribution of money. When the apostles faced the situation they realized that their work of preaching was so great that they could not also give adequate attention to the physical needs of the growing Christian community. Then the office of deacon was inaugurated and seven were chosen to undertake this special type of service. This office of deacon persists in the church of today and a long line of men and women have thus very honorably served the Lord in helping the poor.

Later the gathering of the poor fund was an extensive enterprise. The Council of Jerusalem decreed that Paul, and the other apostles to the nations, should seek funds for the poor in Jerusalem when they ministered abroad. The church in Corinth was held up as an example to the friends in Macedonia quite as we are urged today to measure up to the gift made by another. Thus what are called modern financial pressure methods in raising money seem to be rather old.

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Now 76 and 74, respectively, Frank and Tom Leachman of Fall City, Neb., have never seen a street car, never talked over a telephone, listened to a radio nor viewed a movie.

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News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard, Mrs. Iver Husby, Ella and Lloyd Howard were heard from last from Mexico. They have motored through many central western states and down from Seattle, Washington, along the coast, through California, and into Mexico, which is the last lap of their extensive trip. They are expected home about the fifteenth. We shall want to hear more about their wonderful trip. In Hollywood Lloyd said he thought he saw Fatty Arbuckle and Ella looked for some stars she could recognize, but saw none. Perhaps it was a dark night and all the stars were not out.

Mr. Reuben Foss with his father, Mr. J. L. Foss, and daughters, Kathryn and Edith, are enjoying a two weeks visit to friends and relatives in Illinois and different points in Minnesota. The reports of their trip are all enthusiastic. The last point from which they were heard from was Madison, Wisconsin.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. J. O. Johnson entertained in honor of Mrs. Carl Peterson of Birmingham. Those included in the courtesy were Mrs. Carl Peterson, Mrs. A. E. Reagan, Mrs. C. R. Foss, Mrs. Karl Ekblad and daughter, Astrid, Mrs. Frank Nelson, and daughter, Anna, Mrs. E. E. Hanson, and Mrs. C. C. Peterson.

Miss Esther Johnson after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson, left Wednesday for Indiana and Illinois where she will visit relatives and friends.

Miss Dorothy Butler and Miss Kathryn Goodnew, her guest from Ohio, spent the week end in Montgomery with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Butler and family.

Master Walter Morgan, Jr., is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Soberg.

Miss Doris Freeman spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Theron South, in Birmingham.

Mrs. Carl Peterson of Birmingham is visiting her sisters, Mrs. James Bosworth, Mrs. A. E. Reagan, and Mrs. C. R. Foss.

The week end of the Fourth Mrs. A. E. Reagan and Miss Naemi Turnquist had as their house guests, Mrs. J. F. Peterson and daughter, Ruth, of Birmingham, and Misses Kitty Rogers and Agnes O'Rooke of Selma.

Mr. Marion Smith returned from attending school at Livingston.

Mrs. Lee Pate and Mrs. J. L. Walker went to Montgomery Saturday on a shopping trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Davenport and Mrs. M. E. Willis spent Sunday in the Big Springs community with friends and relatives.

Miss Hattie Eugene Davenport was a visitor of her parents the week end of the Fourth.

Mrs. A. B. Colley and son, Carl, of Prattville, are visiting Mrs. C. M. Gray for a week.

Mrs. J. W. Santry and son, John, of Kosse, Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray a few days last week.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Each with their four daughters, Alta, Juanita, Lucile and Marie left Monday for Noble, Oklahoma, to visit Mrs. Each's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Cox. They arrived at their destination Friday afternoon. They plan to go to Baton Rouge, La., to see Rev. Each's brother.

Mr. Sidney J. Davenport of Verbena spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Gresham Lowery are the proud parents of a little boy, Glen Townsend, born July 4. The mother and baby are doing fine.

Verna Jackson of Talladega was a visitor of Kathryn Lenoir.

Elizabeth Butler of Montgomery is visiting her grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Butler.

Mrs. Nels Peterson and two children, Marie and Norman, returned from visiting in West Point and Atlanta, Ga., Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Montgomery of Pensacola were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton one day last week.

Dorothy Von Franklin has returned from visiting in Ensley. Her cousin, Willie Bee Washburn, of Ensley, has returned with her to stay a few weeks.

Misses Naemi Turnquist and Kitty Rogers from Selma were here for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Reynolds and family and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Wright and son were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Howard Sunday.

Miss Marion Fairbanks returned to Birmingham Monday for further treatment.

Mrs. Jennie Sutlive spent Thursday night with Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald. Friday morning Mrs. Sutlive and Mrs. Gerald left for Birmingham to be with Mr. Vincent Sutlive during his operation that was to take place Saturday.

Mrs. A. J. Robinson of Jemison spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. R. R. Franklin.

Mr. Arnold Soberg spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Soberg.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Reagan, Miss Esther Johnson, Mrs. Carl Peterson, and daughter, Norma, Mr. Walter Parnell, and Mrs. James Bosworth motored to Selma Thursday night for a picnic at the Selma Swimming pool, where they were joined by Misses Naemi Turnquist, Christine Bosworth and Kitty Rogers.

Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Laurell entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson and girls, Esther and Edith.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Laurell made a short trip to Birmingham Friday. They were accompanied by Mr. Laurell's mother, Mrs. N. Laurell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Peterson entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson and daughters, Esther and Edith, Mr. William Each, and Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Butler at a domino party Wednesday evening.

Miss Dorothy Butler had as her guest Miss Gertrude Steiner of Marion Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray spent Sunday in Prattville.

Mrs. J. C. Merchant, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Merchant and daughter, Carolyn, Mrs. Lucile Splawn of Centerville were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Merchant.

Mr. Tom Robinson and Mr. W. L. Leary were fishing at Jordan Dam Saturday and caught three fish which weighed seventeen pounds.

Mr. Charles A. Peterson has returned from the Stabler Infirmary in Greenville and is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Walker, Mrs. E. L. Pate, and H. L. spent Sunday near Wetumpka.

Miss Lois Thompson is spending this week in Clanton.

Mrs. Grover Bice entertained with an afternoon of bridge Tuesday. Frozen refreshments were served.

Last Thursday night Miss Willo Dean Bean had a birthday party. Games were played and for refreshments ice cream and cake were served After the refreshments Willo Dean showed the guests her presents.

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Mt. Creek News

Miss Bessie Gilmore and Mr. Frank Gulledge motored to Clanton last Friday evening.

Mr. Sam Eiland of Dothan spent the past week end with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Maggie Cannon, Mrs. Sam Eiland, Misses Mary Elizabeth Eiland, Bessie Gilmore, and Norma Atkinson spent the latter part of Sunday afternoon in Montgomery as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Rheay.

Mrs. Henry Gaylor and little son, Billy, spent last week with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Headley, of Montgomery

Mrs. J. N. Atkinson, who is nursing Mrs. F. A. Gulledge of Verbena, spent Sunday afternoon with her husband and daughter, Mr. J. N. Atkinson and Norma, and sister, Bessie Gilmore.

Mr. Clayton Culver who is employed by Swift Packing Co., of Montgomery, visited relatives here Sunday

Mr. Otis Headley is at home here after working quite a while in Montgomery.

Mrs. Sam Eiland and daughter, Mary Elizabeth, were in Clanton last Thursday on business.

Miss Josie Barefield of Marbury is spending some time in Brundidge and Troy, with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Culver and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Headley of Route 2.

Mr. J. N. Atkinson spent several days last week in Tuscaloosa on business.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. Johnson and daughters of Clanton and Mr. George Batson of Rockford spent Sunday afternoon here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Henderson and Mrs. Q. J. Henderson are in Birmingham spending some time.

Rev. W. A. Goss preached in Rev. Joiner's place Sunday morning. The sermon was enjoyed by all.

Mr. Floyd Holcomb of Montgomery, Maxwell Field, spent Sunday afternoon here with Mr. E. F. Culver. Mr. Holcombe is quite a friend of Mr. Culver's son, Richard.

Miss Alma Gentry spent the past week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gentry

Messrs. Luther Cannon and Clair Norris spent last Thursday in Montgomery on business.

Miss Bill Baxley has returned from Birmingham where she spent some time with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Bennett spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Dennis.

Miss Mabel Dennis is spending a two weeks vacation with her aunt, Mrs. Dera Brown, of Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gaylor had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Headley and children and Mr. Oliver Headley and daughter, Elladene.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gaylor and children spent Sunday with Mr. Gaylor's daughter, Mrs. W. W. Cobern

Mr. Richard Howard and Miss Irene Dennis motored to Montgomery Sunday afternoon

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Under cover of darkness unknown persons sawed off and hauled away the 100 cedar posts which supported a fence surrounding a cow pasture at Middleboro, Mass.

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C. W. Smith, a laborer of St. Louis, told the magistrate he had forgotten he had a wife when he was arraigned on a charge of desertion

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Persons identified with the street and highway safety movement are at times puzzled to know why it is that despite the large number of organizations and individuals engaged in safety education of the public, the number of automobile accidents continues to increase.

The Silvertown Safety League which was organized to play a part in the movement to reduce the number of motor vehicle accidents by getting motorists to think about safety, by getting them to sign pledges to observe nine good rules for safe driving, has not only been studying effective means of reducing accidents, but also safety education methods.

The United States Government through the National Conference on Street and Highway Safety, State governments through offices of state motor vehicle commissioners, city governments through local chiefs of police and traffic commissioners, the automobile manufacturers through the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, car owners through the American Automobile Association, the insurance companies, the National Safety Council—the list could be continued almost indefinitely—are all engaged in safety education. And yet the number of automobile accidents increases.

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Are You Prepared?

How would you fight a sudden fire in your home? This is a question that every man, woman and child should be prepared to answer. Year by year as our population increases the toll paid to this evil enemy of mankind grows greater and greater.

Five hundred million dollars a year is the staggering levy exacted by the fire demon, but even this huge sum cannot compensate the victims for their grief and discouragement as they suffer the loss of loved ones and see possessions that can not be bought with money ruthlessly consumed by the flames.

The knowledge that so much of this loss is preventable does not make it any less bitter. When a fire starts it is an infant, but a few seconds later it may be a roaring monster that overwhelms the puny efforts of unaided human hands.

Preparedness is half the battle. The water bucket and hose are effective if they are immediately available, but often the very incident that started the fire may have rendered the water supply unavailable.

Every house, every barn and every apartment in the land should be protected with the simple, inexpensive and efficient hand fire extinguishers that are now available. With them it does not matter if the flames are caused by burning gasoline or other material, because they smother the oxygen supply necessary for the maintenance of the fire. Water may spread such a fire.

Every householder owes it to his family to equip the home with hand fire extinguishers, as many of them as are needed. They should be kept where they can be reached quickly. Everyone in the house should know where they are. You may well thank your heavenly stars some day that you were thus prepared.

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Better Be Safe Than Sorry

The drowning season is now in full swing. From now until school begins again thousands of boys—girls, too, these days—will take unnecessary chances in the water and lose their lives in consequence. That has always been true, and it will always be true. Youth will always take chances, and never listen to advice.

Nevertheless, we offer some advice to those who would go swimming.

Don't stay in too long. Half an hour is enough at a stretch.

Don't go into the water immediately after a heavy meal.

Don't keep on swimming after you are tired.

Never go swimming alone.

Don't try to "find bottom."

Don't get into a canoe unless you can swim.

Most of the drowning accidents come from disregard of those simple precautions. If everybody would follow them there would be fewer young lives lost.

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Dimming Lights

It ought to be a fine of one hundred dollars for the first offense and double it for each subsequent violation for the automobile driver who refuses to dim his lights at night when signaled by the other driver to dim. When an automobile signals for the dimmers at night it is conclusive proof that he is in trouble or fears trouble and the driver who will not recognize this, violates the cardinal courtesy of road driving.

It is no trouble or expense to dim your lights. It requires but little effort on the part of the driver to switch to the dimmer. It means much to the other fellow at times. It keeps him out of the ditch. It gives him a view of the road ahead. It is playing him a fifty-fifty courtesy. But regardless of its importance just count the number that will dim for you at night and you will become convinced that until people do learn the courtesy and recognizes it, you should have left your car in the garage or make up your mind to take a chance.—Covington News.

"ROUND TOWN"

---*by Doug*

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

> "The Moving Finger writes, and having writ, moves on. Nor all thy piety nor wit shall lure it back to cancel half a line, nor all thy tears wash out a word of it."

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This week I might take up for discussion, the action of the Commissioners Court in doing away with the County Welfare Department of this county, and with words that would touch the heart of the most hard-hearted person, show where there are children starving, going almost naked, and where women are needing help with babies, poor little undernourished babies, and where when the winter months set in this year, there will be little babies improperly clothed to withstand the cold, but the Commissioners were elected by the people, to serve the people, and so all I could do would not make them change their ruling, and I guess the little babies will be little babies until they grow up, and they may get cold this winter, and need attention that their parents can't give them and we won't have no kind-hearted lady to visit the families and advise the mothers, because the county no doubt needs that sixty-dollars per month, or whatever it is they have been paying a Welfare Superintendent.

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Now I see one of my suggestions, or dreams about to get some attention, thanks to the Kiwanis Club of Clanton. Sometime ago I wrote about Maplesville, and how much I thought they needed a shipping point for strawberries, and how I thought the farmers in that section ought to be raising more strawberries. Now the Kiwanis Club will be over in Maplesville tonight, meeting, eating and talking with farmers and business men over there, about that very thing, and I wish them all the good luck possible.

Maplesville is a good town. With something like twenty or more business houses, a bank, and mills and gins, and it's one of Chilton County's towns, too. There are two railroads that go through there, and the road from Clanton to Maplesville is in splendid condition, just a short drive. I hope that Clanton and Maplesville can get together better than they have in the past.

"He drew a circle that shut me out,
Heretic rebel, a thing to flout;
But Love and I had the wit to win,
We drew a circle that took him in."

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Excuse me for getting away from Clanton for a topic or two, but that topic is something worthwhile and I know it, don't you?

I note on the front page of C. G. N. this week that we have a new representative in Thorsby this week, and I hereby, therefore and whereas, extend my hand of welcome to Miss Edith Johnson of Thorsby, into the fine family of correspondents of C. G. N. I might also take it upon myself to congratulate the ed on securing this charming little lady as a Thorsby representative. Of course he don't know much about things like that, but I can tell him he displayed some real taste, not only in personality, but in competency and reliability. Miss Johnson is a member of one of those families to whom a good deal of credit is due for the settling of the Town of Thorsby many years ago. The News has several attractive young ladies as correspondents and representatives in various sections of the county, and I been trying to get the ed to give me a job of calling on them all, now and then—mostly now.

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Last week "The Mad Hatter" made an appearance in this column, and I'm sorry I could not make due recognition at that time, and I hereby make said recognition, and request that "The Mad Hatter" come again with another one of those poems, phrases, ditties, or whatever it was. Anyway it was good, and by the way, Mad Hatter, why not slip me your address next time, and maybe I can give you something worthwhile, sometime. I like the slant of your pen, and the movements you make when you write. But I ain't such a good mindreader, so come across with the info, and some more contribs. You live up there where Maud Lynn has her domicile, or that is, in the same town, and I been harboring an idea for sometime that I'm gonna round up that illustrious group of contributors, such as yourself, Maud, Jane Anne, the Great Dooker Booker, Tee See Eye, and others, and we are gonna have a big party together.

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And you who signs "The Lone Watcher" don't need to worry about that item you mentioned in regard to those three young ladies. I been having my eye on them and at the same time have suggested to them that they get in touch with the Great Dooker Pooker, maybe he will be able to help solve their problem. And too, next time you phone me, don't get me so mixed up with several other fellows like you did.

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Lately I've been wondering if there were any R. B.'s doing anything 'round town. There is getting to be quite a bit of things which needs attention 'round these parts, and grandma is not so well either. Honi soit qui mal y pense.

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Several years ago, something like maybe eight or seven, the city officials oiled the streets in town that are now paved. That was a great help, and a fine step. Don't know what the cost would be, and I imagine it would take a lot of oil, but I'd like to see the city officials oil some streets in town this summer. The street that leads up in front of the Baptist church, to the corner; Main Street, or second avenue, down at least to the cemetery, and at least just beyond the stores at West End, and the old highway leading in front of the Methodist church at least two blocks. Oiled streets are worthwhile, not only during summer months, but also during winter. It prevents them from being dusty in summer and slippery during wet winter months. I kind of hope the city will be able to do this soon.

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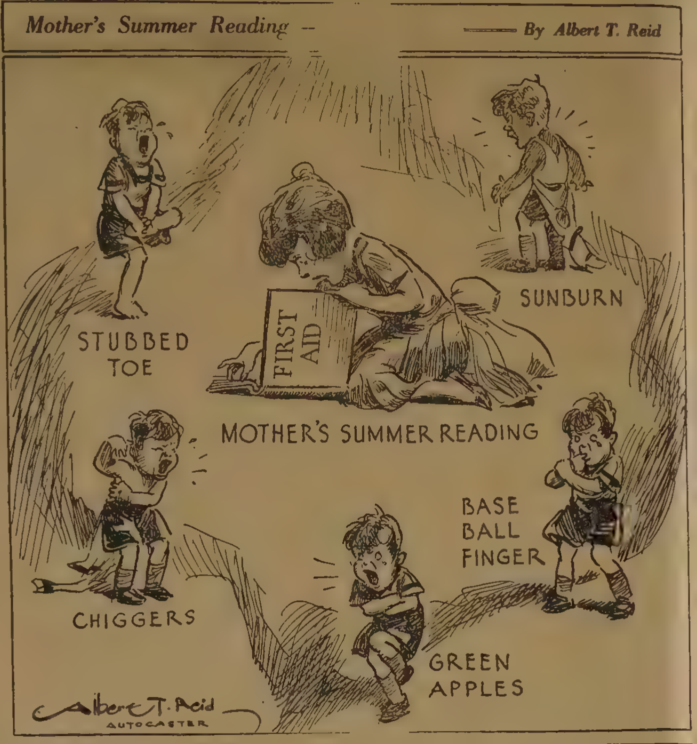
It's funny to me that the proper authorities have not already done something about this mad dog business. I noticed in last week's C. G. N. that five people in the county were bitten by the animals, and that the man in the laboratory at Montgomery said it was all due to carelessness—but whose carelessness? We have no County Health Unit, so who is supposed to look after such cases, when, where and how?

Mother's Summer Reading — By *Albert T. Reid*



Letters To The Editor

THE CHILTON COUNTY ALMSHOUSE HEARING

By W. T. Hand, Jemison, Ala.

Not Inclined To Impose On The Press Or Apologize To Chilton County

Complaint against treatment of inmates of the Almshouse caused the Commissioners Court to order, on June 1st, 1931, "a hearing" on the premises set for June 16th, 1931, to interrogate inmates and the Keeper and investigate all conditions impartially, inviting other evidence.

In a statement published June 25th, 1931, signed by L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate, J. E. Cobb, J. M. Mims, J. L. Burdett, A. P. Vinson, Commissioners, the following decision is noted: "and the court concluded that the charges were frivolous and the result of prejudice of certain parties against the Keeper, J. D. Bean."

A Few Extracts From Press Testimony

Inmate Shaver: "They didn't get enough to eat."

Inmate Teel: "For dinner we have Irish potatoes, cabbage or beans, cornbread and a glass of water if we want it. For supper we have cornbread and buttermilk and if there were any cold vegetables left over from dinner we have that and rice."

Inmate Allen: "It is enough food, owing to how hungry a fellow is."

Inmate Alice Newton: "He came into my room and beat me with a stick and he said, 'I'll beat hell out of you' He beat me around in the room and I decided he meant to kill me and stayed away for a couple of nights, my mind wasn't good, I hadn't done a thing in the world. I have seen Gip run in his room and said, "Lord, have mercy," and Mr. Bean was right behind him."

A Near Resident: "I saw Loyd Bean knock Gip down three times; inmates come to my house and say they are starving to death."

A Near Resident: "He saw J. D. Bean whip Gip."

Bill Lawson, a negro: "Mr. Bean got me to help bury one of the women of the Poorhouse and I really in a way thought it my duty and since that they replied to me it was against the administration of a negro to help bury a white lady and I toted the back end of the corpse."

Percy Pitts, Counsel for Keeper Bean, and Omar Reynolds, for the court, were present and there in the Keepers presence, so I am informed, Mr. Pitts was persistent in objecting to certain testimony the inmate tried to disclose and no attorney to aid them. Unwilling to suspend or modify in this case the practice of extracting the refined essence of pertinent testimony customary in conflicts of the free and the rich, seemingly this relentless fellow was willing to further humiliate these defenseless old people in their humble state, Mr. Pitts instructing the court stenographer to take down only such testimony as he directed.

It seems that my absence reflected profit for the defense, notwithstanding my prior notice that I would make no complaint against the management from June 1st to 16th, which period was the basis for the hearing. I am glad I was not present, a visionary picture of the exhibition is sufficient for me.

It appears that the testimony of some were not shown in Press reports others seem to vary. For instance, Ollie Brewer; Press quotes: "Told he saw one of the inmates at a funeral once and that the latter was dressed in poor clothing." I am informed that he swore, "I saw Gip McQueen at New Salem church at the funeral of Mr. Petty and he had on overalls that come just below his knees, with holes in them, and shoes wired on his feet."

Gilbert Kendrick, a negro who lives about 2½ miles distant, swore that an inmate made visits to his home and asked for food, so I am informed.

An affidavit by a woman past 82 (a former inmate, recently expelled) was delivered to Judge Reynolds, its contents being withheld.

Dr. Glenn Andrews, Prison Inspector, read his report of date June 8th, 1931, made to Governor Miller, eight days after the order for the hearing, even then numerous recommendations are made, such as: "several of the inmates are hospital cases requiring close attention; a practical nurse is to be placed in charge of the patients and rooms generally so soon as one that is competent can be had, so the Judge of Probate stated. An employed cook should also be in charge of the cooking. All the inmates should be required to bathe at regular intervals or as often as is necessary to keep them clean."

The patients should be restrained from going about the neighborhood. The Judge of Probate stated it was the purpose of the board to have the institution placed in a comfortable condition and to provide quarters for the negro patients as soon as the new building could be occupied. Dr. Andrews did not refer to the condition there as shown by affidavits of inmates, taken by his agents last December, even denying the writer the privilege of seeing them, after inviting him to Montgomery for that purpose, however, I had formerly seen copies of a number of them and in each case affiant swore "We do not get enough to eat." Comment is restrained.

In his letter to the court he stated: "Please note the recommendations as pointed out in the ~~report and institute~~ such measures as are necessary to carry them out." My latest inquiry fails to show that an employed cook has relieved Mrs. Shaver, about 76, cooking about eight years for inmates, or that a practical nurse has been employed, and if any other regulations have been carried out except revoking their freedom, I am not informed of it.

It will be a joyful day if soap and towels are provided and no doubt they will delight in bathing.

The writer endeavored to stop the practice of slavery and involuntary servitude enforced upon inmates, without success, and now with their liberty, as well as their sufferance rights, denied these bonds are tightened, notwithstanding our Federal and State Constitutions, recite that "no form of slavery or involuntary servitude shall exist."

Aside from the complaint in behalf of the living attention is invited to the testimony of the negro, Bill Lawson, who was a pall-bearer at a funeral, termed "frivolous charges" by the court, which only goes to show the estimate and little regard held by the administration in Chilton County for this high calling.

Considering their verdict of "fri lous charges" the average mind comes stupefied and perception understanding is made blunt at any tempt to alleviate this irreco ila spectacle.

The same negro stated, not as e dence, that when the inmate, Mrs M tle Lawrence, about 35, died about J 1st, 1931, he "laid her in the coff with assistance, altho Dr. Wood the dead were turned over to the dertaker and Judge Reynolds di know how long it had been the tom.

My record shows "she washed Mr. Bean's family and all inmates cept about five, and other work, ing, making beds, cleaning house though both arms had been paraly Worked longer than able; mind ered said "Prayed all night last ni going to pray all night to-night; working."

"The dope was put in her arm long time, could not be woke up, keeper nor any of his family pre when she died. Poor, dejected he sick slave, the Poorhouse had been abode for about 17 years." Her mo died before she entered and her fa several years ago.

Lack of proper regard for these fortunate castaways is apparent, signed to the work-house, called "Human Dumping Ground," shut from society, walks, and the cultiv portion of the community, deprive that fellowship and familiar interco without which life itself is but a dr existence. "The poor committeth self unto thee." Mild and brief comment concludes—Ill-treated in dishonored in death.

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The Scrap Book

TRULY GREAT

By William H. Davie

My walls outside must have
flowers,
My walls within must have
books;
A house that's small; a garden l
And in it leafy nooks,

A little gold that's sure each we
That comes not from my living
But from a dead man in his gr
Who cannot change his mind.

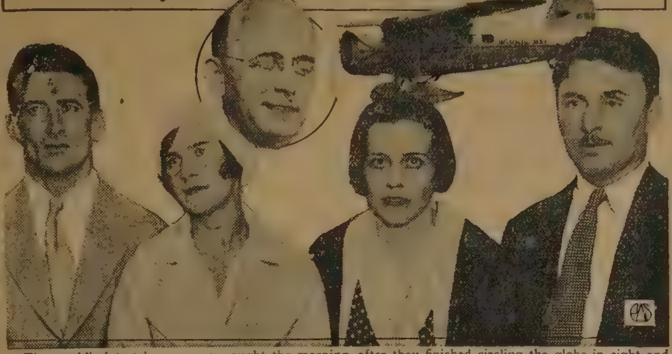
A lovely wife, and gentle, too;
Contented that no eyes but mi
Can see her many charms, nor w
To call her beauty fine.

Where she would in that stone
live,
A self-made prisoner, with me
While many a wild bird sang, an
On gate, on bush, on tree.

And she sometimes to answer th
In her far sweeter voice than
Till birds, that loved to look on
Will doat on a stone wall.

With this small house, this garden
This little gold, this lovely ma
With health in body, peace at h
Show me a man more great.

World's Flyers With Their Wives, Backer and Plane



The world's latest heroes were caught the morning after they finished circling the globe in eight and two-third days. Left to right are Harold Gatty and his wife, and Mrs. Wiley Post and her famous husband. At top are shown Florence C. Hall, backer of the flight, and the Winnie Mae.

Humorettes

Chlorinda—So there was some hot necking at your house last night?

Esmeralda—Yeah. Uncle George got too near the gas jet with his celluloid collar!

Judge—I understand that you prefer charges against this man?

Grocer—No, sir. I prefer cash, and that's what I had him brought here for.

Lawyer (taunting witness)—Have you ever been in jail.

Witness—Yes,sir; once.

Lawyer—Ah! For how long?

Witness—Just long enough to whitewash a cell which was to be occupied by a lawyer who had robbed dozens of his clients.

The world's champion coffee-drinker is 73-year-old Joseph Peclet of Newark, N. J., who averages 50 to 60 cupfulls daily.

We

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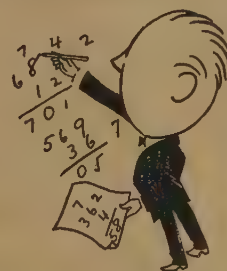
this way



—only quality work, prompt service, at reasonable prices would build our business. That has been our program and we are still on the main line. For instance —your linen suit properly laundered and correctly pressed for only 60 cents.

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Free Wheeling

B. E. Warren, Editor of the Nashua (N. H.) Telegram, says:

"Free wheeling may be all right for automobiles and pleasure, but no business can be maintained at a successful pace with the advertising clutch disengaged.

"For more than thirty years in this community I have never known a firm to fail that had used newspaper advertising consistently and intelligently. I have noted many failures directly traceable to a business policy that excluded newspaper advertising.

"People read the home town newspaper both for the news and the advertising. Both must be interesting. The well balanced home town newspaper has been, and will continue to be, the most important development factor to the home town merchant.

"Fish are frequently caught by occasionally dragging a line through the water, but the best string invariably come to the lures of the consistent and persistent angler. By the same token, business success come more quickly and in larger volume to the merchant who adopts a liberal newspaper advertising policy, stocks the goods the public will buy and follows the golden rule of truth in advertising."

—By Edson R. Waite,
Shawnee, Oklahoma.

Chilton County News

For Chilton County

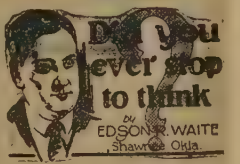
CLANTON BRINGS VICTORY IN FIRST BALL GAME OF SEASON

The Clanton baseball team started the season off in a splendid way when they brought defeat to the team of the Southern Shops, of Selma, last week by a score of five to three.

Baker for Clanton with four times at the bat brought in three hits, while Pratt Busby and Littlejohn came next in rank with two hits at five and four times at bat. Nivens, Taylor and Watkins each made one hit for Clanton. Runs for Clanton were made by Pratt Busby, Phillip Foshee, D. Baker, T. Littlejohn, and Watkins.

For Selma. E. Phillips and Burtley each made two hits from four times at bat.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Green of Montgomery were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. DeLoach of Clanton.



C. G. Roseberry, editor of The Shawnee (Okla.,) Morning News, says:

"When you purchase the articles you need you not only receive the goods purchased but also you make it possible for someone to buy the merchandise you sell or to operate his business so as to give you employment.

"Our civilization is so complex that when any group of people quit buying the services and commodities they need, all business suffers. At times prices get so high a man may decide to wait awhile until they come down to the level he thinks they should reach. No one can object to that.

"However. at a time like this when everyone concedes that prices are very low—too low in fact, there is no excuse for a buyer's strike. In fact, under present conditions, it is one's duty to buy all the things he and his family needs and to anticipate some at least of his future wants. Thus will he do his part in giving momentum to our industrial machine.

"Merchants and manufacturers can assist the forward looking program by hard work and extensive advertising. There never was a time when advertising was a greater necessity than now. It does a double duty. Besides doing the job of selling the merchandise on hand, it creates confidence in the future good business of the country. Doing a thing when it is timely is sometimes as important as doing it at all."

"Buy now, and 'Advertise Now," are certainly appropriate and timely slogans."

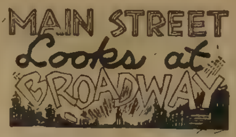
Summer days ought to give room for vacation. Everyone needs a holiday and there is no time like summer.

The change of life is a normal stage in life's journey and need bring no dread to the sensible woman.

After 50 years, Henry Brown and Alice Russell, childhood sweethearts of Detroit, have been married.

One hundred and twenty pairs of trousers were sold at 18 cents each at a sale of policemen's cast-off clothing in Baltimore.

Matt's
Lunch Shoppe
EXTENDS
A CORDIAL INVITATION
TO
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Higgins
To Dine With Them As
Their Special Guests
Sunday, July 19, 1931



CITY FRIGHT—

Everybody who visits New York is seized at some time or other with a sense of panic at its immensity, no matter how well travel seasoned they save become. Practically every noted foreigner, from Dr. Albert Einstein to the youngest British flapper, yields at some time or other to this feeling.

People in country towns who may have kept away from the city because of their innate fear of the town ought to cinquer this feeling and spend some time here. It is more than a liberal education.

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No Real Danger—

Life here is as safe as in any spot on earth, in spite of the monsters that roar in the subways, clatter on the elevated railroads and screech on the streets. That noise is what saves lives, probably. At the same time it is nerve-shaking to the stranger, from its potential menace.

Being lost in this enormous city is no great shakes. All one has to do is step up to some one of its 19,000 policemen and let him straighten out your mental tangle. Years ago they earned the name of "The Finest" and there is no reason to think of them as otherwise, even in these days of newspaper exposes.

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Auto Tourists—

Hardly an hour passes, day or night, that one cannot see an automobile carrying a load of farm folks out to see the sights of a great city, bowling along through the heart of Longacre Square—the focus of all this country's theatrical activities. Nothing is missing on most of these autos; the tent strapped on the running board; camp parahernalia piled in, rusty old baggage, and dad up front in his shirt sleeves calmly moseying along past the friendly traffic cops; and mother in calico getting an eyeful while soothing her unruly brood.

Everybody they stop to ask for directions takes pleasure in helping them along and, even if they don't stay long in the city but hike right out to some tourist camp, they get to see the greatest show on earth at a minimum of expense and effort. It's a good stunt for anybody in the country who is wondering where to go for a vacation.

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Transportation—

No city in the whole world has as complex a system of street cars. It takes weeks before one learns just where they all go to, the problem being intensified by the subways, where one loses all sense of direction and can rely only upon the verbal directions given by the guards on the station platforms. And a lot of those fellows don't know any too much about the city.

On the Second Avenue Elevated Road the difficulties are added to by the type of trainmen employed. Most of them appear to have left Ireland only a few weeks before and their brogue is often too rich for an ordinary American to understand what they are trying to tell you. The man who hires for that road must be a full-fledged Irishman with an intense love for the the Ould Sod.

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A Busy Spot—

Perhaps the busiest spot in the whole world, judging by the number of people who pass by it, is Greeley Square at Thirty-fourth street and Broadway. No fewer than seven double lines of rails cross the intersection. And they run on five different levels, three being underground, three on the street level and one on the Elevated track and besides them are many buses.

Within a block of the corner one may ride in the elevators of the Empire State Building for 102 floors above the street, besides going some six floor below, if one can get by the janitor. To those with a spark of adventure left, this city offers several weeks of gargeous exploration possibilities and will form an unforgettable experience.

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Latchstring Always Out—

New York has an unwritten law to treat all visitors well. Local drivers are hauled off to court for any infraction of the law and dealt with summarily. But let your license plate bear a North Carolina, Ohio or Iowa license and all you get, unless you kill a pedestrian, is a smiling order from the cop to "watch what you are doing!"

We know one man who moved here from Michigan three years ago who still carries an up-to-date Detroit license— just to get that extra touch of courtesy paid to visitors.

In protest against late "lighting up" hours, hundreds of residents made oil lamps out of jam jars and tied them to the city lamp posts in Sudbury, Eng.

HILL'S

A Few Week-End Specials

SPLIT SILK
Flour 24 lb. bag 55c

PURE HOG
LARD 8 lb. pail 90c

BEST QUALITY
White meat side 12½

HILL'S SPECIAL — GUARANTEED TO PLEASE
Coffee 6 lbs. $1.00

BLUE ROSE
RICE 5 lbs. 25c

EXPORT
SOAP 8 bars 25c

FRUIT JARS
Half Gallons $1.05
Quarts 78c
Pints 65c

CLOTH BAG.
SUGAR 10 lbs. 55c

DILL'S
Pickles qt. jar 17c

Salmon per can 10c

Vinegar gallon 25c
BRING YOUR JUG

FULL CREME
CHEESE lb. 19c

CALUMET or RUMFORD
Baking Powder lb. can 29c
K-C 25-Oz. Can - 25c

Crackers lb. box 15c

Hill Grocery Company
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STOP AT THE

300 RATES
Rooms $2.00
300 $2.50
Baths $3.00
$3.50

ROBERT FULTON HOTEL
The South's most modern hotel. Every room with private bath—radio—circulating ice water—ceiling fan and servidor.
J. J. PAGE, Jr., Manager
Atlanta, Georgia

HOT DOG VS. COLLEGE

George J. Deck of Buffalo was poor but ambitious when at the age of 18 he determined to have a college education. But hot dogs blocked his way.

Casting about for some means of earning his way through college, Deck tried running a hot dog stand and met success beyond his fondest expectations. Business was so good that he could not take time to go to school. Soon he opened additional stands, all of which prospered.

Recently he bought out six competitors and now has what virtually amounts to a "hot dog trust" in his home city, with a warehouse, a bakery, a butcher shop, a fleet of 12 trucks and 16 hot dog stands. His annual turnover is more than $500,000 and he draws from his business a salary equal to that of the President of the United States—$75,000 a year.

But it looks as if he will have to worry along without a college degree. Still he holds a very desirable, if not dignified, title. He is known as "the hot dog king."

Because the shoe fitted her, a woman accused of throwing it through a neighbor's window was fined 62 cents in court in Chicago.

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9 tubes, 4 screen grids, over-Buy your new Philco Now. Features of new 1932 Philco, size improved electrodynamic speaker, 4-point tune control and static modifier, and many other new features.

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Circle Number Six Met Last Monday Afternoon.

The members of Circle No. 6 met at the home of Mrs. Bama Cox and Mrs. Grady Taylor Monday afternoon. Mrs. A. C. Smith, chairman, conducted the devotional. The Royal Service program with songs, was enjoyed by all present. This was a splendid meeting, with 17 present. Those present were Wesdames F. M. Connell, J. A. Hester, E. Wagoner, P. D. Wilson, D. W. Wingard, J. Hardy, Calloway, A. C. Smith, E. G. Hyman, McEathern, J. B. Atkinson, Miss Laura Robinson, and Miss Bettie Mullins. Visitors for the afternoon were Mrs. J. F. Bates of Vincent and Mrs. Ross. Mrs. Cox and Mrs. Taylor served delightful refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Headley, and O'Dell Headley returned Friday afternoon from a motor trip to Nashville and Gallatin, Tennessee, where they spent several days with friends and relatives.

Miss Sallye B. Baldwin who has been studying at the State Teachers College in Florence, returned to her home in Mt. Creek Saturday.

R. L. Williams who resides on Route Three was a visitor to Clanton last Friday. While in town Mr. Williams called at the News office to renew his subscription.

A. A. Jackson, a prominent resident and merchant of Lomax was among the business visitors to Clanton Saturday. Mr. Jackson is a good example of a real independent farmer. He has a large peach orchard at his place in Lomax, and received a neat sum this year from the sale of peaches. He also operates a general merchandise store there. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson have a nice home, and are the proud parents of several children, all living and making good in the world. Mr. Jackson is one of those fellows who believes in the right for everybody.

Mrs. A. S. Prince has had as her guests for several days, Mrs. Paul Ousley, and son, Neal, of Deatsville. While here, Mrs. Ousley was honored by Mrs. Prince with a bridge party. Mrs. Ousley was at one time a resident of Clanton, where Mr. Ousley was employed by the L & N Railroad. He has been transferred from Deatsville to Birmingham where he is now located.

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MR. AND MRS. CECIL SMITH OF FLA. VISITING HERE

Hon. and Mrs. Cecil Smith and two children, Patricia and Cecelia, of Lakeland, Fla., arrived in Clanton last Friday to spend several days with relatives. Mr. Smith is widely known throughout this section, and is a prominent attorney of Lakeland, also. He is the son of Hon. and Mrs. A. C. Smith of Clanton. Mr. and Mrs. Smith and children made the trip from Florida by motor and expect to spend approximately a week or more in the county.

Mrs. Horsley White, Thelma and Essie White have returned from a delightful visit to Lagrange and Atlanta, Georgia.

Circle Number Five Met Monday Afternoon.

Circle No. 5 met at the home of Mrs. J. P. Hayes Monday afternoon. An interesting program, interspersed with music was given. A short business session followed, during which Mrs. Hayes served delicious ice cream and cake. Those present were Mrs. J. E. Gowan, Mrs. Horsley White, Mrs. Esco, Mrs. Virgil Harris, Mrs. J. W. Billingsley, Mrs. Frank Foshee, Mrs. Irene Rasberry, Mrs. Lessie Lowery, Mrs. D. Y. Johnston, and Mrs. Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Heflin and son, James Duke, visited friends near Prattville, last Sunday.

Miss Gladys Henley, of Montgomery, is the attractive guest this week of Miss Carrie Foshee. Miss Henley at one time made her home in Clanton and attended the schools here, being a popular member of the younger social set of Clanton.

Miss Avis Grantham, of Troy, and a member of the local grammar school faculty, has been spending several days in Clanton visiting friends.

Miss Mary Louise Pack, who has been conducting a summer school at the grammar school here, left the latter part of last week for her home in Sprott, Ala.

Miss Bernice Williams, of Montgomery, and a member of the local high school faculty, has been spending several days in Clanton visiting friends.

Misses Zora Guy and Lona Thompson were the week-end guests of Misses Bonnie Clyde and Imogene Griffin at their attractive country home in Isabella.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bates and Gordon Bates of Vincent, Ala., were guests of Hon. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson last Sunday. Mrs. Bates remained in Clanton to spend several days with Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson.

R. L. Ousley, one of the prominent merchants of the fine little settlement of Pletcher, was among the visitors to Clanton last Saturday.

Will Gulledge, prominent business man and merchant of Verbena, was among the business visitors to Clanton Saturday.

Billingsley News

Rev. A. S. Bentley is in a revival meeting at Jones this week, being assisted by Rev. S. L. Heath of Hartselle, Ala.

Miss Daisy Sharp of the Baptist Orphanage at Troy is spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hughes and visiting the other members of the W. M. S.

Mr. Robert Moore of Lake Haven, Fla., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. King.

Miss Mabel King of Alabama College at Montevallo was the guest of home folks for the week end.

Miss Inez Patrick is visiting Miss Margaret Hall in Birmingham.

Mr. W. T. Patrick of Montgomery spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Patrick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Simmons of the University spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Beadlescomb.

Mr. Will Burkhalter is seriously ill at his home here.

Mrs. A. S. Bentley was caled to Colena Monday by the serious illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Uel Nummy returned Wednesday to their home in Birmingham after a visit with relatives. They were accompanied home by Mrs. B. F. Nummy.

Those who attended the B. Y. P. U. Convention at Indian Grave church on Sunday afternoon were Messrs. G. T. Dickinson, James Bentley, Sam Nummy, Mrs. J. C. Hughes, Misses Daisy Sharp and Mabel King.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Overstreet announce the birth of a son, July 9th, whom they have named Willie Leon.

At the wedding of Ruth Long and Walter Lowe in St. Louis, a black cat strolled into the church during the ceremony and sat at the couple's feet.

Mrs. Rita Nickel of Washington sued a department store for $50,000 because a male employe opened the door of a closet in which she was trying on a dress.

QUARTERLY MEETING OF UNITY ASSOCIATION

To be held at Jones Baptist Church, July 22, 1931.

Theme: Christian Education.

10:00 A. M. Song, Watchword, prayer.

10:10: Devotional—In the Ways of Obedience, Rev. A. S. Bentley. Psalm 19:7-14.

10:30 Business: Five minute talks by associational officers.

11:20 Resolutions of Southern W. M. U. Special Music, Jones Church.

11:30 Talk: What Can Our Women Do to Promote Christian Education, Dr. L. G. Cleverdon, President of Judson College.

Brief report of the Southern Baptist Convention, Mrs. J. C. Hughes.

What the Boys' Camp at Grandview Meant to Me, Letter from John Ezell, by an R. A. from Billingsley.

Adjourn for lunch.

Afternoon Program

1:30 Song, by Sunbeams.

Devotional by G. A.'s (each giving a favorite passage of Scripture and repeating G. A. Allegiance in concert

R. A. Drille—(Leader having bo give watchword, colors, song, yell, et recognize boys who have passed ran of Page, Squire, Knight or Ambassador) Mr. Geo. Dickinson.

2:00 Music by Y. W. A.'s.

An Introduction to Student Life Judson College, Julia Ruth Hester.

What Judson Has Meant to Me, Mi Mary Ellis.

What Howard College Has Meant Me, Rev. Paul Oden.

Judson Plan Explained, Key Woma of Association.

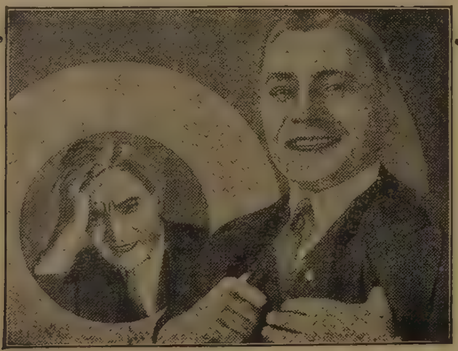
Special Prayer for our Denominational Schools, and for our boys an girls of college age.

Announcements, Committees repor Election of Nominating Committee.

Song. Benediction.

John Beard and George Stonterf near St. Louis were fined $5 for tyin a can to the tail of a dog which re fused to leave their farm.

Two bandits blew a police whistle stop Vincent Costello of Pittsburg i his motor car and robbed him of $1,3



Headache! Everybody has it once in a while. It may be due to a thousand and one different causes.

The way to cure a Headache is to find and remove the cause. Suppose it takes days or weeks to find the cause—what will you do in the meantime? Continue to suffer?

Why should you, when you can get

DR. MILES' ANTI-PAIN PILLS

They relieve quickly.

Use them for muscular pains and functional pains even when these pains are so severe that you think you are suffering from Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago.

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HEARTBURN
HEADACHE
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A PREACHER'S FAREWELL

Probably it is an old story, but anyway it's full of logic. A preacher had been greatly discouraged and had sought a new field of labor. He happened to have a friend in the governor, to whom he appealed, and not in vain. He got a political job. In taking leave of his flock he said:

"Brothers and sisters, I must say good-bye.

"I don't think God loves you, because none of you ever die.

"I don't think you love each other, because none of you ever get married.

"I don't think you love me, because you have not paid my salary.

"Your donations are moldy fruit and wormy apples—and by their fruits ye shall know them.

"I am going to a better place. I am going to be chaplain of the penitentiary.

"Where I go ye can not yet come, but I go to prepare a place for you, and may the good Lord have mercy upon you. Good-bye."

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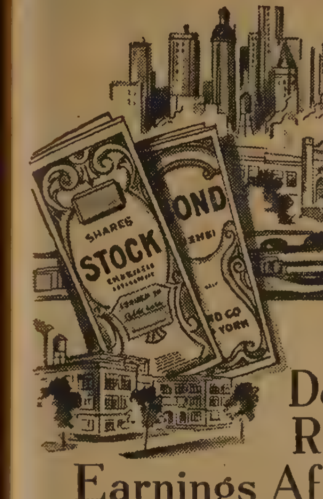

How Decreased Railroad Earnings Affect *You*

Every reader of this newspaper is directly or indirectly concerned with the prosperous operation of American railroads as will be shown in this announcement. Read it carefully so that *you* may be impressed with the necessity for greater cooperation with the railroads and more equitable laws and regulations governing other forms of transportation.

At the close of last year 1,350,000 employes were in the service of the railroads, and this figure was over 400,000 less than five years before and fewer than at any time since 1909.

In the past five years this railroad has found it necessary, on account of competing forms of transportation and depressed business, to reduce its force by more than 18,700 employes—men and women who are capable, good citizens and assets to the community in which they live. Railroad employes are patrons of every line of business and professional activity.

Less patronage and lower earnings have forced the railroads to materially reduce their expenditures for fuel, products of iron and steel mills and various items of materials and supplies; numerous stations and ticket offices have been closed and many trains discontinued. These conditions have been observed and felt by almost everyone.

The Railroads Must Earn To Spend

¶ There is scarcely a family in all America that is not affected by railroad prosperity, or lack of it. This is evidenced by the widely-held securities, stocks and bonds, in the hands of the American people; all American institutions, financial, educational, etc., as well as forming the basis of many trust estates. Fourteen billion dollars worth of railroad bonds and ten billion dollars worth of railroad stocks are held by the public and these institutions.

It is to *your* interest, therefore, to assist the railroads in regaining their lost ground by patronizing them; and by helping them to solve the problems confronting them as the result of unjust and unfair competition with other forms of transportation operating for hire.

THE OLD RELIABLE L&N (LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE R.R.)

The steam railroads built this nation. They saved it in time of war and they must continue to be the backbone of its transportation structure. This they cannot do without the active support of travelers and shippers and a fair field of competition.

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You can't fail with Cadick's Gold Dust (It's White!) or Cadick's Ca-Mi-Co (It's White!). They are made from the finest soft wheat grown, and made especially for cakes, pastries and biscuits.

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MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

The "Hello Girl" in the central office comes in for a lot of unjust criticism. She is not all wise, but by many she is thought to be. She is not all powerful, but demands are made of her that involves this endowment. She is not super-natural, and yet if she were to meet all demands, she would have to be. She is made of flesh, bones, blood and nerves, and yet she is often dealt with as though she had none of these. I heard a woman speaking to the girl in the central office one day, and I would not dare put what was said on paper. After the fit of anger was over, this woman boasted, "Believe me, I got that gal told!" We are not saying that all is perfection in the Central office, but we are saying that sweetness, patience, kindness, unselfishness are good things to have at the receiver end of the telephone line.

A young man moved to Clanton in January. He did not have a job, but he did not sit down and wait for one to come to him. He washed cars, he raked rubbish, he planted gardens, he ran errands, he unloaded cars, he picked strawberries, he swept floors. This young man was willing to work, and all who knew him, saw that there was not a lazy bone in his body. Now that young fellow has a steady job at sixty dollars per month. The job was given to him because it was known that he wanted to make honest dollars. The work that he is now doing calls for brawn and perspiration, but the boy is happy on his job, and he will make good. Have you not seen strong, able men, sitting around wishing for dollars to roll toward them. I saw a little negro one day chasing a rabbit. I called to him, "Rastus, why run the rabbit in the blazing sun?" The teeth of the youngster shined like cat eyes at night as he glanced at me and then increased in speed. "Boss, I jes am got to ketch dis rabbit, or dare am no dinner at our house today," and the squeal of the rabbit was soon in the air. Where there is a will, there is a way. Having a sure enough willingness to work, helps in securing a job. Dollars have ceased to roll toward people. If you have them you have got to get out and chase them. They must be overtaken, or there will be no dollars in your house today.

I stood on the shore at Gragg's camp below Lay Dam, and watched the doctor as he amused himself and his guests in his speed boat. The powerful little engine was given all the gas it could consume, and the propeller pushed the craft at thirty miles per hour. The Doctor said, "I am going to stir the water," and he did. The boat was driven out and in, round and round. The water dashed and splashed, it leaped and plunged, it rippled and rolled, it parted and rushed together, and soon that part of the Coosa tide was one restless sea of roaring waves. The Doctor drove his boat to the shore and in a few moments the waves ceased to roll and there came to that disturbed water all of its former peace and beauty. There are many people who jump into the sea of life to create a commotion. They dash and splash, they rip and roar, they push and plunge and soon there is nothing but waves and confusion. Soon the man in the boat is landed on the shore of time, and he is hardly gone before the waters calm and the sea is at peace. You may think that you are a rip-roaring success, but when you are gone there will be a few dying splashes and you will be forgotten. I have long since ceased to worry about the fellow who jumps into the stream of life, "To stir the water."

Let me tell you about a certain man He is that fellow whom you know, who has a dominating passion for three good meals each day. He wants his table well filled and his coffee with sugar and cream. He wants good clothes to cover up his body. His hat must be just right, his tie must be in order, his clothes must fit like his skin and his shoes must shine while they try to hide out a big foot. He wants plenty of sleep. His bed must be comfortable, it must be fanned by the cooling breezes, no barking dog must disturb him in the midnight hours and no honking horn must molest his pleasant dreams. He wants plenty of attention from his fellow-man. They must gather about him saying, "Great is this wonderful gopher." They must pet him and call him by choice names and make much of his littleness. Such a man is superior to the Oyster only in his corporal size. Such a man opens his mouth to feed and enjoy himself, but he never opens his hands to serve his fellowman. He is a great big flabby, shabby, gawky, squawky gander, who should be an oyster and not a man.

Some father spoke a cross word to his child, and the heart of the little one was crushed. Was that father you? Some mother slapped the jaw of the little tot pulling at her apron strings, and scolded in a way that broke a little spirit. Was that mother you? Some parents got up last Sunday and were too lazy and indifferent to attend church and Sunday school, and as a result the children in that home are growing up for the jail and the gang. Are those parents any of you? Somebody stood on the street corner while the deep-toned pipe organ played the prelude, but he refused to heed the call to worship. Was that somebody you? Somebody slipped off into the dark and committeed a crime than can not be mentioned. Was that somebody you? Somebody will knock on the door of God's Jerusalem, but the door will not open. Will that somebody be you?

WHY DO PEOPLE DIE OF TUBERCULOSIS?

"If tuberculosis is being conquered so quickly why do so many still die of it?" asked a young teacher.

The answer is that the man in the street—(quite often he is the man who has tuberculosis) does not yet know enough about the disease. The campaign of education must go on. Patients who do have the disease must know all about safe-guarding others. Those who do not have it must learn how to develop resistance.

Dr. Christmas Seal urges the importance of early recognition. One of the greatest errors a sick person can commit is to say "Yes, I have a cough. But I'm not going to a chest clinic or a doctor because I'm afraid they will say I have tuberculosis." On the face of it such an attitude is rank folly; yet how many, many of our citizens display it. If one has the least suspicion of tuberculosis the only sane thing to do is to get medical advice and begin rest treatment without a day's delay. Such patients get well.

The first attack of tuberculosis is the one most easily met. It is when the patient reaches the advanced stage before he begins to fight that tuberculosis becomes hopeless.

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Clanton, Alabama

Excerpts From L & N Employe's Magazine

Of the 4,853 grade crossing accidents in 1930, 1,276 or approximately 25 per cent were caused by drivers of motor vehicles crashing into the side of trains, according to the L & N Employes' Magazine for July. That publication also points out that 248 persons were killed and 1,771 injured in such accidents. Passenger automobiles alone striking the side of trains in 1930 number 1,130, killing 214 persons. In many instances the auto drivers first crashed through crossing gates before striking the trains.

"The Public does get something for nothing," declares a writer in the July number of the L & N Employes' Magazine. In an article dealing with the General Development Department of the L & N Railroad, which has been in existence for 31 years and which now numbers 27 people, this writer explains how the railroad aids in populating the waste lands along its territory; how its agricultural experts aid the farmers with their problems of agronomy, live stock raising, marketing, etc., and how its industrial agents assist in the location of new and the expansion of established industries in the territory served by the L & N. This service, according to the author, is absolutely free and no strings attached.

It has been said that an umbrella is anybody's property. So is a fish story —but an acceptance of its veracity is up to one's own judgment. J. P. Marrillia, L & N Veteran, Louisville, wishing to reassure members of the L & N Veterans' Club that there will be plenty of fish on hand for the free fish fry to be given by the Club on August 15, gives a rather remarkable illustration of the piscatorial ability of one W. H. Ford, L & N Veteran, Rocky Hill, Ky., who had agreed to catch and furnish the fish.

It seems from Mr. Marrillia's account in the July L & N Magazine that Mr. Ford went angling in the Green River, near Brownville, Ky., just by way of keeping his hand in. With a heavy line and strong hook, and a small sparrow for bait he cast and immediately got a strike. Pulling in he was disappointed to see only a small half-pound bream. During a moment of indecision Fisherman Ford felt a strong tug on his line and was surprised to find that a three pound catfish had swallowed the bream and was himself hooked.

Feeling that a three-pounder wasn't so bad for the first strike the angler began to haul in his line but hadn't got far before he began to think that catfish had turned into a whale. With the assistance of two friends he finally managed to land the catch and was amazed to find that a 46-pound catfish had swallowed the little three-pounder, hook, line, bream and all, and couldn't turn loose.

Employes whose retirements were reported in the L & N Magazine for July, include: Henry T. Wene, 201 Truetlan St., Nashville, Tenn., conductor, 48 years in service; John L. Enoch, 919 N. Fifth St., Nashville, Tenn., master mechanic, 47 years; Dan BeDell, 721 S. 8th St., Louisville, Ky., yard foreman, 48 years; John Warnke, 304 W. 34th St., Covington, Ky., engineer, 44 years; David W. McAmis, 1911 Howell St., Covington, Ky., engine carpenter, 41 years; Cassius E. Corbin, 704 S. 12th St., Youisville, Ky., conductor, 37 years; **Robert Arledge, Mt. Creek, Ala., section foreman, 32 years.** John E. White, 929 E. Gadsden St., Pensacola, Fla., master mechanic, 31 years.

THOMAS JUNIOR 4-H CLUB NEWS

The Thomas Junior 4-H Club boys held a picnic on Thursday, July 9th, at Oscar Norman's camp. We had a most enjoyable time, good swimming. Mr. Walter Moore was kind enough to cary us down. He and Mr. Bud Parrish were chaperones. Present were Newburn Jones, Hollis Thornton, Lee Allen Miner, Roy Smith, Jim Miller, J. W. Driver, Osmond Glenn, Argus Pressley, Earl Dukes, Gerald Miller, Erskine Parrish, George Moore, Aaron Gray Mr. Stapp was with us in the afternoon.

The Thomas Junior 4-H Club held its regular meeting Saturday, July 11. We are working on a county-wide vetch campaign. Our club is working for the prize to be awarded to the club getting the most and largest order

Our club suggest that every club member meet and go before the commissioners court next time they meet and ask for help on our camp

We are going to make a trip over the boys' projects Monday, July 20th. Every member is urged to be at the schoolhouse at seven o'clock

A. B. PRESSLEY,
Reporter.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION

Peoples Savings Bank

Clanton, Alabama

June 30, 1931

RESOURCES:

Loans & Discounts		$292,655.98
Overdrafts		491.32
Banking House		2,700.00
Furniture-Fixtures		3,372.25
Real Estate		14,346.66
Stocks & Bonds	$ 44,287.98	
Cash in vault and due from Banks	68,867.10	
		113,155.08
Total		$426,721.29

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 50,000.00
Surplus & Undivided Profits	70,075.29
Deposits	306,646.00
Total	$426,721.29

Men and Figures

A bank's solvency is more than a matter of figures A balanced statement of condition, with its array of figures is accepted by the public in confidence proportionate to the confidence in the men behind the figures. There is a value that is not shown in figures—it is the value that lies in men. The Peoples Savings Bank's service to you is based on men of tried character.

Thirty Years of Safety

My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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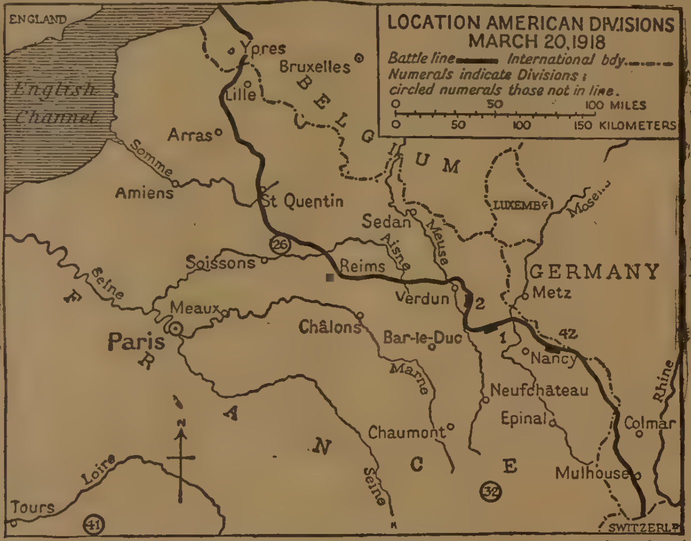
W. N. U. Service.

Petain Favored Defensive.

General Petain thought that for the present the allies would be forced to remain on the defensive because of lack of men. He said the French army had ninety-seven divisions with an infantry strength of from 5,000 to 6,000 men each, some thirty-odd of these divisions being in reserve and the rest in the trenches, besides eight cavalry divisions, two of which were dismounted and six mounted.

All divisions he thought could be kept up until April if there should be no fighting, but later on, even without a battle, he would have to break up five divisions to maintain the others, the six mounted cavalry divisions would have to be reduced to four, and before the end of the year the total force would have to be reduced by twenty divisions.


LOCATION AMERICAN DIVISIONS MARCH 20,1918

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Numerals indicate Divisions; circled numerals those not in line.

Foch Was for Counteroffensive.

General Foch declared that the best means of halting a strong and persistent offensive was a powerful counteroffensive.

"The German offensive at Verdun was stopped not by our resistance there but by our offensive on the Somme in 1916," said General Foch. "Such an operation is possible only when foreseen and prepared beforehand. In planning the counteroffensive I think that the entire front must be considered as a whole and not the French as one part and the British as another. The plan must envisage them together preparing for offensive action on a common battlefield with all the forces at their disposal."

General Robertson expressed accord with Foch, but he did not see where or with what means such an offensive could be executed, and stated that the war could not be won by remaining on the defensive.

"Give us back the troops from Salonika and we will commence offensives," said General Haig.

"We were not speaking of offensives, but of counteroffensives," General Foch replied.

General Robertson remarked that of course the French and British could reinforce each other and make counterattacks, and then asked: "Could they do more than that?"

"Not without the Americans," General Petain answered him.

Dependent Upon U. S.

General Robertson then said: "I think our only hope lies in American reserves," and he wanted to hear from me.

I stated that but few of the allied authorities seemed to realize that American participation would depend upon the amount of shipping available for the transportation of our troops and that the time when they would be needed was near at hand. As there had been some reference to amalgamation, I also took occasion to emphasize the point that we expected as a matter of course that the American army would have its own front as an independent force and not be used merely as a reserve to be sent here and there. One insuperable reason, I said, why we could not amalgamate with the Frnech was the difference in language, and I added that we would not use our troops in that way at all unless it became absolutely necessary.

I then discussed our problems, calling attention to the delays at the French ports and our shortage of rail transportation, and touched on the backward state of procurement of equipment, munitions and airplanes. They all appeared surprised to learn of our difficulties, especially General Foch, although, even as chief of the general staff, he apparently could not interfere in matters handled directly by the ministry. It was astonishing to find how little comprehension any of them had of the enormous task that confronted the Americans.

Foch said: "None of these questions has been referred to me," whereupon Petain retorted that "one should not wait until such things are brought to his attention, but should look around and find them." Petain added at once that he would send an official to study our situation, and Haig later sent one of his officers, who offered many suggestions out of his own experience.

It was the sense of the conference that every assistance should be given us in getting our troops across, and all seemed fully to realize that no successful offensive could be undertaken without them.

Bliss Favors British Plan.

Conversations with General Robertson continued the next day at the Crillon hotel in Paris, with General Bliss present. The same arguments were repeated in favor of incorporating American units into British divisions, and General Bliss expressed himself in favor of the Robertson plan. I was forced to declare myself then and there. My stand was not quite what Robertson had expected, and the meeting adjourned with the position of all concerned no longer in doubt.

General Bliss and I met later by appointment to talk the matter over between ourselves and, if possible, come to an understanding. After some discussion he suggested that each of us cable his views to Washington and ask for a decision. It was not my policy then or at any other time to put anything up to Washington that I could possibly decide myself.

This would have been the last thing to do in this case, especially as the secretary had left in my hands the determination as to how our troops should be employed. For two men in our positions to have appealed in this way would have indicated a clash, and Washington had enough trouble; besides, the secretary could not possibly have been sufficiently in touch with the undercurrent of these negotiations to make a wise decision.

So I said, "Well, Bliss, do you know what would happen if we should do that? We would both be relieved from further duty in France, and that is exactly what we should deserve."

We then spent some time examining the question from all angles, until finally he came around to my view and said: "I think you are right, and I shall back you up in the position you have taken."

CHAPTER XXVIII

Once General Bliss and I had reached an understanding as to our attitude toward amalgamation of our troops with the British he gave me his support in later conferences. When we saw the British representatives for further talks at Versailles January 29, 1918, all their arguments were met frankly and squarely. After they had presented their case Prime Minister Lloyd George asked Bliss for his views, to which he replied:

"Pershing will speak for us and whatever he says with regard to the disposition of the American troops will have my approval."

An agreement was then signed by Mr. Lloyd George, General Maurice and myself as set forth in the following copy of the memorandum submitted and lated cabled to Washington:

"In order to meet the situation as presented by Sir William Robertson and hasten the arrival and training of troops, it is proposed that the British government use the available sea transportation in question for bringing over the personnel of entire divisions under the following conditions:

"1. That the infantry and auxiliary troops of these divisions be trained with British divisions by battalions, under such plan as may be agreed upon.

"2. That the artillery be trained under American direction in the use of French material as at present.

"3. That the higher commanders and staff officers be assigned for training and experience with corresponding units of the British army.

"4. That when sufficiently trained, these battalions be reformed into regiments and that when the artillery is fully trained all the units comprising each division be united under their own officers for service.

"5. That the above plan be carried out without interference with the plans now in operation for bringing over American forces.

"6. That question of supply be arranged by agreement between the British and American commanders in chief.

"7. That question of arms and equipment be settled in similar manner."

War Council Meets Again.

The supreme war council began its third session January 30. At the opening session Mr. Lloyd George made a statement in some detail of the situation on the allied fronts. He then spoke of the large number of casualties the allies had suffered during 1917 and in a very pointed manner declared that the costly offensives had produced no tangible results. But instead, he said, the allies now found themselves short of man power at a critical period of the war. His sharp criticism was evidently directed at Sir Douglas Haig and General Robertson, but neither was given an opportunity to reply.

The military representatives presented a joint note with reference to military policy, as directed at the December meeting, and the opinion given was identical with that of the conference at Compiegne January 24 and also in August at the meeting in Paris, except that the campaign under General Allenby, then in progress in Palestine, should continue. It will be recalled that these two informal conferences of commanders in chief had concluded that the allies should remain on the defensive on all fronts until the Americans should arrive in sufficient force to warrant the offensive.

See No End of War Until 1919.

The joint note was approved as the decision of the council, with the understanding, as suggested by the French, that no white troops should be sent from France to Palestine. It was decidedly the opinion of M. Clemenceau and of all others present who expressed themselves that the war could not be ended until 1919, when the American army, it was thought, would reach its maximum strength.

The allied forces at the moment were superior in all active fronts, except in the Balkans, but the Greek mobilization, when completed, would add sufficient strength to give the allies the advantage there also. The American strength was then negligible, but the prospect was that we should have a few divisions ready for service by June, and by September possibly seventeen or the equivalent of thirty-four French divisions.

The danger on the western front lay in the continuous increase of the German forces and in their ability to concentrate in turn against the French and British, and as neither had sufficient reserves of their own it was clear that unless some arrangement could be made between them for better co-ordination and support the war might easily be lost before the Americans should arrive.

Plan Allied Reserve.

The study of this problem by the military representatives led to another joint note which proposed a plan for the organization of a general allied reserve. It provided that the British, French and Italian armies should each set apart a certain number of divisions to constitute this reserve, which would be called into action only in a great emergency. The discussion of this question became acrimonious. Haig and Petain both pointed out that they would be short of divisions very soon in case of severe fighting and presented figures on the subject that were very disturbing.

But the council's scheme was cut and dried. The recommendations set forth in the note were adopted then and there by the council. The general reserve was created and its control was placed under an executive war board to consist of Generals Foch, representing the French, chairman; Bliss, the Americans; Cadorna, the Italians, and a British general officer to be named.

At this meeting Mr. Lloyd George designated Gen. Sir Henry Wilson as the British representative, to the very evident disappointment of General Robertson, who was present at the session. The selection of Wilson was regarded by the British high command and the war office as open disapproval of their conduct of the war.

Winter of 1917-18 Most Severe.

It has been said that the winter of 1917-18 was the most severe of the war. The cold was at times so intense as to make the generally unheated houses, barns and lofts used as billets nearly uninhabitable. The gloom of short days and long nights in the isolated and largely depopulated French villages can hardly be described.

Then, as we have seen, there was also a shortage of heavy winter clothing, although frequent cables early in the fall had called attention to the probability of a deficiency. No doubt the demands were greater than the quartermaster department could meet, but the relatively small number of troops in France going through the winter under actual war conditions should have been given first consideration.

Much of the clothing that we received for our troops looked to be shoddy, and, being light and thin, of course offered insufficient protection.

The deficiencies were met in part by purchases from the British, although our men did not take kindly to the idea of wearing the uniform of another nation, and it was with considerable protest and chagrin that they did so until our own could be supplied.

To the credit of our officers and men be it said that they generally ignored adverse conditions, and, barring some irritation at French methods and occasionally at our own, they kept at their tasks with commendable determination. Looking back over the different phases of the war I regard that winter, with its difficulties, anxieties and apprehension for the future, as the most trying period of them all.

CHAPTER XXIX

At the ports in France the amount of freight discharged in January, 1918, was more encouraging, being about two-fifths as much as during the preceding seven months. The rate of discharge was accelerated to some extent by the better distribution of our transports by the navy. More construction material was being delivered where it was needed for port works and the future was somewhat clarified in this respect by the arrival of additional logging machinery.

During the month there was also an increase in troop shipments, including some elements of the Thirty-second (Haan's) division, with 20,000 men for the service of supply. By the end of January approximately 120,000 combat troops, 34,000 engineer troops and 61,000 others for the service of supply were in France. Although promising, this was only the merest start, as we were still far behind our schedule.

It must be added, however, that the increase in the arrivals of men and materials remained haphazard and not at all in the proportions needed.

It continued apparent that my recommendations were not accepted in an altogether unhesitating spirit of helpfulness and that the serious need for executive leadership back home had not been met.

My diary notes the following:

Chaumont, Monday, February 18, 1918.—General Foch and Major General Weygand visited headquarters Thursday, had luncheon with us and examined the general staff organization. Captain Todd, director of naval construction, came to confer regarding wireless stations at Bordeaux.

Left Friday, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting First division in Ansauville sector; inspected infantry in front-line trenches and the artillery. Called on General Debeney, French First army.

Returned this morning, stopping at aviation park, Colombey-les-Belles, Maj. Arthur Page commanding. Camouflage work exceptionally well done. Passed through Miracourt to see General de Castelnau, who speaks highly of our troops.

Foch Cold to U. S. Problems.

As General Foch, then chief of the French general staff, had shown some surprise when at the allied meeting at Compiegne in January I told of the delays and difficulties we were having at the ports and in the operation of railways, I invited him to make a visit to my headquarters, hoping to put him in touch with our activities.

We had already reached a state of development that confirmed the soundness of our organization and could forecast its ability to meet all requirements. I went with him to the various sections of the general staff and while he expressed no opinion about what he saw, his aide and spokesman, General Weygand, a staff officer of experience, was very complimentary.

Foch never seemed interested when I talked with him of our problems and I doubt whether he ever thought, knew or cared much about organization or questions of transportation and supply. He was essentially a student and a teacher of history and strategy.

"Treated Like Mendicants."

There continued to be considerable cause to find fault with the attitude and methods of French bureau officials.

Apropos the experience of many of our officers, I recall that one of the most efficient on duty at a very important port once said to me:

"General, the trouble is that these subordinate French officials in immediate charge are either so hide-bound or else so conceited that it would be as easy to convince a Greek statue as to make one of them understand. How in the world it happens, sir, that we do so well I do not see.

Pershing in Tin Hat.

"Here we have come 3,000 miles to help them and yet we are treated like mendicants on the street corner holding a tin cup for passing pennies.

"I know, sir, that co-operation is necessary if we hope to win the war but it requires an excessive effort on our part, with more failures than otherwise to our credit."

This was harsh comment, but there were times in the experience of most officers when it seemed to fit the case fairly well.

Officers Found Lax.

With reference to the inspection trip noted in my diary, I had recently inspected several stations like Vittel and Bourbonne-les-Bains, which were commanded by regular officers, of whom, naturally, much was expected, but before the World war our army had always been more or less careless in dress and none too strict when in the field, and these men were no exception to the rule. Even higher commanders were often found neglectful of their appearance and lax in the enforcement of disciplines.

But the conditions of service in France demanded more serious attention to these essentials, not only as a matter of pride but because of the general effect upon morale and efficiency. Good discipline is the first requisite to successful military effort, and the degree of its enforcement in a command is an almost certain index to the character of performance to be expected in battle.

Likewise, an officer or soldier who takes no pride in his personal appearance is usually found careless in other respects and to that extent less reliable in time of stress. It need hardly be added that those of this class who came under my observation and did not immediately respond to correction were very soon replaced.

(continued next week)

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"Vetch will make your land rich."

CEMETERY CLEANING AT SHILOH NEXT WEDNESDAY

All who are interested in Shiloh cemetery are requested to meet there on July 22nd and bring tools to clean off the cemetery.

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Any physician will tell you that "Perfect Purification of the System is Nature's Foundation of Perfect Health." Why not rid yourself of chronic ailments that are undermining your vitality? Purify your entire system by taking a thorough course of Calotabs,—once or twice a week for several weeks—and see how Nature rewards you with health.

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WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY — JULY 15 & 16
Grace Moore, Reginald Denny and Wallace Berry In
"LADY'S MORALS" --- All Talking
Comedy --- All Talking

FRIDAY and SATURDAY — JULY 17 and 18
Buck Jones In
"MEN WITHOUT LAW"
All Talking Western
Serial: "Indians Are Coming" - All Talking

MONDAY and TUESDAY — JULY 20 and 21
Jack Holt, Ralph Graves, and Dorothy Sebastian In
"HELLS ISLAND" --- All Talking
Comedy --- All Talking

Mt. Pisgah News

Rev. L. Headley preached a very in- resting sermon at Mt. Pisgah Sunday. Quite a number of young people of nterprise community attended serv- es at Mt. Pisgah Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Headley spent unday afternoon with the latter's pa- ents, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Yeargan.

Mr. Willie Williams and family of leasant Grove were the guests of Mr. nd Mrs. C. L. Williams Sunday.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. and rs. I. B. Yeargan were unable to at- end church Sunday on account of ickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Holley had as heir dinner guest Sunday Rev. L. eadley.

Miss Lottie Edwards was the guest f Effie Rushing Sunday.

Misses Olean and Nellie Mae Hil- ams were the guest of Miss Nell Year- an Sunday.

Our revival meeting begins at Mt. isgah July 19th. Rev. J. H. Lembrick ill help in the meeting.

Singing school will begin at Mt. Pis- ah July 20th, and continue for 20 avs.

Our Sunday school and C. E. so- ety are progressing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Edwards visited he latter's mother, Mrs. Patterson.

FARMERS' WEEK IN AUBURN

The week of July 27th to August 1st ill find many farmers from over the tate assembled at Auburn for Farm- rs' Week.

Mr. Stapp hopes that many Chilton ounty farmers and farm women will o to Auburn the week of the 27th. hose who go will find a full program hat will be both instructive and enter- aining.

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Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

We have a full day next Sunday. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M.

Dr. N. B. McLeod will preach at 11 A. M. A rare treat is in store for all who take pleasure in hearing a sure enough good sermon. He is as good as the best.

Rev. D. W. Haskew will preach at the Nebo church on the Verbena charge at 11 A. M. Sunday.

Dr. N. B. McLeod will preach at the Isabella church Sunday afternoon at 3:30, and after the service he will hold the 3rd. Quarterly Conference for the Clanton charge. We urge all the stewards to attend.

Preaching in the Clanton Methodist church Sunday night at eight o'clock by the pastor. We extend a warm welcome to all who will worship with us on the Sunday of the hot summer. There will be services every Sunday at our church. We do not want to weary anyone, but we do want to help all. Our services are short and full of life.

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NOTICE

The Commissioners Court of Chilton County, Alabama request all parties having bridge lumber for sale to at once make price delivered at Clanton, Alabama to L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate, stating grade of same.

This July 7, 1931.

L. H. REYNOLDS, Judge of Probate.

7-9-2tc

Go Where you Please
On your Vacation...

Mother likes the mountains—sonny wants to go to camp and so does little sister—dad must work most of the summer—but they may go where they please and still keep together by telephone. Mother and the children may arrange to call dad regularly at a certain time, at office or home. It makes vacations more enjoyable and dispels anxiety to hear the voices of loved ones, telling of the day's happenings.

Calling at a prearranged time enables you to use the cheaper station-to-station service with no risk of missing the person wanted. If you call by number at night there is a still further reduction in cost. In using station-to-station service, ask for the distant telephone by number or location instead of asking for a particular person. When the distant telephone answers you may ask for whomever you want.

Wherever each member of the family goes this summer, the local telephone office will gladly give the cost of calling back home. Just ask for "Long Distance."

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FEW IMPEACHMENTS

Only eleven Federal officeholders have been impeached since the foundation of the United States government. Of these three were removed from office, one was expelled from the Senate and another resigned his judgeship. Those impeached were:

Senator William Blount of Tennessee, charged with conspiracy, expelled by the Senate in 1797 and impeachment dropped. He later served as the president of the Tennessee state senate.

Judge John Pickering of New Hampshire, removed from office for drunkenness, 1804.

Supreme Court Justice Samuel Chase, acquitted of misconduct, 1805.

Judge James Peck of Missouri, acquitted of mistreating counsel, 1831.

Judge West W. Humphreys of Tennessee, removed for supporting the secession, 1862.

President Andrew Johnson, acquitted of high crimes and misdemeanors, 1868. The vote, 35 guilty, 19 not guilty, was less than the two-thirds necessary to convict.

Secretary of War William W. Belknap, acquitted of bribery charges, 1876.

Judge Charles Swayne of Florida, acquitted of misconduct, 1905.

Judge Alston G. Dayton of West Virginia, impeached but proceedings abandoned, 1915.

Judge George W. English of Illinois, resigned under impeachment, 1926.

A recent survey discloses that 110 Vermont towns are without physicians.

Restless, could not sleep

"THERE were days when I felt like I could not get my work done. I would get so nervous and 'trembly' I would have to lie down. I was very restless, and could not sleep at night.

My mother advised me to take Cardui, and I certainly am glad she did. It is the first thing that seemed to give me any strength. I felt better after the first bottle. I kept it up and am now feeling fine."—Mrs. T. R. Gibson, Fort Payne, Ala.

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Get the facts about these fine cars. Compare their lithe, clean-cut style with any you have ever created in your own imagination. Learn about the de luxe materials with which each car is trimmed and upholstered, and how carefully these are tailored. Sit and ride in the wide, restful seats and you will realize that just as no restrictions have been put on mechanical performance, so no limits have been placed on comfort and beauty.

There is much to interest the careful buyer—a choice of sparkling colors, a variety of rich upholstery materials, Rustless Steel, safety glass, Houdaille double-acting shock absorbers, one-piece welded steel wheels, slanting windshields, and many other features which make the Ford a happy investment.

Ford

ORR PARTY RETURNED FROM EXTENDED MOTOR TRIP

Mrs. M. R. Orr and daughter, Miss Madelyn Orr, returned last week from a motor trip consuming four weeks. They were accompanied by Mrs. Robert Clive of Birmingham, and on arrival in Paris, Texas, the party was joined by Miss Olga Isom, of Huntsville.

The trip took the party through some of the most interesting parts of the United States, going into the states of Tennessee, Mississippi, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Louisiana and Florida. They were joined by Miss Sara Cummings when in Clearwater, Fla. Miss Cummings and Miss Isom returned to Clanton with the party and are spending several days here as guests of the Orrs while Mrs. Clive returned to her home in Birmingham.

INTEREST IN VETCH AND AUSTRIAN WINTER PEAS GROWING

County Agent Stapp states that already much interest is being displayed over vetch and Austrian peas. He says that many farmers are talking about the fact that commercial nitrogen is high to buy and that since the producers of commercial nitrogen did not cut their price this year, we will be forced to grow our nitrogen.

Mr. Stapp thinks that hundreds of farmers who never planted vetch and peas before will plant them this time. Indications are that seed and inoculation will cost not more than $2.00 per acre this fall. The experienced vetch growers of the county agree with Mr. Stapp in the statement that $2.00's worth of vetch or peas planted this fall and crop turned next spring will do more good than six or seven dollar's worth of commercial fertilizer applied next spring.

The 4-H club boys are more interested in vetch and peas this year than usual. We wonder what club and what member will win the prizes offered for best score in the Austrian peas and vetch planting campaign.

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Ground floor, of my office building, heretofore occupied by Clanton Mattress Factory. Terms reasonable. See A. C. Smith, Clanton, Ala. 7-16-1tpd.

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Four religious workers, men or women. $100.00 guaranteed for 60 days work. Give phone number. Answer "Interested" c|o Chilton County News. 7-16-1tpd.

Fiddlers Are Invited Here For Friday, July The 24th

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individual fiddlers, but prizes will also be given to any string bands which may wish to enter the contest.

The local post of the American Legion extends a cordial invitation to the public to attend this contest. Every effort will be made to make it an enjoyable occasion, and the Legion will very highly appreciate the co-operation of the pubilc. Remember it will be cool in the courthouse under the electric fans.

Any fiddler who desires any further information in advance is requested to communicate with W. M. Wyatt, at The Union-Banner office, Clanton.

Will your land be More or Less fertile three years from now? Austrian peas or vetch will make it More fertile.

Truckers *and* Gardeners Attention!

Plant Now for Late Summer and Early Fall Gardens—Turnip, Tomatoes and bunch bean Seed. Plant a Few "Rose Four" Fall Seed Potatoes. You'll be Satisfied with the Results.

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Local O. E. S. Installs New Officers

At the regular meeting of the local Chapter Order of The Eastern Star, held last Thursday night, July 9th, the following officers were installed:

Mrs. Mary Heflin, Worthy Matron.
Mason F. Jones. Worthy Patron.
Mrs. Gladis Strock, Associate Matron.
J. Edgar Dennis, Associate Patron.
Miss Zora Guy, Secretary.
Mrs. Lois Mims, Treasurer.
Miss Ruth Sessions, Conductress.
Mrs. Lula Arant, Associate Conductress.
Mrs. Hattie Alred, Chaplain.
Mrs. Eula Gragg, Marshal.
Mrs. Ada Atkinson, Organist.
Mrs. Lillian Smith, Adah.
Miss Dollie Mae Harris, Ruth.
Mrs. Alice Hudson, Esther.
Mrs. Essie Walker, Martha.
Mrs. Mae Dennis, Electa.
Mrs. Mary Bess Smith, Warden.
Henry T. Pipes, Sentinel.

Miss Ruth Sessions, Mrs. Hattie Alred, and Mrs. Alice Hudson were not installed, but will be later. Mrs. Pauline Jones was installed an Officer and Mrs. Celeste Hayes, Marshall.

Scout Camp At Camp Villa Success

Opelika, Ala., July 6.—Special.—Both in number of scouts in attendance and merit badge requirements completed. Camp Spring Villa was this year the most successful ever staged by the Central Alabama Area Council under the direction of Executive Scout John J. Sigwald. From councils in the area, 151 scouts participated for at least one of the three one-week sessions. This constitutes an increase of 84 scouts above attendance last year. Merit badges numbering 319 were awarded on basis of instruction by a group of professors from the Alabama Polytechnic Institute.

Thirty Scouts of Tenderfoot rank advanced to Second Class. Eleven Second Class Scouts met the requirements for First Class rank, and 27 boys were awarded Junior Life Saving Certificates after training by an American Red Cross examiner.

E. J. Harris, assistant scout master at West Palm Beach, Fla., served as assistant camp director.

Scout P. P. Powell, Jr., fulfilled all requirements for the rank of Eagle Scout. His credentials have been forwarded to the National Court of Honor for official action.

Dr. Bradford Knapp, president of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, was one of the distinguished speakers to address the Scouts during their camp. He delivered the Father's Day address on June 21.

Over 500 visitors came to the camp this summer and wtinessed the marked improvement, principal among which were the new mess hall and bath house donated by the Opelika Kiwanis and Rotary clubs, respectively. Scouts likewise enjoyed the drinking fountain donated by the City of Opelika.

During the remainder of the summer the camp will be used by many 4-H clubs in this section of the State for their annual outings.

WORK AND PLAY

Farm people work too many hours, according to Dr. Seale Harris, one of the South's most prominent physicians, who declares that an eight-hour day is needed on the farm as well as elsewhere.

He thinks that the farmer gets into the habit of working long hours and consequently does not put forth as effective efforts as he would if he limited his daily period of labor. Dr. Harris says:

"Farmers ought to be encouraged to work strenuously eight hours a day and then take more rest and recreation instead of working feebly fifteen hours a day as many of them do."

While most farmers would resent being told that they work "feebly," there is no doubt that when one knows he is going to stick on the job for fifteen hours in a day he will not exert himself as energetically as he would for a shorter period.

Vigorous work relieved by a liberal amount of rest and recreation seems to be a good formula for health and efficiency.

Doctors advise sleeping with windows always open. Burglars also favor it.

An English lecturer says Americans are patient, and he ought to know.

Surgeons could give a lot of inside information concerning their patients.

A man is not necessarily a live wire because he happens to be full of "juice."

"Nearly any crop makes best on rich land. Austrian peas will make land rich."

Dief's Service Station Enters Dealer Zeppelin Contest

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tal of 4480 Horespower, give the Akron a top speed of 80 miles per hour. These motors are reversible and because the propellers are mounted so they can be readily moved through angles of 90 degrees can move the ship in a verticla direction as well as fore and aft.

"Three tons or 35,000 square yards of strong cotton fabric are being used to cover the sturdy framework of the ship. A compartment in the forward section will house five completely equipped pursuit planes that can be lowered through a trap door and launched or picked up while the Akron is in flight.

"We are planning a number of new merchandising features at our service station," said Mr. Dief, to put this firm in the running for the prize trip to Akron and we are offering special attractions to be found in our advertisements."

Several Sites Proposed For Fish Hatchery In County

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Probate concerning them, and the information would be forwarded to the proper authorities. Up to last Tuesday only four persons had written in giving information concerning the sites they had mentioned at the meeting.

These four sites are located as follows: one three miles east of Jemison, one, 5 miles east of Clanton; several springs in one section located near Mt. Creek, near the paved highway and near the railroad, and one near Stanton, two miles from the Selma highway.

The locating in Chilton County of this vast enterprise will certainly mean something worthwhile for the county, and the citizens are being urged to bend their efforts toward locating possible sites and advise Judge Reynolds immediately.

It is understood that the Commissioners Court of this county visited around at the four sites listed Wednesday.

Meetings In County Are Called By County Agent

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at 7:00 P. M.

Mt. Pleasant School, Wednesday, July 22, at 7:00 P. M.
Collins Chapel School, Friday, July 24th at 7:00 P. M.
Providence (North of Jemison) Aug. 3 at 7:00 P. M.
Pleasant Grove, Tues. Aug. 4, 7 p.m.
Concord, Wed., Aug. 5, 7 p.m.
Fairview, Thurs., Aug. 6, 7 p.m.
Sardis, Friday, Aug. 7, 7 p.m.
Isabella, Monday, Aug., 10, 7 p.m.
Baker, Tues., Aug. 11, 7 p.m.
Jackson Chapel, Mon. Aug. 17, 7 p.m.
Union Grove, Tues., Aug. 18, 7 p.m.
Freeman, Wed., Aug., 19, 7 p.m.
Pinedale, Thurs., Aug. 20, 7 p.m.
Verbena, Friday, Aug. 21, 7 p.m.

Mr. Stapp regrets that he will not be able to visit every schoolhouse in the county, but feels that practically everyone in the county can easily reach one of the above schools. At these meetings Mr. Stapp will give the latest recommendations of the Experiment Station.

Farmers Week In Auburn To Open Monday, July 27

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home needs of the state.

The afternoons will be spent in outside study, such as field trips, demonstrations, livestock judging, and laboratory exercises.

A special program has been arranged for the farm women who will be in Auburn to attend the exercises for farm people and also to attend the meeting of the Alabama Council of Home Demonstration Clubs.

The last two days, Thursday and Friday, will be given to the annual convention of the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation.

Responding to an alarm firemen of Los Angeles were surprised by the following signs displayed in a store window of the burning building, "Fire Sale! Entire Stock of Damaged Goods Must Go!"

While the thermometer stood at 103, Mrs. Palmer Ice of Fairmont, Ind., and Mrs. C. E. Winters of Buffalo, N. Y. registered at a hotel recently in South Bend, Ind.

Walter Champaigne was fined for contempt of court when he applauded a Kansan jury for acquitting a bootlegger.

A 12-inch steel file was discovered in the stomach of a 20-inch catfish which was caught off the Massachusetts coast, near Boston.

We know we can't fool you

We have made the biggest gain for the first six months of this year, we have ever made, our sales are far ahead of any year for the past five, and this is due to the fact that we have never offered such values as we are offering today. You could fool people once, but today you can't fool them at all, they want good merchandise at low prices, and that is what you will find at our store. Compare prices and let us sell you.

Mens $19.75 Summer Suits
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A beautiful line of ladies flat crepe dresses in solid and printed; all the newest styles, we are closing out at once at a
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A good heavy quality sheeting in fine count. This sheeting last year sold for 15c a yd. now you can buy
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All the leading colors
A pretty quality rayon silk and in perfect quality.
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$1.95 BEACH SANDALS
We have a complete stock of sandals with crepe soles; sizes 3½ to 7½ color blue and white linen
only $1.50

TENNIS SHOES
Why be bothered with shoes that are heavy, when you can buy good brown or white tennis shoes in
all sizes at 50 cents

$1.00 FLAT CREPE
A beautiful quality of 40-inch solid color flat crepe, in all wanted colors, and will give excellent wear
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A nice quality 36-inch broadcloth, in all the pretty shades of solid and white, while 500 yards last
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$1.35 GORDON HOSE
This is the new improved $1.35 retail Gordon all-silk hose in service weight and chiffon, in all the newest colors. We can not get any more of these to sell at this price; only 40 dozen
special $1.00

LADIES 19c COTTON HOSE
We have never seen such values as this. A nice finish cotton hose in good colors, sizes 8½ to 10
per pair 10 cents

MENS WORK SHOES
Made with heavy Panco sole, fine for finishing the crop, and in all sizes
only $1.50

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NOTICE

State of Alabama, Complainant, vs. One Ford Touring, 1928 Model Motor No. A-1155354. Respondent.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against one Ford Touring, 1928 model. being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 3rd, day of July, 1931, one C. A. Johnson did transport in one Ford Touring, 1928 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama to another, and that said automobile was on said day seized by the Sheriff of said County and said bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in the Chilton County News a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Alabama. and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 13th, day of August, 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 13th, day of July, 1931.

GEO. F. SMOOT,
Judge of the 19th Judicial Circuit.
7-16-3tcS

Wonder if those naughty books have a bad effect on the morals of their censors.

We may manage to get along without horses, but we will always need some horse sense.

Muckrakers, too, may find it a little difficult to adjust themselves to conditions in heaven.

Honesty is the best policy, but one should not overlook some other kinds —fire, life and accident.

It seems that it is all right to rob the graves of the heathen after they are a few hundred years old.

"Watermelons grow mighty big following vetch and Austrian peas."

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In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against One Ford Roadster, 1925 Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 4th, day of July, 1931, One Thomas Lewis did transport in one Ford Roadster, 1925 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama, to another, and that said automobile was on that day seized by the Sheriff of said County and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

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Judge of the 19th, Judicial Circuit.
7-16-3tcS.

Lee Gray was among the business visitors to Clanton Monday.

"Cotton makes big yields following vetch or peas."

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One 3 Pc Leather Finish Dark Color Davenette Set
$19.75 --- $1 weekly

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Complete Line Philco and Crossley Radios --
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LOCAL KIWANIS CLUB GATHERS WITH FARMERS

Meet at Maplesville Inspires Farmers and Kiwanians to More Cooperation

In an effort to stimulate a better understanding between farmers and business men of Maplesville and Clanton, and to assist the farmers, merchants and business men of Maplesville, Ala., to organize and cooperate in the growing and marketing of farm products, the Kiwanis Club of Clanton will go down in history as holding one of the most successful and inspiring meetings ever held in the county when members of the club joined with citizens in and around Maplesville Thursday night at a meeting and banquet, held at Maplesville.

Farmers, merchants and business men of the Maplesville section were invited to be guests of the Clanton Kiwanis Club Thursday night of this week, at which time it was proposed to create more interest in that section of the county on the growing and marketing of strawberries as a money crop.

Before the meeting, composed of eighty-five merchants and business men of Maplesville and Clanton, Dr. M. F. Jackson of Birmingham delivered a most inspiring and stimulating address urging a better understanding between the farmer and the merchant in the county.

Following the address of Dr. Jackson, the meeting was turned over to Erle Thomas, Kiwanian and vocational in-

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TWO YOUTHS CAUGHT HERE AFTER LEAVING THEIR HOME

Two little boys, ages 10 and 12, arrived in Clanton one day the latter part of last week and were stopped by the police here. They had run away from their home and were driving the car belonging to the mother of one.

Noticing that the gasoline in the car was almost giving out, they stopped at a filling station on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway, south of Clanton and ordered their tank filled. The tank was replenished with the gas, and they immediately drove off without paying the station operator.

The officers at Clanton were called and were on the lookout for the lads. After being caught they refused to give their names. But when the word jail was mentioned to them, one broke down and with tears in his youthful eyes, told the whole story of how they had taken the car and left their home in Andalusia to 'go places.'

It is believed they were on their way to Birmingham, but it seemed they had no particular destination.

Chief Boockholdt took charge of the boys and carried them to his home. The mother of one, in Andalusia, was notified, and she immediately came to Clanton for them, and everything was settled up, and no doubt at this time, the lads are much wiser and home looks mighty good to them.

MRS. ALICE WILLIAMS DIED HERE ON LAST THURSDAY

Mrs. Alice Dixie Williams, age 48, died in Clanton last Thursday following a lingering illness lasting for several months. She has been a resident of near Verbena for a number of years and the people of Clanton will remember her as one of the popular and well thought of, operators at the local telephone office, where she was connected for several years, giving up that work sometime ago and going to Verbena, later having a nervous breakdown, and then going to Montgomery for a rest.

Funeral services were conducted at Evergreen, near Verbena by the Rev. Rogers of Marbury. Interment followed in the Evergreen cemetery, with Martin & Sons of Clanton in charge. She is survived by one daughter, Barbara and one son, Kirby, and other relatives.

WELCOME EXTENDED TO VERBENA AND MULBERRY

The hand of welcome is extended this week to our new correspondents at Verbena and in the Mulberry Community. They make their appearance in this issue of the News with some real live, well-written news items from their communities, and the News force welcomes them into the fine family of correspondents over the county.

NEHI TRUCK FIGURES IN ACCIDENT LAST MONDAY

A truck belonging to the Nehi Bottling Company of Clanton collided with a car said to have been driven by Mrs. A. S. Boyd of Birmingham, on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway last Monday, right at the Autauga County line. The truck was driven by Burt Inzer, who received a severe shock and slight bruises, it was stated.

The accident is said to have occured when the Boyd car swerved to the left of the road, attempting to drive into a side road. Both vehicles were somewhat damaged, and Mrs. Boyd received a gash on her left arm. Inzer stopped a passing motorist and brought the injured woman to the hospital in Clanton where she received medical aid.

NINE YEAR OLD MURDER COMES TO LIGHT AGAIN

Killer of John Ed Bearden Is Believed In Hands Of Officers Here

Bringing to light the murder of John Ed Bearden, farmer who resided near Maplesville, Alabama, and who was killed in the summer of 1922, comes the arrest of a man who is believed to be the slayer, according to information from the office of the Sheriff here.

Back in 1922, either in the month of June or July, John Bearden, a fairly well to do farmer of the western part of this county, requested of a young man that he did not wish him to call on his daughter anymore. The young man is said to have been Milton McCormick. McCormick secured a shot gun and calling Bearden from the house, let go a full charge into the latter's abdomen, according to the story given the News.

McCormick was arrested and lodged in the jail in Clanton shortly after the shooting, during the time when John Gore was sheriff, and eventually made his escape from the jail, it was stated. It seems that no trace had been found of the murderer again, until last Monday the office of Sheriff Gillespie in Clanton received a call from officers in Louisville, Miss., in regard to the man sought in the murder.

After giving the Mississippi officers a description of the man wanted here for murder, it was decided they had that man. Officers from here went to Louisville, Miss., Tuesday to view the prisoner and arrived in Clanton with

The man believed to be McCormick was brought to the Montgomery jail late Tuesday night. He stoutly denies that he is Milton McCormick saying that his name is Dalton McCormick, and that he is a brother to Milton, according to officers here. However, men from Maplesville who saw the prisoner Tuesday state that he is the man wanted, it was said.

him Tuesday night.

Accident Injuries Fatal To Woman

Mrs. Lucile Nash Adams and Jerome Greenwell were injured in an automobile accident about four miles south of Clanton last Thursday night just before midnight, when the car in which they were riding is said to have plunged off the highway and struck a post.

Mrs. Adams and Greenwell were from Louisville, Ky., and en route to Biloxi, Miss., when the accident occured, it was stated, and Greenwell, a young man, stated that he believed he must have gone to sleep while driving. A Martin's ambulance from Clanton brought them to the Central Alabama Hospital here where Greenwell was found not to be seriously injured. Mrs. Adams who is 65 years old, died from her injuries last Saturday morning, her body being prepared for burial and shipped to Louisville by Martin & Sons of Clanton.

Mrs. Adams had secured Greenwell to drive her to Biloxi, and it was stated that young Greenwell was to be married there, and the three were to make the return trip together.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Renfroe Mullins and Edwin Mullins, and Jean Mullins returned the early part of the week from a motor trip into Ohio and other states.

Prof. and Mrs. L. C. Warr have returned after spending several days in South Alabama visiting friends and relatives. They were accompanied home by little Miss Frances Brown of Eufaula.

Fiddlers Planning Big Night Here

According to reports coming in from over the county, fiddlers throughout this section are eagerly awaiting the time for the big Fiddlers Convention to be held at the courthouse in Clanton tomorrow night.

The Chilton County Post of the American Legion is sponsoring this convention, and have it scheduled to open at eight o'clock p.m. They are inviting all fiddlers in the county and adjoining counties to come and take part in the contest, as valuable prizes are to be awarded that night. The committee in charge stated that in addition to cash prizes, there will be several other worthwhile prizes.

STATE FARMERS PLANT 25 PER CENT MORE HAY

It is the intention of Alabama farmers to cut hay from 686,000 acres of land this year compared with a harvested acreage of 554,000 last year. A condition of 65 per cent of tame and 58 per cent of wild hay on July 1 indicated a total production of 479,000 tons compared with 402,000 last year, says F. W. Gist, agricultural statistician.

"The increase in acreage was 25 per cent," he said, but conditions are not so favorable on account of drought. Legume crops turned into hay may yet develop into a much better condition and higher yields.

FISHING RODEO IS BRINGING ON MUCH INTEREST

Deep Sea Rodeo Expected To Draw Record Crowds This Year, Is Report

Fishermen the world over are invited to pit their skill against the tarpon, silver king of fishes in Alabama's Third Annual Deep Sea Rodeo, August 17, 18 and 19. The rodeo this year, as last year, will be held off Dauphin Island, at the mouth of Mobile Bay. Accommodations have been made for the biggest and jolliest crowd ever gathered

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JIM ARMSTRONG IS GETTING REPUTATION ON PHEASANTS

Much has been written and said about the efforts being made in this county by various citizens on raising Pheasants and getting them distributed, and of their efforts to get people to protect them, but this time something is being said about one individual who is attracting wide attention on his particular Pheasants.

This is Jim Armstrong, who resides out west of Clanton near the home of Dr. P. T. Hinkle. Mr. Armstrong is very much interested in Pheasant raising and so far has made considerable progress with his flock. If a person should visit the home of Mr. Armstrong, he would take particular pains to show them some extra large Pheasants and some that really do not look like the ordinary Pheasant, but hatched and are being raised as other Pheasants are on his farm.

To some, no doubt, it would be difficult to believe that the particular two birds referred to are really pheasants, but Mr. Armstrong is almost convinced they are pheasants, because they were hatched right along with Pheasants, and there seems to be no particular reason why they should not be Pheasants. But nevertheless, for something out-of-the-ordinary, one should see these two or three particular birds Mr. Armstrong has raised with Pheasants, and then draw individual conclusions—they are attarcting attention, as will be vouched for, no doubt, by Mr. Armstrong.

M. LANDE AND PARTY GOING TO CHICAGO NEXT SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. M. Lande and son, Ervin, accompanied by Harry Margolis, Mrs. S. Lande of Chicago and Miss Bertha Margolis, plan to leave next Sunday by motor for Chicago, Ill. They expect to be away for approximately two weeks. Mrs. S. Lande, who is M. Lande's mother, has been spending several days here.

Master Guy Alred is visiting Mrs. Marcus Polk, Jr., in Anniston.

Miss Kathryn Hayes has as her attractive guests, Miss Feryl Martin of Cullman, and Miss Elizabeth Davenport of Eutaw.

Selma Kiwanians In Clanton Tonight

Clanton will be visited late this afternoon and tonight by members of the Kiwanis Club of Selma, when they will come to Clanton for an inter-club meeting with the members of the Clanton Kiwanis Club.

The meeting tonight, beginning at six-thirty o'clock will take the place of the regular weekly noon luncheon of the Clanton Kiwanis Club. According to the program committee, of which Mack Wyatt is chairman, an interesting program has been arranged to last approximately an hour or slightly more. The meeting will be held in the basement of the Methodist church, lunch being served by the ladies of that church.

On next Thursday, the Kiwanis Club of Clanton will entertain the newly organized Pilot Club of Clanton, which is composed of business and professional women of the town. The Pilot Club will have charge of the program at that time.

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT GIVEN BY MISS LEORA MIMS

On last Wednesday night, July 15, Miss Leora Mims entertained a group of young people at her home. Music was furnished by "Our Band." Refreshments and games were enjoyed throughout the evening.

GOLF COURSE TO BE READY IN FEW DAYS

Work on Construction Being Pushed Every Day; More Interest Shown

Several days ago the work of constructing a golf course for Clanton started and according to Dane Jensen, who is supervising the work, he will have several holes ready by the latter part of the week.

The course will be located just south of Clanton on the place known as the Dennis Farm, which is ideally located, and interest in the enterprise appears to be growing among the members of the club and others who will probably become members.

This course will be the first large golf course for Clanton and those men of Clanton who have organized into a golf club, are to be congratulated on their efforts to construct this project.

New members are expected to come into the club as soon as the course is completed, which will be only a matter of a few days, now according to Jensen, provided the weather will permit.

FARMERS' AND FARM WOMEN'S WEEK, AUBURN, JULY 27-AUG. 1

The week of July 27th to August 1st is Farmers' and Farm Women's Week at Auburn. There will be hundreds of farmers and their wives assembled there representing nearly every county in the state.

Miss Bertha Dennis, who will be vocational home economics instructor at Isabella High School this year, and Miss Zora Guy, Assistant-Secretary to Chilton County Farm Bureau, have promised Mr. Stapp to go along and arrange for the comforts of any women who may go from Chilton County. Mr. Stapp thinks there will be thirty or forty farmers and possibly eight or ten women to go from Chilton County. Those who expect to go to Auburn next week are asked to let Mr. Stapp or Miss Guy know in order that they can make arrangements for transportation and their comfort in Auburn.

ALABAMA OAT ACREAGE INCREASED 75 PER CENT

An increase of 75 per cent in the Alabama oat acreage and a favorable season for maturity combined to promise a total production of 4,202,00 bushels against a crop harvested last year of only 1,908,000. The acreage this year is 191,000 compared with 109.000 harvested last year, and the preliminary yield is estimated at 22 bushels per acre.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Hanson, Mrs. J. O. Johnson and Miss Edith Johnson were in Clanton Tuesday afternoon attending to business and shopping. While in town they called at the News plant where they were shown through, and saw several of the machines working on this issue of the News.

MRS. MARTHA VIRGINIA ASKINS SUCCUMBS AT THE AGE OF 85

Death visited the home of H. A. Askins, postmaster at Billingsley Wednesday of last week, and carried away the spirit of his mother, Mrs. Martha Virginia Askins, age 85.

The deceased was one of the oldest citizens of this section and a member of a fine family. Funeral services were held on the following Thursday at the home, with the Rev. T. E. Moore, officiating. Interment took place in Verbena. Martin & Sons of Clanton were in charge. She was the widow of the late J. A. Askins who died several years ago.

Surviving are one son, H. A. Askins of Billingsley, and two daughters, Mrs. H. L. Davis of Clanton, and Mrs. C. H. Thompson of Montgomery.

SHERIFF NABS FIFTY GALLON STILL IN RAID

Three Men Arrested While Still In Operation; Six Others Arrested

The past several days brought some increased activities to the Sheriff and his deputies, who report the arrest of nine men and the capture of a fifty gallon still.

There were five of the nine charged with violating the prohibition law, it was stated, and three alleged distillers

The still was said to have been located somewhat in the western part of the county, and the sheriff's office reported it as being in full operation at the time of the raid and the arrest of the three men who were said to have been at the still. Along with the still there were approximately 120 gallons of beer and five gallons of whiskey destroyed, it was stated.

This report from the Sheriff's office includes arrests made up to last Tuesday at noon, at which time officers from here had gone to Louisville, Miss., to investigate information concerning Milton McCormick, who is alleged to have shot and killed John Ed Bearden, near Maplesville approximately nine years ago..

"AS SEEN" WILL BE NEW COLUMN IN NEWS WEEKLY

A bit of reasoning and advice will come to the readers of the News each week under the head "As Seen" by John Goodloe. This column begins in this issue and will probably appear each week. It is written by a former Clanton resident, who is using as his nom de plume, "John Goodloe." The column this week is good sound reasoning. The writer now resides in another state and yet is quite familiar with local conditions.

More Boll Weevils Found In Alabama

Auburn, Ala., July 21.—Information received by W. A. Ruffin, extension entomologist at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, indicates that boll weevils are appearing in large numbers in cotton fields of south Alabama, and their appearance in cotton fields elsewhere in the state is expected.

These reports brought from Mr. Ruffin the suggestion that farmers be prepared to poison weevils if, and when, it becomes advisable to do so. This recommendation is based upon the fact that poisoning properly done is profitable when and where needed.

Mr. Ruffin explained that weevils do most of their damage in July and August and that infestation is now sufficient for big damage if weather conditions do not provide natural control, which is not probable.

Any cotton grower who has a supply of calcium arsenate and machinery for applying it is ready to stop boll weevil damage whenever it becomes great enough to warrant an application of poison. Thus poison and machinery provide insurance. County agents are advising farmers about poison, giving information as to when and how to apply it.

A few farmers began poisoning early in July, and more are expected to apply it as the season advances. A few dollars spent on poison may protect a crop of cotton.

Miss Rena Willis of Mumford spent last Monday in Clanton with Mrs Marjorine Henley, en route to her home from Montgomery.

REVIVAL OPENS SOON, THORSBY BAPTISTCHURCH

Rev. Barnes of Montgomery Will Deliver Sermons To Begin Next Sunday

As announced sometime ago, the revival meeting at the Baptist church in Thorsby will begin next Sunday, according to the Rev. J. W. Jones, pastor of the church, and a man whose efforts have brought much toward the work of that church as well as others over the county.

The preaching for this revival meeting will be done by the Rev. F. M. Barnes, widely known pastor of Montgomery, Alabama, and from all indications, this meeting is being heartily looked forward to by people of Thorsby and surrounding sections.

Rev. Barnes was reared near Plantedsville, Ala., and people of this section feel proud of him as he has gone forward in his work. He is an outstanding preacher, pastor and evangelist, and has been pastor of the Clayton Street Baptist church in Montgomery for some time

Rev. Jones stated that a cordial invitation is extended to the people to attend the services at the revival in Thorsby Sunday, for each service, morning and evening

WATERMELONS AND BUCKSHOT ATTRACTIONS IN PATCH HERE

Watermelons were the first attractions to a group of five boys one night last week in the patch of Lonza Headley, on Durwood Broadhead's land near the cotton mill, and buckshot came in as an added attraction, according to a story reaching the News this week.

Headley was aroused from his slumber the other night by a young man who told him he would be 'around Friday to pay you what I owe you.' Headley became suspicious, and noticed the boy did not go in the direction he should have, but turned toward Headley's watermelon patch. Headley saw that the patch was his destination and put on his clothes, secured a shotgun, and went up to the patch, where he found five young men busily engaged in separating the juicy melons from the vines.

When Headley accosted the quintet, they made a long run for the wide open spaces, and when he demanded that they halt, only two heeded, while the others kept going until a charge of buckshot from Headley's gun, brought them to a halt. One of the youths was badly shot, it was stated, and was carried to a Birmingham hospital for treatment, where many of the shots were removed, while some could not be reached, it was said

Mr. Headley and Mr. Broadhead, in commenting on this occurence, stated that in the past it seemed as those who wanted anything from the farm there, would go and take it, but they intended to put a stop to such practice There is no mistaking Headley's intentions about that, judging from his action the other night.

"ALL QUIET ON THE WESTERN FRONT" HERE SOON

Theatre goers of this section have a treat in store for them since the management of the Wadesonian Theatre of Clanton has booked to be shown here, the picture, "All Quiet on The Western Front." This picture has caused much to do about it being shown in foreign countries, being a picture of war and of a German lad during the war. At the same time there is a love story that will thrill the heart of any woman, in the picture also. This picture is booked to be shown here next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John C Page and attractive daughter, Peggy, returned the first of the week from a visit with relatives in Tennessee

HEARD FROM A READER OF THE NEWS RECENTLY

The following was heard from a reader of the News the other day, "You fellows down there got too much news in your paper. I'm used to just readin' the front page of county papers and gettin' all the news, but I have to read on every page in your paper so I won't miss anything. You boys sure carry the news of the county, all right."

Billingsley News

The many friends of Prof. H. A. Askins will be grieved to learn of the death of his mother, Mrs. Mattie Askins, at their home here Wednesday, July 15th. She was stricken with paralysis on Tuesday. The funeral was conducted at the home Thursday at 8:30 o'clock by Rev. Joe Moore. Interment at Verbena cemetery, J. Mell Martin of Clanton in charge.

The pastor of the Baptist church, Rev. A. S. Bentley, preached two helpful sermons Sunday the subject for the morning hour being, "The Lord's Vineyard," and for the evening, "The Two Builders."

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Woodyard of Clanton were the Sunday guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar.

Miss Zula Parnell is visiting Mrs. J. N. Carter this week.

Mrs. Harmon Davis of Clanton and Mrs. C. H. Thompson of Montgomery are spending a few days with their brother, Prof. H. A. Askins.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patrick and daughters, Misses Inez and Willie Jeanne with their guest, Miss Margaret Hall, of Birmingham spent Sunday in Montgomery. Mr. Patrick leaving from there for a fishing trip in Florida.

Miss Maud Lee Patrick had as her guest for the week end Miss Anne Turk of State Normal school at Troy.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Thompson returned Saturday from a visit with her father at Clio.

Miss Lucile Pattillo from Womans College in Montgomery spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pattillo.

Mrs. J. C. Hughes, assisted by Misses Daisy Sharp and Thelma Baxter, entertained the members of the Sunbeam Band with a picnic last Friday. A Mission Study class being taught in the morning with games and playlets for diversion. The lunch was served under the trees in the woods. Lemonade and candy suckers were served through the day to the twenty-two members who were present.

G. T. Dickinson was host at his home on Monday evening at a weiner roast for the R. A.'s. Thirteen members were present. A business session was held first, then they gathered around the camp fire to enjoy the "roast." Lemonade and watermelons were enjoyed after supper. Mr. Dickinson has as his helpers Misses Daisy Sharp, Thelma Baxter and Lucile Dickinson.

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

Our Sunday school meets at 9:45. There will be preaching at 11 A. M. by Mr. E. C. Evans. If you have not heard him, we urge that you hear him next Sunday. If you have heard him you will be anxious to hear him again. He is a new citizen in Clanton, but he is one who is worthy of our love and confidence.

The pastor leaves Wednesday afternoon for Fort Deposit where he will be in a revival meeting until July the 31st. There will be no preaching at our church next Sunday night.

We urge that you make use of the Sunday school hour and the eleven o'clock hour, and then you will not be expected at church that night. Just a little rest.

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News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. James Bosworth motored to Selma the morning of the 13th with Misses Christine Bosworth, Naemi Turnquist and Kitty Rogers. The Bosworths spent the day and had a birthday luncheon party for Christine. While in Selma Mr. and Mrs. Bosworth visited the Barretts, who were former residents of Thorsby.

Mrs. E. S. Howard and children spent the week end in Birmingham with her sister, Mrs. Herbert Wright.

Mr. C. R. Foss, Mr. J. L. Foss and girls, Kathryn and Edith, returned home from their trip Thursday. Mrs. Sam Thorson of Waseca, Minnesota returned with them to visit her sisters, Mrs. E. A. Reagan, Mrs. James Bosworth, and Mrs. C. R. Foss.

Mr. C. R. Foss, his father, Mr. J. L. Foss, and girls, Kathryn and Edith, had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Berlin in Chicago Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Berlin weer among the early settlers of Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Palmer spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Bob Davenport.

Mrs. Jennie Sutlive spent a few days in Thorsby with Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald. She left for Blakely, Ga., Monday.

Misses Kathryn and Edith Foss entertained Christine Bosworth, Edith Johnson, Ella and Lloyd Howard, Hubert Reinhart, Kathryn Lenoir, and Conway Thornburgh Saturday night. Punch and cookies were served.

Misses Naemi Turnquist and Christine Bosworth of Selma spent the week end in Thorsby.

Miss Mary Sue Robinson returned Tuesday from visiting in Birmingham.

Mr. Henry Robinson spent the week end in Thorsby with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Robinson.

The Intermediate Classes of the Baptist church went on a picnic to the Gum Hole Friday.

The Y. W. A. met at the home of Miss Edna Lee Wilder Friday afternoon.

Mr. Cecil Each spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mr. Marcelle Wilder is home on his vacation.

Spurgeon Wililams, Luther Kendrick, Earl Marcus and Earl Leary attended the ball game in Birmingham Thursday.

Mr. Reuben Foss returned to his work in Jemison Monday morning.

Mr. Lester Pate arrived home Saturday night from Cottondale, Fla. He plans to leave for Jackson, Miss., some day this week.

The Boy Scouts went camping at Heath's Pond Friday night.

Miss Frances Wilson spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

Miss Bertha Littleton visited her sister, Mrs. Emmett Billingsley, during the week end.

Miss Mattie Scott visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scott, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith have moved to Clanton to live.

Dr. Horace Franklin stopped by in Thorsby Sunday en route to Birmingham. He is located in Tallassee now.

Mr. Frank Wood spent the week in Birmingham visiting relatives.

Misses Ruth and Margie Champion are visiting friends in Thorsby.

Mr. Arthur Villadsen spent the week end in Thorsby with his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Devaughn Strock and Mr. Tom Kemp spent Sunday in Thorsby visiting Mr. and Mrs. Donald Merchant.

Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood and Mrs. C. C. Horton and two sons, Wiley and Clarence, spent Monday in Birmingham.

Mr. Eddie Lamas of Birmingham spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton.

Master John Alex Rowell spent last week in Wylam visiting his uncle, Mr. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted French of Stockton, Ala., visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton last week.

The Thorsby baseball team has the following schedule for this week: Maplesville at Maplesville, Wednesday; Minooka at Thorsby, Thursday; Jemison at Thorsby, Friday; and Pelham at Thorsby, Saturday.

Miss Kathryn Goodnow, who was visiting Miss Dorothy Butler, returned to her home in Cleveland, Ohio, Saturday.

Miss Elizabeth Butler returned to Montgomery Thursday after spending a few days with her grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Butler.

Mr. Vincent Sutlive is improving rapidly after his operation.

Nat Bentley, Bob Smith, Ernie Hanson, and Earl Leary attended the double-header ball game in Birmingham Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron South spent Sunday in Thorsby with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Davenport and sister of Mrs. Davenport, Letha Mae Martin, left for South Alabama Monday to visit his uncle, Mr. Lee Palmer.

Autauga County to an all-day singing at Liberty church Sunday. On their way back they stopped at Log Cabin Beach.

The Baptist revival starts next Sunday. Rev. Barnes of Montgomery is to lead the services.

Mrs. Donald Merchant, Mrs. H. O. Bean, and Mrs. J. W. McCain went to Clanton Monday to attend the District Conference.

Mr. Frank McCain was married in Clanton Saturday to Miss Mable Lindhan.

The Chilton Association met at Bethsalem Thursday for their quarterly meeting.

Mr. G. W. Leslie and daughter, Elizabeth, of Birmingham, spent the week end in Thorsby with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Piper.

The Howard Brothers are working a large crew of men and have almost finished filling their green house benches.

Mrs. R. W. Littlejohn, Perrie and Nettie Littlejohn, and Mrs. Russell Heaton and baby, John, went down to They are now replanting their carnations for their winter trade.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howard and two daughters, Mable and Lucile, Ed Sims and Kenneth O'Barr motored to Montevallo Sunday.

Mr. Eugene Marcus arrived home from New Orleans Saturday morning. He is confined to his home suffering from pneumonia and injuries to several ribs received in a fall last week in New Orleans.

Mr. D. H. Gentry is very ill at the home of his son, Mr. D. Gentry.

Mrs. Mary Ann Williams departed this life at 11:08 P. M. July 20, after being unconscious for three days and nights. The following were around her bedside when she breathed her last: Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Williams and family, P. L. Williams, Dan Williams, Mrs. C. W. Adams, and daughter, Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burdette, Mr. and Mrs. Raybon, Mrs. Roy Wilson and Mrs. Franklin of Clanton. She was seventy-nine years old last March. She will be buried at Brownsville church, near Goodwater, Ala., at ten o'clock, July 22, Rogan Undertaker, of Montevallo having charge. She is surivived by five children: C. M. Wililams of Thorsby, F. B. Wililams of Harpersville, Ala., P. L. Williams of Lawley, Ala., Dan Williams of Atlanta, Mrs. C. W. Adams of Prattville, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard, Lloyd and Ella, and Mrs. Bima Husby reached St. Elmo, Ala., Mrs. Husby's home, Sunday evening, July 12th, after visiting a day there with realtives, the Howard family returned to Thorsby, July 14th.

On June 2nd they started out in their car, going to Indiana where Lloyd joined the party and the journey was continued. Chicago was the first stop, where Mr. Howard has some cousins. Many things of interest were seen in this big city, among them, some buildings already finished and others under construction for the World's Fair. One which has recently been completed and stocked is the Aquarium. There can be seen fish from all over the world, all sizes, shapes and colors. From Chicago the trail led through Wisconsin, whose beautiful capitol at Madison, was visited. Marble from every state in the union was used in this building, the colors ranging from almost pure black to white, are most artistically combined. At La Crosse, Wis., they crossed the Mississippi River and were very much surprised that it was such a small river. They then stopped with relatives in Minnesota. Ever so many beautiful lakes were seen along the roads in this state, all abounding in fish, but since the state enforces very rigid fishing laws, they did not try their luck at that. Sioux City, Iowa was the next stop, where Mrs. Husby saw her sister for the first time in thirty-four years. This was Mrs. Howard's birthplace. The old home and the school house where she went to school her first year were still there.

Then relatives were visited in both South and North Dakota. The prairie lands in these states were quite different from our little hilly farms around here. There the average farmer tended about two hundred acres or more. A hundred acres in corn on each farm there is a common thing. One man cultivates with four horses, cultivating four rows of young corn at a time.

Gillette, Wyoming, where John Husby, Mrs. Howard's brother, lives, was the next stop. This is a desolate state, but there must be something about it that holds a person once they have lived there a few months. Everyone they spoke to said they would never live anywhere else. Those who knew John may be interested to know he was married last August. His wife is a lively woman. Her home was originally in Missouri, but she had taught school in Gillette for years. Wyoming has extensive coal fields. One mine they saw had a vein ninety feet thick and only ten feet down from the surface of the earth. Another interesting thing they saw near Gillette was a burning coal field. It has burned as long as anyone out there can remember. There were large cracks in the earth from which, blue flames escaped. They said at night the flames appeared somewhat red. Parties of young folks go out there for weiner roasts. John also took the Howard's to a big ranch where buffalo were raised. They saw twelve large ones and three buffalo calves.

From Gillette the route led to the Yellowstone National Park. On this road they had a sample of what "gumbo" soil is. They saw no paved roads in Wyoming and only a little graveled. They were skimming over a lovely graded road with hard smooth surface when all at once a shower came up and what had been so nice became a very slippery road. One car went into a ditch and another was across the road in front of them. This held up traffic and soon there was a big string of cars lined up in the road. They were from all over the Central and Eastern United States, mostly tourists headed for the park. Well, for a time it looked as though there would be a short order slumber party out there in the lonely hills, where nothing but sage brush grows and only jack rabbits and coyotes abound. But finally the men got the first cars straight and walked on the sides of each other's cars keeping places. The rain having stopped we finally made the six miles to the graveled road. A funny experience after it was over.

The next morning they traveled over what they called the most scenic seventy miles of road in the world, from Cody to the Park. This was over the Big Horn Mountains, the road following along the Shoeshone River Canyon, saw the Shoeshone Dam which irrigates thousands of acres of land. At them from slipping over the hundred one place they were ten thousand feet above sea level.

The Park was one thrill after another. With bears and elk roaming around beside you, and the geysers, hot springs beautiful lakes, rivers, waterfalls and the gorgeous canyon of the Yellowstone River, their short stay of a day there was crowded with interest.

From there the party headed for Seattle where Mr. Howard's sister, Ida Leclair and family live. The beautiful spruce and fir trees through Oregon and Washington were sights to be remembered. As they went through Boise, Idaho, they went to see Miss Stoddard and her mother. Miss Stoddard has put on a little flesh and looks better than they had ever seen her before. She seemed glad to see some one from Thorsby.

While in Seattle they went on the Warship "Texas." This is a little city on water. They have everything, even to motion pictures on board.

From Seattle the homeward route led through Oregon, (where, by the way, they saw Maud Gerald Atwood), California, Arizona, New Mexico, Texas, Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama. Coming home from the south where as they started out going north. While in El Paso, Texas, they crossed over the Rio Grande River into Juarez, Mexico. The crossing of the Mississippi River at its mouth was quite longer than at La Crosse, Wisconsin.

In all the Howard's traveled over ten thousand miles on this trip of six weeks. Went through twenty-one states and three states were crossed twice. A few hot days were experienced, but for the most the weather was grand and the trip a series of pleasure.

BOY SCOUT MEETING AT THORSBY

Arrangements have been made to hold a community meeting in the interest of Boy Scouts at the Congregational church, Thorsby, on Thursday, July 23rd, at 7:30 p.m.

John J. Sigwald, District Executive for a large district in Alabama, a man thoroughly versed in Boy Scout matters, will be the principal speaker.

These arrangements have been made through the active assistance of Mr. C. E. Stapp of Clanton, County Farm Agent, and also chairman of the Clanton District of Boy Scouts, and vice president of the central Alabama Area Council, of which Clanton and Thorsby Troops are members. It is expected that Mr. Stapp will be present and assist in the meeting.

During the meeting opportunity will be given for people interested to ask questions of these Scout executives concerning things pertaining to Scouts, which they wish to have explained.

As noted above this is intended to be a Community meeting for all who are interested in the Boys of Thorsby and vicinity. Most folks have heard of Boy Scouts, but many do not know of its value to growing boys and their parents or anyone interested in training of our boys for good citizenship.

Thorsby Institute is the sponsoring organization for Thorsby Troop of Boy Scouts. All persons, whether members of its Board of Trustees, Committees, faculty or students, past or present; together with all Boy Scouts, their parents and friends, boys and young men and even young boys, not yet old enough to join, but old enough to learn what they may grow to be, are invited. If in this invitation any left out who want to come you will be welcome. We hope all will be interested.

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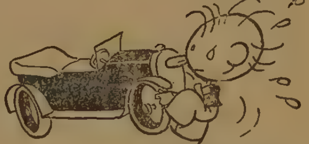

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My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

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CHAPTER XXX

Frequent German raids and renewed activity all along the front by March 1, 1918, indicated the great German offensive might start at any time. The French general staff thought the allies would be able to hold without serious difficulty until we could help, but it was doubtful enough to cause grave apprehension.

It was depressing to think that ten months had elapsed since our entry into the war and that we were just barely ready with one division of 25,000 men.

My diary shows the following notations:

> Chaumont, Wednesday, March 6, 1918.—Heavy German raid repulsed by First division Friday morning. The enemy also raided the Twenty-sixth division lines and were driven off.
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> Went to Ligny-en-Barrios Sunday to meet M. Clemenceau, who came to congratulate the First division on success repulsing raid. Met General Debeney, who was enthusiastic over conduct of our men. Spent the night at First division headquarters.
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> Motored to Langres with Harbord Monday to speak at opening of second session of general staff college. Germans made raid on Forty-second division that morning.

Upon conclusion of this inspection of the First division I considered it ready to take the offensive at any time. It had been eight months in France, with varied experiences in training, had occupied an independent position in the St. Mihiel sector and had made several successful trench raids. Generals Duncan and Buck had their infantry brigades in efficient shape and Summerall had carried the training of the artillery brigade to a high degree.

Finds Wounded Cheerful.

The front occupied by the One Hundred Sixty-eighth regiment, near Badonvillers, had been under a severe artillery attack on the fourth and a trench mortar platoon had been almost completely destroyed. The French army commander congratulated General Menoher on the way in which our troops repulsed this raid. After an inspection of the different regiments of the division and a visit to the scene of this action, I went to the hospital to see the wounded.

They were all very cheerful, especially a young officer, Lieut. A. W. Terrel, Fifty-first artillery regiment, who had lost a leg. He said that he wanted to stay through to the end of the war, and hoped he could find something to do as a clerk. All these first contacts with the enemy were relatively small affairs, of course, but they furnished many examples of what we could expect of the American soldier:

My diary notes this:

> Paris, Sunday, March 10, 1918.—Spent Thursday morning with Kernan, Langfitt and Atterbury and made adjustments in port and railway construction and management. Visited Camp de Mailly, where seacoast artillery is having splendid training under General Coe.
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> On Friday visited Edwards' Twenty-sixth division serving on Chemin des Dames under General Maud'huy, the French corps commander. Arrived in Paris late at night during airplane attack. Branch of judge advocate general's office established at my headquarters.

Upon Colonel Bradley's report of thirty-day medical supplies on hand, sent urgent cable requesting immediate shipments. Cabled disapproval of suggestion by Mr. Paderewski for organization of division of men with Polish antecedents. Secretary of War Baker landed at Brest today.

French Train U. S. Cooks.

Major General Maud'huy spoke with considerable enthusiasm of the men and of the officers of the Twenty-sixth division, below regimental commanders, and especially praised their conduct of trench raids. He complimented General Traub, one of the brigade commanders, but was of the opinion that the higher officers, generally, needed more experience to make them efficient. American troops that served with General Maud'huy held him in high esteem. He was scrupulous regarding their instruction, to which he gave special attention.

He was very solicitous of the welfare of our troops, even going so far as to interest himself in the preparation of their food by detailing French cooks to teach ours the art. When I expressed my appreciation of his action, he said: "You know, we are a nation of cooks and we delight in preparing good things to eat." After their instruction the cooks in these units did better, thanks to the initiative of this fine old French general.

Many of the cooks of the old army became experts and the men in early days in the West fared better as a rule than our men in France, where the cooks lacked experience. Personal supervision by officers and the establishment of cooking schools brought improvement in due course. However, there is little doubt that much of the intestinal trouble in our divisions during the early part of their service abroad was caused by poorly cooked food.

Secretary Baker Arrives.

Secretary Baker arrived at Brest March 10, as my diary showed, and I met him and his party in Paris the next morning. The secretary's party consisted of Maj. Gen. W. M. Black, chief of engineers; Lieut. Col. M. L. Brett, Commander R. D. White of the navy, and Ralph Hayes, his secretary.

It was essential that the secretary receive every opportunity to inspect our whole layout, from the front areas to the services of supply, that he might become familiar with plans, observe the progress made toward their completion, and obtain first-hand information of our requirements, all of which he was especially anxious to do. Leaving Paris March 12 we inspected our most important ports, depots, hospitals, regulating stations, motor parks and schools, and returned March 17 to my headquarters at Chaumont.

The main air service school at Issoudun, which we visited, was a hive of activity, being one of the fifteen schools where early instruction in flying was given. General Foulois and Colonel Kilner went with us through the school, the shops and the Red Cross and "Y" buildings. I think the secretary was surprised to see here the really expert flying considered necessary to prepare aviators for their hazardous life at the front.

Moving Supplies to Troops.

At Gievres, about 125 miles directly south of Paris, on our main line of supply, running to the front, were 20,000 men employed under Col. Charles J. Symmonds, managing our largest interior depot.

To illustrate the celerity with which the system operated we need take but one example, which occurred when everything in the depot was in full swing.

At 8:15 one morning in August a telegram was received ordering exactly 4,596 tons of supplies, including 1,250,000 cans of tomatoes, 1,000,000 pounds of sugar, 600,000 cans of corned beef, 750,000 pounds of tinned hash and 150,000 pounds of dry beans. At 6:15 o'clock in the evening, or just ten hours later, this colossal requisition, which required 457 cars for transport, was loaded and on its way to the advance depot.

No other place gave such an impression of the tremendous task of supplying our armies and the perfection of organization necessary to do it efficiently.

The secretary got a bird's eye view of the general plan which would provide the supplies for an army of 2,000,000 and which, with additional construction, would be able to meet the demands of an army twice that size.

Back at Chaumont I received word that arrangements had been made for the shipment of six divisions for training with the British—the Seventy-seventh, Eighty-second, Twenty-eighth, Seventy-eighth, Eightieth and Thirtieth.

CHAPTER XXXI

March 21 the great German offensive began against the British armies between the Oise and the Scarpe, near the junction of the French and British lines, on a front about fifty miles in length, extending from near La Fere to Arras. Near the center of the attack was General Gough's Fifth army, with the Third army under General Byng on its left.

The artillery bombardment preceding the infantry advance was of short duration, but of great intensity, with excessive use of gas shells. Following a heavy barrage the German infantry, using the same tactical methods that had been so successful at Figa and Carporetto, delivered its blow. The weather favored the enemy as a heavy fog continued intermittently for three days, much to the disadvantage of the defense. The overwhelming force of sixty-four especially trained German divisions out of their one hundred ninety-two then on the western front compelled the British lines to yield. Although at the end of the first day the Fifth army had not entirely given away, its losses had reached several thousand, and there was no question that the Germans were making a serious attempt to separate the British and French armies.

British Pushed Back 37 Miles.

The last one of Gough's reserves was put in on the second day, yet he received no support to stop the widening gap in the British front until the following day, when one French infantry division and one French dismounted cavalry division arrived. On the 24th four others got into position. These divisions and others that came in the next two or three days were put into battle by General Fayole without regard to the integrity of units or the order of their entry, some of them being very short of ammunition.

The British Fifth army was evidently overwhelmed from the start, yet no British reinforcements were sent to Gough until the 24th, and then only one division, no others arriving during the first week. By the fifth day the German forces had driven a salient into the British front some thirty-seven miles deep and were threatening the important railway center of Amiens, the capture of which would probably have made a complete breach between the French and British armies.

In the moment of greatest stress, when it seemed very doubtful whether the German advance could be stopped, General Petain sent the following order to his armies:

"The enemy has hurled himself upon us in a supreme effort.

"He wants to separate us from the English so as to open the way to Paris. Cost what it may, he must be stopped.

"Hold your ground! Stand firm! Our (American) comrades are arriving. All together you will throw yourselves upon the invader.

"The battle is on. Soldiers of the Marne, of the Yser and of Verdun, I call upon you. The fate of France hangs in the balance."

The reports from the front gave an extremely dark picture of disaster, and I felt we should do everything possible to render assistance. It was to offer General Petain such of our troops as could be used that I went to Compiegne March 25.

The general's customary confident and nonchalant attitude was entirely gone and he wore a very worried expression. I told him that for the moment I should waive the idea of forming the I corps and that any of our divisions that could be of service were at his disposal, but with the qualifying remark that of course we should look forward eventually to their assembly under their own commander.

March 24 it developed that the French divisions had received orders that if the enemy continued his drive in the direction of Amiens they were to fall back so as to cover Paris. Marshal Haig, fearing that this would result in separating the two armies, at once communicated the situation to his government. This brought about an important conference at Doullens March 26 between members of the British and French governments, in which it was decided that some authority should be designated to co-ordinate the action of the two armies, and General Foch was selected.

I was not present at the Doullens conference, but upon learning of its action it seemed essential that General Foch himself should know our desire to do what we could to strengthen the allies. The British loss was then estimated at not less than 150,000. I recall meeting Lord Northcliffe March 24 and found him almost unable to speak of it, so many of his friends had lost relatives. The depression among their people was probably worse than at any other period of the war.

Among the French there was much anxiety as to the safety of Paris and there was talk of the government having to move to Bordeaux again, as it had done in 1914. The allied lines had not been stabilized and although I had offered our troops to Petain it seemed to me that it might be well to make it emphatic that I was ready to put into battle everything we could muster. I had often thought of the possibility of having to do this, and I went to find out the situation and let General Foch know our attitude.

Gives Word to Foch.

As we entered General Foch's farmhouse headquarters near Clermont-sur-Oise, Clemenceau, Foch, Petain and Loucheur were intently studying a map spread out on the table. The situation was pointed out to me, showing that already the British had used thirty divisions and the French seventeen against the Germans' seventy-eight. It seemed to be the opinion that the British Fifth army was getting back on its feet and that the lines would hold for the time being.

I intimated that I had come to see General Foch and the others withdrew into the yard, leaving us alone. I told him that the Americans were ready and anxious to do their part in this crisis, that I was willing to send him any troops we had, and asked for suggestions as to how we might help. He was evidently very much touched and in his enthusiasm took me by the arm and without hesitation rushed me out across the lawn to where the others stood, and asked me to repeat what I had said to him.

They, of course, showed keen interest, especially M. Clemenceau, as I told them what I had said to General Foch. Colonel Boyd, my aid, was kind enough to say that, under the inspiration of the moment, my French was spoken with a fluency that I could not have mastered ten minutes before or after.

Pershing's Offer of Troops.

It appeared in the French papers the next morning, although I feel certain that it was written up in much better French than I actually used.

The English translation follows:

"I have come to tell you that the American people would consider it a great honor for our troops to be engaged in the present battle; I ask you for this in their name and my own.

"At this moment there are no other questions but of fighting.

"Infantry, artillery, aviation, all that we have are yours; use them as you wish. More will come, in numbers equal to requirements.

"I have come especially to tell you that the American people will be proud to take part in the greatest battle of history."

If the responsibility had been mine I should not have hesitated a moment to put into the battle any or all of our five divisions then in France. The First was the only one used for the time being, the others being placed in quiet sectors, each to relieve two French divisions. As our divisions were more than twice as large as theirs it amounted to almost immediate reinforcement of ten divisions.

At the time of the German attack a battalion of the American Sixth regiment of engineers was on duty behind the British Fifth army, engaged in railway construction and repairs. These troops were given arms and participated with the British forces in the defensive operations until after the lines were stabilized.

(continued next week)

Mulberry News

Not having seen any items from this community in some time, thought I'd send in a few.

Crops in this section are looking fine, most all have their crops "laid by" and are now enjoying the fruits of their labar, i.e. watermelons, cantaloupes, peaches, apples, "roasting ears" etc. Am afraid to mention "fried chicken" as I feel sure "Doug" would be right out. However, I understand he's only an 'ed' not a preacher!

Mr. Thad McSwain of Clanton attended the quarterly conference at Mt. Nebo, also Isabella, Sunday.

Mrs. W. D. Culp and attractive children, Lake, Dean and Doris, spent the past week with the former's mother, Mrs. George Culp, of Birmingham, formerly of Clanton.

Mr. Delos Culp was a welcome visitor at the home of Mr. Oden Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. T. McCraw of Duncanville, Ala., spent the past week with her brother and sister of this community, Mr. Y. E. Smith and Mrs. E. M. McCraw.

Miss Ruth Pope, of Greenville, Ala., is spending some time with her uncle, Mr. Earle Thomas.

Mrs. W. Y. Smith and attractive daughter, Clara Jean, of Birmingham are spending two weeks in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Y. E. Smith, also the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Edwards.

Misses Blanche Pardue, Marietta Bolen of Selma, also Mr. Jimmie Oglesby of Augusta, Ga., were visitors of Miss Wilma McCraw Thursday, who accompanied them to Selma for the week end.

Mrs. O. O. Calfee has recently returned from an extended trip to Rio Grande Valley. She reports a most enjoyable trip.

Mrs. Jimmie Johnson returned home this week end from a two weeks stay in Birmingham.

Miss Lucy Rebecca Osborne, of Selma is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. McCraw this week.

Mrs. Thomas, mother of Earle Thomas, is a visitor in the community.

Miss Clara Johnson of Greensboro, is visiting her brother, Mr. Jimmie Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Rasberry and children of Dora, Ala., spent Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. L. S. McCraw.

Our Revival at Mulberry Baptist church will begin Friday night. Services being conducted by Evangelist T. O. Reese. Everybody is urged to attend and help make it a successful revival.

We all thoroughly enjoy "Doings by Doug" and hope he won't make another extended trip soon as we missed him lots.

O'ER THE COUNTY

By The Rambling Reporter

Out on Jemison, Ala., Route 1, there are several families who have a lot of that Southern hospitality, so I found the other day. There is the family of Mr. and Mrs. Hub Taylor with three children, Johnnie, Herbert and Jessie Lee. Mr. Taylor farms about 20 acres of ground and has a comfortable home.

Stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Barnett a little farther on and found a young energetic farmer with 20 acres of land getting his attention. Mr. Barnett was out in the field looking over his crops the other afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Barnett have one young daughter, Mavis.

There is another Barnett family in the same neighborhood. That is the family of W. A. Barnett, who with Mrs. Barnett, have three sons living with them, F. O. Barnett, O. O. Barnett, and C. C. Barnett. C. C. Barnett drives one of the school buses to Jemison, while the others are busy at home and on the farm. W. P. Barnett, in the above paragraph is another son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A.

On out on Jemison Route 1, there is a happy young couple, in a nice little comfortable home. They are Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Mims. I found them both at home, sitting on the porch. Mr Mims has about 20 acres he is farming, and states that he expects to net a little cash this year on watermelons. He is the son of Bill Mims, and I found he is going to read the Chilton County News.

Stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Thrash where I found a family that was pretty busy attending to their farm. Mr. and Mrs. Thrash have eight children at home with them and all are fine and healthy. They are Mrs. Nellie Osborn, C. B., Nannie, Jewel, Voncile, Chelsea, Gladney and Mae Lee Mr. Thrash has 50 acres of land that he tends, raising strawberries, watermelons, and other good crops. He sold 131 crates of strawberries this year, and when I came to his home, he with two elder sons, were out near the house attending to their berries and doing some plowing.

Came to the home of another Thrash family on Jemison, Route 1. This is the family of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Thrash, who have twelve fine children, some of whom are married and do not live here. Those at home are Burnie, Onzelle, Artelle, Preston, Thelma, Clarice, Hoyt, and Willadean. Onzelle and Artelle, two daughters, are twins, and there are four children of Mr. and Mrs. Thrash who are married. Mr. Thrash farms eighty acres of land and has a very comfortable home. He sold 375 crates of strawberries this year and netted a neat little sum of money from them. Just as I stopped at his home, he and some of his children were coming from the watermelon patch with some nice melons.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Glass live on Jemison Route 1, also, and they too have a nice little comfortable home. I found two fine looking children playing in the yard, and Mrs. Glass in the back yard. There are four children in this family, Vina, Harman, Aubrey and Braxton. They raised quite a number of crates of berries, and now have a nice field of melons coming in.

Then there is the family of Mrs. Z. M. Williams, with four children, William, Ruby, Johnnie, and Berniece. They have a nice home, and are located on eighty acres of good land, where they brought in some cash this year from strawberries. Watermelons are making their appearance on this farm also.

Found this fellow V. Sorrell, who with a Mr. Wilson, is doing some extensive truck farming and marketing, out in the front yard getting some products ready for the market the next day.

Stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Daniel. Mr. Daniel also has a nice large and comfortable home on Jemison Route One and has three children, J. T., Lois and G. L., Jr. Mr Daniel has been active in the saw mill and lumber business for a number of years and is well known in the county. He had the misfortune recently of receiving a serious injury to his left hand, losing two of his fingers, but that did not hamper his energetic efforts and so when the lumber market dropped off, he with his devoted wife, got busy at farming, and he says he has been raising quite a bit of okra this year and finds a good market for it. In fact, I found him in his okra patch when I stopped at his home.

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As a matter of suggestion, although Clanton is not so badly infested with mosquitoes, the residents of Clanton could do a great deal of good in killing the pests each summer by each home pouring a quart of kerosene in the commode on certain days. As a signal the city could sound the electric fire siren at a certain hour on a certain day of the week, and residents would then be reminded to pour a small amount of kerosene in the commode and flush the toilet. With all residents cooperating in this, perhaps the most dangerous breeding spot for disease-carrying mosquitoes would be perfectly treated each summer at no great expense to anyone.

There still seems to be some dissatisfaction about the conditions at the county almshouse here, judging from letters being published this week in the News from citizens of the county. What, with continued comments of this kind, are the people to think? There is no doubt that these letters are read in other places than Chilton County, and yet, after the Commissioners Court held its investigation into the state of affairs at the almshouse at a public hearing last month, there still appears to be some unrest about it. However, the matter may be closed so far as the county officials are concerned, but apparently it is not closed so far as citizens are concerned.

The letter from S. M. Edwards, being published in this issue, would possibly lead one to believe that the meeting, or investigation held by the Commissioners Court was a one-sided affair, that the Court had its attorney to act as directed and to secure such statements as were wanted, only, while Mr. Edwards secured statements somewhat to the opposite, so it appears from his letter.

After a person has driven along the Birmingham-Montgomery highway, through Shelby County, then the drive through adjoining counties would seem a pleasure, so far as cows and calves are concerned. It could possibly be something of a sport, or pastime to drive through Shelby County on the Birmingham highway and keep from hitting a cow or calf, or maybe a mule, as there seems to be a surplus in the county, judging from the number seen along the edge of the highway, and some on the highway. And hitting a cow or calf with an automobile, even at a moderate speed, is not a pleasant experience.

A Business Man's Creed for 1931

H. I. Phillips, widely known writer, comes forth with "A Business Man's Creed For 1931"—from which we pass on the following excerpts. This appeared in The Atlanta Journal:

I believe in the United States of America.

I believe in the people of the United States of America.

I believe that somewhere the sun is shining.

I believe that in the long run fair weather overbalances the bad, that the expression "Good old days" is relative and that everything comes out all right in the wash.

I believe that a little optimism never hurt anybody and can be taken straight.

I believe in the capacity of the American industrial leader and in the common sense of the American working man.

I believe that Uncle Sam is still at the old stand with a high heart and a clear head and I do not believe he is in any danger of losing his pants, coat, vest or shirt.

I believe the world is going to continue to revolve in accordance with the generally accepted schedule, Mr. Stalin notwithstanding.

I believe American railroads are worth considerably more than a dime a dozen.

I believe the United States Steel Corporation, the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, the General Electric Corporation and other big industrial institutions will stay in business and that none of them is in any danger of having to take a side line of lead pencils or apples.

I believe that what the country needs more than anything else is restoration of the ducking stool for professional pessimists, squawkers, calamity howlers and confirmed grouches.

I believe in the ability, instinct. capacity and power of the average American to fight his way out of any difficulty, to scale any reasonable heights, to make the final payments on the automobile, to put something in the bank and to look adversity in the face and tell it to go to hell.

I believe the American people will continue to own and operate automobiles and that there is not a Chinaman's chance that conditions will arise which will make them decide it is a good idea to go back to the bicycle and the buggy.

I believe the old-fashioned washtub has gone for good and that anybody who thinks the American wife is going back to the old days of drudgery and inconveniences is two-thirds cookoo and one-third Army mule.

I believe three square meals a day will always be the American standard, but that even if we miss one or two it won't hurt us.

I believe in common sense and natural vision as opposed to the "fidgets" and the use of smoked glasses when anything goes wrong.

I believe in the silver lining, the rainbow after the storm, the plunge through center, the infallibility of the slogan, "Never lead with your chin," and the potency of the cries, "Block that kick!" and "Hold 'em, Yale!"

I believe the worst is over and that it never was as bad as it was advertised.

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

Rambling round town these hot summer days is enough to give any old donkey the b. a., pervided he has been eating green apples and drinking a lot of water, but since I haven't been eating green apples nor drinking any great amount of water, I don't suppose I'll get the b. a.

Saturday brought around what I thought would be something of a gas price scrimmage in Clanton, since a new station opened Saturday and selling gasoline at fourteen cents a gallon. But didn't anything much out-of-the-ordinary happen, except some stations just outside the city limits cut down to fourteen cents per gallon, and then I saw some signs up in town about some kind of gas at fourteen cents. Maybe now since somebody has cut, others will cut, but that is certainly one thing I hope they DON'T do, because this business of cutting prices is bad business, if you ask me, and I'm saying so if you don't ask me.

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I am going to eat my first piece of watermelon this season about today or tomorrow, because one of my good farmer friends has promised to bring me a nice melon.

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I note over on the left in the ed's column that he is suggesting ways and means of helping keep down mosquitoes. That ain't a bad idea if I do say so.

And another thing about this negro communist business over in Dadeville. I noticed in the papers that it is not the better class of that race who are taking part in the rioting, but the lower class. I pay the negroes of Clanton a compliment by saying that I really don't believe they would let some outside person come in here and tell them how to get themselves into trouble by starting trouble, because it looks to me like they ought to know Uncle Sam has got a mighty big army and a whole lot of guns, shells, and hardware stores sell mighty good rope these days too. But the negroes of Clanton know that they have too many friends here who are white people.

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Now folks, the Kiwanians are getting down to doing things again. I really don't mean to say 'again,' because they are usually doing things. Was talking to a Clantonian who is also a Kiwanian about the meeting they had over in Maplesville the other night, and there is no question about it, they certainly done some good over there that night. Just think—about seventy-five farmers and other business men all gathered together for a supper to discuss some real cooperation. You fellows over in the Maplesville section are getting right now, so let's keep things rolling and this county will be a shining star in the state. Just mark my words.

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Walked up one side of the street and down the other, the other day, and saw "Coose" Neighbors just laughing like the very dickens about something. Didn't find out what it was about, but anyway, he is always happy about something. Must have been about Bob Alred, because he looked like he was getting the worst end of the joke, if it was on him, or maybe he was getting too hot, working hard at the drug store.

Glanced in Elmores' nickel and dime store, and that place is forever busy about something, and there's always movement going on inside.

Lande has installed one of those airplane electric fans in the front of his store and it sure does the biz, keeping that store, The Leader, cool all the time. He was remarking the other day that he was way in the back of the store and could feel the wind from the fan.

Matt's Place has put in one of those fans, and the air in that place is kept moving all the time. It was truly a step toward more comfort for patrons of both places.

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Again Clanton is going to welcome some business men from another larger place. The Selma Kiwanis Club will be in Clanton tonight at six-thirty o'clock to meet with the Clanton Kiwanis Club.

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Now I've been wondering again about one or six items, maybe. I been wondering if the people here, merchants and all, are going to patronize the new bakery that is going to open here soon. I've been wondering if the merchants and business men here are going to be ready to take advantage of any upturn in business when it comes, and if they realize that it is going to be the fellow who is ready to take this, who is going to come out best in the end.

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It has always been my policy to try to be at least a quarter of an hour ahead of time in everything I do. But not so long ago I found that when a train is running a quarter hour ahead of time and we get to the place at the same time, it isn't so great, after all.

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Some fellow asked me the other day if I believed that the fur of a black cat would sparkle when rubbed the wrong way in a dark room. I've never tried it, but I intend to just as soon as I can get hold of a black cat. I got a dark room.

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Noticed last week that Reedie Taylor was telling about how business had increased at the Chicago Sales Company. Not bad Reedie, just keep telling 'em about it.

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Did you ever notice that the stores that do the most advertising are the stores that do the most business? Well, think it over. It is just that away, and will always be like that.

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Calloway Drug Company did some changing around inside their place sometime ago, and it sure helped the looks of things. Made the store look larger and cooler.

Letters To The Editor

IN SYMPATHY WITH HAND'S OPINION ABOUT ALMSHOUSE

Lomax, Ala., July 20, 1931.

Editor Chilton County News:

Just a few lines from this community. Everybody seems to be well and moving around. Rain has been plentiful the past week, and crops are looking fine.

I read Mr. W. T. Hand's article in last week's News with much interest, and am inclined to agree with Mr. Hand. The Almshouse wrangle reminds me of the rich man and Lazarus. We read in Luke, 16th chapter, and beginning at the 19th verse, "There was a certain rich man which was clothed in purple and fine linen, and fared sumptuously every day. And there was a certain beggar named Lazarus which was laid at his gate, full of sores. The beggar died and was carried by the angels into Abraham's bosom. The rich man also died and was buried. And in Hell he lifted up his eyes. The rich man asked Abraham to send Lazarus that he may dip the tip of his finger in water and cool his tongue." I hope our commissioners will not become a victim as did the rich man. But it is my opinion they are flirting in that direction.

Now, just a few words to the farmer in regard to farm relief. In 1928 both Mr. Hoover and Mr. Smith had a farm relief plank in their platforms, which stated that the farmer must have relief. And at that time the farmers were getting around $1.40 per bushel for wheat and 17 cents per pound for cotton. Today the farmer is getting less than 55 cents per bushel for his wheat and less than 9 cents for his cotton.

This reminds me of the man who was preparing to be away from home for a while. And before leaving he instructed his wife to be sure and not have anything to do with any clock agent while he was gone. So the man left for his journey. And soon after the man left, a clock agent came in to sell his wife a clock, and the wife told the agent that her husband had instructed her not to buy a clock from an agent while he was gone. So the agent told the wife if she would buy the clock she would not have to pay for it until judgment day. So the wife bought the clock.

By and by the man came home; and the first thing he saw when he came in the house was a clock sitting on the mantle. He said to his wife, "I thought I told you not to buy a clock while I was gone." The wife told her husband that they would not have to pay for it until Judgment Day. The husband said to his wife, "Did you know there are two kinds of Judgment Days?"

I wonder how many farmers have learned by experience that there are two kinds of relief, one spelled "Relief," and one "Relieve." The farmer has been getting the Relieve kind since 1928.

Respectfully,
A. A. JACKSON.

A COMPLIMENT TO MR. HAND; MORE ABOUT ALMSHOUSE

Thorsby, Ala., July 20, 1931.

Dear Editor:

I have been reading the articles of the Hon. W. T. Hand of Jemison, Ala., in regard to the almshouse of Chilton County. I have known Mr. Hand since I first could remember. I have always found him to be a Christian gentleman of the highest type, truthful and upright in every respect. I don't believe he would knowingly misrepresent anything. Tom Hand is not a man who wants to stir up strife and confusion in his county. The only thing he wants in my judgment, is for a man to be true to his trust. I fully believe he is the man who is a friend to the poor and needy, helpless, unfortunate human beings. I have ofttimes heard of his charitable deeds, and by their fruits ye shall know them.

I was present on June 16, 1931, when the so-called hearing was held at the almshouse. Well, it was quite amusing to watch the manouvers of some of the authorities.

Judge L. H. Reynolds was the chairman of the Board. He announced the purpose of the meeting. Commissioner Mims, Mr. John Hayes, and myself asked that Mr. Bean, the keeper, be dismissed from the court while the paupers were giving evidence. Mr. Mims stated to the court that the inmates would not give their testimony as freely in the presence of Mr. Bean as they would in Mr. Bean's absence. Judge Reynolds stoutly objected to this, and there was no vote made on it.

Attorney Pitts arose and announced that he was there to represent Mr. Bean, the keeper. In came the stenographer. Mr. Pitts had full control of that business.

Next, in came Attorney Reynolds for the county, poor old paupers, no attorney for them. All machinery now ready, Judge Reynolds announced that he was now ready for the complaint if there be any. Everybody sat quiet, no one saying anything. Finally I saw it was going too easy, I said to Judge Reynolds I would like to hear a lady inmate testify. His reply was, "Hop out and go get her." I don't know why he used the word hop. I didn't hop out and go get her, at his command. But she was finally brought around. I asked her a few questions concerning Mr. Bean whipping her. She testified that he did whip her severely, and I saw Judge Reynolds was not liking that. When this witness was through with her testimony the judge looked over at me with a heavy frown on his face and said, "Who will you have next, Sam?" I promptly informed him I was not prosecuting the case, so I slowed down and left it with the Judge and Mr. Pitts, and of course Pitts carried things his way. No one can blame Pitts. He is a lawyer to do what he can to save his client, regardless as to how it looks on the other side.

Mr. Jim Mims is to be commended for the splendid hospital building and water works that he had almost completed on that day. This is a move in the right direction, if properly kept by the keeper.

I arrived at the almshouse about nine o'clock that morning and immediately started my rounds to see the inmates and talk with them. I asked them how their treatment was. Most of them told me it was not good. Some told it worse than others. The most of them said they did not get enough to eat and at least six or seven told me they had seen Mr. Bean whip Gip McQueen several times. Dr. Wood testified that their food was sufficient and as good as the average families of the district he practices in. Just how the doctor found out how much folks have to eat in his district I don't know, but that was his testimony. Inmate Allen testified that he had been an inmate for quite a while and that Dr. Wood had never been in the dining hall since he had been an inmate.

Two negro men testified that some of the inmates had come to their house and begged bread at different times and that they had given them something to eat. The Hon. A. A. Jackson testified to practically the same thing and others around the almshouse.

My friends, it takes a hungry man to beg bread, not a well fed man. A dumb brute will beg when he is not hungry. Now if this is what the court is going to call frivolous charges I don't know what they would consider a serious charge. We have a Bible story of Dives and Lazarus. Old Dives waked up in torment and then when old Dives done his begging, but his cries were too late. He had had his day. I am not writing this letter but for one purpose, and that is to let the people know something of how the hearing went off that day. I only have one interest in the almshouse, and that is if we pay taxes to take care of these old people, let us do it right and see to it that they are cared for right. Where there is so much smoke there is compelled to be some fire.

Yours very truly,
S. M. EDWARDS.

PROGRAM OF ANNUAL SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Following is the program of the annual Sunday school convention of the Unity-Chilton Associations which meets with Mulberry Baptist church on Tuesday, August 4th, 1931

9:30 A. M. Devotional and Song Service, G. F. Harris.
9:45 "We Are Glad You Are Here," Rev. G. G. Williams.
10:00 "Why We Are Here," Supt. H. A. Harris.
10:10 Recognition of Pastors, Superintendents and Teachers.
10:15 "God's Plan for Redeeming a World," Rev. B. Lawrence.
10:35 "True Mission of the Sunday School," H. D. Durbin.
10:50 "What the Officers and Teachers of Sunday School Should Know," J. Z. Mims.
11:05 "Go Teach," Where, Who and What, J. L. Wilson.
11:20 "Associational work and Enlistment and Organization, J. N. Barnett, Sunday School Board, Nashville.
12:00 Adjournment for lunch.
1:15 Devotional and Song Service, C. D. Hughes.
1:25 Oral Reports from S. S. Superintendents.
1:40 "Golden Key Campaign," Davis Cooper Jr., State Secretary.
2:10 "One Book Will Meet Our Needs," Rev. J. W. Jones.
2:30 "Whom Shall We Send for the Lost," Rev. Homer Carroll.
2:50 "The Standard Sunday School and how I reached it," T. L. Patrick.
3:00 "Teaching Missions in the Sunday School," Paul Oden.
3:15 Demonstration in opening a Sunday School, Barnett and Cooper.
3:30 Business sessions, Reports of Committees, etc.
4:00 Adjournment.

We wil lhave songs and music thruout the program.

Glen Mars, a truckman of Calais, Me., owns a tame crow which imitates the bark of a dog, and every afternoon at 4 o'clock cackles "water the cow."

"AS SEEN"

By John Goodloe

THE ART OF MINDING ONE'S OWN BUSINESS

There is nothing that creates so much unhappiness—wrecks so many homes—causes the failure of so many business careers as does that ever present human trait of attending to the other fellows' business. We have all often heard that women were the worst gossipers in the world, but believe me the women can't hold a candle to the men. Naturally men don't think they are gossiping just because they simply mention to a friend that Bill Jones was "loaded" last night, or that they saw Mrs. Jones smoke a cigarette. Now don't misunderstand me to mean that I approve of drinking or disapprove of it—that I approve or disapprove of women smoking. It is not my intention in this article to express my personal opinion of certain vices and habits. Actually I do have my own ideas about what one should and should not do—but whatever I think, which of course is my business, I keep to myself if I have to use someone's name to make my view clear. Isn't it a fact that when you find someone criticizing some other poor devil for what he is doing that ninety-nine chances out of a hundred this same fellow is either doing the same thing himself or perhaps something worse. Were I selecting a man for a position I would look first for a man who could keep his nose out of the other fellow's business, because if he was endowed with that one asset, you could pretty well depend on him for other requirements. There is nothing that will bring more happiness and self-satisfaction than loving your fellow man. Don't be too quick to judge a man—look at him as a human being with a heart perhaps better than your own—with human weaknesses which enmesh him as they would you, perhaps, had you been placed in his environments and circumstances. All of us can't be as perfect as you may be pretending to be. If a man owes money for groceries, etc., don't go around telling everyone about it—that isn't your business. Credit associations take care of those things, that's their business. If he owes you and **can** pay and won't, tell your lawyer to collect it—that's his business. If he is down and out and can't pay, give him a pat on the back and tell him you have confidence in him and that you know he will pay when he can—and then bet your bottom dollar on him, for brother, you will get your money. Try this experiment for a week—don't say anything evil about the other fellow and see if you don't feel like you have gone out early in the morning and filled your lungs with good fresh air.

News In Brief Form

Pig iron production in Alabama during May was 3.7 per cent above April while production for the entire country showed a decline of 4.5 per cent.

The Alabama Economic Review published at Auburn, shows that national advertising lineage carried by ten Alabama newspapers during May was 89 per cent larger than the April lineage.

The value of building permits issued to 20 cities and towns of Alabama during May amounted to $632,435.00, which was a decline of 7 per cent from April and 27 per cent below the figure for May, 1930.

Electric power production in the United States during May of 1931 was 3½ per cent below May of a year ago. During the year 1930 the elecric light and power industry spent more on construction than in any previous year.

Prices of agricultural products dropped sharply from April 15 to May 15 of this year, the index at the latter date being 5 points below that of April 15. Since then further declines have been reported. Wheat recently hit a new low price level.

Farm real estate in Alabama has suffered a heavy drop in value, but it is still 29 per cent above pre-war level, according to the Alabama Economic Review, published by the Alabama Polytechnic Institute at Auburn. For the country as a whole the value is 6 points above the pre-war level.

There's Money in Fruit
Get Your
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Fred Howard
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All Kinds of Fruit Trees

ORR-PITTS WEDDING WAS PRETTY EVENT OF THURS.

Miss Elie Merle Pitts, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elie Braxton Pitts, became the bride of William Grey Orr Thursday evening at seven o'clock at the Fairfield Methodist Church, the Rev. Foster K. Gamble reading the nuptial vows in the presence of a large assemblage of guests.

The entire front of the church was banked with a profusion of Southern smilax and plumosa ferns, interspersed with pink gladioli and gypsophilia, while numerous standards of candelabra furnished light for the ceremony. Similar standards, tied with satin ribbon and decorated with gladioli and intimate friends of the couple.

The candles were lighted by Edward Pitts, brother of the bride, and D. W. Dobbins, who also acted as ushers.

Preceding the ceremony Mrs. Marjorie Moran Carpenter rendered a group of love lyrics. Kenneth Griffin and Miss Madelyn Orr, sister of the bridegroom, sang selections.

The junior bridesmaids, Misses Jane Elizabeth Ardis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Ardis,, and Betty Jean Tubb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Proctor V. Tubb, nieces of the bride, entered first. Their dresses of blue net were of colonial style, tight bodices with ruffled skirts reaching the floor. Bands of blue ribbon bound their hair and they wore flesh tinted slippers and carried French bouquets.

The maid of honor, Miss Evelyn Meacham, cousin of the bride, came next wearing a gown of similar blue net over blue taffeta made colonial style, with sash of flesh velvet tied in front with streamers to the floor. Her arm bouquet was of pink roses and baby breath tied with flesh tulle.

Little Francis Leon Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Leon Williams, carried the ring on a pillow of hand-painted flesh satin, the same having been carried on former occasions at the marriages of two sisters of the bride. The ring-bearer's suit was of flesh satin with flesh slippers to match.

Preceding the bride came little Ann Self, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Self, flower girl. She was dressed in flesh net with ruffled skirt and tight bodice with yoke. Her sash and and hair band were of flesh ribbon. She carried rose petals in a colonial bonnet of ruffled net.

The bride entered with her father, who gave her in marriage. Her bridal gown was of flesh Chantilly lace over flesh taffeta, fashioned along princess lines, flaring at the knees and touching the floor. Long tight-fitting sleeves and draped neck marked the bodice. Her veil of cream tulle was attached to a cap of Chantilly lace with clusters of orange blossoms at each side. Her only ornament was a string of pearls. The bridal bouquet was of cream Killarney roses showered with lilies of the valley. Mr. Orr was attended by Kenneth Matthews.

Immediately following the wedding the bride's parents entertained with a reception at their home on Parkway.

The receiving line was composed of Mr. and Mrs. Pitts. Mrs. R. M. Orr, mother of the bridegroom; Mrs. J. M. Cooley and Mrs. Lloyd Riddell. Mrs. Pitts received in a gown of blue chiffon, having a shoulder corsage of pink roses. Mrs. Orr wore black chiffon with gardenias. The table was covered with Venetian lace. The bridal cake was ring-shaped embossed with roses, orange blossoms and lilies of the valley, a bouquet of roses, intermingled with fern and gypsophelia, filling the center. Pink tapers burned on either side in silver holders. Ices and mints were in keeping with the color scheme of blue and pink. Assisting in the dining room were Mesdames James H. Ardis, Proctor V. Tubb, T. W. Elliott and James Leon Williams. Mrs. Marjorie Moran Carpenter registered the names of the guests in the bride's book. Later in the evening the young couple left on their wedding trip to Chattanooga, Lookout Mountain and other points in Tennessee.

Out-of-town guests to the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cooley, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Riddell, of Dallas, Texas; Mrs. R. M. Orr and Miss Madelyn Orr, of Clanton, Ala., and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Harrison, of Guin, Ala.

Mrs. Orr, as Miss Pitts, was educated in Birmingham and is a popular member of the younger set.

Mr. Orr, only son of Mrs. M. R. Orr, of Clanton, received his education at Alabama Polytechnic Institute at Auburn and is a member of the S. A. E. Fraternity. He is connected with the Firestone Service Stores of this city.

After the wedding journey, Mr. and Mrs. Orr will be at home in English Village at Mountain Brook.

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40 PER CENT MORE SWEET POTATOES ARE PLANTED

Alabama sweet potato acreage was increased by 40 per cent this year compared with 1930 giving a total of 104,000 against 74,000 last year, reports F. W. Gist, agricultural statistician for the Department of Agriculture.

The condition on July 1 was 60 per cent, indicating a production of 8,320,000 bushels, compared with 6,290,000 last season. "If this prospect continues there will be a problem of marketing a considerable surplus, or feeding to hogs," he said.

FOR SALE—A Bargain: 1 Late 1929 Model Chevrolet coach, mechanically perfect; runs and looks good, original tires. Will take car or truck in trade with difference.—Flem Higgins, Clanton, Ala., Phone 85-J. 1tch

FOR SALE

Good milch cow, fresh. Call or see Miss Naomi Holley at J. R. Holley's place, two miles south of Clanton, on Route 6. 7-23-1tpd.

NOTICE

State of Alabama, Complainant, vs. One Ford Touring, 1928 Model Motor No. A-1155354. Respondent.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against one Ford Touring, 1928 model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 3rd, day of July, 1931, one C. A. Johnson did transport in one Ford Touring, 1928 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama to another, and that said automobile was on said day seized by the Sheriff of said County and said bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in the Chilton County News a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Alabama, and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 13th, day of August, 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 13th, day of July, 1931.

GEO. F. SMOOT,
Judge of the 19th Judicial Circuit.
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PHONE 29
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It Will Pay You to Place Your Orders with Us for Fruit Trees.
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T. W. BRYAN, Sales Mgr.
Wilson Bldg. - Clanton, Ala.
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—Is no bad omen for the lady who sends her Cleaning to us—because our methods are safe to fabric and color—and odorless too!
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"When they make 'em better, we'll show 'em"
THURSDAY—FRIDAY and SATURDAY
JULY 23rd, 24th and 25th
Hoot Gibson In
"MOUNTED STRANGER" --- All Talking
(Western)
Serial: "Indians Are Coming" All Talking
MONDAY—TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY
JULY 27th, 28th and 29th
Lewis Ayres, Louis Wolheim
With All Star Cast In
'ALL QUIET ON THE WESTERN FRONT'
Comedy --- All Talking

Balloon Wheels
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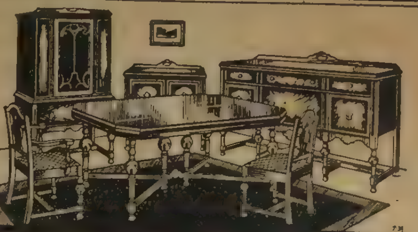

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TEA, I. G. A. Finest Orange Pekoe ¼-Lb. Pkg. 21c
PURE PRESERVES, I.G.A. Choice of Flavors, 16-Oz. Jar 25c
OCTAGON SOAP, 5 Bars 19c
TOILET SOAP, I. G. A. White Floating Cake 5c
CLEANSER, I. G. A. Large Can 5c
WESSON OIL, Pint Can 25c
SLICED PINEAPPLE, I.G.A. Fancy Large Can 25c
COFFEE, "I" Blend LB. Pkg. 33c, "G" Blend Lb. Pkg. 25c, "A" Blend Lb. Pkg. 21c
FLOUR, I.G.A. Plain or Self Rising 24-Lb. Bags 93c
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4.40-21 (29x4.40)	$4.98	$9.60
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5.00-19 (29x5.00)	10.90
5.25-21 (31x5.25)	12.95
5.50-19 (29x5.50)	13.40
6.00-19 (31x6.00)	14.90
6.50-19 (31x6.50)	16.80

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DOBBS REUNION LAST SUNDAY

A Dobbs reunion was held last Sunday at the home of Mr and Mrs. Oscar Dobbs, four miles west of Jemison near Pleasant Grove Church. All the children and grandchildren were present except one child, Mrs. Mae Cash and seven grandchildren.

Grandfather Dobbs, who is seventy-eight, enjoyed the affair as much as anyone present. A large dinner was spread and some of each dish was served to the father.

Those present at this reunion were the father, Mr. A. T. Dobbs, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Dobbs and children, Rubie Lee, John D., James Edward and Lonzo, from Aldrich; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dobbs and children; Mrs. Annie Paschal and son, Edwin and Miss Mildred Dobbs from Mineral Springs; Mr. and Mrs. John Chandler and children, Miss Clara Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Bullard, Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Ousley and son, Preston; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Burnett; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Chandler and children, Kathaleen, Royce and Peggie Lou, from Union Grove; Mr. and Mrs. Russel Dobbs and children, Francis and Loyce, from Cox, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dobbs and children, Gladys and Eurell, of Mineral Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Doss Lovelady and children, Willie Bee, Allie Dee, Louise, Mildred and Doss Lewis, of Cox; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dobbs and children, Earl, Julian and Jessie Ray, of Pleasant Grove; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dobbs and daughter, Lula Mae, Cox.

Mrs. Nettie Seales, of Maplesville, and daughter, Marie, Lawley, and little son, Charles Franklin, of Lawley. The visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Waldrop and family, Mr. Newt Childress, Mr. Smitherman, Mr. Roy Willis, and others.

Buy a new refrigerator now

Now, if ever, is the time for you to buy a new ice refrigerator. Get rid of that dilapidated, unsanitary, and unreliable ice box and buy one of the new scientifically built refrigerators for sale by the firms listed below.

The merchants of Clanton have made the first move. They have done their share and it is up to you to act now. Prices have been slashed right and left. In some cases they have been cut almost in half. Never before in the history of ice refrigeration have prices been so low and valued so high.

Take advantage of the tremendous savings which the merchants of Clanton have made possible for you. These refrigerators are new and modern in every respect. They are built along the latest style lines and are attractive and sanitary. Will you take advantage of this wonderful opportunity today or will you wait and regret it when you have to pay more.

Use More Ice

Safeguard the health of your family. During these hot summer days the preservation of your food in the right manner is one of the prime factors in keeping your family healthy. Hot food spoils very quickly, but food kept at a cold, even temperature with ice will stay fresh for a long time. Ice refrigeration is the road to follow when trying to solve the summer refrigeration problem. Should you buy one of the refrigerators listed above before August the first you will receive delivered free of charge enough ice to fill its capacity.

CLANTON ICE COMPANY
CLANTON BLDG. SUPPLY CO.
FARMERS HARDWARE CO.
TIFFIN-KLINNER FURNITURE CO.

Concord-Billingsley

The revival meeting began here at this place Sunday with Rev. P. A. Lynch of Clanton circuit as our helper. We have had real good services up to this time, and we hope they will continue to be better all during this revival. We are praying that many souls may be converted during this week.

The Sunday school was very commendable Sunday morning. We were glad of all the visitors present and invite you back again.

Miss Mildred Herod of Haynes, Ala., is spending a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams and family and Misses Connie and Sallie Shaw attended services at Pleasant Hill Thursday night of the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Pike of Coosa County is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Little.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hicks and family of Billingsley and Mrs. Mattie Rainwater and niece, Ruby Wells, spent a while Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Wililams of Shiloh community were the guests of Mrs. W. H. Little Sunday.

MAKE ROOM FOR PEACHES TO BE THEME OF GA. BROADCAST

Now York, July 18th, Colonel Goodbody, radio speaker on the A & P Food Program, announced today that Monday he is going to devote his entire talk to peaches, principally Georgia Peaches.

The Colonel apparently knows well the importance to the country of the record peach crop this year for he stated that from now till the end of the peach season his motto is going to be "Make Room For Peaches."

The A & P Food Program is broadcast over a network of 48 N. B. C. stations every week day morning. Locally it is heard thru station WAPI at 7:45 A. M.

IRISH POTATO ACREAGE INCREASED 50 PER CENT

Alabama farmers this year increased their Irish potato acreage by 50 per cent, the total being 48,000 acres compared with 31,000 last year. The yield has been good, averaging above 90 bushels and producing a total of 4,384,000 bushels compared with 2,521,000 last year. Most of the commercial crop has already moved to market at rather disappointing prices, but the main production has been for home use.

ALABAMA HAS LARGEST CORN ACREAGE IN YEARS

The Alabama acreage planted to corn this year was 3,091,000, compared with 2,810,000 last year, which is the largest acreage planted to corn in a number of years, according to F. W. Gist, state and federal statistician for the Departments of Agriculture.

Conditions of the corn crop on July 1 was reported as 70 per cent of normal, which indicates a total production of 38,683,000 bushels, or an average of 12.5 bushels per acre. This compares with a total production last year of 29,501,000 bushels, an average of 10.5 per acre.

J. B. ATKINSON
Attorney-At-Law
Office Over Robinson Department Store
Clanton, Alabama

Mt. Pisgah News

Our revival meeting began here S
day with a nice crowd.

We are so sorry Mrs. I. B. Year
is still in bed, improving very slow

Mary Pearl Holley spent Sunday w
Pauline Henley.

Rev. N. H. Culp was the dinner gu
of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Broadh
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Headley sp
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Y
gan.

Miss Lottie Edwards spent Sun
with Miss Catherine Broadhead.

Mrs. J. S. Hand and her sons,
nelius and Leonard, from West C
ton attended church here Sunday.

The singing opened at this place
Monday with twenty-five pupils
rolled.

The truckers in this community
very busy now hauling water mel

Friends of Mrs. Marshall Baker
be glad to learn she is improving
being on the sick list for the past w

Bro. J. H. Limbrick and Johnny B
er, also Bro. Culp visited the h
I. B. Yeargan and family Monday
Tuesday of this week as none of t
are able to attend church on acc
of the illness of Mrs. Yeargan

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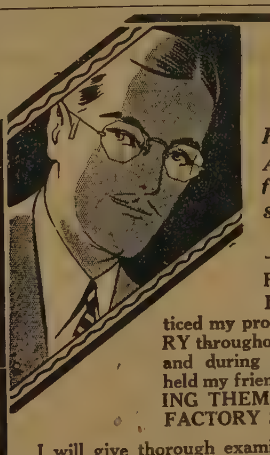

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This Week In Verbena

ol. and Mrs. Gordon Catts and rming young son have returned to ir home in San Antonio, Texas, af- a visit to his mother, Mrs. S. Catts. rbena still proudly claims the colonel hopes some day, in the near future, reclaim the whole family.

ther distinguished guests recently ertained in Verbena were Mrs. Vi- Farley Goodwyn and Mrs. Mattie een Hewey, both of Anniston, but merly of Verbena.

Vill Green has returned to his home Birmingham after a short visit to . F. A. Gulledge.

Every now and then a little proof of at Verbena used to be shows up. nest Satchwell, after an absence of thirty years, was in Verbena a few days ago, taking pictures of his childhood haunts. Many remember the tragic death of his grandfather, Dr. Little, who was drowned at the Turn Round some years ago.

Sidney Lanier and Joe Carr Gibson are spending their vacation in Maryland at Camp Lanier.

Mrs. B. B. Comer is spending the summer at Chautauqua, N. Y.

Miss Lila James Sheppard has returned to her home, Hill Crest, after a delightful visit to her sister, Mrs. Clay Willingham, 3631 Norwood Blvd., Birmingham.

Mrs. Irby Deramus is atttnding second session summer school at Montevallo, 'Ala.

Clarence Richardson of Birmingham has been entertained for the past few days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gaines.

Sarah Fitzpatrick Cowan of Birmingham is the house guest of her cousin, Bessie Elmore Sheppard.

Mrs. Joel Gulledge is spending some time in Atlanta, Ga., with her brother, Dr. F. M. Barnttt.

Mrs. Laura Boone is with her sister, Mrs. Durham, in Birmingham.

If the Verbena Service Station covered a little more space we would have a white way as wel las a highway.

Mrs. Gene Frances Baldwin and little son, are visiting Miss Elizabeth Hubbard. Miss Hubbard has just returned from Florence.

Miss Cordelia Gulledge is just back from Howard College.

Mrs. Gordy is in Verbena for the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Metcalf.

The store of Mr. Henry Williams, one of Verbena's leading merchants, was broken into the other night and a good bit of his stock removed.

Mrs. B. F. Merriwether has just returned to her home in Montgomery, after a short stay with her niece, Mrs. Lila W. Sheppard.

Rev. J. M. Metcalf, pastor of M. E. church, is rapidly recovering from an appendicitis operation. Am glad to report his recovery.

The friends of Dr. Charlie Strock are delighted to have him home again after a lengthy stay in Birmingham and hope he will soon be fully recovered.

Miss Sarena Mitchell is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Mitchell.

Mrs. Will Nelson, Hooper Cowas, Sarah Chanty and Miss Edith Harris are at Hill Crest for a few davs.

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FAIRVIEW 4-H CLUB NEWS

The Fairview 4-H Club went to Lay Dam on a three-day camp and barbecue Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 9, 10 and 11. All enjoyed the fishing, boat riding and swimming. Those who enjoyed the outing were Morris Keen, Julius Mullins, Clent Billingsley, John Wilson, Warren Keen, Delos, Winston and Alton Culp, Uel McKee, Woodrow and Marvin Durbin, J. P. Pool and O. T. Scott.

The visitors were Mr. Earle Thomas, Robert Lee Griffin, Mr. C. E. Stapp, Mr. John Mullins, Mr. Bernice Vance, and Mr. L. C. Keen. We were very glad to have these visitors.

WOODROW DURBIN,
Reporter.

WANTED

100 Farmers in the Maplesville Trade Territory to plant 5 acres of Austrian winter peas or vetch per plow.

The Experiment Station and many of our best farmers say vetch and peas are the farmers cheapest source of nitrogen

For further information see your County Agent.

BANK of MAPLESVILLE
Maplesville, Alabama

A view of the Electrified Kitchen and Exterior of Hotel Reich, Gadsden, Ala.

ELECTRIFY Your Kitchen Increase Your Profits

Every hotel and restaurant operator knows that his prosperity is keyed by the success of the kitchen. The reputation for good food travels fast. The reputation for *not* serving good food travels even faster. Experience of hotels and restaurants throughout the country is now proving that electrically cooked food draws customers and increases profits. Add to this the many other outstanding advantages—no fuel handling; no fumes or odors; the minimum of attendance; never failing conveniences; less food shrinkage and spoilage; elasticity of temperature control; uniform results—and here in Alabama an unusually low electric rate for heavy duty equipment. Can you afford not to give your guests this service—or at least to learn more about it? Our engineers will study your requirements without charge or obligation. Write Appliance Division, Alabama Power Company, Birmingham.

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Come in Today and make your own comparisons with cross sections of Firestone Tires and special brand mail order tires. *Get the facts yourself* about tire quality and construction. When you see the Extra Values you get you will not feel secure on any other except Firestone Tires.

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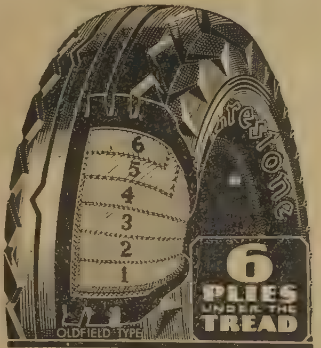

COMPARE PRICES

MAKE OF CAR	TIRE SIZE	Firestone Oldfield Type Cash Price Each	★Special Brand Mail Order Tire	Firestone Oldfield Type Cash Price Per Pair	Firestone Sentinel Type Cash Price Each	★Special Brand Mail Order Tire	Firestone Sentinel Type Cash Price Per Pair
Ford Chevrolet	4.40-21	$4.98	$4.98	$9.60	$4.35	$4.35	$8.50
Chevrolet	4.50-20	5.60	5.60	10.90	4.78	4.78	9.26
Ford	4.50-21	5.69	5.69	11.10	4.85	4.85	9.40
Ford Chevrolet Whippet	4.75-19	6.65	6.65	12.90	5.68	5.68	11.14
Erskine Plymouth	4.75-20	6.75	6.75	13.10	5.75	5.75	11.26
Chandler DeSoto Dodge Durant Graha'n-P. Pontiac Roosevelt Willys-K.	5.00-19	6.98	6.98	13.60	5.99	5.99	11 66
Essex Nash	5.00-20	7.10	7.10	13.80	6.10	6.10	11.90
Essex Nash Oldsmobile	5.00-21	7.35	7.35	14.30	6.35	6.35	12.40
Buick	5.25-21	8.57	8.57	16.70	7.37	7.37	14.52

MAKE OF CAR	TIRE SIZE	Firestone Oldfield Type Cash Price Each	★Special Brand Mail Order Tire	Firestone Oldfield Type Cash Price Per Pair
Buick-Mar. Oldsmobile	5.25-18	$7.90	$7.90	$15.30
Auburn Jordan Reo	5.50-18	8.75	8.75	17.00
Gardner Marmon Oakland Peerless Stud'b'k'r.	5.50-19	8.90	8.90	17.30
Chrysler Viking	6.00-18	11.20	11.20	21.70
Franklin Hudson Hupmobile	6.00-19	11.40	11.40	22.10
LaSalle Packard	6.00-20	11.50	11.50	22.30
Pierce-A.	6.00-21	11.65	11.65	22.60
Stutz	6.50-20	13.10	13.10	25.40
Cadillac Lincoln	7.00-20	15.35	15.35	29.80

TRUCK and BUS TIRES

SIZE	Firestone Oldfield Type Cash Price Each	★Special Brand Mail Order Tire	Firestone Oldfield Type Cash Price Per Pair
30x5 H.D.	$17.95	$17.95	$34.90
32x6 H.D.	29.75	29.75	57.90
36x6 H.D.	32.95	32.95	63.70
6.00-20 H.D.	15.35	15.35	29.80

★A "Special Brand" tire is made by a manufacturer for distributors such as mail order houses, oil companies and others, under a name that does not identify the tire manufacturer to the public, usually because he builds his "best quality" tires under his own name. Firestone puts his name on *every* tire he makes.

Double Guarantee— Every tire manufactured by Firestone bears the name "FIRESTONE" and carries Firestone's unlimited guarantee and ours. You are doubly protected.

COMPARE CONSTRUCTION and QUALITY

Firestone Gives You	4.75-19 Tire		4.50-21 Tire	
	Firestone Oldfield Type	★A Special Brand Mail Order Tire	Firestone Sentinel Type	★A Special Brand Mail Order Tire
More Weight, Pounds	18.00	17.80	17.02	16.10
More Thickness, Inches	.658	.605	.598	.561
More Non-Skid Depth, inches . .	.281	.250	.250	.234
More Plies Under Tread .	6	5	6	5
Same Width, [illegible]	5.20	5.20	4.75	4.75
Same Price . .	$6.65	$6.65	$4.85	$4.85

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PRINTS—36-in. Commercial fast color prints, new patterns 10c

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MEN'S OXFORDS—Big line good black oxfords, in sizes up to 12 for $2.25

MEN'S WASH PANTS Beautiful line of Polly Brand wash pants, in all sizes up to 50 at 98c & $1.35

Ladies Footwear

You have never seen such a line of new up to the minute slippers in pumps, ties, laces in patent leathers, kid or blondes

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MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS Solid color dress shirts, blue, green, tan and white, all sizes up to 17 for 59c

BOYS' UNIONALLS 1 Lot of boys Unionalls, Tom Sawyer make; sizes 3 to 8 for 69c

MEN'S SHIRTS & SHORTS 2-Piece Underwear in fast Colors; All Sizes 22c

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MEN'S SUITS
150 Men's Suits on Sale at less than the Cost of Making.

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At West End And Ready For Business

Doing all kinds of welding, and we will be able to save money for you if you will bring that broken piece of farm machinery or other machinery to us for welding. This work will be done by an experienced welder, and you are invited to visit our new place when in West End.

GARAGE DEPT.

Our garage department is now open and ready for business, doing all kinds of general repair work to all makes of automobiles. This is the only garage in West End. We have an experienced mechanic on the job to serve you. The West End Garage is located in a new building right on Main Street. Let us figure with you on your auto repairs.

West End Garage

West End, Clanton, Ala.

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CULPEPPER HOME COVERED WITH ATTRACTIVE ROOF

Persons driving from the business section of town out to West End will no doubt notice the new roof recently placed on the Frank Culpepper home, and admire its uniqueness and attractiveness. This roof was placed on by the Becker Roofing Company of Montgomery, and purchased by Luther Culpepper.

In a statement from Harry L. Slingluff, manager of the roofing company, he said, "We take pride in this roof, as we manufacturer it, sell it and do the work of covering homes, ourselves. This roof is known as the Becker Bonded Roof, and is strictly fire proof. Mr. Culpepper is to be congratulated on having his home covered with this roof in this time of fire hazards."

It is understood that this roofing company is contemplating establishing a branch agency in Clanton sometime in the near future, as they stated they have already completed several jobs in the county and have prospects of more. The job on the Culpepper home was under supervision of J. D. Kelly, an experienced roofing man, who is with the Becker Roofing Company.

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WEST END ADDS ANOTHER NEW PLACE OF BUSINESS

What seems to be ringing true concerning West End coming back into the old days again when it was a hustling little addition to Clanton in the way of business, another new place is opening out there.

This time it is a garage for general automobile repairing, and will be under the management of Grady Taylor, who also operates the West End Grocery. In connection with this repair shop, there is expected to be a welding department. That in itself will be something unusual for West End. Harris Hardy, son of J. R. Hardy, who operates a general merchandise store in West End also, has recently completed his studies on welding and associated repair work will probably place machinery for this particular line, in the garage, which will be known as the West End Garage.

The West End Garage will be housed in a recently erected building between the store of J. R. Hardy and the West End Grocery, and at this time it is open, with a mechanic on the job ready for business.

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Rather than borrow money on his veteran's bonus to pay his wife alimony, Elmer Pickle, Chicago salesman, accepted a six-months jail sentence.

Phone One-One-One
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The James Sign Shop
Clanton, Alabama
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Local Kiwanis Club Gathers With Farmers

(continued from front page)

structor at the Isabella High School, who called on various farmers and merchants who had had experience in the past year in growing and marketing strawberries. Those called on told in a rather impressive manner how the money derived from strawberries in the past year had aided them greatly in meeting financial obligations, and one farmer told of how he was able to send his son through college solely from the sale of strawberries. Others spoke of the small amount of work necessary to grow berries.

Cohen E. Stapp, Kiwanian and County Agent of Chilton County was asked to give the meeting some figures on the marketing of berries during the past season recently closed here. Mr. Stapp pointed out that it was the sale of strawberries that aided the central section of the county to pass through an otherwise hard year. At present there are only three strawberry shipping points in the county, Clanton, Thorsby and Jemison. The crop of this year brought near $150,000.00 in cash to this county, the larger part of which went to the section around Thorsby. Mr. Stapp also gave some information concerning individual planters and the amounts of actual cash netted by each, above all expenses.

At this point the meeting began to take on more interest and instead of the time previously estimated for the meeting, it was found necessary to double that. Dut to the fact that the meeting was held purposely to create a better understanding between the farmers and business men of the Maplesville section and to create more interest in strawberry growing, and the organizing of a shipping point, the chairman asked that another meeting of the farmers be held in the very near future for the purpose of furthering plans along that line. A suggestion was made that another meeting be held on August 15. C. E. Stapp was named to select a committee right away to arrange for this meeting and to promote the work. This committee will probably be named this week and will be composed of farmers and business men of the Maplesville section.

Howard R. Oden, one of the recognized progressive farmers of the Isabella section, in this county, was called on to give some facts and data concerning his experiences on planting vetch and peas as winter cover crops.

Maplesville has never organized a shipping point for its farm products, and has some splendid advantages for this, being the larger of the towns in the western part of the county and located on two railroads and a through state highway. The citizenship of Maplesville is made up of progressive business men and planters, and much interest was stimulated as the result of the gathering Thursday night through the efforts of the Clanton Kiwanis Club.

The ladies of the Maplesville Parent-Teacher Association served in an elaborate manner the delicious food for the meeting at the expense of the Kiwanis Club and a rising vote of thanks from the eighty-odd men was given to the ladies for their splendid work in connection with the meeting. Erle Thomas arranged for a group of string musicians to furnish music, and the entire affair went over and will remain in the minds of those attending as a complete success.

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Ronald Collins of Roanoke, Va., has a pet pigeon which flies to his classroom with him in Virginia Heights every day.

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When the will of Victor Torok was filed for probate in Davenport, Ia., it was discovered he had provided $10 for each pallbearer at his funeral.

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To Dine With Them As
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Sunday, July 26, 1931

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Fishing Rodeo Is Taking on Much Interest

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for the most thrilling of all sports.

Handsome trophies will be awarded for

Large catches
First catches
Funny fish
Little fish
Big fish, and
Big fibs.

There will be special prizes for catches made by ladies. Everyone is guaranteed a wonderful time.

The rodeo is the great opportunity for which all fishermen have longed. It is the one big deep water classic that lures the true sportsman from the corners of the nation. In the first rodeo in 1929 eleven states, the District of Columbia, and over fifty counties of Alabama were represented. In the second rodeo in 1930, the attendance greatly increased, for the reputation for good fishing and radiant hospitality had spread far and wide.

This year, Alabama expects to host to the largest crowd ever gath ed for a fishing round-up. There be excellent accommodations and ple of boats, and the old timers who 'kn wag their heads and say, "Thar's pon in them waters this year!"

Entrance and registration fee is for the entire three days. Sleeping commodations are furnished free. Bo costing from $10 to $25 per day and commodating 4 to 6 persons are ren to parties, who may prorate the if desired. Competent seaman-guide are in command of each boat. Mea are a la carte, reasonably priced delightful.

The rodeo waters abound in tarp black fish, red fish, trout, ling, mac erel, and other fish that will give th a-plenty to rodeoists. It will be ideal vacation.

Make up your party now and com municate immediately with Sam La land, Secretary Rodeo Committee, M bile, Alabama, who will arrange commodations and boats for you may not win a trophy, but guaranteed to win your share of derful outing and catch plenty of

QUALITY FOOD at Lower Prices

For Friday and Saturday, July 24 and 25

RAJAH
SALAD DRESSING Or SANDWICH SPREAD
Pint Jar 19c - 2-8 oz. Jars 25c

A & P
Apple Sauce No. 2 can 10c

ENCORE
Macaroni or Spaghetti 1/2 lb. pkgs. 5c

Shredded Wheat box 10c

Kerosene gal. 13c

BALL MASON
FRUIT JARS
Pint Jars 65c Qt. Jars 78c 1/2 gal. Jars $1.05

Jar Rings --- Per Dozen 5c
Certo --- 8-Oz. Bottle 25c
Gulf Sealing Wax --- Two 1-Lb. Pkgs. 15c

FLOUR

24 lbs.	Rainbow	55c
48 lbs.	Rainbow	$1.05
24 lbs.	Sunnyfield	75c
48 lbs.	Sunnyfield	$1.45

Grandmother's Bread --- 16-oz. Loaf 6c

8 O'CLOCK
COFFEE per lb. 21c

SUGAR 10 lbs. 50c

Combination Sale

½ Lb. Our Own Blend Tea, 2 pkgs. Sparkle Gelatin Dessert, Regular 40c value --- All For 29c
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SITES IN CO. NOT SUITABLE FOR HATCHERY

1,000 Gallons Per Minute Is Needed To Start Fish Hatchery, Report

Although Chilton County is able to present several available sites necessary to take care of the large $50,000 fish hatchery of the government so far as acreage is concerned, there is not a flowing spring of water in the county with a capacity large enough to supply the necessary amount for the hatchery, according to a report made by Mr. Wyatt, a representative of the Federal Government Bureau of Fisheries, who was in Chilton County Thursday of last week inspecting proposed sites for the hatchery.

Following a public meeting held at the courthouse in Clanton recently, several sites were proposed for the hatchery which the government plans to spend $50,000 on. These numerous sites were culled down until about three or four were selected as being somewhere near according to the specifications of the government.

These sites were visited by the Commissioners Court and then visited again by the Government representative. The report stated that there were two sites, one near Calera and one just east of Jemison that were as near being what was wanted as any in the county, but the springs located on them were not supplying a sufficient number of gallons of water per minute as is necessary. Mr. Wyatt stated that it would take a spring with a capacity of one thousand gallons per minute, while the springs located here ranged from 400 to 600 gallons per minute.

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McCormack, Held As Slayer, Freed

The slaying of John Ed Bearden at Maplesville, Ala., in 1922, Friday morning was relegated to an inactive page of the court records after members of the slain man's family agreed the prisoner held as Milton McCormack, wanted for the slaying, was Milton's brother, Dalton McCormack. He was released.

For 24 hours the community around Maplesville and in Chilton County buzzed as word spread that Milton McCormack had been recognized in a courtroom in Louisville, Miss., where he was standing trial for a minor offense, and had been returned to Alabama to face trial for the slaying of Bearden.

Six relatives of the slain man and several relatives of the prisoner, including two brothers, declared the prisoner was Dalton McCormack, and not Milton.

They said Dalton nine years ago was a youth of 14 and the man wanted in connection with the slaying was at the time of the shooting about 20.

Among those who viewed the prisoner were Miss Ollie Bearden, daughter of the slain man, who knew Milton McCormack well, and who was once reported to be the sweetheart of the man wanted. She definitely said the man held was Dalton McCormack.

Others who identified the prisoner were Walter and Earnest McCormick, brothers of Dalton and Milton, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Moore, cousins of the man wanted and Miss Ollie Mae Moore.

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CHILTON SINGING COMMITTEE WILL MEET NEXT SATURDAY

The News has been requested to announce this week that the Executive Committee of the Chilton County Singing Convention, No. 1, will meet at the office of The Union-Banner next Saturday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock. The purpose of the meeting is to plan where and when the next session of the convention will be held, according to J. R. Robinson.

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O. L. HOWARD, VERBENA, IS INJURED BY AUTOMOBILE

O. L. Howard, who is prominently connected with the well known Howard Garage, at Verbena, received serious injuries to his back Wednesday of last week in an accident which occurred at the garage.

Howard was stooping down doing some work on an automobile when another car, in leaving from the garage, backed into him, pinning Howard between the two cars. A doctor, whose car was being repaired at the garage at the time was there and administered first aid to Howard, who is much better now, according to recent reports.

VETERINARIAN SAYS RAISE MORE HORSES, VISITS HERE

Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Chenlaub, of Indianapolis, Indiana, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Parrish one day last week at their attractive country home near here. Dr. Chenlaub is a veteranarian of note, and stated that in his section of Indiana, farmers are raising more horses now than they have in several years, and that they are somewhat encouraging the work. Dr. Parrish stated that he has arranged to locate a stallion in Chilton County at the home of Charlie Tucker near here for the purpose of breeding horses, and hoped that the farmers of this county would take advantage of this suggestion.

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STOLEN GOODS RECOVERED; 3 ARE ARRESTED

Fourth Arrest Expected In Robbery Of Store At Lay Dam In May

Reports from the office of Sheriff W. H. Gillespie, this week show that three persons have been arrested in connection with the robbery of the store of W. A. Blalock at Lay Dam, and that a fourth is expected to be made right away.

Blalock's store was burglarized on the night of May 27th, it was stated. A part of the stolen goods were recovered. This consisted of overalls, shoes and other merchandise. Those being held in the Montgomery jail the early part of the week were Jim Crawford, Ethel Crawford Lampkin and W. H. Crawford, son of Jim. These persons were arrested at their homes in Shelby County by officers there, and held for local officers who went to Columbiana Tuesday and carried them to Montgomery it was stated where prisoners of this county are being jailed until the local jail is completed.

Three other arrests were also reported by the Sheriff's office on charges of violating the prohibition law. Officers from the sheriff's office also investigated an automobile accident which occurred just south of Calera last Monday morning early, in which Carl Burnett, of near Thorsby, was painfully injured.

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Legislature Cost The State $392,985

Montgomery, Ala., July 26—Total expenditures for the regular session of the 1931 Legislature, up to and including yesterday, the 50th and last legislative day, amounts to $392,985.83, according to records in the office of State Auditor John Brandon.

Items making up this total, follow: House members, per diem ,expenses and mileage $137,285.40. Senate members, per diem, expense and mileage, $48-719.99. House help $95,437. Senate help $77,943.50. Recess committee $12,-490.30. Miscellaneous expense $21,-109.64.

The total shown does not include the expense incident to the necessary work of the Secretary of the Senate and the clerk of the House, in completing, after final adjournment, the official record of the legislation in both Houses; nor does it include necessary printing in this connection.

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CARL BURNETT INJURED IN ACCIDENT MONDAY

Carl Burnett, who resides two miles east of Thorsby, was painfully injured last Monday morning about three o'clock when the truck on which he was riding was struck by a car driven by negroes, on the Birmingham highway, just south of Calera.

According to the story given the News, Burnett was accompanied by Berba Bean, who was driving the truck, loaded with watermelons, bound for Birmingham. The negroes are said to have been headed south and before striking the Burnett truck, struck a sign on the side of the road. Both vehicles were badly damaged.

The negroes, altho somewhat injured, attempted to make their escape, it was stated, but were caught and held until officers could reach the scene.

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Due to a change in plans made last week, Mr. M. Lande and party did not got to Chicago last Sunday as was stated in last week's issue. Mr. Lande stated that they plan to leave next Sunday. They will make the trip in their car and expect to be gone for almost two weeks, Mr. Lande stated.

Sees Newspaper As Important Factor In Prosperity's Return

Mr. Charles Presbrey Says Press Seldom Errs In Selection of News and That Advertising Moves Money

MR. CHARLES PRESBREY

President, Frank Presbrey Company, New York Advertising Agency, who states that newspapers will be an important factor in the return of normal business conditions.

Newspapers will be a strong factor in bringing about the return of prosperity, according to Mr. Charles Presbrey, President of the Frank Presbrey Company, advertising agency of New York. They record a community's activities and therefore encourage prosperity by making known the first symptoms of it. Editorially, they promote the policies of government and business administration which will hasten the return of good times. And through their advertising columns, they cause the spending of money—one of the most necessary steps to normal business conditions.

"Many people criticize the newspaptrs for giving too much prominence to the news of the break in the stock market in October, 1929," stated Mr. Presbrey, "and this was supposed to have spread the pessimism that soon brought about the depression. I do not give such theory any great amount of credit—the losses in the market themselves were sufficient to curtail the buying power of thousands of individuals and the earnings of many corporations. A newspaper's function is to disseminate news, and to feature it in the order of its importance from an interest standpoint. This same policy of the successful newspaper will make it a tremendous ally of good times.

Editors Make Few Mistakes

"In every community there is a factor which is taken locally as an index to business conditions. In a small town, perhaps it's the local 'mill' or factory where return to production is

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PILOT CLUB WILL MEET WITH KIWANIANS TONIGHT

The members of the Clanton Pilot Club will hold their meeting of this week with the Clanton Kiwanis Club tonight, as was announced several days ago.

This meeting will be held at the Methodist church, with the Pilot Club in charge of the program.

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LEGIONNAIRES TO MEET HERE MONDAY, AUGUST 3

Chilton County Post of The American Legion will hold its regular monthly meeting at the courthouse in Clanton on Monday night at seven-thirty o'clock, according to Commander R. D. Woodson. At this meeting a report from the committee attending the State Convention at Talladega will be given and all members are urged to be present.

Among those who were scheduled to attend the State Convention in Talladega during the past few days were Percy M. Pitts, Joe Calloway, R. D. Woodson, Eugene Gore, and Lonza Robinson. From the Legion Auxiliary were Mrs. Percy Pitts, Mrs. R. D. Woodson, Mrs. W. H. L. Smith, Mrs. Joe Calloway and Mrs. Arthur Tippett.

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TWO THORSBY CONCERNS TO REMAIN OPEN ALL NIGHT

According to an ad in this issue of the News from Franklins Garage and the Bir-Mont Cafe in Thorsby, these two places will remain open all night during the summer for the accomodation of tourists and haulers of watermelons. Both these places are located on the Birmingham highway and adjoin each other. Read their ad on the Thorsby page in this issue.

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DR. H. M. NIX, MAPLESVILLE WILL BE OUT OF HIS OFFICE

Dr. H. M. Nix, prominent dentist of Maplesville, Ala., stated this week to a representative of the News that he would not be in his office from August 5 to August 15th, and wished to request that his patients remember this and make their plans accordingly in regard to dental work at his office.

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Mrs. Frank J. Callen and children, Billy and Ann, and Mrs. J. S. Tissier, of Selma, are planning to leave today for a motor trip to Schenectady, N. Y., where they will visit friends and relatives for approximately a month.

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WINNERS OF PRIZES IN LEGION FIDDLERS CONTEST

The fiddlers convention sponsored by the Chilton County Post of The American Legion, held at the courthouse in Clanton last Friday night was declared by many as a success and was witnessed and enjoyed by a large crowd. Among the winners of the valuable prizes offered by the local Legionnaires are Loxie Mims who won first prize; W. V. Clark, second prize; Archie DeLoach, third prize; Fonza Smith, fourth prize; Orville Wright, fifth prize. Others were Hollis Wright, Alvin Smith, Ben Scott, Ivan Howell, W. H. Dennison, L. L. Courtney.

The bands that were prize winners were, first prize, the band composed of Isaiah Deramus, Eunice Jones, Forrest Jones and Ivan Howell, the latter winning an individual prize also.

The band composed of Archie DeLoach, Armon Mims, Loxie Mims and Beatrice Mims, won third prize, while the band composed of Ruby Chasteen, Winston Culp, and Alton Culp took serond prize. The latter group are members of the famous "Our Band" and rendered two selections.

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RAYMOND MARCUS HAS BEEN SERIOUSLY ILL AT HOME

Reports Tuesday from the bedside of Raymond Marcus, who is at the home of his parents here, Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Marcus, stated that his condition is doubtful. Raymond has been ill for sometime, and appeared to have improved considerably sometime ago, later having to go back to his bed. His friends throughout the state are wishing for him a very speedy recovery.

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T. J. Hilyer, a progressive farmer who resides out from Jemison, was in Clanton last Saturdav on business. While in town Mr. Hilyer must have known the boys at the News plant were watermelon hungry, so he brought in a nice long melon for them. We'll bet Mr. Hilyer won't be forgotten here.

New Cafe Scheduled To Open In Clanton Next Saturday In Remodeled Building

Saturday, August 1, will see the opening in Clanton of another cafe, according to DeWitt Easterling who will open DeWitt's Cafe in the Hayes building, which was formerly the post office building. The building has been remodeled and a partition inserted giving the new eating place the corner half.

DeWitt's Cafe will be under the management of Mr. Easterling, who stated that on Saturday, his opening day, they will serve Niolin's coffee and tea free to those visiting them. Mr. Easterling invites his friends in to visit his new place and to have a cup of the widely known Niolins coffee or tea.

CHRISTIAN HARMONY CONVENTION AGUST 2ND

The Chilton County Christian Harmony Singing Convention will be held at Pates Chapel, three miles west of Thorsby on the first Sunday in August, which is next Sunday, August 2nd, according to J. N. Scott, who made the announcement this week.

Everyone who loves music and likes to sing is invited. There will be no singing on Saturday at this time, and the convention will open at nine o'clock Sunday morning. Those expecting to attend this convention next Sunday are asked to bring their books and lunch and prepare to stay all day.

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ROOFING CO. TO ESTABLISH BRANCH HERE

Montgomery Office Hopes to Place Resident Manager In Clanton

Clanton may get another business concern in the near future if plans of the Becker Roofing Company, manufacturers and appliers of roofing of Montgomery, are carried out concerning the opening of a branch office in Clanton.

Harry L. Slingluff, manager of the Montgomery office of the company, was in Clanton this week looking over the possibilities here and commented favorably on the location. In fact there appears an ad in this issue of the News in regard to a resident manager here. Mr. Slingluff stated that they wanted an energetic young man who can hustle, and one of dependability. The Becker Roofing Company has completed several roofing jobs in this section, and recently covered the Culpepper home, near West End, with one of their attractive roofs.

Just what arrangements will be made at this time is not known, Mr. Slingluff stated, but they hope to locate in Clanton as soon as possible, with an office and warehouse which will be a branch of the Montgomery office.

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S. E. Bruce, known throughout the county as "Ed," and one of those fellows a person likes to know, was a visitor to the News office yesterday.

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Farm Meetings To Continue In County

The meetings of farmers over the county, called by County Agent Stapp are to continue on into August, according to his schedule. These meetings are being held for the purpose of seeing as many farmers as possible in the county and try to get them to plant at least five acres in Austrian winter peas or vetch per plow. Following is the schedule of meetings for the next few weeks:

Providence (north of Jemison), August 3; Pleasant Grove, Aug. 4; Concord, Aug. 5; Fairview, Aug. 6; Sardis, Aug. 7; Isabella, Aug. 10; Baker, Aug. 11; Jackson Chapel, Aug. 17; Union Grove, Aug. 18; Freeman, Aug. 19; Pinedale, Aug. 20; Verbena, Aug. 21.

All the above meetings are to be held at the school house at seven o'clock p.m. on the dates named.

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VERBENA 4-H CLUB WILL MEET TOMORROW NIGHT

Announcement was made this week by John A. Scott, secretary of the splendid Verbena 4-H Club, that the club members will meet tomorrow, Friday night at seven-thirty o'clock. All members are urged to be present as some matters of importance are to be brought up for discussion. An invitation is also extended to all visitors, it was stated.

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REV. HASKEW WILL RETURN FOR SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY

A communication from Dr. D. W. Haskew, pastor of the local Methodist church, recently, stated that he would be back in Clanton in time to conduct his regular Sunday morning services next Sunday and was expecting a large crowd. Dr. Haskew has been conducting a revival meeting at Ft. Deposit and states that he has been more than pleased with his congregations there and that they have been doing some real good work.

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W. M. Brown, a resident on Route 1, was in Clanton Saturday.

STATE TO GIVE MORE AID TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Instead Of One Dollar For Every Two, Now On A Fifty-Fifty Basis

During the recent session of the legislature of Alabama, a new law was put into effect concerning provisions for State aid for communities in erecting or repairing public school buildings.

Instead of meeting communities with only one dollar for every two raised, the State will now give dollar for dollar for this purpose. Below is the new law as approved on July 6, 1931, by the Governor:

AN ACT

To Amend Sections 372 and 373 of The Alabama School Code of 1927

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA

That Section 372 of the School Code of Alabama, 1927, be amended to read as follows:

Section 372. APPLICATION FOR RURAL SCHOOLHOUSE. The County Board of Education, where it is proposed to erect a school building or teachers' home according to plans furnished by the State Department of Education or to repair or to equip a school building according to plans approved by the State Department of Education may make application to the State Board of Education for aid subject to the following conditions: The application shall show that at least equal to the amount for which aid is asked has already been secured from other sources than the State, and shall also contain a description of the plot of land upon which the public school building for which aid is sought is located or is to be erected. Nothing in this article

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Sunday School Convention August 2nd

The District Sunday School Convention will be held at Big Springs Baptist church, Sunday, August 2, 1931.

2:15 P. M. Devotional by R. L. Jackson.

2:30 P. M. Reports of all schools in District.

2:50 The Pastor and Superintendent as Responsible Leaders in the Sunday School, by T. L. Patrick.

3:10 What the Officers and Teachers Should Know, by Rev. J. W. Mitchell.

3:25 Making the Lessons Real in the Lives of the Pupils, by Rev. H. T. Wooten.

3:40 The Six Point Record System and How to Use It by Mrs. J. C. Hughes.

3:55 How Our School Reached the Standard by Mrs. G. C. Traywick.

4:00 General discussion.

4:15 Adjourn.

All superintendents are urged to send in their reports, as this is the last District Convention before the Annual Convention at Mulberry church, August 4th, according to W. J. Patrick, associate superintendent

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MISS MABEL HOWARD LEFT TUESDAY FOR CHICAGO TRIP

Miss Mabel Howard, owner and operator of DeMabel's Beauty Salon, left last Tuesdav for Chicago. While there she expects to attend the Beauty industry's most enjoyable show the cosmetician's convention, Hotel Sherman, sponsored by the American Association of Cosmeticians and Hair Artists. The show will attract thousands of beauty culturists from all parts of the country by its stupendous program of entertainment, educational lectures and manufacturers' exhibits.

This is the twelfth annual convention and trade show of the American Association of Hair Artists and Cosmeticians and promises to be one of the major events in beauty circles during 1931. This show can truly be called the beauty trade's greatest educational exhibit. Every service rendered in the beauty shop will be covered by lectures and demonstrations, by the most advanced members of the profession.

One of the features of the show will be a party and dance. Also there will be a golf tournament on one of Chicago's most picturesque golf courses. Ben Bernie, known as the "Old Maestro" and his well-known orchestra, will furnish music for dancing. Miss Howard hopes to return to her shop chuck full of new ideas for everyone interested in their own beauty

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THE HUMAN MACHINE

Every prudent person who owns and operates a piece of machinery is careful to see that it is kept in good condition. This is generally done through frequent inspections to detect unusual wear and tear, so as to have the necessary repairs made before the machine actually breaks down.

The most important piece of machinery of all, however, is often sadly neglected. We refer to the human body, the machine upon which all joy of living depends.

It is well that people are more and more getting the habit of having periodical physical examinations, even though they be apparently in good health. By these examinations incipient disease may often be detected long before the person examined would have felt any discomfort from it. This is particularly true of diseases which attack the internal organs such as the heart, lungs, liver and kidneys.

Every person, especially those getting along toward middle age, should have a thorough physical examination at least once a year, whether they feel any symptoms of disease or not. If no disease be found, it is a great satisfaction to know that one is sound physically, while a warning of disease in its first stages enables one to obtain treatment which may check its progress and materially prolong life.

Most large life insurance companies now afford their policy holders free medical examinations once a year and this privilege should be taken advantage of by all means. If no insurance policy be carried, the fee for such an examination is small and may save much suffering and expense in the future. Watch your human machine.

June Dixon of Mt. Morris, N. Y., has a pet bantam hen that entered the house and laid an egg between two dolls in a carriage on the second floor of the dwelling.

Ali Mehmed of Chicago, arrested for beheading his wife, said she asked him to do it "as a favor."

Sir Ernest Trevelyan of Oxford, Eng., left instructions in his will that no member of his family should wear mourning for him.

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That we have reduced prices on several household articles. Take for instance our stock of

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with or without the Perfection Oven. Prices on these stoves are real low now.

then there is

our stock of metal refrigerators. Get our low price on these and you will really be surprised to learn you can buy one now at such a saving.

we will not try to

give you a list of prices on the various needed items to be found at this store here

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We will tell you we believe you will be pleased with the low prices you can take advantage of at this time on articles you need around your home, farm, office and store.

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Attractive Cabinet Style and Midgets

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The revival services closed here Thursday night. We had a good meeting although we just received one addition to the church. But the presence of the Holy Spirit was shed abroad during these services. We hope and do believe that there was lasting good done during this meeting.

The attendance was real good and everyone was wearing a smile and seemed to be enjoying the services. We were glad of the privilege of having with us Rev. P. A. Lynch to assist in the meeting. We pray God's blessings on him as he goes from place to place to preach the gospel.

Let's everyone remember, who are interested in our Sunday school, to come each Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Let's not neglect our Sunday school. We would like to see more of the parents come and bring their children.

Several from this church attended the quarterly conference at Antioch church last Saturday.

Mr. Charlie Williams spent the past week end with relatives near Adams.

Misses Bessie and Jettie Williams spent Sunday with Miss Allie Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Tindol were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fonza Williams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

Miss Lenoir Misseltine is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Louise Weldon.

Come to the singing next Sunday afternoon and bring your friends with you.

Let's everyone think of it as our singing and do our best to come.

JUDSON COLLEGE OFFERS NEW COURSES FOR YEAR

Marion, Ala., July 20.—Judson College will offer courses in Commercial Education for the first time next session, according to Dr. L. G. Cleverdon, President.

Courses in typewriting, shorthand, bookkeeping, accounting, business law, and other commercial subjects will be offered in the new department. Typewriters, dictaphones, mimeograph machines, and other equipment have been secured.

The instructor in the department of Commercial Education has not yet been announced. A well-trained and experienced teacher, with an A. M. degree in this field, will be employed, stated Dr. Cleverdon. It is the plan of the college to prepare women to hold secretarial positions adequately.

There are 193 farms within the city limits of New Orleans, averaging 11.2 acres each, on which nearly 2,000 persons earn their livelihood.

COTTON PRICE IS ABOUT SAME AS 100 YEARS AGO

Cotton prices are about the same as they were 100 years ago, reports the radio and market division of the Alabama Department of Agriculture.

According to the United States Bureau of Census upland cotton prices in 1831, 100 years ago, averaged 9.4 cents per pound. This is not far off the average price at the ten spot markets during the first six months of this year.

Bureau statistics also show that in 1930 the average price of upland cotton was 9.5 cents per pound compared with the average of 9.7 cents in 1830. This shows that 100 years ago cotton averaged .2 cents per pound higher than it did last year.

During the past 100 years the high average price was in 1863 when cotton averaged 101.5 cents per pound. The lowest average for any year was in 1898 when cotton averaged 4.9 cents per pound.

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Mt. Creek News

Headley-Eiland Wedding Event Of Last Tuesday.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Eiland, only daughter of Mr. Sam Eiland, became the bride of Mr. Otis C. Headley Tuesday afternoon at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Henry Gaylor. The Rev. G. A. Goss read the nuptial vows in the presence of a few very close friends and relatives, being a very simple affair. A profusion of summer flowers of many colors and varieties, with a few large pot flowers were used in the decorations.

Miss Icie Belle Cobern had as her guests Sunday afternoon Miss Clara Baker, Mr. Tommie Glenn, Miss Eleanor Thrailkill, Mr. Raymond Cobern, Miss Sudie Mershimer, Mr. Sam Cobern and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Headley. Later in the afternoon they were served ice cream, after which they strolled to the Falkner's Pond for a boat ride.

Mrs. J. N. Atkinson spent Sunday afternoon with her husband and daughter, Mr. J. N. Atkinson and Norma.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Culver, Mrs. Margaret Culver and Messrs. Luther Cannon and Batson Culver motored to Montgomery to see the former's daughter, Mrs. L. L. Rheay.

WOMEN HAVE THEIR WAY

American women scored a victory over officialdom recently, when custom authorities in Washington decreed that returning tourists might bring back as much as a hundred dollars worth of their favorite perfume, instead of only the single bottle formerly permitted.

Perfumes have been brought from one country into another since ancient times. Roses imported into France from Syria in the Middle Ages were used to make rose water. Italian perfumes were brought into France during the Renaissance. During the reign of Louis XV the aristocratic members of society required a different perfume every day. The industry declined during and immediately after the French Revolution, but was revived under Josephine, wife of Napoleon.

It was only natural that France should attain preeminence in the art of perfumery. Southern France produces a luxuriance of fragrant flowers equalled by no other country, and French colonies furnish the essential oils and other necessary ingredients.

Perfumery manufacture in France is a combination of science, exquisite taste and tradition, and not the least element in the manufacturers' success is the artistic blending of natural essences. Even the perfume bottles and boxes are fashioned with delicate care, so that the finished product is as appealing to the eye as it is to the most fastidious nose.

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Demand this package
12 Bayer Tablets of Aspirin
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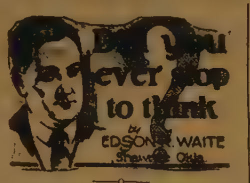

W. R. Orchard, editor of the Council Bluffs (Iowa) Nonpareil, says:

That the enormous value of advertising is not recognized and appreciated by the people generally. It is the great central motor which moves the wheels of progress forward. All people have hopes, ambitions, desires. They crave those things which make life more worth living. They are in search constantly of better food, better clothing, better homes, better environment. In the advertisements written by people highly educated in this important art they find the answers to their longings.

An old farmer and his wife concluded to sell their farm and move elsewhere. They were tired of the humdrum of farming. They consulted a live real estate dealer. This man gladly listed their farm and wrote an advertisement setting forth the facts regarding its fertile acres, its shady groves, its fine old house, its springs of ice cold water, its pastures, its shady lanes, its lowing cattle and the good neighborhood in which it was located. The old farmer and his wife read this fine description of their property and concluded that they would keep it. Advertising written by a skilled hand made them appreciate the value of their property. They saw it in a new light.

Railroads employ skilled writers to paint word pictures of the beautiful scenery which may be reached on their lines. They appeal in this manner to human desires and get business. It is the money of travelers which furnishes employment to millions of people who provide them with their traveling needs.

Advertising induces people to buy. It causes our dollars to move rapidly. A dollar which changes hands ten times in a day and repeats day after day for a year is worth 3,650 times more than another dollar held in the strong box of a miser who hoards his money and denies himself the improved living conditions he should buy.

Our standards of living and our wages per capita are the highest and best in the world. We have grown rich by buying and selling among ourselves. There are no saturation points in this country for useful commodities and foods. The wants of people are insatiable. Keep these wants alive by advertising and volume of business will increase as surely as tides rise and fall.

Mrs. James Bennon of St. Louis, who reported the disappearance of her husband three months ago, found him living with another woman two doors away.

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New Batteries
GUARANTEED
Glasses Cut And
Put In
BILL'S GARAGE &
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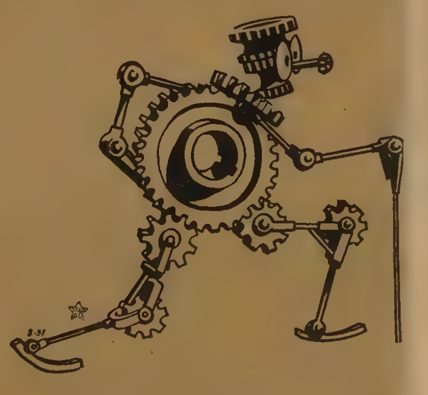

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NOTICE

State of Alabama, Complainant, vs. One Ford Touring, 1928 Model Motor No. A-1155354. Respondent.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against one Ford Touring, 1928 model. being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 3rd, day of July, 1931, one C. A. Johnson did transport in one Ford Touring, 1928 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama to another, and that said automobile was on said day seized by the Sheriff of said County and said bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in the Chilton County News a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Alabama. and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 13th, day of August, 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 13th, day of July, 1931.

GEO. F. SMOOT,
Judge of the 19th Judicial Circuit.
7-16-3tcS

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The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against One Ford Roadster, 1925 Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 4th, day of July, 1931, One Thomas Lewis did transport in one Ford Roadster, 1925 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama, to another, and that said automobile was on that day seized by the Sheriff of said County and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PARDON OR PAROLE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned who was convicted at the spring term, 1931, of the Circuit Court of Chilton County for the possession of a still and given a sentence of a year and a day will make application for pardon or parole from said sentence, to the pardon board and Governor of the State of Alabama. This, the twenty-fifth day of July, 1931.

WILLIAM VERGIAL BROWN,
7-30-2tpd.

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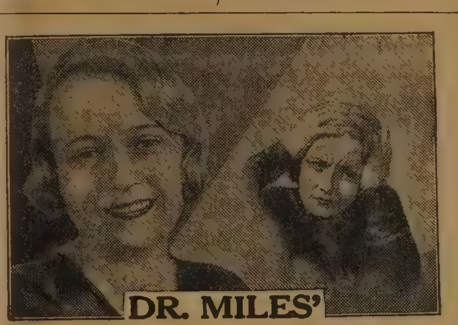

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MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

I was talking with a good woman not long since who could not attend church on the account of bodily ailments. This is what she said to me, "Pastor, I long to be at church every Sunday, but I am now too feeble to go. I want you to know that while I can not sit in my pew, still I am with you in my spirit." The spirit of that woman was a blessing to the pastor and the church at every service. Allow me to tell you what an Evangelist said to a business man who came to him saying, "Brother, I have got to open my business for trade every day during your meeting and I will have to be there, but I want you to know that my spirit will be here with you." The Evangelist looked him over and while seeing more than the business man had an idea could be seen, he made this reply, "Brother, if you think more of your business than you do of your soul, if you think more of your business than you do of the souls of your neighbors, you keep your spirit where your body is. We do not want it here pestering our worship." A lot of people think that they can deceive the ministry. A man will go, and he will be found doing the thing that he treasures most. No man can send his spirit off to worship, while his body and brain go off after pleasure or business.

Dr. J. C. James, who is now presiding elder of the Montgomery district, was one day walking through the cotton field of one. of his members. He was young in the ministry and having been raised in the city, he knew nothing at all about cotton. However, he wished to be friendly toward his host and to show interest in his promising crop. The minister ventured to make the following comment, "Brother Warren, I notice that you have two kinds of cotton growing in your field, one kind that has a white bloom and one kind that has a red bloom. May I ask which kind you like the better." Then the city preacher let the cat out of the wallet. It is amusing to witness how wise some city youngsters think themselves to be when they are standing side by side with a country boy. There are many of the linen suit quality who do not even know how to tie a hamestring. It would be a sight worth going to London to see, just to witness one of these "Know it alls" hitch a mule to a plow. I really believe that a country boy knows more of the things worth knowing, than does the city boy.

I was sitting on my front porch and a man went by with his head hanging down. His entire bodily appearance indicated to me that he was in the dumps. There were burdens in his bosom that I could not see. I could read from his every movement that he was almost ready to throw up the sponge and quit. He said to the world about him by his very movements, "I am down and out." He had met a problem, he had met a hard climb, and he was saying, "What is the use to try?" When a man loses hope, he has lost the power to succeed Unless a soldier holds up his head, he is not going to fight. This is a time when we must refuse to let our heads droop. This is a time when we must hold up our heads and keep our spirits up. Things may not be just as you would like for them to be, but you will get no where by moping. Hold up your head and you will have power to fight it through.

A handsome young man and a beautiful young lady stood before me asking that I say the words that would make them man and wife. I did not ask them if they knew all the joys, all the sacrifices, all the troubles, all the sorrows that awaited them down the journey of life? I only asked them if they would accept each other according to the marriage vows to live together and to be true to each other until death separated them. I could see from the joy with which they answered the questions that they loved each other, and that they were ready, willing and anxious to take each other and because of that love to take by faith all that life might bring to them. Marriage is a venture of faith. If the venture is made under the urge and under the power of love, the two parties will be willing to suffer much and to sacrifice much. They will take by faith the problems of married life and with trust and faith, love them through. When there is loyalty, trust, faith and love, the vows of the sacred altar of matrimony will never be disgraced in the divorce courts.

A good friend asked me this question, "What do you consider the most dangerous period of human life?" I wanted to tell him that the most dangerous period was the days of childhood. I wanted to tell him that the most dangerous time was the days of young manhood and womanhood. My answer to that question was that I considered the most dangerous period in human life to be between the age of thirty and forty-five. During that time married people lose the fascination of love and loyalty, and stand in eminent danger of breaking over the vows of wedlock. During that period there comes the increase of responsibility and the burdens of business, and the soul is gripped by material things, and stands in eminent danger of becoming money and pleasure mad. Between the ages of thirty and forty-five is the time when the real fight of life must be made. Men and women should be on their guard with all the gattling guns of honor and purity, ready to be used in defense of the soul. Beware lest you lose your virtue and your religious faith between thirty and forty-five.

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NEW DEVICE TRANSFORMS MUSIC INTO COLOR

Now You Can See Color of Your Own Voice, Says Radio Engineer

The development of a marvellous color organ which automatically converts music into changing colors in harmony with the moods expressed by the music, and which can be used to project the human voice in color on a screen, was described by Mr. E. B. Patterson, research engineer of the RCA Victor Company.

The color organ, which operates on radio-electrical principles, was developed in the vast radio laboratories concentrated in Camden, New Jersey, by RCA Victor. It is designed to produce a greater emotional effect on the spectator-listener than can be obtained by listening to music alone. It has long been known, Mr. Patterson said, that color affects human emotion in much the same way that certain moods in music do. The color organ endeavors to make a simultaneous appeal to both senses, of sight and sound, for greater aesthetic enjoyment.

Visualizing its application to the stage, or the concert hall, Mr. Patterson described the operation of the color organ in conjunction with the performance of a "blues" singer. The singer's voice picked up by a microphone connected to the color device automatically creates a colorful background of appropriate atmosphere which changes with the fluctuations of his voice. Another application of the color device is to fountains, where in addition to creating pleasing lighting effects, it will be possible to control water valves so that the flow of water is varied with the changing tempo of the music.

Fairview News

Miss Gracie Culp spent last week with Miss Jewel Foshee.

Mrs. Beulah Williams spent Wednesday with Mrs. Sallie McKee.

Mr. and Mrs. Solley Gilliland and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Culp last week.

Misses Gracie and Mary Lois Culp, Lucile Williams, Fannie Lee Lecroy, Myrle Buzbee, Rosie Chandler dined with Miss Jewel Foshee Tuesday.

Inez McKee attended the revival at Mt. Pisgah last Tuesday.

Misses Jewel Foshee, Gracie Culp, Lloyd Culp were the guests of Miss Edith Culp last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Warren and Mr. Rosco Durbin motored down from Birmingham Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Ola Edwards and Mrs. Rosco Durbin.

Misses Myrle Buzbee, Lucile Williams, Gracie Culp, Peggy Foshee, Fannie Lee Lecroy dined with Inez McKee last Wednesday.

Misses Jewel Foshee, Mary Lois and Gracie Culp were the dinner guests of Miss Myrle Buzbee Sunday.

Mrs. Mollie Scott and Mrs. Era Fox were the guests of Mrs. J. D. Culp Sunday.

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It is not unsual to see women in the cafes and dance halls, of Copenhagen, smoking cigars six to eight inches long.

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The champion alimony-payer of Chicago is Hugo Meyer whose wives, number 1, 2 and 3, receive his monthly checks for $8000, $1,000 and $300 respectively.

J. B. ATKINSON
Attorney-At-Law
Office Over Robinson Department Store
Clanton, Alabama

Three Years Ago

From Issue of August, 1928

The contract for Clanton's new grammar school was signed Monday, the job being awarded to A. B. Bearden & Son of Birmingham, their bid being $25,917.00.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Page and little daughter have returned from a months vacation, part of which they spent in Miami, Fla., and Ashville, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Elmore and little daughter left Wednesday on an extended trip through the North, making the trip by automobile.

Mrs. L. F. Gerald and children, Celia and Lawrence, Jr., left Saturday for an extended visit to relatives in Denver, Colorada.

Mr. and Mrs. Flem Higgins entertained Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Doozie Wilson of Dadeville, Ala.

Rev. S. J. Ezell has been conducting a revival meeting at Verbena this week, having taken up the work begun by Rev. Ross Arnold of Greenville, he being called to his home by the sudden illness of his father.

Mrs. Clara B. Mullins, who holds a responsible position with the Robinson Department Store, has returned from her vacation.

Mr. L. E. Diefenderfer made a business trip to Birmingham last Wednesday.

Miss Feryl Martin of Thorsby was the guest of Miss Wilhelmina Kittrell, at the home of Mrs. Clay Marcus, last week end.

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After a 23-year divorce period, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Nather, aged 70 and 68 years respectively, have been remarried at Ridgebury, N. Y.

There's Money in Fruit
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Fred Howard
Old Reliable Fruit
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All Kinds of Fruit Trees

IN CONCLUSION

We Say To You

Ice is an invaluable aid to you during the hot summer weather in keeping your food pure and free of germs. With improper refrigeration there is always danger of food becoming contaminated and poisoning your family. The use of ice refrigeration removes this worry from your mind. There's no substitute for melting ice in keeping food cold, moist and pure. The use of more ice is the key to your refrigeration problem.

During the past two months the Clanton Ice Company and the hardware concerns of Clanton have sponsored a campaign thru the medium of this newspaper to bring to your attention the necessity of using more ice. They have given you good advice and stand ready to help you with your refrigeration problems.

Use More Ice

It is up to you to act now. The price on refrigerators has never been as low as it is now. The dealers in Clanton have slashed the price on modern, scientifically built refrigerators and if you buy now you can save many dollars.

In drawing this campaign to a close we advise you to buy one of these new refrigerators, now, while prices are so low. These refrigerators will serve you faithfully for years to come, with you as its sole boss at all times.

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Our Improved Crops

Several days ago, the outlook for some good crops in the county was not so good, as complaint of dry weather was heard from various parts of the county. But the all-seeing One has blessed the county with rain during recent days and especially the latter part of last week. Reports from over the county state that crops in general are looking fine and growing like a top. Indications point toward a fine crop this year and farmers will be fixed so far as food crops are concerned.

The low price of cotton is perhaps a blessing in disguise, and as Mack Wyatt would have it, "If it stays cheap we will get rich." That simply means that our farmers will not depend too heavily on cotton for a livelihood, but devote more time to crops they can use at home, and cut down on fertilizer bills by planting their own legumes

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Editors See Gains

The editors of 155 business papers announced through the National Conference of Business paper editors, that they see distinct signs of business improvement. This is a testimony that should comfort the doubters and pessimists, if they want to be comforted. Business paper editors come nearer knowing the real heart of trade than almost anyone else.

While the theorists are theorizing and the statisticians are computing figures that in many cases represent the past rather than the present, the business paper fellows are in close touch with the conditions of today in every branch of trade. They have their ears very close to the commercial ground. Like the old Indians bending over to listen for the hoofbeats of approaching forces, these editors hear the tramplings of the faster march of activity.

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Performing A Great Work

Some of the women's clubs of Alabama are undertaking to have the litter of bill boards and advertising signs removed from the highways of the state. Here is hoping they succeed. The removal of such bill boards and advertising signs would not only afford an opportunity to see Alabama beautifully, some of the advertising they contain might find its way into the state press, where the reader could sit around the fireside or on the porch swing and read and study the advertising in comfort.

We have always contended that such advertising is an unfair discrimination against the press. The press is the real advertising medium and community builder after all is said and done. The gratuitius work the press does entitles it to the advertising that is done on bill boards, trees and buildings. If the women's clubs of the state can succeed in accomplishing the undertaking the press of Alabama ought to erect a monument to their memory.

Covington News.

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No Advice Needed

Three hundred thousand members of the proletarian organization of Germany demand the release of the eight negroes now confined in Kilby Prison, who are under sentence of death for criminally assaulting two young white women in Jackson County last Spring, Gov. Miller was informed in a cablegram from Berlin.

This following close on the heels of President Hoover's proposal of a moratorium of their war debt, doesn't sound so good to the red-blooded Americans, who have suffered so much at the hands of this people through loss of life and health from a war into which they were unwillingly dragged. Not many of us care to have any suggestions from the Germans as to our private affairs.

"Perceive the death sentence against negro youth as an unquenchable civilization disgrace," do they?

Well, when they want to try to force their style of civilization on us again, let 'em remember their last attack. Better finish paying the debt contracted then.

"Raise flaming protest. Demand setting free." That's the way they express it. To h—ll with 'em, we say. We've not asked their advice. Don't need it, and feel that we are entirely capable of handling our own affairs without any outside interference.

—Wiregrass Journal.

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Back To The Dirt

Editor—The unemployment question can be done away with in short order if the people will just move from the city back to the farm and dig out a living. There is no excuse for unemployment in America except by those who are too high-minded to work on the farm. The farmer knows no unemployment.—C. B. Stuart, Oldtown, Ky.

—Pathfinder.

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Our farmers should remember the experiences during last winter and now plan to lay by enough food supplies for next winter.

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That Clanton can have a respectable public dance was demonstrated last Friday night.

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Don't borrow your neighbor's paper, own your own. The cost is small compared to what you get in twelve months time in printed words.

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

"I am not bound to win but I am bound to be true. I am not bound to succeed but I am bound to live up to what right I have. I must stand by anybody that stands right—stand with him while he is right and part with him when he goes wrong."—A. Lincoln.

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Speaking of life's most happy moments, here's one, often read about but never experienced. When you go into a store on the first of the month to pay a bill and the merchant says, "Oh, that's all right, just wait another thirty days.

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This idea of blithely dashing into a railroad train isn't the sport it used to be. I heard the other day of a court in Vermont who directed a motorist to pay a railroad company $19.60 for damage inflicted upon a locomotive into which said motorist dashed, slashed, crashed, hurtled, ran, collided, bumped and otherwise assailed to the detriment of the paint, varnish, finish, polish, appearance, efficiency, utility and otherwise usefulness of said locomotive, engine and vehicle of propulsion and at said highway crossing where said motorist committed said breach upon the property of the plaintiff.

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There is a fellow, I understand who is somewhat peeved at himself because he failed to notice in the News a week or so ago, that he had an invitation to eat at Matt's Lunch Shoppe as their special guest. You folks better take to looking for the invitations to eat a well prepared dinner at Matt's and at the Dixie. These invitations are in the News each week.

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Heard a good story the other day, and passing it on to you. A man in southern Minnesota, tired of life, out of work, walked a mile and a half to the railroad, laid down with his neck over the rail. The train was late. The man finally wore out, walked back to town and wrote the general freight agent complaining of the poor service of the railroad. Some persons are never satisfied.

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I extend a hand of welcome, as the ed says, to the writer of the column "As Seen" that appeared for the first time in the News last week.

And to the dainty little correspondent of the Mulberry community, I will say that it really doesn't make any difference whether I'm a preacher or not, I sure like watermelons, chicken, cantaloupes, peaches, and what have you. But the ed didn't like it much cause you spoke of me as an ed, last week. Next time you are in Clanton look me up.

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There is a man who has done much toward contributing to the raising of the working class of people. He has no doubt spent years of real hard work. There is a possibility that he started in life undernourished and without an education. He is striving at all times to better his condition and to aid in a better way toward the raising of the working people. He is the man who makes alarm clocks.

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It is said when the Great Creator had finished His work of making all the good things. He found there was still some dirty work to do. So He made the reptiles, beasts and the poisonous insects, and after He had finished this job, He still had some old scraps left on hand that were too bad to put into the hyena, the rattlesnake, the scorpion, and the skunk, so He gathered all these together, covered them with suspicion, wrapped it with jealousy, marked it with a yellow streak and called it a KNOCKER. This outcome was so fearful that He had to make something to counteract it. So, He took a sunbeam, put it into the heart of a child, took the brain of man, wrapped it with civic pride, covered it with brotherly love, made it a believer in equality, and justice, a worker for and a supporter for every good thing in the community, and then called that product a BOOSTER. And henceforth mortal man has had the privilege of choosing his associates.

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And I am inclined to believe sometimes that the biggest fool in town can sometimes tell the wisest man in town something he did not know.

And then someone suggests that the only way to drive a car is to bear in mind that the other fellow is an idiot and needs watching.

About all some people are fit for is to kick about something the other fellow has done or failed to do. They seem to forget that most any ordinary mule can kick.

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TO OUR FARMERS
With My Compliments

The teacher does the teaching
And the blacksmith shoes the steeds;
The preacher does the preaching,
And the grocer hunger feeds.

The butcher slices up the meat;
The shoeman sells the shoes;
The newsboy tramps upon the street
And sells the latest news.

The miner wields his heavy pick;
The clothing man keeps clothes;
The mason builds a house of brick,
The showman runs his shows.

The machinist fixes up your car;
The lawyer pleads your case;
The postman carries mail afar;
The realtor rents your place.

The collector takes your taxes;
The restaurant man sells lunch,
And the farmer, he's the lowly guy,
Who feeds the whole dam bunch.

—W. H. Blue.

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In a popular novel we read that "the young husband caught his bride in his arms." And he probably caught her in his pockets a little later on.

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A New Jersey paper records that a man was killed "by coming into contact with a live wife." Possibly a linotyper's error, yet such things have happened.

Sees Newspapers As Big Factor, Prosperity's Return

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regarded as significant. In the larger town, it may be a reduction in unemployment—or an encouraging rise in bank clearings.

"Newspapers bring these facts to the public quickly. In these days they are news. Corporations earning their dividends a few years ago were no sources of news—they were normal and their earnings were taken for granted. Now the most space-guarding editor is pleased to lead out a story of an increased dividend, or an extra, when paid by even a comparatively unimportant corporation. Editors are not deceiving their readers in this—they are giving a proper balance to their news—and in doing this, helping to stabilize business conditions.

"The average newspaper today is a leader of its readers. A man usually reads the paper he believes and whose ideas he is ready to accept. Thus, the editorial writer finds his pen a stronger weapon than ever.

"Without discussing the harm or value of certain government activities, or regulation of business, I believe the newspaper can serve its communities' industries by wielding its influence in their behalf. Political science writers are doing much to overcome the fear of government programs which are holding back many businesses.

All Departments Help

"The business side of a newspaper is just as valuable a means to the return of good times as is the editorial department, however. Their redoubled efforts in obtaining advertising revenue is helping their communities as well as themselves—and the advertisers.

"Enormous savings in bank deposits alone show a latent buying power which promises adequate return for good advertising. Advertisers are naturally reluctant to spend their money in idle markets. The energetic business staff is unlocking these appropriations and through successful campaigns, increasing the business of the advertiser. This business cannot increase, however, without putting money into circulation.

"Retail store advertising benefits, not only the businesses themselves, but the manufacturers whose goods they sell. The manufacturer's advertising for his particular products helps himself, of course, but even more, it helps the retail and wholesale outlets through which the product is distributed. Employment is increased or lay offs or wage reductions minimized. The finished goods must be transported to the market.

From Good Markets Now

"Even the newspapers' circulation department can be helpful in restoring good times. Forced methods of boosting totals are not only costly but wasteful. Requiring a proper advertising rate, they add to the cost of advertising without increasing its effectiveness. They lower the average of the value of a newspaper's readers. They are an economic waste. By keeping its circulation expansion confined to those new readers who are voluntary subscribers and who represent a purchasing influence, the newspaper is further aiding the return to sound business conditions."

"As advertising agents we are very much aware of the sales problems of our clients, most of whom are eager to utilize advertising wherever it can be shown that the expenditure will be productive. Our department of business research is constantly studying business conditions, not only nationally, but in various localities.

"Some areas will return to normalcy before others, many are already good markets for certain products. It is our duty to point out to our clients those points which are apt to be the most responsive to advertising in the light of business conditions and the strength and influence of the newspaper in that market.

"The manufacturer who has let his advertising lapse, and the producer of a new product are not apt to start their advertising in a national way on a large scale. They will first select specific areas that seem to be most responsive. Zone advertising will increase in popularity because it permits the selection of productive areas—skimming the cream as it were—with new 'cream' areas coming into the picture every day as prosperity returns. Newspapers who show their markets as being in the preferred class will find many advertisers now ready to make an investment in their advertising columns."

We Cordially
Invite

R. J. Sumner and Guest
To Dine With Us

Sunday, August 2, 1931

As Our Guests.

THE DIXIE CAFE

State To Give More Aid To The Public Schools

(continued from front page)

shall prevent the granting of aid for the erection, repair and equipment of rural school buildings on property already owned by the State. County High Schools shall be eligible for aid for repairs and equipment under the provisions of this article.

BE IT FURTHER ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE of ALABAMA: That Section 373 of the School Code of Alabama, 1927, be amended to read as follows: Section 373. AMOUNT OF AID FOR CLASS ROOM. The maximum amount for which application is made for the erection of school buildings and teachers' homes shall not exceed four hundred ($400.00) dollars per room provided that for standard class rooms nine hundred ($900.00) dollars may be given for each standard class room. In making additions to buildings the sum of nine hundred ($900.00) dollars will be granted for each standard class room erected.

Approved by the Governor of the State of Alabama, July 6, 1931.

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VIEWS of OUR NEWS

By Chicagoan

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Last Week's News Reviewed By A Stranger in The Windy City

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Chicago, Ill., July 21.—Hello, Clanton folks! You didn't know it, but I've been looking at you, viewing you as you were reflected in the columns of last week's Chilton County News. You'd be surprised to know what a faithful mirror of your community I found this good newspaper to be.

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Before going a single line farther, we'll settle one thing so that it need never be mentioned again. None of you know me. I've never been in Clanton, and there isn't a chance in ten thousand that you've ever seen me. I'm just an odd piece of humanity that's been tossed about on life's sea for quite a spell. Now I find my keenest pleasure in reading the good weekly newspapers that come to my desk. Such papers as the Chilton County News are ever so much closer to the lives of their readers than the metropolitan sheets.

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A hand of welcome to the little lads who so recently arrived to brighten the E. E. Overstreet home of Billingsley, and the Gresham Lowery home of Thorsby. Some years hence, when they read the accounts of their weddings in the News what other items do you suppose will greet their eyes? What wars will have been fought; who will have wedded and who will have died; who will be in Congress then, and will they still be arguing about prohibition and the tariff; what will be the most popular means of transportation in that day? I could lose myself in such speculation.

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After wading through a welter of domestic unhappiness with its consequent breaking up of families, such as I do each week in the daily press, it is like inhaling a berath of pure country air to read of the reunion which recently took place when Mrs. Carl Peterson of Birmingham visited her sisters, Mrs. James Bosworth, Mrs. A. E. Reagan and Mrs. C. R. Foss. Such family visits are an encouraging sign; for, after all, the family is the foundation of our nation. Where family ties are strong, governments prosper. But where they weaken or dissolve, civilizations decay.

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In the calendar of events, future historians will record last week of importance for this, that, or the other thing. But to the friends of Miss Willo Dean Bean of Thorsby, it was important for one thing only. . . . the anniversary of her birth. That's why they gathered at her home to celebrate. Through all these years, they have known the privilege of her friendship, and the kindliness of her genial personality. So it was only natural that they should have marked the day with song and laughter, and that in departing, they should have wished her good health and the blessing of happy birthdays galore.

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If you don't want the whole world to know about your business, don't advertise it in the News. How do you suppose I learned that A. C. Smith has a ground floor for rent? Nope, a little bird did not tell me. I read the ad in last week's News.

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A. S. Richards and daughter, Sandlin, of Shreveport, La., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John M. VanDerveer recently. They were accompanied by Mrs. J. P. VanDerveer, who has been spending several days in Shreveport visiting friends and relatives.

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Fright was the only harm the seven-year-old son of Mrs. John Weaver of Okmulgee, Okla., suffered from sleeping all night with a copperhead snake.

Children First Or When?

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The work of the 1931 state legislature is ended; and it comes to its termination with no provision for the normal growth of the public school system and with no hint of pride or progress in matters educational. This means that Alabama's growing school child must wear the same old suit of clothes for eight years instead of four.

Worse than this! It means that we must go along with an outfit trimmed considerable smaller by citizen Taxpayer's cutting down on 1930 tax valuations. His school maintenance must be had for about a million and a quarter less during 1931-2 than during 1930-1. And yet he is bigger! A **whale of a lot bigger** from every angle each year.

Now, in these days of strain and necessary economy, every thinking citizen has felt a sincere sympathy for our state legislators as they have tried to find tax money for state operations. They met pledged to economy; and they have economized so far as schools are concerned.

The Warrior's disappointment is that the legislature couldn't find the means to make possible the modest program proposed for rural schools. The state university, Auburn, Montevallo, normal colleges, all city school boards, and all the other educational interests stood aside and said, "We ask for nothing for ourselves in this emergency. The keenest point of need is our rural school children. Appropriate for them a small transportation fund, increase their school building and equipment fund, enlarge the equalization fund. Guarantee at least a seven months term."

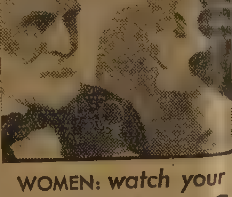
President Denny of the University appeared in person to plead this cause. The American Legion spoke in no uncertain fashion. The state teachers organization approved heartily. The committee on Education of the lower legislative house reported the rural school program favorably by unanimous vote. The Senate economy program stopped all action through their Committee on Education.

Yet this same Senate group favors a $25,000,000 bond issue for roads and a new gas tax! Times are hard, gentlemen; but our big cars must roll smoothly. Most of us live in the city where tax valuations will educate our children in decent style without new laws. We are not going to send our children to county schools! We must have roads! Let's do our economizing without discomfort to ourselves. Hard times! But we must ride over good roads through the country. We **do not** send to county schools! If we had to, we would take them up some way—bond issues, new taxes, or what not!

Governor Miller said that education should be his **first** interest. So did the Democratic platform! Who's first now, gentlemen? Roads, schools, economy, or what?

Alabama's rural school terms are now as short as any in christendom; and when the full effect of legislative inaction and of necessary tax reduction on rural lands is felt in further shortening of terms and deprivation of school advantages, then there will be a public most dissatisfied with Alabama conditions. The sad part is that meanwhile thousands of rural boys and girls with fine possibilities for development will have missed their way educationally.

(Editorial in Tuscaloosa Warrior, July 23, 1931.)



WOMEN: watch your
BOWELS

What should women do to keep the bowels moving freely? A doctor shoul know the answer. That is why pu Syrup Pepsin is so good for women. just suits their delicate organism. It the prescription of an old family docto who has treated thousands of wome patients, and who made a special stud of bowel troubles.

It is fine for children, too. They lo its taste. Let them have it every tim their tongues are coated or their sk is sallow. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Peps is made from fresh laxative herbs, pu pepsin and other harmless ingredien

When you've a sick headache, ca eat, are bilious or sluggish; and at t times when you are most apt to constipated, take a little of this famo prescription (all drug stores keep ready in big bottles), and you'll kn why Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is favorite laxative of over a milli women!

DR. W. B. CALDWELL'S
SYRUP PEPSIN
A Doctor's Family Laxative

Mrs. Anna Haykin, aged 105, of Sheffield, Eng., smokes two ounces of tobacco a week and drinks a daily glass of beer.

Philco Radios

9 tubes, 4 screen grids, over- Buy your new Philco Now. Features of new 1932 Philco, size improved electrodynamic speaker, 4-point tune control and static modifier, and many other new features.

Baby Grand

Complete with tubes installed in your home for

$79.50

Buy One on the Easy Terms.

TIFFIN - KLINNER FURNITURE CO.

In Fox Bldg.—Sixth St.,
Clanton - - - - Alabama

DISTRIBUTION OF EACH DOLLAR PAID FROM STATE TREASURY DURING YEAR ENDING SEPT. 30, 1930 (Auditor's Report)

1. Health Department		.0131
2. Confederate Pensions		.0339
3. Convict Department		.1121
4. Eleemosynary Institutions		.0313
5. Highways and Bridges		.3857
6. Gas Taxes collected for Counties		.0735
7. All Educational purposes		.2510
a. Primary, and Secondary Schools, Teachers Colleges, and all other educational purposes except Higher Institutions of Learning		.2092
b. Higher Institutions:		
(1) University of Alabama:		
(a) Maintenance	.0118	
(b) Buildings	.0026	
		.0144
(2) Alabaam Polytechnic Institute:		
(a) College Maintenance	.0084	
(b) Agricultural Research	.0033	
(c) Agricultural Extension	.0049	
(d) Buildings	.0026	
		.0192
(3) Alabama College:		
(a) Maintenance	.0062	
(b) Buildings	.0020	
		.0082
Total Higher Institutions		.0418
8. All other purposes		.0994
		$1.00

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J. H. Williams, a progressive farmer residing on Thorsby Route One was in Clanton on business last Saturday. While in town he called at the News office.

GRAPES ARE READY SAYS J. H. JACKSON

Last Monday the News office received a pleasant visit from J. H. Jackson, a well known citizen of the county and who is widely known for the fine grapes he raises on his farm for the market, and he brought a large basket of the delicious grapes to the News office as a gift.

The grapes Mr. Jackson raises are the Concord and he states are extra fine for making jellies, but judging from the taste of those left at the News office, they are extra fine for just plain eating like they are, as well. For several years Mr. Jackson has been raising and selling his grapes and at present has many customers. He resides on Clanton Route 1, about one-half mile east of Lomax, and his home is easy to reach.

In talking with Mr. Jackson it was learned that Mrs. Lee Traywick is his daughter. It will be remembered that Lee Traywick died from injuries received during an election here sometime ago, leaving his widow and six children who are dependent on Mr. Jackson and have been since the death of Mr. Traywick. By purchasing these fine Concord grapes from Mr. Jackson, one will not only be getting value received for their money, but will be aiding in a large way toward helping him support his six grandchildren, who so unfortunately lost their father.

Mr. Jackson will be found to be a man of high standards and one of the county's stalwart citizens.

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—Subscribe To The News—

Largest Manufacturer and Applier in Industry

WANTS A SALESMAN

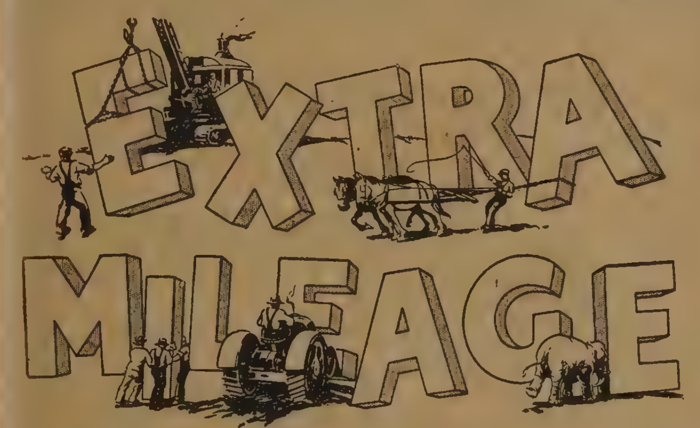
Age 25 to 30 — High class young man, as resident salesman in Clanton and vicinity to work under personal supervision of manager who can assure the right man unlimited opportunities for advancement. Write

Becker Roofing Co.

Montgomery, Alabama

Matt's Lunch Shoppe

EXTENDS
A CORDIAL INVITATION
TO
Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Taylor
To Dine With Them As
Their Special Guests
Sunday, August 2, 1931



SURE . . . A LOT OF TIRE FOLKS TALK ABOUT IT . . . BUT MIGHTY FEW ARE WORKING AS HARD AS "U. S." IS TO GIVE IT TO YOU . . .

That's why we are proud to sell U. S. Tires. We know that the World's largest producer of rubber is now building the best tires in its history—and more of them by far; for the Big Swing is to U. S. Tires. Extra mileage—extra safety—extra beauty—at no extra cost!

U. S. PEERLESS

4.40-21	$4.98
4.50-20	$5.60
4.50-21	$5.69
4.75-19	$6.65
5.00-19	$6.98
5.00-20	$7.10

5.25-21	$8.57
4.75-20	$6.75

TRUCK TIRES
32x6 10-ply, H.D. $33.00
30 x 5 8-ply, H.D. $19.95

THORSBY GARAGE

E. N. BENTLEY, Proprietor Thorsby, Ala.

THE BIG SWING IS TO

U. S. TIRES

News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

On Sunday, July 26, at 7:30 p.m. the marriage of Miss Ruth Martin and Mr. Herbert Adams took place at the Thorsby Baptist church. The ceremony was open to the public and was conducted by Rev. J. W. Jones. The bride was given away by Mr. William Billingsley of Clanton. The best man was Mr. Marion Smith. Before the ceremony Miss Lois Thompson sang "I Love You," and Miss Agnes Leary sang, "O Promise Me." The bride, accompanied by Mr. Billingsley approached the altar from the left, while the groom and the best man came from the right. The bride wore an Alice blue chiffon ensemble with blonde accessories and a blue picture hat. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal couple left for Gadsden, Alabama where they will make their future home. The bride is the charming daughter of Mrs. Carey Martin. She has been a popular and well liked teacher at the Thorsby public school for several years.

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Mrs. Martha Grothy celebrated her eighty-second birthday Sunday, July 26. Among her friends who called on her during the day to felicitate her were Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Soberg, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morgan and children, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelson, Mrs. Ekblad and daughter, Astrid, and Mr. and Mrs. Dyrhovd.

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Miss Mary Ruth Nix visited Mrs. William Pierce and Miss Elizabeth Williams in Clanton last week.

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Miss Rachel Peterson, who is in hospital training in Birmingham, is spending her vacation in Thorsby with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson.

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Miss Charlie Gamble of Dadeville is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Turner Gamble this week.

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Miss Louise Carleton of Dadeville is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson this week.

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Henry Robinson and Arthur Villadsen spent the week end in Thorsby.

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The Boy Scouts from here enjoyed a camping trip Tuesday night.

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Miss Lois Thompson gave a picnic at Yamakita Friday night. Those who went were Linnie Bell Reinhart, Myradine Martin, Edna Lee Wilder, Dorothy Von Franklin, Lois Thompson, Sallye Thompson, L. C. Lowery, J. C. O'Barr, Lloyd Howard, Hubert Reinhart, Leo Spivey, Herman Robinson, Conway Thornburgh, Ollis Littleton, Ershell Martin.. Mr. and Mrs. Turner Gamble accompanied the young folks. Swimming and dancing were enjoyed.

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Misses Naemi Turnquist and Christine Bosworth were home for the week end.

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Mrs. S. A. Thorsen and Mrs. A. E. Reagan are spending a few days in Selma visiting Naemi Turnquist and Christine Bosworth.

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The Y. W. A. will meet with Miss Dorothy Von Franklin Friday afternoon at four o'clock.

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The W. M. U. met at the church Tuesday afternoon.

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Mr. J. L. Mixon returned from his vacation Wednesday. Mrs. Mixon and children returned Sunday.

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The revival meetings at the Baptist church began Sunday. Rev. Barnes has charge of the services.

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Mr. German Bean of Atlanta spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Bean.

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Mr. Sidney Davenport spent the week end in Thorsby.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Billingsley spent the week end in Thorsby.

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Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Billingsley spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin, Kendall Franklin, and Mrs. C. M. Gray spent Friday in Birmingham.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bean and Miss Jessie Mims spent the week end with parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mims.

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Miss Ruby Connatser entertained the following Thursday night: Mary Sue Robinson, Virginia Bice, Hubert Reinhart, Wilma and Verlon Goodgame, Lloyd and Ella Howard, L. C. Lowery, Dorothy Von Franklin, Mary Sue Porter, Kathryn and Edith Foss, and Kathryn Lenoir.

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Mrs. Homer Adams from Birmingham is spending a few days in Thorsby with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Adams.

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Mrs. Harry Thompson spent the week end in Thorsby.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Langville and daughter, Vivian, of Birmingham spent Sunday in Thorsby with her mother, Mrs. Martha Grothy.

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Miss Anna Wernis of Birmingham is spending her vacation in Thorsby with her mother, Mrs. Martha Grothy.

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Mrs. H. C. Cowart of Deatsville and Mrs. D. M. Pyron of Calera spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Walker.

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Mrs. Peter Nixon and daughter, Rena Belle, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Walker.

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Mrs. Horsley White and Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway spent the day with Mrs. R. R. Franklin Wednesday.

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Miss Mary Sue Robinson is leaving for Lincoln Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs. A. P. Villadsen.

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Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith spent the week end in Thorsby.

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Mrs. Theron South is spending a week in Thorsby with her mother, Mrs. G. W. Freeman.

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Shiloh begins their revival meetings next Sunday. Rev. D. W. Hodges has charge of the services.

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Miss Margaret Butler spent the week end in Thorsby with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Butler.

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Rev. E. W. Butler and Miss Margurite Davison made a trip to South Alabama this week end to attend a district conference.

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Doris and Orville Freeman entertained Kathryn and Edith Foss, Sallye Thompson, Edith Johnson, Oliver Lyon, Bill Gray, Charles Derwin, John Adams and Ershall Martin at a card party Wednesday night. Cookies, lemonade, and peaches were served for refreshment.

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Mrs. Anna Phalin and son, Thomas, Mrs. Kane and two daughters, Helen and Lois, of Tuscaloosa visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard during the week end.

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Mr. Norwood Johnson is much improved after a light attack of appendicitis.

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Mrs. J. W. Littleton and Arnold of Selma spent Sunday with Mrs. J. H. Collins.

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Master Jack Mitchell of Bessemer is spending a couple weeks with Arthur Nelson.

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Miss Ruth Peterson of Birmingham spent the week end in Thorsby.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peterson and family were visitors at the Carl C. Peterson home for the week.

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Mrs. G. F. Harper returned Tuesday after visiting her sister in Defuniak Springs, Florida.

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Mrs. R. W. Scott spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Gibbons, of Deatsville.

Blue Ribbon and Black Diamond Ranges, Slightly Used. Fully Guaranteed
$24.50 --- $1 weekly

One 3 Pc Overstuffed Living Room Suite
Extra Special At
$49.50 --- $1.50 week

KITCHEN CABINETS
$7.50 and up --- $1 week

PHONOGRAPHS
$5 and up --- $1 a week

A Few 24x36 in. Library Tables
$3.50 to $7.50 - 50c week

IRON BEDS
$2.50 to $7.50 -- 50c week

MATTRESSES
$2.50 & up - 50c a week

Philco and Crossley Radios --- 1932 Models
$1.50 a week

6x9 Felt Base Congoleum Floor Coverings
$2.95 --- 50c week

PORCH SWINGS
$2.95 --- 50c week

REFRIGERATORS
$5 and up --- $1 a week

Dresserobes, Low As
$12.50 --- 50c a week

One 3 Pc Walnut Finish Bed Roome Suite
$39.50 --- $1 a week

TIFFIN - KLINNER FURNITURE CO.
Fox Bldg. Sixth St., — Clanton, Ala.

All Night Long

For the convenience of the public our garage will remain open all night during the melon and fruit season, and we will be prepared to render prompt and efficient service on all makes of cars and trucks at ALL HOURS.

Franklin Garage

Thorsby, Ala.

WOCO-PEP - - FIRESTONE TIRES

Adjoining Bir-Mont Cafe

Me Too !

We will also remain open all night throughout the hauling season and will be ready to serve you at all hours—day or night. Stop and eat with us. We will please you.

Bir-Mont Cafe

Thorsby, Ala.

Adjoining the Franklin Garage

SAVE THIS! It is good for a cup of steaming hot coffee any time between 9 p.m. and 6 a.m. Stop and get it Free—

THE BIR-MONT CAFE
Thorsby, Alabama

My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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CHAPTER XXXII

Secretary of War Baker went to London to discuss with the British authorities the prospects for additional shipping and also the general subject of munitions. While there he sent me the following telegram March 25, 1918, embodying suggestions from the prime minister which showed the deep anxiety of the British:

"I have just had a long talk with the prime minister. He urges three proposals for your consideration, first, that our divisions in France be placed immediately in line to relieve French divisions for service elsewhere, quiet sectors being chosen for troops with least training.

"Second, that all available engineer troops be taken from lines of communication work and sent to aid of British engineers preparing positions back of present lines. It is urged that suspension of our work would be but temporary and that the work suggested is imperative.

"Third, that infantry be sent first of the entire six divisions to be transported by British in view of present acute needs of that army. No answer to the foregoing is necessary until I see you tomorrow when we can discuss the suggestions fully."

First Division Ordered Into Line.

My diary notes the following:

Chaumont, Friday, March 29, 1918.—Held conference with the secretary of war and General Bliss yesterday on joint recommendation of military representatives of the war council.

Left Paris this morning for Chaumont.

At Petain's request, the First division ordered to battle line, which Mr. Baker said people at home would enthusiastically approve.

Mr. Paul Cravath dined with us this evening and speaking of unity, favored placing control in the hands of a committee composed of Marshal Haig, General Petain and myself.

Council Asks Change in Plans.

The situation had become so serious that the military representatives seemed to think it necessary to recommend that all previous plans for the shipment of American troops be disregarded and that nothing but infantry and machine gun units be shipped until otherwise directed by the supreme war council. This they did in the form of a joint (or unanimous) note, which was, of course, approved by the supreme war council.

I was very much surprised at the attitude of General Bliss, our military representative with the council, as without his consent the joint note could not have been submitted to the council.

When the joint note was presented to Secretary Baker I pointed out to him and General Bliss that the proposal, if approved by the President, would place the disposition of American units entirely in the hands of the supreme war council and take them quite out of our control, even for training, and would without doubt destroy all possibility of our forming an American army.

The secretary was as strongly opposed to any such outcome as I, and after some discussion he dictated his views in a cable to President Wilson explicitly recommending that the control of our forces should be retained by our commander in chief and that the note be approved only in that sense.

Reply From Wilson.

The message forwarding the joint note with Mr. Baker's comment was answered by a cable from Washington dated March 30, which stated:

"The President concurs in the joint note of the permanent military representatives of the supreme war council in the sense formulated in your No. 67 March 28, and wishes you to regard yourself authorized to decide questions of immediate co-operation or replacement."

It was thought that this statement, coming from the President, would check, at least for the time being, the demands of the allies that we provide units for building up their divisions, but their insistence continued.

The President's message was followed March 30 by a cable from the department, which stated:

"The recommendations of secretary of war to President . . . that preferential transportation be given to American infantry and machine-gun units in present emergency understood and will be followed."

It went on to say that these units pertaining to three divisions, the Third, Fifth and Seventy-seventh, would be sent at once, and those of three other divisions about May 1.

Replying April 3 to the department's cable, I emphasized that it was "not intended that our units should replace the losses of British or French organizations, and therefore our artillery should be held in readiness to follow when called for," although it was possible that the situation might become "so serious that some of our infantry units will be forced to serve with British temporarily."

My intentions were further indicated by saying: "Americans must not lose sight of the purpose to build up divisions and corps of their own," and also, "we must avoid the tendency to incorporate our infantry into British divisions where it will be used up and never relieved."

My cable recommended that the infantry of two divisions be sent by British shipping and two by our own, but that present plans should go no further than this. It was my purpose not to become too deeply involved in an agreement that would make it impossible later to form our own independent force under our own officers.

CHAPTER XXXIII

Secretary Baker and I had frequently discussed the question of a supreme allied commander, and we were both ready to accept it in principle when proposed.

In response to a notice from Premier Clemenceau I went, April 3, to Beauvais to meet with the supreme war council. Arriving early, Colonel Boyd and I had to wait an hour at the hotel de ville before M. Clemenceau and Lloyd George came into the conference room. Marshal Haig, General Foch, Petain, Sir Henry Wilson, Bliss, Weygand and myself were the others participating.

Brigadier General Spiers acted as interpreter, and Lieut. Col. Sir Maurice Hankey, who usually accompanied Mr. Lloyd George, as recorder. The meeting was finally called to order by M. Clemenceau, who stated its purpose, saying in substance:

"We have come together to settle a very simple question regarding the functions of General Foch. I think we are all in agreement as to the co-ordination of allied action, but there is some difference in the understanding of General Foch's powers as conferred upon him at the Doullens conference of March 26. General Foch will explain his difficulties."

Foch Calls for Action.

General Foch then set forth briefly his situation, as follows:

"The powers conferred by the Doullens conference were limited to the co-ordination of action between the allies. They were conferred while the action was on. The power to co-ordinate has been construed to be limited to the time the allies were in action. That was March 26 at Doullens. Now we are at April 3.

"Now that the two opposing armies are no longer in action but have stopped and are facing each other, there is nothing to co-ordinate. There should be authority to prepare for action and direct it. So we are right back where we were, and nothing can be done until an action starts again."

Lloyd George Pleads for Unity.

Mr. Lloyd George then entered the discussion, saying substantially:

"We have had more than three years of this war and we have not had unity of action during that time. During the last year we have had two kinds of strategy, one by Haig and another by Petain, both different, and nothing has been gained. The only thing that was accomplished was by General Nivelle, when he was in supreme command.

"General Foch is now empowered to co-ordinate the action of the allied armies, but this does not go far enough, as he has no authority to control except by conferring with the respective commanders in chief. He wants authority to prepare for action. I think the resolution made at Doullens should be modified so that we may have a better understanding. I should like to hear what General Bliss and General Pershing have to say."

Pershing Gives His Views.

I then gave my view, which was set forth in a brief memorandum prepared in pencil after the discussion began, as follows:

"The principle of unity of command is undoubtedly the correct one for the allies to follow. I do not believe it is possible to have unity of action without a supreme commander. We have already had experience enough in trying to co-ordinate the operations of the allied armies without success. There has never been real unity of action.

"Such co-ordination between two or three armies is impossible no matter who the commander in chief may be. Each commander in chief is interested in his own army and cannot get the other commander's point of view nor grasp the problem as a whole. I am in favor of a supreme commander and believe that the success of the allied cause depends upon it.

"I think the necessary action should be taken by this council at once. I am in favor of conferring the supreme command upon General Foch."

When I had finished Mr. Lloyd George came over to where I sat, took me by the hand and said:

"I agree fully with General Pershing. This is well put."

After some further informal discussion, a draft of the resolution was submitted which omitted reference to the American army. Whereupon I called attention to the oversight, saying:

"I think this resolution should include the American army. The arrangement is to be in force, as I understand it, from now on, and the American army will soon be ready to function as such and should be included as an entity like the British and French armies."

"There is no American army yet as such," General Petain interjected, "as its units are either in training or are amalgamated with the British and French."

Pershing Has U. S. Included.

"There may not be an American army in force functioning now," I replied, "but there soon will be, and I want this resolution to apply to it when it becomes a fact. The American government is represented here at this conference and in the war, and any action as to the supreme command that includes the British and French armies should also include the American army."

The foregoing account of the conference may not be an exact record of the language used, but it is given as my aid took it down.

The following resolution was then read and adopted:

"General Foch is charged by the British, French and American governments with the co-ordination of the action of the allied armies on the western front; to this end there is conferred on him all the power necessary for its effective realization. To the same end the British, French and American governments confide in General Foch the strategic direction of military operations.

"The commanders in chief of the British, French and American armies will exercise to the fullest extent the tactical direction of their armies. Each commander in chief will have the right to appeal to his government if in his opinion his army is placed in danger by the instructions received from General Foch."

Allied Commander in Chief.

The idea of an allied commander in chief had been suggested and discussed many times unofficially, but for various reasons, political and otherwise, it had never been definitely adopted by the supreme war council. With the distrust that existed among the allies, it was not easy to bring about the decision in favor of a supreme commander, and it was made possible only by the extreme emergency of the situation.

The designation of General Foch as commander in chief of the allied armies in France was proposed by the

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Herbert E. Adams and Miss Ruth Martin.

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W. C. Hollins and Miss Annie Belle Culp.

Two Years Ago

From Issue of August 1, 1929

Dr. S. J. Ezell and family returned last Friday from Chesnee, South Carolina, where they have been for some time on their vacation.

Col. A. C. Smith and son, Raymond, county solicitor, left today for Lakeland, Fla., where they will spend a week or ten days, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith.

The marriage of Miss Ollie Busby to Mr. Earl Gore, which took place on last Monday afternoon at six o'clock, is of wide interest.

Dr. Napoleon S. Johnson left last Sunday for North Carolina where he will remain for two weeks, taking a special course in the treatment of diseases of children.

Rev. J. Toy Williams, missionary from China, preached at the Clanton Baptist church on last Sunday at the morning services.

T. L. McKee, his son, Guy, and daughter, Evelyn, of Hot Springs, Ark., were in Clanton visiting friends the latter part of last week.

The annual Baptist revival meeting will be held at the church here beginning Sunday, August 18. Rev. L. E. Barton of Andalusia will do the preaching.

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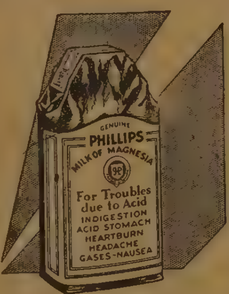

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Billingsley News

Rev. and Mrs. P. W. Lett, Rev. and Mrs. Homer Carroll of Clanton were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Patrick. Rev. Mr. Lett is assisting in a revival meeting at New Cedron church during the week. Mrs. Lett will remain with Mrs. Patrick.

Rev. and Mrs. A. S. Bentley spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Fitts, at Colena, Ala.

Miss Evelyn Deramus is spending some time with Miss Ruth Deramus at Haynes.

Miss Daisy Sharp returned to the Orphanage at Troy after spending two weeks with Mrs. J. C. Hughes.

Friends of Mr. Will Burkhalter will be glad to know he is improving after a serious illness.

Mrs. Mittie Dickinson and grandchildren of Birmingham are visiting Mrs. E. J. Harrell and other relatives.

Mrs. T. W. Willis and daughters of Jones are visiting Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Patrick and baby of Montgomery spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Patrick.

Mrs. E. B. Mills, with Miss Thelma Baxter assisting entertained the younger set with a weiner roast Saturday evening.

Those who attended the quarterly W. M. U. meeting at Jones Wednesday, the 22, were Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hicks and children, Gladys, William and R. A., Jr., Mesdames J. F. King, Hattie Dickinson, T. L. Patrick, Mary Lou Wonder, J. C. Hughes, Miss Daisy Sharp, Mr. G. T. Dickinson and eight R. A. boys.

Mr. E. J. Harrell is quite ill at his home.

Mrs. W. A. Powell and children of Verbena are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baxter.

Mrs. D. D. Tindall is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Tom Patrick.

Rev. A. S. Bentley is assisting the pastor at Milton church in a revival this week.

The revival services will begin at the Methodist church here next Sunday. Everyone cordially invited to attend.

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Pleasant Valley News

The revival began here at this place Sunday with Rev. A. D. Huett of Birmingham assisting our pastor, Rev. J. D. Hughes. We are expecting a good meeting and everybody is cordially invited to come.

Miss Murrell DeLoach of Wetumpka is visiting her cousins, Misses Mildred and Marie Neeley.

Miss Elizabeth Griffin of Clanton is spending her vacation at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Griffin.

Mrs. W. A. Martin, who has been on the sick list for several days, is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Taylor of Montgomery were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Neeley.

Miss Louise Boche of Montgomery is spending this week with Miss Susye Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lett of Billingsley has been spending several days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lett.

Miss Mary Burkhalter was the guest of Miss Mildred Neeley Saturday night.

Misses Mildred Neeley and Murrel DeLoach were the dinner guests of Miss Myra Keel Friday.

Miss Elnor Silas is spending this week visiting her sisters of Tuscaloosa.

Miss Maye Burkhalter of Enterprise is visiting Misses Vesta and Roberta Taylor this week.

The men of this community are busily engaged in hauling melons.

Mrs. Carrie Boockholdt was the dinner guest of Mrs. Edith Burkhalter Monday.

Mr. Lavert Strength of Montgomery is spending his vacation with relatives in this community.

Mr. Dock Martin and family were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Martin.

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FAMILY OF THREE DIE IN ONE DAY NEAR DOZIER

Andalusia, Ala., July 22—Death yesterday chose three different weapons to destroy a family of three near Dozier, one by one.

Working in a field near his home, Frank Mitchell, a farmer, collapsed with a stroke of paralysis and died before aid could reach him.

A short time later and during a thunderstorm, his son, Love Mitchell, stood under the eave of the house, washing his hands. He was struck and killed by lightning.

Advised of the double tragedy and hurrying home, the widow and mother, Mrs. Frank Mitchell, collapsed. As a physician worked over her, she died of a strange ailment that has not been diagnosed.

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Pleasant Grove News

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Special

There will be an all-day singing at Pleasant Grove church, seven and one-half miles west of Clanton on the Billingsley road, the fifth Sunday in August. We specially invite the Central Singers and all other singers to be with us. Come and bring your song books and a well-filled basket, and spend the day singing praises to God. Remember the place and date, August the 30th.

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AN ELOPEMENT AT 14

Most parents would be shocked if a daughter eloped and got married at the age of 14, and in most cases their apprehensions would be justified. But one never can tell, as a recent news story illustrates.

A Tennessee girl named Mary Adeline fell in love with A. V. Deadrick, but her parents forbade her to marry because she was only 14. She ran away from home and married her lover, who was 21, and later received her parents' forgiveness and blessing. That was a long time ago.

But Mr. and Mrs. Deadrick are still living and have celebrated their 82nd wedding anniversary, surrounded by six children and more than fifty grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Both are still active, he at 93 and she at 87, and conduct a summer resort near Knoxville.

Briefly stated, their recipe for a happy married life is: Be considerate of each other; face troubles with a smile; work to the same end in life; each do his or her part in the best way possible; practice self-denial.

An excellent formula, no doubt, but regardless of its success in the case mentioned, we would advise young people not to be too impatient to put it into practice.

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When 50 girls appeared in high school at Lancaster, Pa., without stockings, they were sent home with the admonition to not return until completely garbed.

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From among the more valuable articles which were within reach of the burglar who entered the home of C. A. Livingston of Yuma, Ariz., he took three bottles af perfume.

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Because her husband refused to speak to her and converse with her only through signs and notes for a period of two years, Mrs. Josephine Hoch of Cleveland was granted a divorce.

Jay Byrd was arrested for jay walking in Cleveland.

SNATCHED FROM DEATH

Barring miracles, the rescue of William Dugan of Philadelphia from the embrace of death after being "drowned" and unconscious for nine hours marks the world's record for literally raising the dead.

As recorded by the press, Dugan passed through all the stages of physical death from drowning, and "when taken from the water his body was blue and chilled, his heart had ceased beating, his pulse was still and there was no sign of life."

Heroic efforts by doctors, however, finally revived him after nine long hours of seemingly useless labor. When consciousness returned Dugan quickly revived and described the sensations experienced as "a peaceful, dreamless sleep; a placid oblivion, devoid of disturbances."

This incident arouses many pertinent speculations. To all intents and purposes, Dugan was physically dead for several hours. Without the persistent efforts of his rescuers he would have remained dead. If his only sensations were those of a "peaceful, dreamless sleep," would there have ever been an awakening to the pains or pleasures of a future state? Or is oblivion, after all, the end of those who pass on? Does what is called the soul, or spirit, pass immediately at death to its reward or punishment, or does it hold itself in a state of suspended animation awaiting the time when all human efforts for a revival of life are definitely exhausted? Or is the idea of a future state only a delusion?

Every person may supply the answers according to his own beliefs. But who really knows the correct answer?

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Because he is supporting a family, a court has ordered J. W. Byrd, traffic law violator of Los Angeles to serve his 3-day jail sentence in week end installments of 36 hours each.

Alfred L. Paulson plans to erect a museum at Calumet, Mich., in which to exhibit his collection of antique automobiles.

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Provision for a "mirthful banquet" to be held by his friends one year after his death, is made in the will of Ferdinand Borenstein, who died recently in Newark, N. J.

H. C. Belcher, who hiked from Dothan, Ala., to Cleveland, O., to tell the police that he stole a bicycle in Cleveland in 1919, was forgiven by the officials.

Household Hints

Turn the electric fan on garments which must be dried quickly.

Blotting paper is a valuable aid for quickly removing spilled water, ink, and fruit juices.

If candle wax drips on the table cloth scrape off as much as possible and remove any remaining wax by pressing the cloth between white blotters with a hot iron.

The tiny cracks often in the surface of furniture are caused by a lack of oil. A good furniture polish applied once a week will prevent such a condition.

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BRENT, ALA. GETS MEETING OF LOG ROLLING ASSOCIATION

Woodmen Of Three Counties Will Gather At Brent, Ala., For Interesting Day And Night; Fiddlers Contest And Speeches On Program

Brent, Alabama will get the next meeting of the Central Alabama Log Rolling Association of the Woodmen of the World on August 4, according to an announcement from E. C. Evans, district manager. A varied and interesting program has been arranged and includes several well known speakers, among them Hon. I. T. Quinn, Montgomery and Hon. J. Lister Hill of Montgomery and a fiddlers contest for fiddlers of four counties. Following is the program:

2:00 P. M. Called to order at Grammar School Auditorium by Dr. J. E. Edgar, President.

Song: America.

Prayer: Rev. E. M. Holman, pastor Methodist Church, Brent.

Welcome Address by Mayor J. Pat Johnston.

Response: Evan C. Evans, District Manager W. O. W.

Welcome from Brent Camp: W. A. Hooper, Representative of Sovereign Camp W. O. W.

Response Donald Merchant.

Music:

2:30 Address by Hon. I. T. Quinn of Montgomery.

Music:

3:10 Woodcraft in Alabama, Hon. Grover Herren, Head Consul.

Music:

3:30 Address by Hon. J. Lister Hill, Montgomery.

4:10 Fiddlers Contest, for fiddlers of Chilton, Shelby, Bibb and Perry counties.

5:10 Uniform Rank Field Drill.

6:10 Lunch.

Night

7:30 Called to Order by W. A. Hooper.

Music:

8:00 Col. Ellington will preside as Consul Commander with other officers selected from District with a large class of new members to be initiated.

Business session will follow initiation.

ZACHARIAH TYLER McMURRAY DIED HERE SATURDAY

After a brief illness, Mr. Z. T. McMurray, of Clanton, passed away last Saturday morning. He was born and reared in Randolph County, near Roanoke, and had lived in Clanton only a few years. Until recently, he was employed by the State, as prison guard. He was fifty-three years of age, at the time of his death, his birth date being January 6, 1878. On July 12, 1903, he was married to Miss Della Swann, also a native of Randolph County.

Besides the wife, there are left to mourn his going the following children: Jack McMurray, of Clanton; Mrs. Vassie Lee Schlosser, of Cullman, Ala., and two younger boys, Frank and Atha. He leaves also two brothers, and two sisters, Mrs. Hinton, of Woodland, Alabama, and Mrs. Owens of Addison, Alabama. Many other relatives and friends regret his untimely death.

Mr. McMurray was a member of the Methodist Church. He was also a Mason and a Knight of Pythias. His body was laid to rest in the Clanton cemetery Sunday at ten o'clock, with a brief service at the home, conducted by Rev. J. M. Metcalf, of Verbena, and Martin & Sons in charge.

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Verbena, Alabama

Punchboard Ban Signed By Miller

Montgomery, Ala., July 26.—The bill outlawing slot-machines and punchboards in Alabama, is now a law. This measure of which Representative Davis of Macon is the author and which appears in the official records as House Bill No. 423, was formally approved and signed by Gov. Miller yesterday afternoon. It was passed by the Senate during the forenoon.

Not only operation, but possession of punchboards, slot-machines and like devices, is prohibited by the new law, which provides as punishment for violation, a fine of not more than $500, and at the discretion of the court, an additional penalty of not more than six months at hard labor or imprisonment in the county jail.

Rigid provision is made covering the forfeiture and destruction of the prohibited devices following seizure by officers of the law. The officer making the seizure will receive half of the contents of each machine forfeited, and the other half to go to the general fund of the county where the forfeiture occurs.

The law is to be effective on and after October 1, 1931.

HAND FAMILY TO HOLD REUNION NEAR CALERA

The Hand family reunion will meet at Dargin Church, four miles north of Calera, on August the 7th, at 9:30. The following program is scheduled:

Business hour will begin at 9:30. The revival services at 11:00, and dinner at 12:00.

Afternoon Program

1:45 Song service.

"Home Sweet Home." "The Home Over There." "Where We'll Never Grow Old."

2:00 Special song by W. M. Devaughn, "My Old Cottage Home."

Sermon by Dr. Hodges of Dothan.

Suggested subject, lesson, Genesis, 46th chapter, beginning at the 28th verse, including the 34th verse.

3:00 Round table talk.

We especially invite all relatives to meet with us. Also the public is invited. Everybody bring lunch.

—Rev. A. D. Huett, Mrs. Effie Huett, Mrs. Nora Hand, Committee.

CHILTON W. M. U. QUARTERLY MEET HELD ON JULY 23RD

The quarterly meeting of the Chilton County W. M. U. was held with Bethsalem church on July 23, 1931. Supt., Mrs. Donald Merchant was in charge. A beautiful day, good program and a large crowd, with a splendid message on "Cooperation," by Rev. Stucky, at the morning address. While the work moves on slowly, we are made to feel that God is with us and helping us reclaim the old, and enlisting new ones into His work which He left for us to do. We were glad indeed to have Rev. Faulkner and wife and Mrs. Martin of Birmingham with us. Friends, when we try to do our work that He left for us to do, and hear such messages as Rev. Stucky's and others, we feel lifted up on higher planes, and with more courage to go forward in His work.

Mrs. W. H. RAYBON,
Secretary.

When Patro Ruiz of Jarez, Mexico, awoke one morning recently, he discovered that the door and the two windows which he had forgotten to lock before he retired, had been stolen from his home.

100 SOURCES OF FARM CASH IN ALABAMA

List Shows Wide Selection of Products That Can Be Raised In State

The productive soil of Alabama makes it possible for farmers to produce and sell more than one hundred different products. This is revealed by a list prepared by the College of Agriculture of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute. The list follows:

Crops and Gardens

1. Cotton: a. lint; b. seed for planting; c. seed for oil mills.
2. Corn: a. feed; b. meal; c. seed.
3. Popcorn.
4. Peanuts: a. feed; b. confectionery trade; c. for oil mills.
5. Oats: a. feed; b. seed; c. hay.
6. Tobacco.
7. Soybeans: a. seed; b. hay.
8. Cowpeas: a. hay; b. seed.
9. Lespedeza: a. hay; b. seed.
10. Velvet Beans: a. seed; b. feed.
11. Sorghum: a. syrup; b. hay; c. feed.
12. Sugarcane: a. syrup.
13. Johnson Grass Hay.
14. Alfalfa Hay.
15. Sudan Grass Hay.
16. Sweet Potatoes.
17. Irish Potatoes.
18. Nuts: (Pecans, walnuts, hickory nuts, chinquapins.)
19. Berries: (Strawberries, dewberries, huckleberries, raspberries, blackberries.)
20. Watermelons.
21. Cantaloupes.
22. Orchard Fruits: (Peaches, apples, pears, plums, oranges, persimmons, quinces.)
23. Truck Crops: Cabbage, tomatoes, turnips, "greens," peas, cucumbers, lettuce, onions, squash, radish.)
24. Garden Vegetabels: (Including above and many others.)
25. Dairying: a. Milk; b. cream, c. butter.
26. Milk Cows: (To be sold for milking or breeding stock.)
27. Chickens: a. Meat; b. eggs; c. breeding stock.
28. Turkeys: (same as chickens.)
29. Geese: (same as chickens.)
30. Pigeons.
31. Dogs.
32. Cats.
33. Hogs: a. For sale on foot; b. for meat, lard, and sausage, for home use and for sale.
34. Beef Cattle.
35. Sheep.
36. Wool.
37. Goats.
38. Bees: a. Honey; b. queens and package bees; c. beeswax.
39. Fish.

Miscellaneous

40. Timber.
41. Flowers.
42. Shrubs and Vines.
43. Grass and Garden Seed.
44. Home Handicraft: a. baskets; b. fans; c. rugs; d. gloves; e. purses; f. numerous others things which women and girls can make and sell.

Each farmer must decide for himself the products he can produce and sell to best advantage. Ask your county agent to help you.

Of course no one will try to produce all. Conditions and facilities for production and opportunity to sell should be considered. Select for yourself and increase your income.

Classified Ads

LOST OR STRAYED

Red hound puppy, three months old and male. Left home of J. Monroe Parrish Tuesday, July 21. Liberal Reward. — EARL PARRISH, Clanton, Ala., First National Bank. 7-30-2tc

FOR SALE: One 110-volt Delco Power plant, 1 year old. Guaranteed in good condition. $500 cash. See or phone W. E. Huddleston, phone 200, Clanton, Ala. 7-30-1tpd

WANTED: One building lot in Candler Terrace. Must be a bargain. Apply to News Office. 7-30-1tc

STRAYED: Two bird dogs—1 female, white with liver and tick spots, named Nell; 1 male, white with liver spot on head and hip, named, Mack. Liberal reward.—Joe Higgins, Clanton, Ala., 7-30-2t-pd.

Fred Ware of Hancock, N. H., caught a mud turtle bearing the initials of his grandfather which were carved on the turtle's shell 23 years ago.

Program Of Annual Sun. School Convention

Following is the program of the annual Sunday school convention of the Unity-Chilton Associations which meets with Mulberry Baptist church on Tuesday, August 4th, 1931

9:30 A. M. Devotional and Song Service, G. F. Harris.

9:45 "We Are Glad You Are Here," Rev. G. G. Williams.

10:00 "Why We Are Here," Supt. H. A. Harris.

10:10 Recognition of Pastors, Superintendents and Teachers.

10:15 "God's Plan for Redeeming a World," Rev. B. Lawrence.

10:35 "True Mission of the Sunday School," H. D. Durbin.

10:50 "What the Officers and Teachers of Sunday School Should Know," J. Z. Mims.

11:05 "Go Teach," Where, Who and What, J. L. Wilson.

11:20 "Associational work and Enlistment and Organization, J. N. Barnett, Sunday School Board, Nashville.

12:00 Adjournment for lunch.

1:15 Devotional and Song Service, C. D. Hughes.

1:25 Oral Reports from S. S. Superintendents.

1:40 "Golden Key Campaign," Davis Cooper Jr., State Secretary.

2:10 "One Book Will Meet Our Needs," Rev. J. W. Jones.

2:30 "Whom Shall We Send for the Lost," Rev. Homer Carroll.

2:50 "The Standard Sunday School and how I reached it," T. L. Patrick.

3:00 "Teaching Missions in the Sunday School," Paul Oden.

3:15 Demonstration in opening a Sunday School, Barnett and Cooper.

3:30 Business sessions, Reports of Committees, etc.

4:00 Adjournment.

We wil lhave songs and music thruout the program.

Adams - Martin Wedding Solemnized

The many friends of Miss Ruth Martin of Thorsby will be interested in her marriage to Mr. Herbert E. Adams which was solemnized Sunday evening, July 26, at the Thorsby Baptist church, Rev. J. W. Jones, pastor of the church, officiating.

The altar of the church was banked with a profusion of ferns, interspersed with pink crepe myrtle and gladioli with pink tulle streamers marking the reserved seats for relatives.

Preceding the ceremony Miss Lois Thompson sang, "At Dawning" and Miss Agnes Leary sang, "O Promise Me." They were accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Marvin Davenport.

To the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding march, the bride entered with her uncle, W. J. Billingsley, of Clanton, by whom she was given in marriage, the groom entering with Marion S. Smith of Clanton as best man.

The bride was lovely in a chic ensemble of blue flat crepe with eggshell accessories in harmony. Her bouquet was of sweetheart roses.

Mrs. Adams is the daughter of Mrs. Leila Martin of Thorsby and has been a teacher in the Thorsby Junior High school for a period of five years. The groom is the son of P. M. Adams of Collinsville, Ala., and holds a responsible position with the Gulf States Steel Plant of Gadsden.

Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left for Gadsden where they will make their future home.

Mrs. L. E. Diefenderfer and children, Helen and Milton, returned Friday from a visit with relatives and friends in Ohio and Pennsylvania. They have been away for several days, and made the trip in their car without any trouble of any kind. Their many friends in Clanton are glad to see them back again.

W. L. PARRISH
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KIWANIS INTER-CLUB MEET HELD HERE LAST THURSDAY

An inter-club meeting of the Clanton Kiwanis Club and the Selma Kiwanis Club was held in Clanton at the Methodist church last Thursday night, with ladies of the church serving the dinner.

The meeting was called to order by J. Mell Martin, president of the club, followed by invocation by the Rev. Lemuel B. Green, of Abbeville, and former pastor of the Clanton Methodist church. The welcome address was made by Mack Wyatt of the Clanton club and was responded to by P. M. Monroe, of the Selma club.

The meeting was later turned over to Marcus Polk, of the Clanton Club and district trustee. Among the speakers of the occasion were Mose Lilanthal, president of the Selma club, Congressman W. B. Oliver of Tuscaloosa, who was a guest of the Clanton club, C. E. Stapp of Clanton, Lem Green of Abbeville, Judge L. H. Reynolds.

R. R. Franklin and M. A. Wright of Thorsby were visitors to Clanton Tuesday afternoon on business.

A Few of Our

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Week End SPECIALS

GINGER ALE, I.G.A. Pale Dry	3 Large Bottles	35c
CORN FLAKES, I.G.A. or Kellogg's	2 Pkgs.	15c
MAYONNAISE or RELISH SPREAD, I.G.A.	Large Jars	17c
TINY PEAS, I.G.A. Fancy Petit Pois	Large Can	23c
GRAPE FRUIT, I.G.A. Fancy	Large Can	19c
CIDER VINEGAR, I.G.A. Pure	Qt. Water Bottle	20c
BEAUTY SOAP I. G. A.	2 Cakes	15c
TOILET TISSUE, I.G.A. Full Count Rolls	3 For	21c
TEA, I.G.A. Finest Orange Pekoe	¼-Lb. Pkg.	21c
GRAPE JELLY, I.G.A. Pure	16-Oz. Tumbler	25c
FLOUR, I.G.A. Plain or Self Rising	24-Lb. Bags	90c
FLOUR, Duchtss Self Rising or Columbia Plain	24-Lb. Bags	69c
CALIFORNIA LEMONS, Sour and Juicy	Dozen	19c
COFFEE, "I" Blend	LB. Pkg.	33c
COFFEE, "G" Blend	Lb. Pkg.	25c
COFFEE, "A" Blend	Lb. Pkg.	21c
SLICED BACON, Sunlight Rindless	Pound	27c

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48 BILLS DIE AS MILLER'S OFFICE CLOSES FOR DAY

One Signed Late; Plumbing Examiner Board Created By Last Minute App.

Gov. Miller sounded the death knell for 48 measures enacted by the last Legislature when he closed his office Tuesday afternoon without affixing his signature to them and included among them were a number of important measures such as the game and fish conservation bills, the Birmingham and Christopher bill which would have guaranteed to each county in the state $5,000 a year out of the educational equalization fund.

While Gov. Miller killed by pocket vetoes eight or ten important measures, the great majority of measures dying without his signature were made up of private relief bills.

Tuesday was the last day the Governor had to affix his signature to bills remaining on his desk after the adjournment of the Legislature. Under the Constitution, he had until midnight to sign measures but he closed the books at 5 o'clock and called it a day, thus ringing down the curtain on the last legislative session insofar as measures becoming laws are concerned.

Oyster Measure Dies

A statewide measure creating a board to regulate the practice of engineering in Alabama and creating a State board to carry out the provisions of the act died when the Governor failed to affix his signature. The oyster commission bill by Senator Craft of Mobile died without a signature. This measure would have set up an oyster commission, the members to be named by the State Conservation Commissioner.

The vetoed bills included 26 Senate measures and 22 from the House, the majority of them minor relief bills.

Others Vetoed

Other bills pocket vetoed were:

By Craft: Authorizing Mobile County to levy a license on all motor vehicles.

By Hooton: Reducing the minimum time before suit for divorce on the grounds of abandonment may be filed.

By Morrow: Regulating the inferior courts of Jefferson County.

By Bradford: Exempting from license and taxation all lands used for State fairs and agricultural exhibits in Jefferson County.

Bills Signed Earlier

Sixteen bills became law Tuesday as the vanguard of the last day's work reached the Secretary of State's office.

They were:

By Snodgrass — Authorizing candidates to speak over radio between the first and second primaries.

By Tidwell — Authorizing banks to raise or lower their capital stock without a 30-day notice upon consent of all its stockholders.

By McGowin—Authorizing judges of probate to issue notice of sale of prop-

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GUESSING FOR FARMERS ON CORN YIELDS

Contests to Be Held on Farms In County; Prizes To Be Awarded Also

At 10:00 a.m. Saturday, August 15th, there will be a cotton and corn yield guessing contest held on W. C. Robinson's farm on the highway near Coopers, now farmed by Mr. Hilyer, according to C. E. Stapp, County Agent.

At 3:00 p.m. the same day a similar contest will be held on the farms of A. F. Mims and Cecil Baggett, just south of Thorsby, on the old highway. Mr. Stapp announces that some five dollar gold pieces will be awarded.

Comparisons of vetch and no vetch, nitrate of soda and no soda, etc., will be made at each place, and it is expected that a large number of farmers will take part in the contest.

Mr. Stapp will have a meeting at Maplesville in interest of strawberries that afternoon and will not be able to attend the contest on Mr. Mims and Baggett's farms, but J. P. Montgomery, Vocational teacher at Jemison, will be on hand to conduct the contest.

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Fred Howard, a prominent resident of Thorsby was in Clanton Saturday attending to business matters.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT CHARGE AGAINST EFFIE DUKE, NEGRO

A charge of disorderly conduct was placed against Effie Duke, negro, and he was ordered to appear before Justice of the Peace, T. W. Bryan, according to information this week. Duke was fined ten dollars and costs.

The information stated that this charge grew out of the alleged conduct of Duke on the night of May 10th, in front of the Methodist church in Clanton in the presence of persons at the church. It was also stated that a city officer was called and that Duke, in a drunken condition was led away by the officer and turned over to another negro with instructions to carry him home, and no case was made despite the original complaint made to the officer concerning the conduct of the negro in the presence of the white people near the church on the night of May 10th.

LARGE STILL IS CAPTURED IN OPERATION

4 Men at Still When Sheriff And Deputies Arrive On Scene Of Work

One of the largest distilling outfits captured in this county in sometime fell prey to the work of Sheriff W. H. Gillespie and his deputies last Thursday morning, when they staged a regular raid up near the Shelby County line, southwest of South Calera, and captured a still said to be of about a 200-gallon capacity.

The still was found in full operation when the officers arrived on the scene, and three white men were brought in and lodged in the jail at Montgomery, according to the information from the sheriff's office. It was stated that there were four men seen at the still, but before the officers could make the raid one of the men escaped, but after being sought, is now also listed among the arrests.

Officers stated that no trouble was encountered in making the arrests of the operators of the still. There were about five gallons of whiskey already run from the still, which was full of mash.

No other arrests of importance were reported by the Sheriff's office up to last Tuesday afternoon.

REV. WILLIAM J. RUDDICK IS VICTIM OF APOPLEXY

Selma, Ala., July 31.—The Rev. William J. Ruddick, 77, Baptist minister since 1878, died late yesterday at his home at Stanton. Death was caused by a stroke of apoplexy.

The Rev. Ruddick was born in Ireland in 1854, landed in New York May 11, 1871, came to Alabama in 1872 and has served 27 Baptist churches in Chilton, Bibb, Autauga, Dallas and Perry counties. He became a Mason in the Randolph Lodge No. 258, and a Charter member Stanton Lodge No. 473, and served as Worshipful Master for forty years of the 44 years of the existence of the Lodge. Ten children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Ruddick, seven of whom are living, 36 grandchildren and 27 greatgrandchildren.

He and his wife, the former Lucy Alice Smitherman of Bibb county celebrated their 58th wedding anniversary on last Mother's Day with four generations present.

The Rev. Ruddick was clerk of the Unity Baptist Association for 31 years and missed only two sessions in the last 47 years.

Surviving are his wife, four daughters, Mrs. J. M. Melton, Lisman; Mrs. N. T. Milan, Tuscaloosa; Mrs. A. L. Osburn, Selma and Mrs. W. L. Ruddick Stanton; and three sons, J. S. Ruddick, Columbus, Miss.; I. T. Ruddick, Birmingham and W. C. Ruddick, Cordova.

As undoubted evidence of the love and esteem held for this fine man, it was estimated that over five hundred people, long time friends of the deceased and his family attended the funeral services, which were held last Saturday, conducted by the Rev. B. Lawrence, assisted by J. W. Mitchell, G. G. Williams and Paul Oden.

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Misses Susye and Elizabeth Griffin are in Montgomery this week spending part of their vacation. They expect to go to Atlanta and other points in Georgia, the latter part of the week.

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Miss Sarah Frances Stapp, of Aliceville is the attractive guest of her brother, C. E. Stapp, and Mrs. Stapp this week.

RAYMOND MARCUS REPORTED STILL ILL AT HOME HERE

Raymond Marcus, son of Dr. T. J. Marcus, and a former resident of Selma, is still ill at the home of his parents here. Reports from his bedside this week showed that Saturday and Sunday he was resting very well. Monday and Tuesday his condition did not show much improvement. His many friends are watching eagerly his condition and hoping that he will soon be recovered and up again.

Trustees Of County Schools Will Meet

A meeting of trustees of all schools in Chilton County has been called for next Friday, according to information from the office of the County Superintendent of Education this week.

The meeting is of importance and all trustees are urged to attend. It will be held at the courthouse in Clanton at ten o'clock Friday morning. The purpose of the meeting is to arrange for a set date for the opening of schools in the county in September.

ROCKETT PUTTING IN LINE OF LOW PRICED ARTICLES

Carpenters have been busy at the store of the Clanton Building Supply Company this week building and arranging attractive counters in a new department soon to be opened by that store.

This new department will carry a line of goods selling at five, ten, twenty-five cents, including household fixtures, automobile accessories, kitchenware, and odds and ends used extensively. According to Dewey Rockett, they will soon have this new department open, and will invite the public in to inspect it. It will occupy the west half of the large building.

MAJESTIC COUPLE MARRIED AT METHODIST PARSONAGE

Miss Alice Mildred Miner became the wife of F. L. Britton last Monday, when the ceremony was performed at the Methodist Parsonage in Clanton by Dr. D. W. Haskew, pastor of the local Methodist church. The couple were from Majestic, Ala., and Mr. Britton is deputy sheriff in that section.

NEW SALEM SOCIAL CUB WILL MEET AUGUST 13TH

All members of the social club are requested to be present on Thursday, afternoon, before the 3rd Sunday. This is the time to elect new officers for the coming year and is also the 12th anniversary of the club. Everyone is invited.

ISABELLA 4-H CLUB TO MEET TONIGHT AT 7:30

There will be a meeting of the Isabella 4-H club Thursday, August 6, at 7:30 p.m. Mr. Stapp will be at the Isabella schoolhouse August 10, at 7:30 p.m. All members are urged to attend both meetings.

R. C. VEAZEY, Reporter.

POLK BROTHERS ENJOY BIG BUSINESS DURING JULY

Polk Brothers Motor Co., Inc., local Chevrolet dealers stated this week that they were exceptionally pleased with the business they received during the past month, especially on the sale of new automobiles, delivered during the month, which showed a considerable increase over the month before.

Due to the sale of several new automobiles, they traded in some used cars and in an ad in this issue of the News they are telling of the bargains they are offering on the sale of these used cars, composed of many cars that are in excellent condition, they stated.

WORK ON JAIL SLOWING UP FOR LACK OF MATERIAL

The outside of the jail in Clanton which is being remodeled, has the appearance of being almost completed, with the exception of some finishing touches and the large wire fence which is to enclose the yard.

Information stated that quite a bit of work is yet to be done on the inside of the structure, but this is apparently being held up due to material arriving late.

Bakery Scheduled To Open Saturday

According to an announcement this week from C. R. Bruce, the new bakery for Clanton is scheduled to open Saturday. Mr. Bruce recently came to Clanton to open a bakery and has been busy for the past few weeks installing the equipment. The new place, located near the railroad, will be known as the Community Bakery, Mr. Bruce stated and they will bake bread, cookies and all kinds of pies. Mr. Bruce also operates a lunch stand in connection with the bakery.

EZELL FAMILY TO RETURN TO CLANTON THIS WEEK

In a communication from Dr. S. J. Ezell, he stated that they expect to return to Clanton about Friday of this week. The Ezell family has been away for approximately two weeks visiting friends and relatives in other states.

There will be regular services at the Baptist church in Clanton next Sunday morning and evening. Special music by the choir for the morning services, and the evening services will be for young people. Special music will also be rendered at the latter services by the young people.

ICE CREAM SUPPER AT FAIRVIEW SATURDAY NIGHT

There will be an ice cream supper at Fairview, on next Saturday night, August 8th. Proceeds from this entertainment are to go to the Pleasant Grove church and everyone is invited and urged to come. Remember the date and the place, next Saturday night, at Fairview.

THE FAIR STORE PUTTING ON SIXTY-NINE CENT SALE

The Fair Store, of which W. H. Sartor, widely known merchant, is manager, is this week announcing a Sixty-Nine Cent Sale, according to an ad in this issue of the News.

Mr. Sartor stated that he has certainly marked the prices down on practically all his goods and that in this ad, referred to, will be found a few of the savings they are offering for this week end.

DR. WOOD TO RETURN SOON FROM B'HAM HOSPITAL

Dr. S. C. Wood is expected home, to resume his practice within the next week, from the Highland Avenue Baptist Hospital where he underwent an operation on July 24. Dr. Marcus and Dr. McNeil are taking care of his practice during his absence.

EVAN PARRISH TO GIVE CASH PRIZES SATURDAY

Evan Parrish is announcing this week that he will award cash prizes for the largest watermelon of a certain variety, brought to his place of business, the Southern Seed and Plant Co., next Saturday. Find the ad from Mr. Parrish in this issue and read more about it.

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The many friends of Miss Mollie Hannon will be glad to learn that she is much improved after being ill for several days.

Notice to Farmers

Farmers residing in the western part of the County who are interested in growing strawberries are requested to meet County Agent Stapp and Earl Thomas at the Maplesville schoolhouse on Saturday, August 15th, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

1,371 BAGS OF FEEDS SUSPENDED FROM SALE

During the past 90 days the Chemistry Division of the Alabama Department of Agriculture has suspended from sale 1,371 bags of feeds because they failed to come up to the standard claimed by the manufacturers.

"Samples of all mixed feeds sold in Alabama are tested in the State Laboratory, Montgomery." This is done to insure to the consumer feeds containing the feed constituents advertised by the manufacturer and to protect the consumer from the use of inferior or injurious feeds," writes Seth P. Storrs, commissioner of Agriculture.

"With the condemnation of unstandard feeds, together with prosecutions for violations of the law the standard and grade mixed feed in the state are kept on a high basis," he said.

CO. SINGING CONV. MEETS AT VERBENA

September 20 Set As Day For Convention During Meeting Saturday

The executive committee of the Chilton County singing convention, Jasper R. Robinson committee chairman, met at Clanton last Saturday afternoon and decided on a place and date for the fall or regular session of the convention. Only three members of the committee were present in the persons of Willie L. Mims, A. H. Glasscock and J. R. Robinson. Two places had invited the convention — Jemison and Verbena, and the latter was selected, and the third Sunday in September was selected as the time. The convention will assemble at ten o'clock in the Verbena High School building. It is expected now that 1932 books will be used, either the Stamps or Henson, and probably both of them.

It is hoped and expected that all the singers of the county will co-operate with the committee and officers of the convention in making this the best ever held in the county. There will be some big singers present as well as some good quartets, and of course, practically all of the talent of the county will be there. There will not be a public dinner, however, promise is made that the visiting singers will be cared for. Everybody come and bring enough dinner to feed yourself and one or two more.

DR. AND MRS. SAM JOHNSON VISITING RELATIVES HERE

Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Johnson arrived in Clanton last Saturday to spend several weeks with friends and relatives here. Mrs. Johnson was in Clanton several days ago, but left to go to Port Huron, Wash., where she was joined by Dr. Johnson. They made the trip to Alabama by motor.

Dr. Johnson has been on board the U. S. S. Pittsburgh for sometime in the government service as Medical Officer and his visits to Clanton where he visits his brothers, Dr. Arthur Johnson, Dr. Napoleon Johnson, and Mrs. Johnson's mother, Mrs. A. C. Harper, and other relatives, is always looked forward to by their many friends here. He stated that he will remain here until the latter part of this month, and then he and Mrs. Johnson will go to Washington, D. C., where he plans to do some special studying. Dr. Johnson will be on land duty for the next three years, when he will again be stationed on board ship.

When Dr. Johnson arrives in Clanton, one can immediately see carpenters, painters and electricians get busy, repainting, repairing his property here.

BOYS HAVE OPPORTUNITY TO WIN BASEBALL EQUIPMENT

Polk Brothers Motor Co., Inc., local Chevrolet dealers, offer Baseball equipment to boys between ages 12 to 16, who will join their "Junior League" and assist them in their "World's Series Selling Campaign" during the month of August. This is a novel idea, being sponsored by the Chevrolet Motor Co., throughout the entire state during the month of August, and W. M. Polk, of the Polk Bros. Motor Co., Inc., says he expects to give baseball mits, gloves, bats and League balls to Chilton County boys who will spend a few hours time in their respective communities delivering literature and soliciting prospects.

Mr. Polk requests all boys in the county who are interested in winning baseball equipment to call to see him or see a Chevrolet salesman.

PILOT-KIWANIS MEETING HELD LAST THURSDAY

Visiting Pilots From Selma Aid In Making An Interesting Program

The first meeting held jointly by the Pilot Club of Clanton and the Clanton Kiwanis Club was held last Thursday night at the Methodist church with a large attendance from both clubs and with several visiting Pilots and Kiwanians from Selma, who took part on the well prepared program in charge of the local Pilot Club.

The meeting was called to order by J. Mell Martin, president of the Clanton Kiwanis Club and later turned over to Mrs. C. E. Stapp, president of the Pilot Club who directed the program for the evening. Miss Jane Roberts at the piano with her sister, Miss Helen Roberts, accompanying on the violin, rendered several selections during the program, and a vocal solo by Miss Madelyn Orr, a member of the Pilot Club, was also enjoyed

On the program was Miss Harriet McSwean, of the Selma Pilot Club, and one of the most active workers of the Pilots in the state, who delivered an address to the gathering on the work of Pilotism. A beautiful bouquet of roses was presented to Miss Rose House by the members of the Clanton Pilot Club. Miss House is prominent and very actively connected with the Pilot Club of Selma, and was instrumental in organizing the club in Clanton. Other visitors were Marion House, Naemi Turnquist and Mabel Wood, of Selma and H. G. Boyd, a member of the Selma Kiwanis Club.

MISS CALLIE WATTS TO GO ON A BUYING TRIP SOON

Miss Callie Watts, operater of the popular Watts Hat & Dress Shoppe located at the Fair Store in Clanton, expects to leave the latter part of this week on a buying trip. Miss Watts will no doubt return to Clanton with some real attractive goods and information concerning the latest in wearing apparel for women.

CEMETERY CLEANING AT MACEDONIA ON SATURDAY

According to an announcement from Mrs. W. L. Nix this week, all those who are interested in the cemetery at Macedonia are requested to meet there on next Saturday, August 8, and bring tools necessary to work on the grounds.

SINGING AT WALNUT CREEK

The Central Singing Society will meet next Sunday afternoon at Walnut Creek at two o'clock. All singers are invited.

Last Sunday afternoon the society met at Chestnut Creek, Coopers. The class was not so large but everyone seemed to enjoy the singing very much.

400 FARMERS WANTED ON AUBURN TRIP

Visit To Experiment Station Being Arranged for Farmers Of This County

Four hundred farmers from Chilton County are wanted to make a trip to Auburn, Ala., on Tuesday, August 18th, according to a statement from C. E. Stapp, County Agent.

Mr. Stapp is arranging for this trip to Auburn for the farmers to visit the Experiment Station, stating that there are three or four experiments now being conducted at Auburn, either of which will be worth the trip to any farmer in this county.

By way of Wetumpka, it is only ninety miles to Auburn on good road, Mr. Stapp pointed out, and that ten or twelve gallons of gasoline and one quart of oil will be about the actual expense of the trip. Mr. Stapp suggests that four men to the automobile would get by on an expense of about one dollar each, and that he doesn't know of any way the farmers of this county could spend a dollar and a days time right now to better advantage. Any who believe it possible to join the group going to Auburn on Tuesday, August 18th, to notify Mr. Stapp at the earliest convenience

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The FAIR
W. H. SARTOR, Mgr.
Clanton, Alabama

IMPORTANT FACTS ON FARMING WERE TAUGHT

Many important facts about farming in Alabama were taught and demonstrated at the annual gathering of farm people in Auburn, July 27-31. Among them were:

1. That farmers of the state need to give more attention to their soils, and make and keep them rich with winter legumes, summer legumes, livestock, and better farming in general.

2. That livestock and other crops should be produced in conjunction with cotton ofr safer farming, lower costs, and better returns.

3. That adequate machinery is needed on each farm for efficiency of labor and low-cost production.

4. That cooperation among farm people is conducive to better business in buying and selling and also to better social life, as well as many other advantages.

More than one thousand people were in Auburn during the week. As part of the program the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation and the Alabama Council of Home Demonstration Clubs held their annual meetings in Auburn, each lasting two days.

Practically every county in the state was represented. Men and women were present in about equal numbers. The county farm agents and the county home agents were present also.

Prof. L. N. Duncan, director of the extension service of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, was general chairman of the program of the week.

GRADE FARM PRODUCTS

No farmer would expect to sell at a good price a barrel filled with onions, cucumbers, turnips and potatoes all mixed together. It is almost as foolish to expect to get the best market price for a barrel of a single product in which all sorts are dumped without regard to size, color or cleanliness.

By neglecting to properly grade their produce, many farmers must sell it for much less than might be obtained for the same stuff by exercising a little care in preparing it for the market. In discussing this important phase of marketing an expert says:

"Quality and uniformity in grains, fruit, cotton, potatoes, dairy and poultry products command a premium from the buyer. A crate of large, clean eggs of uniform color will bring more in a central market than one in which small, dirty, many colored eggs are included. Dirty potatoes of mixed sizes sell poorly alongside of clean ones that have been graded."

The difference in price between graded and ungraded products often means the difference between profit and loss in farming operations.

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Pleasant Valley News

The revival at Pleasant Valley was brought to a close last Friday with many souls won to Christ. Those presenting themselves were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Huett, Merle Burkhalter, Lucile Griffin, Kate and Emmett Courtney, Mrs. Maude Griffin and Mrs. Sam Williams. We believe everyone received a great blessing out of the meeting and all the wonderful sermons were enjoyed by all.

Mr. Connie DeLoach of Wetumpka is spending his vacation with Mr. Aubrey Neeley.

Miss Merle Burkhalter is spending this week visiting her relatives of Prattville.

Misses Mildred and Marie Neeley are the guests of their sister of Montgomery this week.

Miss Vivian Silas was the dinner guest of Miss Lena May DeLoach Sunday.

Mr. Perry Yeargan of Sylacauga spent Sunday with Mr. Cecil Yeargan.

Mrs. Clifford Driver of Montgomery has for her guests this week Misses Susye and Elizabeth Griffin.

Miss Kathryn Broadhead entertained the following Sunday afternoon: Lorene, Cecil and Perry Yeargan and Vera Vance.

Mr. Clifford Courtney is visiting relatives of this community.

Everybody remember the singing here next Sunday. Don't miss it.

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THE PEDDLER NUISANCE

House to house peddlers and solicitors of orders for this and that are becoming an even greater nuisance to the American home as any housewife might truthfully testify. Still, the housewife whose home is constantly invaded by these itinerant super-salesmen has the remedy in her own hands.

A timely suggestion along this line is made by Prof. Conrad of the New Jersey Teachers College, who points out that the peddler who boasts that his firm has no store is trying to make a store out of your home. You are expected to furnish a place where he may do business free from the expense which other merchants must pay.

Besides, he insists on making you shop at his convenience, no matter how much it may interfere with your daily routine. He takes up your time arguing you into buying something that in most cases you neither want nor need. Sometimes you buy to get rid of him, when you ought to say:

"This is a home, not a place of business, and I am not going to allow you to use it as a store. Good day."

That might seem rather inconsiderate. But it is one way of discouraging the peddler, who has not the slightest consideration for your peace and comfort, but uses your home as a market place, in unfair competition with home merchants who pay rent, taxes, license fees, and in other ways contribute to the welfare of the community.

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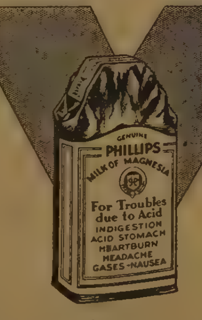
Dr. Pulz and Dr. Paine have adjoining offices at Grand Ledge, Mich., while Claude Burrier is caretaker at the local cemetery.

ACID STOMACH



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News In Brief Form

The United States imports tin to the value of $60,000,000 to over $100,000,000 annually but produces very little, according to the United States Bureau of Mines, Department of Commerce.

Late in July leading German banks united for mutual guaranty of their liabilities by forming the Acceptance and Guaranty Bank with a capital of $48,000,000.

At a meeting of the tenth annual convention, July 30-31, the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation endorsed the plan of income taxation in preference to the "antiquated system of advalorem taxation" and asked the voters of the state to approve at the polls the constitutional amendment proposed by the recent session of the legislature embodying these principles.

"Based upon performance for the first half of the year, passenger car and truck sales for 1931 will total 2,422,000 units. That will be more than 500,000 sales short of the low mark established in 1927, and considerably lower than first estimates for this year, but it presages a comeback in 1932 that will be far more rapid than the industry has enjoyed in the past," said the press of July 26.

An increase in the consumption of butter, particularly in European countries, following the low general level of prices is reported by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture, in its July summary of world dairy prospects. This increase is noted particularly in Great Britain where the consumption of imported butter for the present year from January to June 15, was about 19 per cent more than for the corresponding period of 1930.

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Wondering why no cars passed him during a drive from Dover to Denison, O., Walter Scott discovered that some one had tacked a "funeral procession" sign on the rear of his car.

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NEW SCIENCE TRIUMPH

Thousands of years ago mankind learned to use fire in cooking his food, but not until recently did he learn another of nature's open secrets—how to render foods imperishable by employing the same refrigeration principle that nature uses in polar regions.

Although Arctic explorers have often testified to the efficacy of 50 and 60-below zero cold in keeping their musk-ox meat and fish deliciously edible for months in a frozen state, it remained for an American scientist, Clarence Birdseye, to find the way to duplicate polar refrigeration in warmer climes.

Years of hard work and experimentation have resulted in Birdseye's perfecting a quick-freezing process by which meats, seafoods, poultry, vegetables and fruits are frozen at 50 below zero in a manner that does not permit them to lose any of their fresh flavor or appearance, even though they are kept hard-frozen for months.

It is fitting, in this age of mechanical wonders, that science has made a contribution to the food field comparable in significance with the motor car, the radio, the airplane, the motion picture and the other new and important additions to life's enjoyment.

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A KILLER'S RELIGION

It is well known that the most hardened criminals have decidedly religious tendencies. Many stories are told of bandits praying for success before starting out on a robbing expedition, and the like.

A story is told of "Two-Gun" Crowley, a New York youth of 19, who was recently shot five times by policemen before he was arrested for killing one of their number. In the hospital he was unrepentant and defiant. He said: "Of course I killed that cop. I don't like cops. No, I don't want a lawyer; get it over with. Repent? Hell no! My conscience was never so clear in my life. What I want is a square meal."

When the district attorney asked if he would have a nice beefsteak, Crowley indignantly replied: "No, sir. No meat for me. Don't you know this is Friday?"

So, out of respect for Crowley's religious scruples he was served fish.

Hints for Homemakers
By Jane Rogers

WHEN jars in which vegetables have been preserved acquire a cloudy appearance, you can quickly restore their original lustre by washing them in water to which a dash of ammonia has been added.

When well sweetened, home made, chilled beverages quickly relieve that mid-afternoon weariness which overtakes many of us in hot weather. The sugar used for sweetening is recognized by science as a source of quick energy to help relieve fatigue, while the natural fruit juices supply essential vitamins.

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My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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Allied Commander in Chief.

The idea of an allied commander in chief had been suggested and discussed many times unofficially, but for various reasons, political and otherwise, it had never been definitely adopted by the supreme war council. With the distrust that existed among the allies, it was not easy to bring about the decision in favor of a supreme commander, and it was made possible only by the extreme emergency of the situation.

The designation of General Foch as commander in chief of the allied armies in France was proposed by the French. April 15 I received a letter from M. Clemenceau advising me that Mr. Lloyd George had approved the suggestion, and asked if I agreed. I replied in a personal note expressing my agreement subject to the confirmation of President Wilson, which came April 17.

Once the question of supreme command was settled the co-ordinated energies of the allied armies could be directed with maximum effect toward a common end. While dark days were still ahead, we were spared the chagrin of inefficiency through lack of teamwork.

CHAPTER XXXIV

Now that the supreme effort must be made on our part and when units were sorely needed for immediate active service it was found, much to my surprise, that, although the divisions then coming to France had been under training for six months or even more, they still contained a large percentage of untrained men.

As already pointed out, the general staff, when called upon to provide men for special services, had relied upon taking them from combat divisions instead of anticipating such requirements and segregating these specialists from the start and training them as such.

This was a most vicious application in time of war of a very objectionable practice that had grown up in our army in time of peace. It appears that during the preparation of our armies in the World war no other plan was followed and the practice was carried to such an extent that divisions with, say, 25,000 men, which should have been held intact and each one perfected as an organized team, were constantly called upon to send large groups of their trained soldiers to other duties.

Inspects Available Divisions.

In view of their possible early employment I wanted especially to look into the general state of efficiency of our available divisions and give some personal instructions about training. Going the rounds, I met General Hirschauer, who was one of the able French generals, and found him very enthusiastic about the Second, which had been in line at Sommedieu under his command, confirming my own opinion formed from observation and reports. He said that without doubt it was then as efficient as any of his French divisions. The First was further advanced than any of the others and its morale was high at the prospect of going into the battle line.

Recent developments had brought the question of the employment of American troops into immediate consideration. The President's qualified approval of the recommendation of the supreme war council, as embodied in joint note No. 18, was seized upon by the allies and construed as a concession for the unlimited absorption of our troops in their armies.

No doubt my offer to General Foch lent encouragement to the allied view.

On the day of Secretary Baker's departure General Whigham and General Hutchinson came over from the British war office to discuss arrangements for transportation of American troops in accordance with the provisions of joint note No. 18. The conversation indicated that the British understood we were to send 60,000 men per month to train with them and that they were bringing over the same number, making a total of 120,000 per month, beginning with April. They held that the approval of note No. 18 had superseded agreements previously made, including the six-division plan.

Baker Speaks Plainly.

The British conferees entirely ignored the specific condition that the final arrangements as to training and disposition of all our units were to be left in my hands. Their error was pointed out and Mr. Baker then said:

"What is pertinent to the present discussion is that American troops are going to the British for training. I don't want the British public or army or the French public or army to get an exaggerated idea that this scheme provides or will provide a means by which their losses will be made up in the future.

"I want no feeling of disillusionment when General Pershing calls for the troops intrusted to them for training."

Mr. Baker's visit to our armies during this critical period was fortuitous, as the problems that confronted us could then be seen in their true perspective. He had an opportunity to meet the allied leaders, both civil and military, and get in touch with conditions in the different countries.

Of still greater importance, he saw with his own eyes the building of our organization. He was a keen observer, with clear understanding and a logical mind, and obtained in a short time an accurate conception of our task and its difficulties.

As to our relations, he gave me from the start that strong and sympathetic support which means so much to a military commander in the field.

Feared British Were Lagging.

Before Mr. Baker sailed for home I had sent him the letter quoted below, and, although we later discussed its contents briefly, it is given as showing the reaction of at least part of the British press at the time:

"April 5, 1918.—Dear Mr. Secretary: I noticed the other day that one of the British papers, in referring to the fact that plans had been made to send American troops to the assistance of the allies, stated that this would relieve the British of the necessity of depleting the strength of the forces kept at home for defensive purposes.

"This suggests to my mind a certain political phase of the British situation which may give us additional explanation as to why Mr. Lloyd George and British representatives are so urgent in their appeals for assistance from America.

"Following this further, may I suggest that you give the matter serious thought? There is so very much at stake for us that it seems to me very frank representations should be made to the British government as to the urgency of their putting into the army every possible man that can be mustered to meet the immediate emergency. . . .

"It may be that you would think it advisable to go to London, or else to intimate to the President by cable the urgency of Great Britain's putting into the ranks every possible man to withstand the present German onslaught, even if they have to promise to withdraw them in six months, and of their doing so without waiting on us or counting on us in the slightest degree. There will be few enough men even with the best we all can do. It will be time enough for Great Britain to consider the defense of England after she has put forth every possible energy on the continent. Here is the place to beat Germany, and not on British soil. In writing this I have in mind what you told me regarding available men in England."

CHAPTER XXXV

On April 12, 1918, Washington reported a 140,000 increase in cargo tonnage by the use of Dutch ships. Infantry and machine-gun personnel of four divisions were promised for that month.

The allies were at last thoroughly alive to the necessity of an extraordinary effort to provide tonnage for transporting our troops. After months of delay and dissension they realized fully that the superiority of forces vitally necessary to avert defeat must come from across the Atlantic.

America had become their sole reliance, not only for the forces necessary to save them from defeat but for unlimited financial aid as well.

Mr. Baker's first-hand knowledge of the situation in France enabled him to give a fresh impetus to the efforts of the War department. With Gen. Peyton C. March as chief of staff, the general staff and the supply departments began to exert more energy. The war industries board, reorganized under the leadership of B. M. Baruch, had taken definite control and direction of the nation's industries with the sole aim of aiding us to win the war. In the face of the crisis, activity at home had at last replaced the apparent deliberation of our first year in the war. Our hope for an improvement in methods and a more competent co-ordination of effort seemed about to be realized.

First Division Moves Up.

At Petain's request the First division was withdrawn from the line near Toul and sent to Chaumont-en-Vexin, northwest of Paris, to go into an active sector. I visited the division April 16 to witness the division's final maneuver in open warfare before taking its place on the front. Both officers and men were in splendid condition, notwithstanding their long rail journey, and all were ready for the test of actual battle.

General Micheler, who commanded the French Fifth army, to which the First had been assigned, came along to witness the maneuver, and spoke highly of the troops and their efficiency. The weather was clear, but still rather sharp. The countryside was radiant with its green meadows and early flowers, and one could not help thinking how different would be those other fields on which this unit would soon be engaged.

Lack of Regular Officers.

It is a comparatively simple matter to absorb partly trained recruits in veteran organizations, but it is an enormous and difficult task to create organizations entirely of new material. There was a serious lack of regular officers in our organization in both staff and line. The I corps had only 7 per cent of officers from the regular army. Less than 1 per cent of all captains of the line in the A. E. F. at that time had been in the service a year, and the thought of possible immediate activity with such inexperienced leaders was not reassuring.

It was a source of real regret to me not to command the First division in person, and this, coupled with the fact that its entry into the battle was of considerable moment, led me to speak a word of confidence and encouragement. When the officers, about 900 in all, were assembled in the grounds of the chateau occupied as division headquarters they formed a rare group.

These splendid-looking men, hardened by the strenuous work of the fall and by two months in winter trenches, fairly radiated the spirit of courage and gave promise that America's effort would prove her sons the equals of their forefathers.

The First division saw its first major offensive some six weeks later, a brilliant counterattack at Cantigny, in the Amiens sector.

Wanted the A. E. F. United.

That afternoon I motored to Sarcus to see General Foch and sound him out regarding the prospects of uniting our divisions in a sector of our own. I told him that the secretary of war when in France had expressed an earnest desire to hasten the formation of an American army and that this was also the wish of the President.

It was my opinion, I said, that early action would be of great importance in stimulating the morale of our troops and of our people. Now that the First division was to go into line the people at home would expect soon to hear that an American army was engaged on its own front. I suggested the possibility that the corps might be assembled near the First division as a beginning.

General Foch agreed in principle to the suggestion, but was uncertain when the other divisions could be spared, which I, of course, fully appreciated. He pointed out that the enemy was very aggressive and referred to the severe attack against the British on the Lys between Lens and Ypres, which began on the 9th and was still in progress. But looking beyond, I insisted that the Twenty-sixth and Forty-second divisions might be withdrawn at any time from quiet sectors, to be followed by the Second and the Thirty-second and also the Third a few days later.

I pointed out that this force of six divisions, including the First, would equal twelve French divisions, and gave it as my opinion that it would be better to use this American group for active operations than to detain the units in quiet sectors and send French divisions to the battle front.

My understanding after this discussion was very definite that the plan would soon be carried out, leaving the exact time and place to be determined. It was immaterial to me just where it should occur, the point being to get it done.

Hard Fighting on the Lys.

The German offensive on the Lys was another formidable effort to break the British line. The attack was made to the north and south of Armentieres on a front of 24 miles by 27 German divisions. The exhausted British, though they fought with most commendable courage and skill, were forced again to yield with heavy losses to themselves and the Portuguese, consisting of two divisions, who were with them.

Several French divisions were hurried to the Lys front, but it was a week after the attack began before they were put into the line. They then relieved British divisions at the famous Kemmel hill, only to be surprised and defeated themselves April 25, much to their chagrin. The battle was practically ended by the last of the month, with a gain by the Germans of ten or eleven miles and the capture of important territory from the British, but with failure to take Hazebrouck.

(continued next week)

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PARDON OR PAROLE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned who was convicted at the spring term, 1931, of the Circuit Court of Chilton County for the possession of a still and given a sentence of a year and a day will make application for pardon or parole from said sentence, to the pardon board and Governor of the State of Alabama. This, the twenty-fifth day of July, 1931.

WILLIAM VERGIAL BROWN.

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REGISTER'S SALE

Lawrence F. Gerald, as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of James C. Jones, deceased, Complainant, vs. B. G. Jones, et al. Respondents.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause, rendered on the 30th, day of July, 1931, by the Judge of the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Court house door at Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. **ON WEDNESDAY, THE 26TH, day of August, 1931.**

The following described property situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

The North-half (N½) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-five (25); Also the East-half of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of the Southwest quarter (SW¼), and the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼), and Eight acres being situated in the Northwest corner of the Southwest-quarter of the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) said Eight acres (8) of land being situated West of the old Clanton and Columbiana Public Road, and North of a certain lane running West from said Road to the West boundary of said Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Southeast-quarter (SE¼), in Section Twenty-four (24); All in Township Twenty-two (22) Range Fourteen (14), Chilton County, Alabama, said Eight acres being the same land, in part, conveyed by N. S. Johnson and wife Escharles Johnson, to J. C. Jones, by deed dated August, 25th, 1915, and recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 143, page 503, all of which land is subject to the homestead right, for her lifetime, of Sophia L. Jones, the widow of James C. Jones, deceased.

Also the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼), Section Twenty-nine (29), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

The Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Southeast-quarter (SE), of Section Thirty-two (32), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

East-half (E½) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-Four (24), Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fourteen (14);

The Southeast-quarter, (SE¼) of the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-two (32), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

Also the West-half (W½), of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-Four (24), Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fifteen (15);

The Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼), Section Thirty-three (33), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

The South-half (S½) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-five (25), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fourteen (14);

The Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of Northwest-quarter (NW¼) lying South of Yellow Leaf Creek, and the North-half (N½) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-two (22), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

The Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-two (22), Township Twenty three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

The Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of the Northeast-quarter, (NE¼) Lying East of Clanton and Adams Ferry Road, in Section Twenty-four (24) Township Twenty-two (22) Range Fourteen (14); also a right of way on and along the East side of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Section Thirty (30), Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fifteen (15);

The Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Northwest-quarter (NW¼), of Section One (1), Township Twenty-two (22) Range Thirteen (13);

Also Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Section Nine (9), Township Twenty-two (22) Range Fifteen (15);

East-half of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Section Four (4), Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fifteen (15);

Northwest - quarter (NW¼) of Northwest-quarter (NW¼) and South-half (S½) of Northwest - quarter (NW¼) of Section One (1) Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fifteen (15); All in Chilton County, Alabama.

(b) Lot numbered Four (4), in Block numbered Eleven (11), in the Gowan addition to the Town of Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, as shown by the Map or Plat of said Gowan addition to the Town of Clanton, Alabama, on record in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama.

Also the following described real estate situated in Autauga County, Alabama, to-wit:

The Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-six (26), Township Twenty (20), Range Fifteen (15).

(d) The following described property located in Jefferson County, Alabama, to-wit: All of Lot numbered Six (6), according to the survey of Shady Springs, a Map of which said survey is recorded in Map Book 13, page 6, of the Probate office of Jefferson County, Alabama. Also One-half of an acre, more or less, off the Northwest side of lot number Four (4) according to the said survey of Shady Springs, a map of which survey is recorded in Map Book 13, page 6, in the Probate office of Jefferson County, Alabama, said One-half acre tract off of said lot Four (4), being particularly described as follows: Commence at Southeast corner of said lot (6) Six, of survey of said Shady Springs, thence West along the South line of said lot Six (6) 221.6 feet to point of beginning, thence at an angle to the left of 27 degrees 18', 284.6 feet to the Easterly line of the County Road, as now constructed; thence at an angle to the right 85 degrees 3' and in a Northerly direction and along Easterly line of said Road, 154.8 feet to the South line of the aforesaid Lot Six (6), thence at an angle to the right of 122 degrees 15' and along the South line of lot Six (6), 336.1 feet to point of beginning, also an easement covering a strip of land 25 feet wide off of the Northeasterly side of said lot Four (4), of said Shady Spring survey, said 25 foot strip running from the Montgomery High-way as shown on said Map, which map is recorded in Map Book 13, page 6, in the Probate office of Jefferson County, Alabama, to the Northeast corner of said lot Four (4), said strip of land being 25 feet wide and approximately 420 feet long, said strip of land running from the Southeast corner of said lot four (4), to the Northeast corner of said lot Four (4) said 25 foot strip to be used only as a right of way as a road or highway

Also a One-half undivided interest in and to the following described real estate situated in Jefferson County, Alabama, to-wit:

The South-half (S½) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Northeast-quarter of the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-six (36), Township Eighteen (18), Range three, West in Jefferson County, Alabama, and also a One-half undivided interest in and to the following described Lot or parcel of land situated in Jefferson County, Alabama, to-wit: Commence at the Northwest corner of the South-half (S½) of the Northeast-quarter of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of the Southeast-quarter of Section Thirty-six (36), Township Eighteen (18), Range three (3), west, and run thence South along the land line 89 feet, more or less, to the Edge of the right of way of the Public Road, and from said point which is the point of beginning of the land here conveyed, run North along the land line 404 feet, more or less, to a point 15 feet South of the Northwest corner of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Southeast - quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-Six (36), Township Eighteen (18) Range Three (3), West, thence at right angles run west 60 feet and 6 inches, thence run at right angles South 325 feet, more or less, to a point on the Edge of the right of way of the Public Road, thence run in a Southeasterly direction along and on the Edge of the right of way of said road to point of beginning, and contain One-half acre, more or less.

(a). That certain Note executed by D. C. Alred and wife Hattie, to James C. Jones, on the 2nd day of January, 1925, for the sum of $8000.00, due and payable on the 2nd day of January, 1929, bearing interest at 5% per annum, payable annually.

Also the mortgage securing the said note, which mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 197, at page 290.

(c). That certain Note executed by R. Mat Vines and wife L. A. Vines, to James C. Jones on the 18th day of December, 1925, for the Sum of $1400.00, due and payable on the 1st day of October, 1926, with interest from date.

Also mortgage securing said note which said mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 209, page 76, and conveying the following described real estate situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

The Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) and the Northeast - quarter (NE¼) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) and the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) and the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) all in Section Twenty-eight (28) Township Twenty-three (23) Range Fifteen (15), Chilton County, Alabama

(f). Fourteen shares of Cumulative Preferred Stock in the Alabama Mills Company, a corporation.

Twenty-six (26) shares of Common Stock of the Alabama Mills Company, a corporation

(e). One Diamond Knight Templar Ring, and one Diamond Shirt Stud.

This August 3rd, 1931

W. D. SPIGENER,
8-6-3tcS Register.

IN REMEMBRANCE OF A SOLDIER OF THE CROSS, THE REV. W. J. RUDDICK

A precious one from us has gone,
A voice we loved is stilled,
A place is vacant in our community
Which never can be filled
God in His wisdom, has recalled
The boon His love had given
And though the body slumbers here
The soul is safe in Heaven.

Dear Bro. Ruddick, thou hast left us,
And our loss we deeply feel
But 'tis God that hath bereft us,
He can all our sorrows heal
Yet again, we hope to meet thee
When the day of life is fled
When in Heaven with joy to greet thee,
Where no farewell tear is shed

Weep not that his toils are over,
Weep not that his race is run
God grant we may rest as calmly
When our work like his is done
Till then we yield with gladness,
Our brother to Him to keep
And rejoice in the sweet assurance
He giveth His loved one sleep

Precious brother, you have left us,
Left us forever more,
But we hope to meet our loved one
On that bright and happy shore
Lonely the house and sad the home
Since our dear one has gone.
But Oh! A brighter home than ours
In Heaven is now his own.

Farewell Brother, but not forever,
There will be a glorious dawn—
We shall meet to part no, never,
On the Resurrection morn
Though thy darling form lies sleeping
In the cold and silent tomb,
Thou shall have a glorious waking
When the blessed Lord doth come.

Always in Jesus, blessed sleep
From which none ever wake to weep.
A calm and undisturbed repose—
Unbroken by the last of foes—
Asleep in Jesus. Far from thee
Thy kindred and their graves may be;
But thine is still a blessed sleep
From which none ever wake to weep.

Rev. W. J. Ruddick was born in Ireland. He came to America in his youth and has spent the better part of his life in Alabama. About forty-seven years he has lived in Stanton.

And we all grew to love him and to think of him as a shepherd over the flock. He has served twenty-seven churches as their pastor.

The pearly gates were opened Thursday afternoon, about three o'clock and he made his flight to Jesus, to sleep in peace 'till resurrection day, where loved ones will not be scattered.

Bro. Ruddick was a good man, who gave everyone a smile and a word of greeting wherever he roamed.

The angel of death has entered your home again. In this, your darkest hour, allow me to offer my deepest sympathy. Bro. Ruddick was a good man, who scattered deeds of kindness in the pathway of theirs. May your motto be, "Prepare to meet thy God, for we know not when the son of man shall come, or send His angel."

—A True Loving Friend.
Miss Robert Lee Lester.

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GOODYEAR PATHFINDER

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Size	Each	Pair
4.50-20 (29x4.50)	$ 5.60	$10.90
4.50-21 (30x4.50)	5.69	11.10
5.00-19 (29x5.00)	6.98	13.60
30x3½ Reg. Cl.	4.39	[illegible]
30x5 H.D. Truck	17.95	34.90

You win a big bargain in tire mileage; we win you as a friend. Also, the sale helps our score in the "Zeppelin Race" between Goodyear dealers for a free trip to the factory at Akron, Ohio. We'll go the limit for you if you'll see us now.

Howard Garage
Verbena, Ala.

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Respect Pedestrian's Rights

Concede and safeguard the rights of pedestrians—all motorists are pedestrians some of the time, points out the Silvertown Safety League.

Pedestrians have the right of way on crosswalks at all times unless controlled by traffic lights and are entitled to full protection at all times. If crossing when the light turns they are entitled to reach a place of safety without hazard from vehicles.

Pedestrians should always use the crosswalk or footpath where one is provided, and should obey traffic lights. They should refrain from crossing streets or roads at unprotected crossings or intersections in the face of rapidly approaching vehicles.

Avoid crossing streets in mid-block if traffic is moving on it.

Avoid stepping suddenly into a street or road without first looking to the left and then to the right.

If walking on a highway, use the left side of the road facing the approach of traffic. If walking at night, carry a light if possible.

If driving cattle or other animals on the roads, keep them well to the left side, facing the approach of traffic.

Motorists may join the Silvertown Safety League at any Goodrich dealer's place of business. There is no charge for joining and members receive attractive radiator emblems for their cars

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Don't Eat In Dirty Places

In emphasizing the importance of wholesome food and the prevention of food poisoning, the Public Health Service, says that when eating in hotels, restaurants or other public places one can never be sure that the food is properly cooked and handled in a sanitary manner, but some degree of assurance may be obtained by eating only in those places which to outward apperances are clean and where sanitary cleanliness extends to the toilet facilities provided. If no provision is made for guests to wash the hands it is safe to assume that the kitchen and dining room help are not provided with this necessary adjunct.

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Depression Hits Cigarettes

Cigarette production showed a drop in June, for the first time since women and girls learned to smoke. There must be a reason, we haven't seen the figures on lipstick activities. Maybe the fair sex are spending their money in that direction.

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A Good Code For Anybody

Mahatma Gandhi, the leader of the revolution against British rule in India, told newspaper men the other day the rules of conduct which have governed his own life. He would not presume to lay down rules for anybody else, he said, but he had a code which he consistently followed. These are the rules of life, as Gandhi observes them!

Love.
Truth.
Chastity.
Fearlessness
Service to others.
Control of appetites.
Belief in the equality of all mankind.
Abstention from alcohol, tobacco and drugs.
Belief that all great religions are of equal worth.
Take nothing that is not paid for by one's own work.
Valuing possessions not for themselves but for their usefulness.

It is not easy to live in a world which professes, in the main, such a code, and to obey it literally. For while these rules of conduct as laid down by Gandhi differ in no important respect from those laid down by Jesus Christ and before Him by Buddha and other great religious teachers, very few human beings have had the hardihood to even attempt to live up to them. Gandhi himself, even his enemies admit, comes about as close to it as any man in modern times.

It seems to us that one of the causes of the trouble in which the world finds itself today is that most people have forgotten these ancient rules of life, which have always been sound and still are. We have been carried away, all of us, both in America and elsewhere, by the idea that there is some magic in material possessions which will make us happy in spite of ourselves. Nothing was ever farther from the truth.

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"Give me neither poverty nor riches," says a philosopher. But if it must be one or the other, let it be riches please.

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Pennsylvania woman regained lost speech after being stung by a bee. The husband's reactions are not disclosed.

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A marked increase in malt sales leads suspicious persons to fear that home brew is being made.

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An exchange says "well-timed silence is more eloquent than speech." And most silence is well-timed.

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Don't do anything that is likely to get you into a hole, unless you happen to be a golf player.

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Many a man who has "gone over the top" would shrink from acting as judge at a baby show.

"ROUND TOWN"
---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

> "It is great, and there is no other greatness—to make one nook of God's creation more fruitful, better, more worthy of God; to make some human heart a little wiser, manlier, happier—more blessed, less accused."
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> —Carlyle.

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Which brings to mind that poem titled, "But, Where Are The Men To Lead," which goes on to tell of the youngsters who are growing up, looking to their elders for guidance. But, where are the men to lead? We have them and they are apparently leading, judging from the activities of the members of the Kiwanis Club of Clanton, and many other citizens of our town and county.

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Another spurt in business here will no doubt fill up the several vacant buildings we have in town. There is something that doesn't look good in a town—vacant buildings. They not only make things look somewhat dead, but their appearance even to the far-sighted and successful business man is not pleasing. I'd make a suggestion that the fellows who own the vacant buildings open up some kind of business and at least make things look that much better in town. And who knows, they might be able to make a little money by just doing that.

A cafe opens and a cafe closes. We are none the worse off. The cafe operated by Mrs. Nelson, on the highway closed and DeWitt Easterling opened a nice new and attractive one just across the street. Mrs. Nelson went to the cafe up near the James Sign Shop, where a lot of remodeling has been going on. In fact, I am of the opinion that by this change which took place the first of the month puts Clanton a little better off so far as cafes are concerned.

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I'm glad to see our fire department doing regular practice each week now. Of course, we haven't had any fires recently, but they tell me that practice makes perfect. The fire department got kind of reorganized the other night and now Ruphus Brown is the new captain. Ruphus, like the rest of the fire fighters, really goes into the work with all his energy, and I think the town ought to be proud of our firemen—volunteers at that, yet well organized, with some fine equipment to work with. Just imagine—what would we do if we didn't have that fire truck, or perhaps, I should say, what we would have done?

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As I sit here with this typewriter staring me in the face, somewhat accusingly, and I trying to think what to think about when I'm thinking about what I ought to think about,—oh, the dickens—anyway these hot days are tough on fat folks like myself, and the nights are so cool, and there is a little blond beauty who has been becoming attractive to me lately, and the moon has been putting forth its dangerous spell over the tree tops, on a hill, and there's flowers, and insects chirping and everything quiet and soft music coming from the radio. Now, in all earnestness, I ask you, how can I think about what I ought to think about when I'm thinking about that? Oh well.

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REPLYING TO A LETTER FROM A RESENTER OF THIS WEEK

Well, ole, Top, truly I regret that I cannot publish your lengthy letter this week. One reason is because I had this column already filled, another is that your letter is lengthy, and another reason is that you write too much about things that would tend to cause detrimental remarks, perhaps, rather than taking a humorous attitude, as you should do, in my opinion. I commend you on your command of English, it is good. You took a lot for granted, became personal regarding persons not concerned, and it appeared as if you were just peeved. But forget it, can't you recognize some good publicity in its various lines, when you see it? And by the by, in the future, may I ask that you do not become confused concerning the policies of this particular column, with that of other columns and writers, and that you address your envelopes to this column when writing again, if any. Replying to your direct question about those three persons, the answer is in the negative, neither to nor from, I can assure you. Letters to this column, unless properly addressed, have difficulty in getting attention.

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I've been good and ready for our pastors to be getting back to their pulpits a long time ago, and I'm glad they are back now, because I enjoy their sermons. However, I did hear a rather good sermon the other day when E. C. Evans filled the pulpit at the Methodist church. Frankly, I didn't know he could preach like that, and I'm glad I heard him because now I like him better.

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Doggonit, and a coupla confoundits! Something oughta be done about these freight trucks taking up about half the highway right in the main business section of town. I came very near bursting right into one the other day that was occupying half the street, and then maybe some, while it was unloading freight. I'd much rather see them have a freight depot of their own in town like they should have.

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And there's one of those metal, "Slow" signs down at the corner of Dief's, in the highway, that causes automobilists more trouble than a barrel of slippery eels. I've seen cars hit that thing and burst two tires at the trip, and many have ruined one tire, because at night the sign is hard to see and anyone not knowing it is there usually strikes it. Some fellows might get peeved about that sometime and take a notion to sue somebody for damages. I'd suggest that one of those rubber signs be placed there.

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This new Congressman of ours, W. B. (Buck) Oliver is a regular fellow from my heart. He made his first visit to this county and to Clanton several days ago, and I'd been wondering how I was going to like him, and by cracky, I like him and am glad that he became our Congressman. However, I liked Lamar Jeffers too, but since they had to go and change the districts up, I'm glad we got Buck Oliver.

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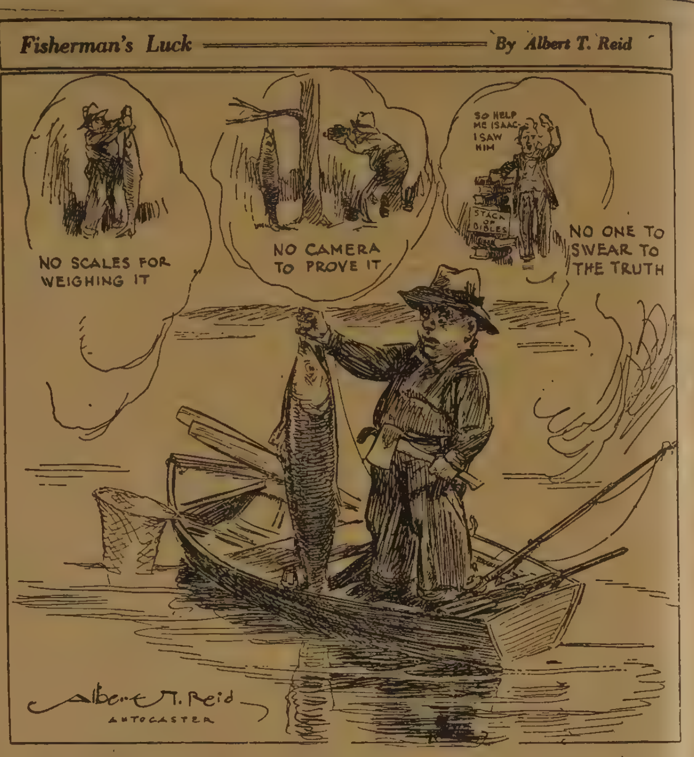
Love not only makes the world go round but also turns a lot of people's heads.

Fisherman's Luck
By Albert T. Reid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NO ONE TO SWEAR TO THE TRUTH
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The Scrap Book

THE USEFUL PLOW

Anonymous

A country life is sweet!
In moderate cold and heat,
To walk in the air how pleasant and fair!
In every field of wheat,
The fairest of flowers adorning the bowers,
And every meadow's brow;
So that I say, no courtier may
Compare with them who clothe in gray,
And follow the useful plow.

They rise with the morning lark,
And labor till almost dark,
Then, folding their sheep, they hasten to sleep
While every pleasant park
Next morning is ringing with birds that are singing
On each green, tender bough.
With what content and merriment
Their days are spent, whose minds are bent
To follow the useful plow.

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WORK FOR PUBLIC SAFETY

Every state should officially inaugurate a "Save-a-Life" motor vehicle campaign this year.

Such campaigns have been tried in a number of eastern states with splendid results. Brakes, steering and lights are inspected and corrected and the need for safe and sane driving is brought home to the motorist. It is the common experience that the accident rate declines during the campaign and the period following.

Only organized effort can make progress against the increasing danger of our highways. The incompetent and the reckless have become genuine menaces to the lives and property of all. The sad toll of deaths and injuries mounts day by day, in spite of modernization of traffic laws in many states.

We must, through rigorous examination, make sure that the driver is capable of safely operating a car. Then we must, through "Save-a-Life" campaigns or similar movements, make sure that the car he drives is mechanically safe. Thereafter the problem comes down to individual responsibility and understanding. Education must be unremitting. The motorist, as an individual, must accept the responsibility that is his when he uses the public highways.

Automobiles cost more lives than wars. At a time when all the enlightened nations of the world are working for peace, it might likewise be well for them to concentrate on peacetime public safety.

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The use of more toothpicks is being urged as an aid to the lumber industry.

The author of "Happy Married Life" is said to be using his royalties to pay alimony.

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By his adamantine resistance to critics Chairman Stone of the Federal Farm Board appears to be living up to his name.

LAST MAN'S CLUB

An imitation, with variations, of the famous Last Man's Club of Civil War veterans organized at Stillwater, Minn., more than half a century ago, is seen in the formation of a club of World War veterans in Edgar county, Illinois.

The Stillwater outfit put aside a bottle of wine to be drunk by the last survivor of the club. It is currently reported that when the "last man" opened his bottle it was found that the wine had turned to vinegar, probably in deference to the Prohibition law.

Somewhat different is the scheme of the Illinois veterans. Their Last Man's Club starts off with 100 members, each of whom is to contribute one dollar a year to the club's treasury. When the roll has been reduced to ten, the fund thus created is to be divided among these survivors.

From insurance company statistics it is estimated that this division of the "jack-pot" will occur about the year 1981. The ten survivors at that time would probably be between 80 and 90 years old.

Advancement in medicine and surgery in the meantime may possibly be the means of extending the lives of these veterans, so that the fund being created may not be distributed as soon as is now estimated. It is likely that some of them will still be alive when the year 2000 rolls around.

Do you ever stop to think
by EDSON R. WAITE
Shawnee Okla

George Myrover, editor of The Fayetteville (N. C.) Observer, says:

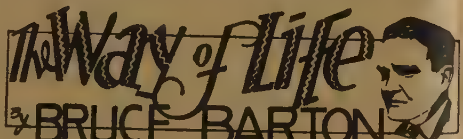
That no city is better than its citizens.

All citizens should support every movement that tends to the betterment of the community in which they live.

The better citizens of the community should keep alert at all times in order to keep the community from falling into the control of unscrupulous politicians and underworld characters

Good roads and fast automobiles enable bank robbers, and other criminals to pull jobs in law-abiding communities while working from a base hundreds of miles away.

The United States will never rid itself of the undesirables until the better element take more interest in public affairs.



The Way of Life
by BRUCE BARTON

If

John Golden, who is a swell fellow as well as a smart one, told me that when he was in Chicago producing "Turn to the Right" one of the theatre attendants came to him and said a visitor wanted to see him.

"What does he want?" asked John.

"He wants to read you a play."

John threw his hands in the air. He was having enough troubles putting on one play without letting some unknown author inflict another.

The author returned two or three times, but John refused to see him

When the job in Chicago was done, he boarded a train and shut himself up in a drawing room, tired out. There came a timid knock; the door opened, and through it walked a young man with bushy hair, who looked fresh from the farm.

"Mr. Golden, my name is McAvoy," he said. "You were too busy to see me in Chicago, so I found out what train you were taking and I bought a ticket and want to ride with you as far asCleveland. I want to read you my play."

John fussed and fumed, but finally surrendered. The young man started to read, but John's mind absorbed nothing.

After a while the young man said: "Any time you are not interested, I'll stop."

"You can stop right now then," John answered.

With a pained look, the young man put away the manuscript and started for the platform. The train was pulling into Gary. He stepped off, took another train, and rode patiently back to Chicago.

When the next theatrical season opened in New York, John saw in the papers the advertisement of a play called "The Potters." The author's name struck him—McAvoy. Could it be the same young man who had bored him from Chicago to Gary?

It was the same young man. The play ran for months. IF John had listened to McAvoy he would have added another big hit to his list of successes.

IF, when I was editing a magazine, I had taken time to glance at a certain manuscript which came in from an unknown writer, I should have had the satisfaction of publishing "The Sport of Kings," the story that started Arthur Somers Roche on the road to fame.

IF I had listened carefully to what the president of a certain big company was saying to me one afternoon I might have made a great many thousand dollars.

IF . . . IF . . . IF . . . we all have these bothersome little words in our record. It's folly to waste time regretting them. The only intelligent attitude is to say "While I could have done much better, still I have had my share of good luck, and shall not grumble. Only, in the future, I'll try a little harder to keep my eyes and ears open."

For it is very difficult to tell when some wild and annoying visitor may be trying to force fortune upon us.

ALABAMA DECLARES WAR ON MAD DOGS

To lessen the number of mad dogs in Alabama each year and to protect the state against rabies, the Alabama State Board of Agriculture has ruled that "all dogs moved into Alabama shall have been given one or more immunizing injections of anti-rabies vaccine within six months prior to the time of movement into Alabama." This was recommended by Dr. C. A. Cary, State veterinarian.

Members of the Board of Agriculture which passed this regulation are: Seth P. Storrs, commissioner of Agriculture, chairman; M. J. Funchess, director of the Experiment Station, Auburn; R. J. Goode, Gastonburg; Glenn Foster, Tuscaloosa; W. F. Garth, Huntsville; J. Lloyd Abbott, Spring Hill and J. H. Witherington, Dothan.

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Humorists can't always be good. The later Wickersham reports were not nearly so funny as the one on Prohibition.

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To lessen the hazard of forest fire, Michigan conservation officials are urging that automobiles used in cross-country driving should be equipped with ash-trays.

PROGRAM

AT THE

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CLANTON, ALABAMA

"When they make 'em better, we'll show 'em"

THURSDAY—FRIDAY—SATURDAY

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Bethsalem News

Our Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. are progressing nicely. All visitors are welcome.

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Mrs. O. O. McCrory is on the sick list this week.

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Miss Agnes Askins has returned to her home after an extended visit to friends and relatives at Prattville.

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Mrs. Ida Wilkins had as her guests Sunday her Sunday school class. They all reported a nice time.

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Mrs. Ocie Grimes and children, Tom and Ocie Maye, of Montpelier, Ohio, are visiting relatives here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilkins dined with Miss Agnes Askins Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Edwards visited Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bowles Sunday.

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Mrs. Leola Billingsley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Moore.

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We have B. Y. P. U. every Sunday evening at 7:30. Everyone is invited.

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CREATING LAWLESSNESS

Human nature—one of whose fundamental characteristics is the urge toward freedom—cannot be changed by legislation.

Age-old customs cannot be erased overnight by a law.

Here are truths that should be called to the attention of every lawmaker. An important reason for the prevalence of crime in America is that we have harassed the good citizen with a tremendous volume of hasty, unenforceable and ill-considered legislation. It will usually be found that law-abiding nations are those where the laws are designed to protect the rights of citizens, rather than to restrict them on the dubious theory that crime will thus be lessened.

We can not curb lawlessness by merely passing more needlessly restrictive laws to break.

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Pathfinder thinks Business Blues are more dangerous to this country than Russian Reds.

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An average of 22 books an hour arrived at the Library of Congress during the last year.

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In the United States there are approximately 2,000,000 women who are supported by alimony.

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Chas. Gulledge Verbena, Alabama

Billingsley Service Station

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Dmitro Guly of Chicago ate 81 apples, one right after the other, just to show he could do it, then had some bread, bologna and a cigar.

When a radio station in Memphis announced they would have a program of wedding music, two couples announced they would be married and their radios would furnish the music.

Among the promment Young Republicans whose name did not appear in the list of those present at the recent rally was the mythical John M. Fetters of Omoha, to whom the scurrilous literature in the campaign against Senator Norris conducted by Robert H. Lucas, Director of the Republican National Executive Committee was sent. But maybe Mr. Lucas had his proxy.

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Brides of the Bugis tribe on the Celebes Island are drugged three days before their marriage to keep them from looking at any males other than their intended husbands.

Police are now stationed about the stockyards in East Buffalo, N. Y., to prevent nearby residents from milking the cows.

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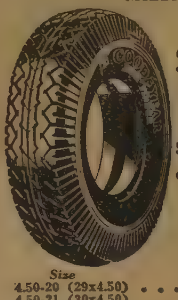

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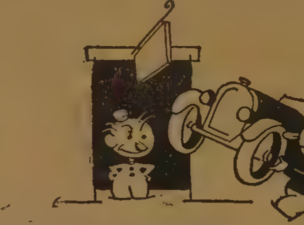

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SPORTSMANSHIP

The quality which perhaps more than any other distinguishes true sportsmanship is absence of temper. Those who notice accurately will find him dependably perfect in every ethical test or situation or impulse. The onlookers always choose him their favorite because he is "human." Every now and then his expression lights with a quick smile, a distinctly happy grin, or on the other hand a grimace on occasion of marked bad luck or bungled play. When he wins, he takes his satisfaction lightly—if he loses, he takes it good naturedly. Furthermore, when the game is finished. And the "why" he won or lost, or how he felt or played, is apparently gone out of mind.

As a matter of fact an admirable sportsman is merely one, who, having thoroughly learned the rules of each game that he attempts to play, can be counted on in every test of character as well as play, to behave as a gentleman.

Sportsmanship can be very well acquired by following a few simple rules: Keep your mind on the game, but not on your feelings. If you win, don't at once begin to fancy yourself a star in the firmament, above and apart from everybody else. A gloating winner is far more detested than a bad loser. But when you lose, don't sulk, or protest, or long-windedly explain. If you are hurt, whether in mind or body, don't nurse your bruises. Get up, and lightheartedly, courageously, good-temperedly, get ready for the next encounter. That is the only way to take life—that is also "playing" the game.

—N. W. Alabamian.

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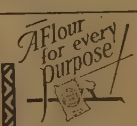
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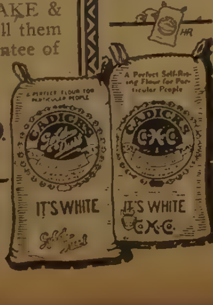
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TODAY AND TOMORROW

BY FRANK PARKER STOCKBRIDGE

LODGE

Time always brings out the truth. We are beginning to learn a great many things about Henry Cabot Lodge that we did not know during his lifetime. The "scholar in politics," as he loved to be called, became a conspicuous figure when, in 1919, he led the cabal in the United States Senate which prevented our ratification of the Peace Treaty of Versailles. His personal venom against Woodrow Wilson was apparent at the time. Now it turns out from the disclosures made by ex-Secretary Fall that Senator Lodge expected that the Republican President elected in 1920 would make him Secretary of State, and that he was immensely disappointed when Mr. Harding picked Mr. Hughes for that position.

"I have known Henry Lodge since boyhood and I do not believe that he ever harbored a single generous impulse," said the late President Eliot of Harvard to a friend not long before his death.

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ECONOMICS

The man or woman who has a job and whose wages or salary has not been reduced since the depression of 1929 is better off today than two years ago. In fact, a dollar will buy more today, in almost all of the necessaries of life and in every one of the luxuries, than at any time since before the war. The one exception is rents in the big cities.

About four-fifths of the people who work for a living in the United States are still employed regularly and at the same pay as before. About one-fifth are out of employment or on part time.

In Oaklahoma a mob of unemployed raided a grocery store the other day. In one rural county in Massachusetts, where I saw the records, 99 new automobiles and 54 new trucks were bought by farmers and village people during the month of June. These economic inequalities offer a problem which it is going to take more than one session of Congress to solve.

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RAILROADS

One of the biggest jobs that confronts the Capital is the rebuilding and refinancing of the nation's railroad system. Practically all the railroads today are in bad shape financially.

The success of the German experiment in running an air-propelled railroad car at the rate of 130 miles an hour means, to engineers, that all railroad transportation methods will have to be enormously speeded up in the course of the next few years.

The whole railroad situation calls for leadership of a kind which is not now in evidence. If Daniel Willard, President of the B. & O., were twenty years younger he could supply it. Somewhere in the railroad field there must be a young man who will come to the front in the next year or two and lead the railroads out of the wilderness.

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CASE

Anna Case, the opera singer who has just married Clarence Mackay, head of the Postal Telegraph and Commercial Cable System, has long been known in musical circles as perhaps the most generous of singers of the first rank in her attitude toward ambitious young musicians. For years Miss Case has given not only lessons in singing at her own expense, but free board and lodging in her large apartment in the West Fifties to a number of young women whose musical talents she deemed worth cultivating.

Her marriage to Mr. Mackay is the culmination of a romance of several years standing. As he is one of the wealthiest men in America it is to be expected that Miss Case will now be able to do a great deal more for young singers even than she has done before.

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STATE FARM BUREAU CLOSES ANNUAL MEET

Auburn, Ala., Aug. 5.—At the tenth annual convention in Auburn, July 30-31, the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation elected J. Litt Edwards of Selma as president for next year. He succeeded R. F. Croom who became president in May when Edward A. O'Neal resigned to become president of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

E. S. Pace of Eastaboga, Calhoun County, was elected first vice-president, and W. M. Hester, Russellville, second vice-president.

The president, two vice-presidents, and five others compose the executive committee, the five being H. F. Koonce, Florence; Dr. W. C. Braswell, Elba; L. M. Griffin, Moundville; J. H. Thompson, Fort Payne; and W. M. Harrison, Greenville.

E. L. Deal, secretary, was elected representative of the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation at the annual meeting of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

The organization adopted important resolutions. The income tax plan of taxation instead of the advalorem tax was endorsed and voters of the state urged to approve it when they go to the polls to vote on the proposals presented by the legislature at the recent session. The inheritance tax was endorsed also. Another resolution endorsed the Federal Farm Board and the agricultural marketing act creating the board. Operation of the government properties at Muscle Shoals for agriculture was endorsed also. Cooperation of the Farm Bureau with the industry of the State was endorsed as a permanent policy of the organization.

The meeting was largely attended by delegates who represented practically every county.

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The will of Dr. Wm. L. Johnson, who died at Bridge, Mass., directs that his account books be burned so that no bills will be outstanding against his patients.

GULF
Venom
KILLS
Flies and Mosquitoes
Roaches, Ants
Moths, Bed-Bugs

CHEVROLET WILL ERECT MILLION DOLLAR BUILDING

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 5.—Signing of contracts authorizing the erection of a special building at a construction cost of close to $1,000,000, to be devoted exclusively to the display of General Motors products at Chicago's International Exposition in 1933, is announced by W. S. Knudsen, president and general manager of the Chevrolet Motor Company.

Albert Kahn, architect, is now drawing up plans for the structure, which will have 100,000 square feet of display space and will be strategically located on the lake shore opposite 31st street, one of the main entrances to the Exposition grounds, in the transportation center.

A complete automobile assembly line in constant operation is one of the attractions planned for the new structure which will also contain the complete lines of all General Motors products, Mr. Knudsen said. This corporation is the first industrial concern to contract for the erection of a special display building on the Exposition grounds, officials said. Mr. Knudsen heads a committee of General Motors executives who will have charge of the project.

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Nine catfish were found inside of an old automobile tire David Stevens hooked from a stream near Erwin, N. C., while fishing.

WHO LIKES HIS JOB?

Several instances have come to notice recently which seem to discredit the old theory that in order to be a success one should follow a congenial line of work.

It is said that the late Joseph Conrad, the most famous of recent authors of sea stories, hated the sea and detested writing.

O. O. McIntyre tells of a leading and successful New York theatrical producer who has a deep antipathy to actors and actresses and despises the theater; also a man who has made a fortune as a florist, but who does not care for flowers and is nauseated by their perfume.

Now comes Irving S. Cobb, one of America's most famous writers and humorists, with the statement that he utterly dislikes writing, but keeps at it because he doesn't want to be a loafer, or words to that effect.

The average newspaper man will tell you that he loathes the eternal grind, but somehow you could not drive him out of it. Many musicians suffer mental torture when before an audience—and so it goes.

These may be exceptions to the rule, but the lesson to be drawn from the instances noted is that determination to do good work will develop ability and bring success, whether one likes his job or not.

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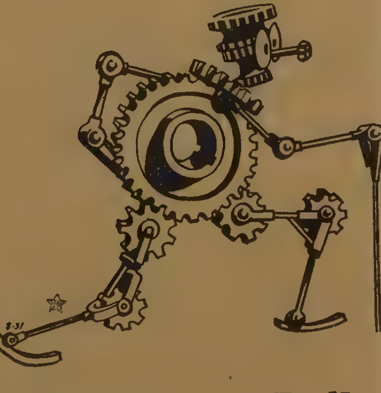

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Sunday School Lesson

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Acts 8:26-40

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D

It may be hard to be turned aside from present activities to undertake some new work bue very often this change is a blessing in disguise. The changed field may produce far larger results than the one in which we are contentedly established. Philip was making great progress in Samaria with his revival. It was just the situation that most people would say needed the attention of the evangelist from Jerusalem who had already accomplished so much. God has the whole field in view and often needs an avtive worker for another location. It works that way in business and the system is not different in the spiritual realm.

He traveled south about 100 miles before any indication was reveled of the work for which he had left the company in Samaria. Then a man was observed in a chariot who was reading aloud. Again there is a direction from the Hodw Suirit and Philip accosts the treasurer of Candace, queen of the Ethiopians. This man had been to Jerusalem and while en route homeward was reading from Isaiah 53:7. This referred to the Messiah. Now the treasurer was a master at finances but poor in intrpreting scripture. Philip asks a qlestion which each pastor and other teachers of the Bible should propound: "Understandest thou what thou readest?" His offer to expound the Scriptures is accepted and Philip now enters upon an active ministry by the roadside.

Again there was a call to proceed northward and the convert is left that a work of evangelizing may be followed as far northward as Caesarea. The Golden Text sets forth the activity that should be performed by every be[illegible]: "They therefore that were scattered abroad went about preaching the [illegible]." Acts 8:4.

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J. L. Schlotthauer of Columbia, Pa., claims to have a canary bird that not only talks but also laughs

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Billingsley News

Miss Laura Apperson of Birmingham was the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. F. King, the past week. Mr. and Mrs. King returned with her Sunday, spending the day in Birmingham.

Those who attended the funeral of Rev. W. J. Ruddick at Stanton Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hicks, Mrs. J. F. King, Miss Laura Apperson, Mr. C. A. Marlar and Mrs. J. C. Hughes.

Mrs. Ernest Wilson of Birmingham was the week end guest of her mother, Mrs. Hattie Dickinson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robertson of Tallassee spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Mills.

Mr. Collier Marlar of Birmingham spent Thursday here with his father, C. A. Marlar. He was accompanied home by Mrs. John Wonder, who will visit her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hall, son and daughter of Birmingham were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patrick Thursday and Thursday night. Miss Margaret Hall, who had been visiting Misses Inez and Willie Jean Patrick, returned home with her parents.

Rev. Metcalf of Verbena is assisting in the revival at the Methodist church here. He is giving some wonderful sermons, much food for religious thought.

Rev. A. S. Bentley is being assisted in the revival this week at Indian Grave church by Rev. Luther Gaines of Brent.

Those who attended the annual S. S. Convention at Mulberry church were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patrick, Mrs. T. L. Patrick, Messrs. G. T. Dickinson, and W. A. aPtrick.

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Within 15 days, E. F. Slocum of Pawtucket, R. I. celebrated his 61st birthday, his 35th wedding anniversary, and the 30th anniversary of his appointment as a letter carrier.

While viewing the struggle between Fascism and Bolshevism we prefer to stick to Americanism.

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Mulberry News

"Ye Scribe" was so very much interested in the revival which was in progress at Mulberry Baptist church last week, didn't have time for any news items. We had a great revival with seventeen additions to the church.

Rev. Reese was unable to assist as was stated before, but by chance, we secured the help of Rev. Frank Woodward, a returned missionary from China, who took great interest in the revival and lost souls. The church and community was greatly revived.

Mr. and Mrs. Span Jones are the proud parents of a fine baby boy, who came to them on Friday, July 31. Both baby and mother are doing nicely.

Mr. L. S. McCraw and Luin Calfee made a business trip to Selma Friday.

Mrs. Erle Tucker and children, also Mrs. Cleon Little, of Birmingham spent the past week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Manning.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Veazey of Fairfield are spending their vacation with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Martin.

Mrs. Lona Calfee and daughter, Mrs. Thomas Horton, of Columbiana, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Calfee.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rasberry and son, Jimmie, of Sumit, were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. L. S. McCraw, last Friday.

Messrs. A. D. Martin and Lum Williams made a flying trip to South Alabama the past week.

Rev. B. Lawrence and family of Clanton attended the revival at Mulberry two days. They are ever welcome to our community, Rev. Lawrence being a former pastor of our church.

Mr. Louie Smith of Clanton is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Y. E. Smith.

Miss Glynder Oden spent the week end with Miss Berniece Jones.

Mrs. Thomas LeCroy of Wetumpka was the guest of relatives the past week.

Mrs. Charlie Bates and attractive daughter of Maplesville spent the past week with her mother, Mrs. Jess Lee.

Am kinda afraid to look up "Doug" when in Clanton for fear he might change his mind about my daintiness(?) However, I feel sure he likes to be called "Ed" equally as well as I do "Dainty!" Says I!

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Girls Too Eager To Marry Are Problem For Psychologists

Recent reports on the psychological problems of modern young women indicate that one of the most frequent causes of mental difficulty is due to an over-eagerness for marriage, which upsets the mental and emotional balance of the patient.

"Probably every woman in the world —normal or abnormal—want to marry," says Mrs. Anne Bryan McCall in the Woman's Home Companion. "She wants to marry, openly and admittedly, or secretly, or unconsciously. The desire to marry is a perfectly natural thing. It has its basis in normal social and biological and psychological facts So it is not a girl's desire to marry that seems to psychologists in the least to be questioned; it is rather the stress she lays on it, the exaggerated accent she puts on it and the traits in herself that are to account for this.

"It is precisely here that a girl's psychology becomes important and is significant. If she is too personal and not clear-thinking, these traits will apply to the normal desire for marriage and the result will be a girl who is too personal in her desire for marriage—not clear-thinking about marriage, and too selfish about marriage.

"Men turn away from this type of girl. Men have their normal desires and instincts about marriage; and the average man generally turns (sometimes quite consciously and sometimes only instinctively) from a girl who is too personal, and selfish about a matter that is of such real importance.

"There is in men a certain age-old racial desire for attainment (we are rather stupidly apt to miscall it a desire for mastery) which makes them susceptible to those traits in women which would tend to encourage the fulfillment of that desire and which makes them withdraw from those traits in women which would seem to endanger that fulfillment. And the fact that a man is often mistaken in judging of these traits—so that he falls prey to a masterful woman who will spoil his attainment, when he thinks he is marrying one who will further it—does not alter the fundamental facts.

"All this concerns a general human psychology that explains why many men would apparently rather marry a frivolous girl or one who pretends she doesn't want to marry than one too openly bent on getting her own way."

News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Mrs. N. C. Peterson entertained the following Saturday night at a party in honor of her sister, Sadie Shannon and Rachel Peterson: Ella and Lloyd Howard, Kathryn and Edith Foss, Christine Bosworth, Rachel Peterson, Wililam Each, Sadie Shannon, Doris and Orville Freeman, Alton Connatser, Edith Johnson, Oliver Lyon, and Earl Lowery. Orongeade and cookies were served for refreshments.

Mrs. Theron South returned to Birmingham, Sunday after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. G. W. Freeman.

Miss Opal Payne of Aldridge was a visitor of Miss Doris Freeman during the week end.

Miss Sadie Shannon of Montgomery visited her sister, Mrs. N. C. Peterson, during the week end

Mrs. Charles Howard, Lloyd and Ella motored to Mobile, Alabama, Sunday to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. Bina Husby.

Miss Odie Lee Arthur arrived in Thorsby Sunday to take care of the office work of Thorsby Institute.

Mr. Eugene Marcus, who returned from New Orleans some weeks ago after receiving a fall, is up now and is much improved.

Little Vonceil Gore of Collins Chapel returned from the South Highland Hospital Monday night. She is improving rapidly.

The many friends of Mr. Claus Carlson, a former resident of Thorsby, will be sorry to hear of his death on July 27. He has been ill since March. His death was caused from cancer which had been unsuspected until that time Mr. Carlson has made his home with his brother, John, at Rockford, Illinois for the past several years and was buried there. John Carlson will make his home in the future with his son, Raymond, in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Reagan, Mr. Turnquist and Mrs. Thorsen motored to Birmingham Sunday. Mrs. Thorsen will remain with relatives there a week, when she will return to Thorsby for another week's stay before going to her home in Waseca, Minnesota.

Misses Kathryn and Edith Foss and Mrs. James Bosworth motored to Selma taking back Misses Naemi Turnquist and Christine Bosworth, who had spent the week end with relatives in Thorsby.

Mr. Vincent Sutlive, the Scout Master of the Thorsby troop, has returned and is going to speak to the boys on Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bean and Jessie Mims of Birmingham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mims.

Miss Clara Vines spent Sunday at home.

Mr. Webb Sharp spent a few days in West Point, Georgia.

Mr. Willie Scott of Montgomery spent Sunday in Thorsby with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scott.

Little Eunice Meryl Walker is very ill with malaria fever.

Mrs. Walter Mulkey from Montevallo visited Mrs. G. W. Freeman for a few days.

Misses Linne Bell and Mary Louise Reinhart are spending a week in Wilsonville, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Robinson visited Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Reinhart Sunday.

Mr. Roy Hawkins of Los Angeles, California, who was a former student of Thorsby Institute, stopped by in Thorsby Monday morning

Dr. Horace Franklin of Tallassee, Alabama, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Franklin, Sunday.

Mrs. S. C. Wood and son, Frank, returned home Friday. Mrs. Wood returned to Birmingham Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Russell McCain and Mrs. J. W. McCain motored to Wetumpka, Alabama Sunday to visit Mrs John Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kelley and Mr and Mrs. Phillip Rozier of Birmingham spent the week end with Mrs Louis Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray and Frank Wood motored to Wadley, Alabama Sunday

Mrs. Hattie Jackson spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Bentley, Mrs [illegible] Smith, and Virginia Bice left for Palatka, Florida, Sunday night. Virginia is returning home after spending the summer with relatives in Thorsby.

The revival meetings are in progress at the Baptist church. Several new members have been received.

Miss Mae Wood from Blocton, Alabama, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Piper.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Moody and Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Sutlive spent the week end in Thorsby with Mrs Hattie M. Gerald. Mrs. Moody and Mr. Sutlive are staying over for a few days.

Mr. Cecil Each, who is working in Birmingham, spent Sunday in Thorsby

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Each and family are expected to return from their vacation Wednesday.

Church services will be held next Sunday at the Congregational church.

Miss Allyce Washburn and Miss Eloise Rasberry are spending a few days with Miss Dorothy Von Franklin.

Miss Polly Collins of Birmingham is visiting relatives in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Arne Christensen and son spent the week end with his mother and brother in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Buchi and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Terry of Birmingham visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A N. Laurell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Townsend visited friends in Thorsby Sunday.

Mrs. S. E. Norton received a card from Miss Helen C. Jenkins mailed from Brussels, Belgium. Miss Jenkins left Paris the first of August and will arrive in New York the 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mead spent a few days last week in Baldwin County.

Mrs. E. F. Collins and daughter of Birmingham are the guests of Mrs. H. O. Bean and daughter.

Mrs. Volley Mims and children of Mobile are spending a short vacation with parents in Jemison and relatives in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucas of Blocton spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. E R. Piper.

Mrs. Robert Young and family of West Blocton visited Mr. and Mrs. Piper

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A dog went over Niagara Falls and lived, which is bigger news than if it had been a cat.

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Speakeasy waiters in Detroit have formed a secret society. The password is probably "Sh-h-h-."

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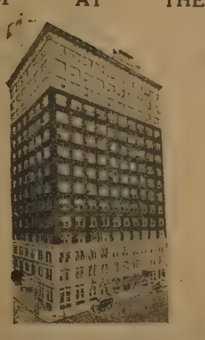

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Mr. and Mrs. Edd Winters, Mr. and Mrs. Kirkland and Mr. Sidney Kreider, of Montgomery visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Teel and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Vaughn a short while Tuesday night. Mrs. Winters remained for a visit the remainder of the week with Mrs. Teel and Mrs. Vaughn.

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Miss Rowe Honored By Misses Jones Last Week.

One of the enjoyable affairs of the season in Clanton took place on last Thursday night, when Misses Mary Goodwin and Clyde Jones entertained in honor of Miss Myrtle Rowe, of Enterprise, who has been the guest of her brother here, G. C. Rowe, at the home of Mrs. Jones.

A large gathering of the members of the younger social set of Clanton and nearby towns was present. Miss Rowe has also been guest of honor at various affairs during her visit to Clanton.

Mrs. Gerthia Snow and little daughter, Christine, have returned to their home in Parrish, after a delightful visit to Mrs. Snow's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Odum, in West Clanton.

Miss Pauline Veasey from Isabella community spent Friday night as the guest of Mrs. Willie Bean.

Little Frances and Billie Bean returned home Sunday after spending a few days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wright, west of Jemison.

Miss Effie Shirley of Montgomery was the attractive week end guest last week of Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Edgar.

Misses Frances and Cordelia Gulledge of Verbena have had as their attractive guests Misses Emily Stanley and Margaret Mead of Troy, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Seay, Judge and Mrs. J. T. Maddox, of Birmingham stopped over in Clanton Tuesday morning for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stapp, en route to Daytona Beach, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. George Trotter spent the week end in Clanton visiting friends.

Miss Kathryn Hayes has returned after spending several days in Eutaw as the guest of Miss Elizabeth Davenport.

ATHETE'S FOOT

By Dr. Christmas Seal

"Athlete's foot" is a miserable itching disease caused by a fungus growth of ringworm, giving little or no trouble in the daytime but disturbing many a person's rest at night.

The Journal of the American Medical Association recently published a remarkable article by Dr. W. L. Gould of Albany, New York, about a simple way in which the infection was cleared up in Albany Junior High School where hundreds of cases exist and the Alabama Association gladly passes this information on to you. Severe antiseptics had been used without success. Then there were installed footbaths containing from 10 to 15 per cent sodium thiosulphate. Each pupil using the gym immersed his feet in the chemical bath and it was renewed after being used by thirty to fifty students. In four weeks the ringworm infection had entirely disappeared from the Junior High school.

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Mrs. D. W. Haskew Hostess To "As You Like It" Club.

Mrs. D. W. Haskew was hostess to the "As You Like It" Club at her home Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in sewing. Later the hostess served a delicious salad plate to the following: Mesdames L. C. Warr, M. A. Gore, C. Reese Mullins, V. J. Gragg, J. B. Atkinson, D. C. Alred, L. H. Reynolds, G. C. Walker, T. R. Burdette, W. E. Martin, T. H. Neighbors, Flem Higgins. The club will meet next time with Mrs. W. E. Martin.

Miss Tempie Millsap, Mrs. W. A. Massey and Stanley Millsap of Birmingham were visitors to Clanton Monday afternoon.

Joe Hall Johnson went to Montgomery Monday on business.

Mrs. H. W. Smith and sons, Billie and Alton, of Birmingham are guests of Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry.

Mr. Richard Monk of Anniston spent the week end as the guest of his sister, Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry.

J. M. Williams, who resides on Verbena, Route 1, was among the visitors to Clanton Monday, and while in town Mr. Williams was a caller at the News office.

C. E. Cagle, prominent resident of Stanton, was in Clanton Monday afternoon attending to business. While in town Mr. Cagle was a pleasant caller at the News office.

Luther E. Little, principal of the Stanton Junior High School, was in Clanton last Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Little have been spending several days in Kimberly, Ala., visiting the latters' parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy M. Pitts and children left the early part of this week for a motor trip into Florida, along the coast.

Mrs. Sudie Martin who has been visiting Mrs. J. Q. Wade, has returned to Birmingham.

PIGEON VETERAN DIES

"Charlie," veterans of many battlefields, is dead. He was a famous carrier pigeon, stationed at Lille, France, during four years of German occupation of that city, from which he carried hundreds of important messages to the allied generals, sent by his owner, an Englishman named Richardson.

Charlie's services were recognized by the French government by a pension of two francs a month granted him since the war. He was buried with military honors.

Throughout the World War hundreds of carrier pigeons were employed as message bearers and many authentic stories of real heroism on the part of these wonderful birds have been told. One that is remembered was that of a pigeon which carried a message through shell torn territory, was wounded to death while on the wing, but delivered its message and expired in the hands of the officer who received it.

Human beings never display greater courage and fidelity than that.

Mrs. Randolph Chandler of Lakeland, Fla., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. J. Wade, and Mr. Wade. Mrs. Chandler has numerous friends in Clanton who are glad to see her again.

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erty for delinquent taxes by registered mail.

By Faulk—Reducing the minimum bond of cotton warehouses from $5,000 to $1,000.

By McElderry—Enlarging the powers of the board of education to aid Alabama blind in training them for professions and assisting them in locating jobs.

By Grove — Authorizing judges of probate to call for examination of bodies of persons whom he suspects died of unlawful means, poisoning, accident or violence, and providing that the State chemist shall make all analysis without charge.

By Miller—Increasing the annual salaries of the chief clerks in the offices of the state treasurer and state auditor from $2,750 to $3,600.

By Beebe — Increasing the annual salary of the chief clerk in the secretary of state's office from $2,750 to $3,600.

By Lapsley — Prohibiting the State of Alabama or the State Docks Commission from granting any exemption from any State, county or municipal taxation in the future, and limiting any exemptions now in force to 20 years.

By Sossaman—Providing an alternative method of construction of Mobile's seawall in the event the original plan does not prove to be feasible.

By Davis—Making it a felony to maliciously burn fences, crops, stacks of hay, or other vegetation on farm lands.

By Parker—Authorizing counties to appropriate sums of money from the general fund of the county treasury for the support of public schools, and ratifying all such appropriations already made.

By Stewart—Providing for the care of poor and paupers in all counties whose population does not exceed 60,000.

By Beebe—To pay $1,772 for the relief of C. Irwin, former sheriff of Baldwin County.

By Miller—To pay $4,420 for the relief of The Citizens Life Insurance Company of Huntsville, now in the hands of a receiver, for erroneously paid taxes.

By Mize—Providing civil service examinations for Tuscaloosa's fire and police departments, creating a three-man civil service board to be named by Gov. B. M. Miller within 15 days after Jan. 1, 1932, and exempting from the examination all police and firemen who have been in the service of the city for one month prior to Jan. 1, 1932, and fixing the compensation of the civil service board at $10 a day for each day in session but limiting the annual per diem to $100, all members of the board to be residents and qualified voters of Tuscaloosa and above the age of 25 years.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burton Higgins and children left Tuesday for Perdido Bay, where they will spend sometime. Mrs. C. Fenn Jones and Miss Frances Higgins, accompanied by Mrs. Z. T. Rudolph of Birmingham left for the same destination Sunday and will be joined by the Higgins family.

George W. Johnson who resides on Route Five was in Clanton attending to business last Saturday. While in town Mr. Johnson called at the News office to have his name added to the fast growing subscription list of the News.

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W. O. W. Monument Unveiling To Take Place Sunday, August 9th, At Siloam Church

The Woodmen of the World will unveil the monument of the late Clinton Culp at Siloam church next Sunday afternoon, August the ninth, at three o'clock. Maplesville Camp will be in charge of the ceremony with Drill Teams and Uniform Rank from Clanton, Maplesville and Pletcher Cam sisting. District manager E. C. Evans will be orator for the occasion.

All Woodmen of the county are in vited to be present and assist. The pub lis is cordially invited.

Burglars who broke into a store in Evanston, Ill., got three pennies from the cash drawer.

By the will of John J. Contrado of Pardoe, Pa., each of his friends who attended his funeral will receive $100.

Mrs. Helen Leloquin of Chicago complained in her divorce suit that for five years her husband forced her to ride in a rumble seat every time they went riding.

Joseph Maury of St. Louis ate 2 hard-boiled eggs in 54 minutes and co lected $50 for finishing within the hour.

Possibly it was unemployment that impelled the serpent to sell Eve on that apple proposition.

Mr. Coolidge was recently photo graphed raking hay. But perhaps that "has no political significance."

To make their victim's humilia complete, Chicago gangsters "took him for a ride in an Austin."

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SEVERAL PEOPLE IN WEST END BIT BY MAD KITTEN

Pet Kitten Bites Mistress and Test Showed Hydrophobia; Children Victims

The community of West End Heights xperienced quite an exciting time last riday and Saturday and all on account of a half-grown cat, belonging o Mrs. Will Hays.

The kitten was a friendly and playul little fellow and was a favorite with ll the kids living near to the home of Mrs. Hays, and all of them played with t, more or less, daily.

The first thing that indicated that nything was wrong with the little cat, hile its mistress was busy about her ooking, it suddenly ran up and bit her n the ankle. Mr. Hays came in soon nd did not like the situation so he ook the cat out and killed it, cut off he head and sent it to the Health Deartment at Montgomery and in a little ime received a telegram stating that he cat had hydrophobia.

Then things began to happen. Mothrs called up their kids and soon began o learn that quite a number of them ad been bitten or scratched in their lay with the unfortunate cat.

A check up was made and an order ent through Dr. Napoleon Johnson for he anti-toxin treatment and the folowing victims are now calling on Dr. ohnson daily for their shot:

Mrs. Will Hays, son, J. C. and son, William Lee, Mrs. Dr. Odum, Louie ones, son of Mrs. Betty Jones, Nellie ones, daughter of Mrs. Walter Jones, Ewart and Ethel Corley, son and aughter of Mrs. W. B. Corley, and litle Earl Corley, his grandson.

A boy about 9 years of age, named onnie Little, was bitten by a small pet og about three weeks ago. The family as moved across town and I just heard hat the boy was sick with hydrophobia mptoms.

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Grantham-Burnett Wedding August 8th

A marriage, the announcement of hich will come as a pleasant surprise o the many friends of the young coule in this section, was quietly solemnized last Saturday morning when Miss Grantham of Troy, Alabama, became the bride of Mr. Barney Burnett, f this city.

The marriage ceremony was quietly mized Saturday morning at six clock at the home of the bride in roy. There were only a few close ls and relatives of the bride and room in attendance. Miss Lucile Sherood of Brundidge, Mr. Claudie Pipes, tto Jones, and Arthur Burnett of lanton were among those present at he ceremony. The Reverend Dr. E. Childs of Troy, performed the ceremony which united the couple in mariage.

Immediately after the ceremony the ride and groom left for a short wedding trip to Milledgeville, Georgia. On heir return from this trip it is understood that they will be at home in lanton, having taken an apartment at he home of Mrs. J. C. Jones on Sevnth Street.

Mrs. Burnett is the daughter of Mr. nd Mrs. W.M. Grantham of Troy, and or a number of years was a most popar member of the young social set of hat city. For the past two years, owever, she has made her home in anton where she has been teaching in e public schools.

Mr. Burnett comes of one of the oldst and most prominent families of the ounty and is one of the outstanding oung business men of Clanton. He is t the present time employed by the olk Brothers Motor Company.

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UMBER THORSBY PEOPLE TO MAKE TRIPS BY RAIL

The L. & N. Railroad is offering its nnual low rate excursion to many oints in the north and east. A numer of prominent citizens of Thorsby nd vicinity are planning, we undertand, to take advantage of this opportunity and make the trip to Chiago. Those planning to make the trip, ccording to our information, are Mr. nd Mrs. M. J. Soberg, Miss Astrid kblad, Mrs. Sam Thorsen and Miss aemi Turnquist of Thorsby.

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Mrs. Louie Brand of Birmingham and ittle daughter, Joy, are visiting Mr. nd Mrs. Vernie Teel this week.

EIGHT YEAR OLD FARMER SENDS IN BOLL OF COTTON

The News received through the mails last week a well filled boll of cotton from the 1931 crop. This came from the fields of one of the County's youngest farmers, Judson Strock, Jr., who lives at Verbena.

If the field of Judson's cotton is all like the boll sent in, then he will be pretty busy now picking cotton. This is the first dry boll of cotton sent to the News office from the 1931 crop, and to Judson Strock, Jr., of Verbena goes this credit. We would like to have Judson drop in the News office when in Clanton.

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UNITY - CHILTON COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL CONV. 4

Associations Hold Joint Convention at Mulberry Baptist Church, Aug. 4

On last Tuesday August 4, what is said to have been one of the most successful Sunday School Conventions, was held by the Unity-Chilton County Baptist Sunday School Convention, at Mulberry Baptist church. Mr. G. F. Harris, secretary, gives us the following report:

The annual meeting of the Unity-Chilton County Baptist Sunday School Convention was held with Mulberry Baptist church Tuesday, August 4.

A very interesting program was prepared and carried out. The different phases of the Sunday school work were discussed during the day. It was the opinion of many that it was the best session of the convention ever held.

We are indebted to Mr. J. N. Barnett of the Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tenn., and Mr. Davis Cooper of the Alabama State Board for the great part they rendered in making the meeting a success.

At the noon hour a bounteous table was spread by the good ladies of the community.

It was decided that it would be for the best interest of the work to separate the two associations and have two conventions in the future. Accordingly officers were elected as follows:

Chilton County Association: Howard Oden, President; J. E. Minor and Donald Merchant, Vice Presidents; T. F. Wyatt, secretary-treasurer. Unity Association: H. A. Harris, President; C. D. Hughes and W. J. Patrick, Vice Presidents: G. F. Harris, secretary-treasurer.

The time and place of the next annual meeting were not decided.

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FOUR SLIGHTLY INJURED WHEN CAR OVERTURNS

Four boys, Harvey Rich, Bonnie Hand, Dewey Robinson and Buster Lockhart, were slightly injured when the car in which they were riding overturned on the Birmingham highway about one mile north of Willis Tourist Camp Sunday afternoon.

Rich and Lockhart were probably the worst injured, Lockhart receiving a bad bruise on the head, while five stitches were required to sew up a cut on Rich's arm. He also received slight injury to the back. Robinson and Hand escaped with minor bruises and scratches about the body. The car, a Chevrolet, was badly damaged.

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Mr. Marcus Polk Jr. of Anniston, Ala., is visiting friends and relatives in Clanton this week.

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CLANTON PILOT CLUB MET TUESDAY NIGHT THIS WEEK

The Clanton Pilot Club held its regular meeting at the Methodist church Tuesday night of this week. The meeting was given over to business, and plans for the next few months were discussed.

Among other things, the Pilot Club, has decided to start the ball to rolling to get a park for our city. Though the movement has just started, a site has been suggested, and it is planned to have representatives go before the Town Council at its next meeting and ask for their cooperation in this movement.

Clanton can and should have a park. The place which has been suggested, the nice spot of woodland, about halfway between the business part of town and the grammar school, should prove satisfacory. The Pilot club is to be commended for taking the lead in this movement.

IMPORTANT MEETING FOR FARMERS 15TH

Demonstration Field Showing Benefit of Nitrates Will Be Viewed

Local farmers will have a good chance to show their ability at estimating crop yields at the field meeting scheduled in Tom Hilyer's field on W. C. Robinson place, near Cooper, August 15, Saturday.

The meeting has been arranged by County Agent C. E. Stapp to show the progress of the cotton-fertilizing demonstration at the Hilyer farm. The object of the demonstration is to show the importance of quick-acting nitrogen on local soils. The demonstration field is divided into two sections, both of which received the same amount of phosphate and potash at planting. One of the plots received in addition 50 pounds of Chilean Nitrate of Soda per acre at planting and 150 pounds of nitrate as a side-dressing shortly after the crop was chopped.

When farmers visit the demonstration they will be invited to estimate the

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CLANTON GROUP MAKES FISHING TRIP TO GULF

Local Fisherman Catch Lots of Fish, and Bring Back 70-Pound Shark

Last Monday morning it was noticed that quite a group of people were gathered around an automobile just across the street from Upchurch Drug Company and in front of Farmers Hardware Company. A representative of the News, always on the lookout for any excitement, investigated and found the center of attraction to be a 70-pound shark. This was the prize catch of a group of Clanton fishermen who made a trip to Panama City the past week end for some real sea fishing

The party was composed of J. W. McEathern, Loren Smith, Johnnie Plier, M. D. Foshee, Jr., A. L. "Jelly" Bean and Dick Kemp, all noted for their prowess in handling the reel and rod. They left Clanton early Saturday night and made a quick trip to their destination. When they arrived at Panama City they made arrangement for their outing and got busy right away

M. B., Jr., was the lucky one who

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REVIVAL AT PLEASANT GROVE BEGINNING SUNDAY, AUG. 16TH

The revival will begin at Pleasant Grove next Sunday, August 16th. Rev. Lumkin will help in the meeting. Let's everybody come and make this one of the best meetings ever held at this place. Everybody has an invitation to come and be with us during the services.

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CASH PRIZES AWARDED LAST SATURDAY BY EVAN PARRISH

Sometime ago, Evan Parrish of the Southern Seed and Plant Co., of Clanton announced that he would give cash prizes for the largest watermelons brought to his place of business from this years crop, and grown from seed purchased from him. This was done through the company that Mr. Parrish buys seed from.

Saturday the awards were made and G. T. Hubbard, who resides about eight miles northeast of Clanton won first prize with a melon weighing 62½ lbs., and a well formed melon at this. This was the variety known as the Schochler melon, which has a very good flavor and not a very thick rind.

The second prize was awarded to Ben F. Clark, of near Clanton with a melon of the Stone Mountain variety, weighing 53¼ pounds.

While in Clanton Saturday, Mr. Hubbard called at the News office and presented the boys with one of his fine Schochler melons, weighing 43 pounds. Mr. Parrish stated that he intended to make this contest an annual affair as much interest was shown during the contest closed Saturday.

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Miss Ruth Hand returned Friday from Birmingham where she has been spending her weeks vacation.

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FISHING RODEO OPENS MONDAY AUGUST 17TH

Wide Variety of Prizes Are Offered; Men, Women, And Children Eligible

Some everyday, old fashioned fisherman, who threads a shrimp on a hook from tail to head, as though it were a worm and fishes from rocks, skiff or pier with a cotton line and cane pole, will be given a chance at several of the valuable prizes offered at the third annual deep sea fishing rodeo, which begins at sunrise, Monday, August 17 and continues three days.

As usual, the three first and largest prizes, all complete deep sea fishing rod and reel outfits, are offered for tarpon. There is a prize for the largest giant ray, or devil fish, and others for ling, king mackerel, blackfish, cavalla, redfish, Spanish mackerel, bonito, bluefish, speckled trout, dolphin; with special prizes for the largest fish, the largest cavalla, and the largest mackerel caught by a woman.

But the seventeenth prize is for the freakiest freak fish; the twenty-sec-

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BOYS CLUB CAMP IS BEING HELD ON RIVER THIS WEEK

Approximately 125 Boys Are Taking Part in Annual Outing This Year

Bright and early Wednesday morning it was observed that boys were grouped around Mr. Stapp's office, and more arriving all the time. Upon inquiry it was learned that the boys were on their way to the annual 4-H Club Camp. This year the camp will be held on Coosa River on the backwaters of Lay Dam. The site of the camp is located a short distance above the dam.

Mr. Stapp stated that probably there would be about 125 to 150 boys included in the camp activities this year.

This camp is something the club boys have come to look forward to each summer, as it gives them a fine outing, and at the same time, there is always a good program scheduled, which makes the time spent profitable as well.

It is planned to break camp Friday afternoon, August 14, making the camp a three-day affair. we were not able to obtain names of all those on the program for the three days, but it was stated that each day would see worth while numbers. It is planned to have addresses by prominent men and women in their respective vocations. Thus the boys will have expert advice and assistance along the lines of camp sanitation, vesper services, talks by lawyers, bankers, etc., so that the time spent in camp will be of great value in obtaining a better grasp of the conditions with which we have to deal.

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G. T. WILBANKS GETTING BETTER SINCE ACCIDENT

The many friends of Mr. G. T. Wilbanks will be pleased to learn that he is again able to be out and begin to look like himself. No doubt he will, ere long, be entirely recovered.

About the first of last April, while putting out his commercial fertilizer, the wind blew some of the dust from the mixture into his eyes. His eyes inflamed and grew worse and worse and he soon was confined to his home and bed. He took a hospital treatment in Montgomery but his condition did not improve. Then he went for treatment to a Birmingham clinic with about the same result. Returning he resigned himself to his fate.

For about four months he suffered intense agonies, but finally an improvement seemed to take place and now he looks almost himself again. He is very grateful to his friends for their kindness, sympathy and takes this method of telling them of his improvment and expressing his thanks.

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POLY CHILDRES CEMETERY CLEANING THURS. AUG. 20TH

All who are interested in the Poly Childres cemetery please meet Thursday week, August the 20th, to clean the cemetery.

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Miss Pearl Hand spent Friday and Saturday visiting friends and relatives in Birmingham and Bessemer.

SUCCESSFUL REVIVAL AT WHITE POND CHURCH

A great revival has been held at the White Pond Baptist church, conducted by our pastor, Rev. J. S. Hand, of Clanton. The church seemed to be very much revived and inspired to undertake greater things for the ongoing of God's Kingdom, and the upbuilding of the church.

Twenty new members came into the church, and a W. M. S. was organized for the benefit of the ladies of the church.

God has blessed us this summer with many things that we should thank Him for.

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HIGH SCHOOLS SCHEDULED TO OPEN SEPT. 7TH

Short Term Or Elementary Schools, Will Have Opening Day October 5

According to information reaching the News office from the office of the County Superintendent of Education Buford Lawrence, steps have been taken and plans are underway to get the different schools of the county in readiness for an early opening. Supt. Lawrence stated that the long term schools will begin work on September seventh. The long term schools include those high schools in the county under the supervision of the county department of education. They are Chilton County High School, Jemison High School, Verbena, Isabella and Maplesville High Schools.

It was also stated that the short term schools of the county, or the elementary schools, will begin their work on the fifth of October.

Just how long the schools of the county will be able to run this season cannot yet be definitely stated. The funds of the county have been reduced because of the failure of the state to appropriate as much money as usual, and due to this all the schools may have to be closed earlier than usual this school year.

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MISS HOWARD EXPECTS TO RETURN HOME THIS WEEK

A very interesting letter was received by the News this week from Miss Mabel Howard, operator of the popular DeMabel's Beauty Shoppe of Clanton who has been spending sometime in Chicago, attending a convention of beauty specialists from over the country

Miss Howard stated that she expected to be back in Clanton this week, possibly today, and her beauty shop would be open. She tells of the many interesting things she saw while in Chicago, and stated that she received a surprise when she saw Mr. and Mrs. Frank James of Clanton in Chicago also. In returning to Clanton this year from Chicago, Miss Howard will bring a better knowledge of the art of beauty treatment and the latest styles in hair dressing.

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Chief Clerk of State Dept. Succumbs, 10th

W. P. Fonville, who has been chief clerk in the office of the secretary of state, died Monday in a Montgomery hospital. Mr. Fonville entered the hospital several days ago suffering from a nervous breakdown and developed pneumonia as a complication. Early Monday physicians had announced that there was little hope for his recovery

Mr. Fonville was one of the most popular men in the capital, where he had been employed for more than 23 years. He served in the treasurer's office for three years before becoming chief clerk to the secretary of state.

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LOCAL SHERIFF'S OFFICE CORRALS LAW VIOLATORS

The past week has been a busy one for the local forces of law and order. According to a statement issued last Tuesday from the office of Sheriff Gillespie there have been eleven arrests made since last Thursday for violating the prohibition law; 1 arrest for grand larceny and one arrest for reckless driving. In accordance with the policy heretofore pursued by Sheriff Gillespie, no names were divulged.

MANY FARMERS PLAN TO MAKE TRIP TO AUBURN

Co. Agent Stapp Has Made Arrangements For Trip To Auburn, Aug. 18

Plans are going forward with great interest being shown in the efforts of County Agent C. E. Stapp to get as many of the farmers of Chilton County to make a trip to Auburn Tuesday, August 18th. Mr. Stapp states that several hundred farmers of this section have made plans to go, and that he is expecting more. Now, when there is not so much rush in the farmers work, is an ideal time to make this trip. Also while tht crops are in full growth is a good time to judge the experiments which are being conducted at Auburn. According to Mr. Stapp there are now some three or four experiments being carried out at Auburn, either of which will be worth the trip to any farmer in this section.

This is to be an all-day trip, leaving early Tuesday morning and coming back home the same day. It is planned to go by way of Wetumpka, making the distance about ninety miles to Auburn, with good roads. It is estimated that with four or five men to an automobile, the actual cost of the trip will amount to about one dollar each. A days outing will do most of us good, and this can be accomplished with little cost and much profit. For, without doubt, the Experiment Station at Auburn, with its staff of trained experts, can be of untold service to any farmer in Alabama.

Those who plan to go, and have not yet notified Mr. Stapp, are requested to do so at their earliest conveniece.

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Mrs. R. B. Moody of Birmingham is spending several days visiting friends and relatives in and around Clanton.

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Camp For Baptist Girls Next Week

The Y. W. A. and G. A. Camp will be held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week. We are hoping all Baptist girls above nine years of age are planning to come. A good time and a profitable time is being planned All the girls are expected to be at the Clanton Baptist church by nine o'clock Tuesday morning. Bring a pilolw, a quilt and light blanket, cup, plate, spoon, knife and fork, as well as the [illegible] suggested. Bring a picnic lunch for Tuesday, and anything good to eat for the next two days, and come. We believe you will not regret it

—Mrs. G. C. Traywick, Young People's Leader; Mrs. S. J. Ezell, Supt. of Unity Association.

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MRS. ALLEN CHAPMAN DIED LAST SATURDAY

Mrs. Allen Chapman of the western part of the county, passed away at her home last Saturday at three p.m. Funeral services were conducted at the Shady Grove cemetery with the Rev. Spinks officiating. Mrs. Chapman is survived by four sons, Ben, John, Joe and James, one daughter, Mrs. Huston Pate, and her husband, Mr. Allen Chapman, who is now eighty-odd years of age.

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REVIVAL AT THORSBY BAPTIST CHURCH, SUCCESSFUL

The revival meeting which has been in progress at the Thorsby Baptist church for the past week closed last week and according to our Thorsby correspondent was a great success. There weren twenty-five additions made to the membership of the church during the revival. Fifteen of these additions were for baptism. Rev. J. W. Jones, assisted by the Rev. F. M. Barnes of Montgomery conducted the services. Rev. Jones is assisting Rev. B. Lawrence in a revival at the Macedonia church this week.

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Miss Dewey Branch motored to Birmingham last Saturday and brought back with her, her brother, Hugh, who has been confined to St Vincents Hospital. Late reports state that Hugh is doing nicely.

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Earle Thomas of Isabella and J. P. Montgomery of Jemison, vocational teachers of this county, returned from Auburn after attending school there for the past three weeks. Their work there was in keeping with their vocational teaching and leads to a Masters Degree in Agriculture

West Chilton News

Just a few words from West Chilton. Again I am very glad to say that crops here are good, generally. Have been having plenty of rain here of late, which has added growth to the crops. Down here for about ten weeks we thought that we would miss a corn crop and it was cut short a great deal. Watermelons and cantaloupes are good here, but are not selling so very well on the market. Most all the truck crops down here are hauled to the Birmingham market.

Miss Merna Edith Robinson has been in Birmingham for the past three weeks visiting relatives and friends, and reports that she is having a very good time.

Mrs. J. M. Wyatt and daughter, Lillie, of Selma are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Erby Wyatt of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Robinson, Miss Lillie Wyatt motored to Birmingham Sunday afternoon to spend the first part of the week with friends.

We are very sorry to hear that Mrs. Joe Chatman is sick; also that Mr. Jacob Smith is very low.

The Death Angel visited the home of Mr. Chapman Saturday at three p.m. and carried away his wife. She was a devoted wife and mother. She leaves four sons, Ben, Joe, John and James; one daughter, Mrs. Huston Pate, and husband, Mr Allen Chapman, who now is eighty-odd years of age. Mrs. Chapman will be missed by a host of relatives and friends of this community. She was laid to rest at Shady Grove church. Rev. Spinks conducted the funeral service, which was a very nice one. Let me say, weep not, children, and husband and friends, for I am persuaded to believer that all things work together for good to those who love the Lord, that are called according to His purpose, and surely this is God's business when He will call His children home. Then let us live so that when the good Lord calls us home that we will be prepared to receive the crown that is laid up for us in Heaven, and where we will meet our loved ones who have gone on before, and rejoice and sing His praise forevermore, and won't that be a glorious day for all, amen.

—A FRIEND.

ORCHESTRA LEADER URGES REVIVAL OF OLD "HITS"

A good tune is always a good tune, whether it was composed yesterday or a decade ago, according to B. A. Rolfe, director of the Luck Strike Dance Orchestra, who is constantly reviving popular songs of past years and presenting them in their original form on his radio programs.

"A melody, which at one time was good enough to claim the attention of a nation, should not be permitted to pass completely into oblivion" believes Rolfe, whose orchestra's claim to fame has largely been through its distinctive rendition of the "tunes that made Broadway, Broadway." To perpetuate these old "hits" and to provide a dependable and representative source for his selections, Rolfe said that he had compiled a musical library, containing more than 6,000 orchestrations of numbers written since 1900, with each orchestration accompanied by a chart containing full data on the degree of popularity it had attained.

Only 30 years old and married six times, Mrs. Eugenia-Hoyt-Butt-Lee-White of Hollywood, Cal., says she is just an "incurable optimist" when it comes to matrimony.

Employees of a New York railroad found a robin's nest on the airbrake compressor of one of the locomotives.

Hints for Homemakers

By Jane Rogers

A FINAL touch that enhances the savor of fruit salads and certain vegetable salads is obtained by sprinkling the lettuce leaf base lightly with a simple syrup made of sugar and orange juice, or lemon juice. This should be done immediately before serving so that the lettuce will lose none of its desirable crispness.

Rust in ovens is due mostly to moisture that develops from baking or broiling. If the oven door is kept open for twenty minutes after use the moisture will evaporate and remove the cause of rust.

Sunday School Lesson

for August 16

SOWING AND REAPING

Galatians 6:1-10

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D. D.

This quarterly temperance lesson also suggests a profitable study for these summer days. One of the epistles of Paul furnishes the lesson text. Search out all the thirteen or fourteen letters that he wrote and relate them to the historical account in the Acts.

Moral problems faced the people in that day and these letters deal very directly with human affairs. Since the same difficulties are with us today we find even greater help in these same writings for Paul. Read the entire letter and note how the grace of God was superseding the hard and fast laws under which the Old Testament of Hebrew sought to live.

Everybody makes mistakes and the apostle tells that those who are making the fewest mistakes should be most kindly disposed toward those who sin to a greater extent. There are certain burdens that we must bear for ourselves, such as the kit that the traveler or soldier carries for his daily necessities.

The Golden Text is just plain common sense as well as spiritual truth: "Whatsoever a man soweth THAT shall he also reap." That is certain in the material world and not the less positive in the spiritual realm. Wild oats take nourishment from the soil and produce their own crop. Alcoholic liquor is habit-forming and death dealing, no matter how slowly the poison may work. A single glass has its effect on the brain cells and lessens the power of self-direction. Turn to the newspapers for this week to get more illustrations than can be presented during the class session. Big business will have nothing to do with it. Alcohol takes away personal liberty and is destructive of body and soul.

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MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

Out in Lincoln, Neb., a farmer met with a great misfortune. An army of grasshoppers visited his farm and played havoc with his growing crop. He caught a few and carried them to the office of the Entomologist and it was discovered that the hoppers would make the best kind of fish bait. The farmer went back to his farm, employed all the help that he could use. The hoppers were rounded up and handed over to the Chemist, and soon he was shipping fish bait to Michigan and other states. His grasshopper crop brought him more cash money than the growing crop would have produced. That is what I call an enterprising farmer. He knew how to turn his misfortune into fortune. Many, many things come to the farmer that carries untold wealth, if they will just get busy and turn them into things of value. A man is a real man when he can turn his misfortune into fortune.

I ate dinner at a certain home in Fort Deposit where the boy in the home was the proud owner of two ducks. They were educated ducks. They were trained to rely on their owner for every drop of water and every piece of food that went toward their support. Early in the morning the two ducks would come to the back steps and a duck would perch on each end of the step. Together they would set up, "Quack, Quack, Quack," until the boy would come out to feed them. In a few hours they would be back on the same steps calling, "Quack, Quack, Quack," wanting more to eat. They hunted nothing for themselves, but when they were hungry or thirsty, they would perch on the steps and "Quack," until they were satisfied. There is much flesh in this world that carries no feathers, that can be found sitting close to food supplies, and about all that the flesh is doing is calling, "Quack, Quack," and waiting for some one to feed. The "Quack, Quack" kind of callers in human society are the pest of this age, and the great misfortune of this period of depression. May the good Lord deliver us from the covey of "Quackers" who locate themselves on the doorstep.

I was passing a home and a little girl was out in the front yard making mud patties. She was having a good time, but just then the voice of the mother was heard, calling her into the house. She was asked to go out to the wood house and bring in some wood for the stove. The little child set up a yell. She objected to being interfered with as she was playing in the back yard. She did not mind the work of making mud pies, but when it came to doing something worth while, something that would help and that carried value, she set up howl. How true that is to the life of the young. Little girls grow to be big girls, and when they are asked to give up an auto trip, a picnic, a night of revelry, that they may be able to help mother, they set up a groan. You would think that a mad cat was being persecuted if the girl is asked to wash the dishes. Little boys grow to be great big boys, and when they are asked to do something that is worth while they growl and groan. If they are left to make mud pies, they are happy. Too many parents are letting their boys and girls make mud pies when they should be busy doing things that are worth while.

Before coming to Clanton I heard a church member airing his views of his pastor who had kindly insisted that his church pay his salary up to date. This member of the church was indignant because his pastor had mentioned the matter of his salary before the audience at church. He said that he thought that a preacher should accept what was paid and say nothing. I happened to be in a place of business when this same fellow came in to collect a bill that was due him. He walked right up to the fellow due him money, and shoved a bill under his nose. The man was silent. Then the bill pusher asked his creditor what he was going to do about it. The man tried to explain, but the collector grew red in the face, and the man due the money had his funeral preached. Wish that I knew why people have the idea that a preacher should be so sweet and nice about his salary when it is over due, and yet they step so high when people are due them money. What is good for the goose is good for the gander. If you want money that is due you, do not be angry with the preacher when he wants the money that is long since due him.

Down in the Fiji islands the inhabitants call a pig a "Short pig" and they call a man a "Long pig." Those people in that far away land must have made a few visits to the United States. I was going to Montgomery last Wednesday and as I was rounding a curve I met a "Long pig" driving a car. That Long pig had his side of the road and mine. There was nothing left for me to do but to quit the pavement in order to save my life. "Road hogs" are a menace to our highways. I will blush while I say it, but all the road hogs are not of the male variety.

Was in the company of a man who did all the talking. He never allowed me to wedge in a word. Conversation has often been compared to tennis. The pleasure of the game comes from the way the ball is returned. Most men and women who talk too much are saying an "Infinite deal of nothing."

Two hours before he was to have been operated on for appendicitis, Pete Mancuso, serving a five-year sentence, escaped from prison at Omoha.

When Willard Robinson of Evanston, Ill., failed to keep a date with Miss Johanna Donnely, search found him in his bath tub, reading magazines.

Convicted of operating a still, Jo Riddley, 99, was sent to jail in Fred erick County, Va.

"My duties kept me so busy I neve had a chance to swim; now I'm swim ming," explained Lynette Kemp afte she resigned as a life guard in Joliet Ill.

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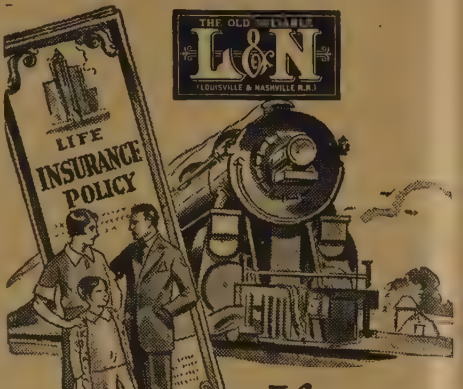

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Under and by virtue of the Power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed by John R. Martin and wife, Martha L. Martin, to the Southern Building & Loan Association, a corporation, on the 25th day of January, 1927, which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 207 page 555; default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, the undersigned Southern Building & Loan Association, a corporation, will proceed to sell at the Courthouse Door at Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, within the legal hours of sale, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of September, 1931, the following described real estate, situated in the Town of Thorsby, Alabama, County of Chilton, State of Alabama, to-wit:

Lots Eleven (11) and Twelve (12) in Block numbered One (1); Lots 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14 in Block numbered 2; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, 15, and 16 in Block numbered 6, all according to the original map of the Town of Thorsby, Chilton County, Alabama, as recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of said County, in Book 41, on Page 183.

Also, Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 in Out-Lot "I" according to map of the subdivision of Out-Lot "I" in the Town of Thorsby, Alabama, as shown by map of said subdivision recorded in the Probate Office of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 128 on page 40.

Also the following described parcel of land situated in the Town of Thorsby, Chilton County, Alabama, viz: Commencing at a point which is One Hundred (100) feet Northwest of Chilton Avenue and on the West side of Washington Avenue in the Town of Thorsby, as per recorded plat thereof, run thence between Lots 12 and 13 in Block 6 in a Southwesterly direction Three Hundred Sixteen (316) feet, run thence in a Northwesterly direction and parallel with Washington Avenue Two Hundred Twenty-five (225) feet, run thence in a Northeasterly direction and parallel with Chilton Avenue Two Hundred Sixteen (216) feet, run thence in a Southeasterly direction and parallel with Washington One Hundred Seventy-five (175) feet, run thence in a Northeasterly direction 100 feet to the Western line of said Washington Avenue, run thence in a Southeasterly direction along the Western line of Washington Avenue Fifty (50) feet to the point of beginning, according to the Official map of said Town and map of the subdivision of Out-Lot "I" as recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama.

All the above said property is located in the Northwest quarter (NW¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Section 6, Township 22, Range 14, Chilton County, Alabama.

The said sale will be made for the purpose of paying all debts or other charges due under or secured by said mortgage, after the cost and expense of this foreclosure, including a reasonable attorneys' fee, shall have been paid.

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Concord-Billingsley

The Christian Endeavor social which was held at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Chastine's last Friday night was enjoyed by those present. We are sorry that all the members could not attend although the weather was not very favorable, but all who attended reported an enjoyable time.

We would like to speak a word in regard to our Junior Christian Endeavor society. They are doing a splendid work. The society has almost as many members as our Senior class. They come every Sunday night and seem to be much interested.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williams and children and Miss Dorothy Kynard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hicks of Billingsley.

Miss Sarah Weldon spent a few days the past week with her sister, Mrs. Curtis Weldon, of Shiloh community.

Miss Allie Williams spent the latter part of the past week with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams was the Sunday afternoon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Popwell of near Thorsby.

Little Misses Elsie and Catherine Herod of Haynes are spending the week with their grandmother, Mrs. W. W. Williams.

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Concord-Billingsley

(Too late for Last Week)

We were very glad to have with us such a large crowd Sunday afternoon at our singing, especially do we thank the visiting singers for their presence and help and invite you back every time possible and bring your friends with you.

Our Sunday school and Christian Endeavor is going on nicely, although we are few in number, but we are trying to get more to come and help build up our Sunday school and C. E.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Keynard of Selma spent Thursday with their daughter, Mrs. W. A. Williams.

Miss Virginia Little dined with Miss Bessie Williams Sunday.

Mr. Lon Buzbee and daughters, Myrl and Inez, of Clanton Route 3, spent the past week end with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. J. P. Williams and little daughter, Mary Evelyn, took dinner at the home of Mrs. W. A. Williams Sunday.

Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton spent the past week end with her mother, Mrs. W. W. Williams.

Miss Dorothy Kynard of Selma is spending a while with her sister, Mrs. W. A. Williams.

Little Misses Maggie Etta and Charles Woodard Herod of Haynes spent last week with relatives here.

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Farm Progress Is Related By Agents

Auburn, Ala., — The county demonstration agents of Alabama continued to send to the Extension Service of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute at Auburn reports indicating a "forward march" of Alabama agriculture.

The most important progress revealed by the recent report is that of preparations for planting seed of Austrian peas and hairy vetch this fall. This will be done to enrich the land, and for a feed crop. Seed are being bought cooperatively through the state and county Farm Bureaus. Basic slag, a by-product of the steel industry of the Birmingham district, will be used as a fertilizer.

Another bright spot reported was that Bullock County is expected to produce this year the largest corn crop in the history of the county, according to County Agent J. H. Nunn.

In Wilcox County the annual cotton crop has increased from 11,000 bales in 1 28 to 13,000 in 1929, and 16,000 in 1930. W. A. Cammack, county agent, began work in that county four years ago.

In Randolph County winter gardens are being planted on a larger scale. Such is being advised by County Agent L. M. Hollingsworth.

Plans have been made by the Pickens County Farm Bureau for the distribution of feeds to the farm people, said County Agent F. A. Rew.

In Coosa County, Sidney Z. Mitchell, now of New York, has bought 15,000 acres of land and is establishing the "Ann Jordan Hunting Preserve." Sam Day, county agent, is directing planting of feed crops and also an orchard.

Baldwin County recently sold cooperatively 55,000 pounds of wool. The sale was made by J. D. Moore, livestock marketing specialist of Auburn, and E. E. Hale, county agent. Wool brought 16 cents per pound.

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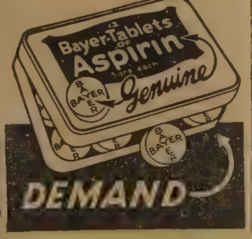

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Eastview News

The singing school taught here by Prof. and Mrs. O. O. Wamsby closed last Wednesday night with a good program. Mr. and Mrs. Wamsby rank among the leading teachers of the state, and we look forward to another school taught by them next year. They left here for Georgia where they are teaching another school.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson returned home last Friday evening from Eclectic where they had been conducting revival meeting at Chapel and Union churches. They report good meetings and thirty-three added to the churches.

Mr. J. A. Dobbs was reported sick in bed last Sunday. We hope he will soon be well again.

Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Butler, Miss Margueritte Davison and Miss Dorothy Butler all of Thorsby were visiting here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. Tom Traywick and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hall of Mt. Creek were visitors at church here Sunday.

Rev. A. C. Nelson and family were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. Charlie Mims and family.

Mr. Leonard Rushing of Billingsley visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rushing, Sunday.

Mr. J. P. Rushing visited Mr. Otis Coggins Saturday.

Mr. J. W. Coggins and Mrs. Rosie Headley of Mt. Springs visited Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson Monday.

Mrs. Logan and two daughters visited Mrs. S. P. Smith and family Monday.

Several from here are planning attending the association meeting at East Tallassee August 13-16.

Don't forget to come to Sunday school and Christian Endeavor next Sunday.

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THE CIVIL LEGION

Among the genuinely patriotic organizations of the United States is the Civil Legion, composed of men who served the nation in official civil capacities during the World War. War governors of the several states, members of non-military war boards and commissions, and others who gave their services in the prosecution of necessary war activities at home are eligible for membership.

It is the announced desire of the Civil Legion to cooperate closely with the American Legion in all matters pertaining to the national defense. In fact, it is expected that a resolution will be passed by the American Legion at its coming national convention endorsing the Civil Legion and formally accepting this cooperation.

In seeking a closer affiliation with former military men, the Civil Legion declares that it "has never and will not engage in any financial enterprise or adventures of any kind," and that it "seeks no appropriations of contributory gifts."

By keeping alive the patriotic spirit which animated their members during the war, both the American Legion and the Civil Legion may further contribute to the safety of the nation in case another war should unhappily occur. But neither desires to see another war, and both may be depended upon to use every honorable means to prevent such a calamity.

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Billingsley News

Messrs. Lamar Marlar and John Thomas Page of Tuscaloosa were the week end guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. J Marlar.

Miss Sara Louise Hall left Wednesday for her home in Kansas City, Mo. after spending several weeks here with friends and relatives.

Misses Mary Evelyn Hand and Ruth Herren of Tallassee were the attractive visitors of Miss Inez Patrick last week.

Prof. and Mrs. Ralph Upton and baby were pleasant visitors here last week. They were en route from Dothan to Fairfax, Ala., where they will be the guests of Mrs. Upton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Keith, for a few weeks.

Mr. A. G. Thompson of Bessemer spent Sunday here with his aunt, Mrs W. A. Gandy.

Mrs. Willis Lawrence of Eoline spent the week end with Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar.

Messrs. James Bentley and James Marlar spent last week at Jones where Mr. Bentley taught a B. Y. P. U. Study Course.

Mrs. I. C. Hughes and Mrs. R. I Upton and baby Ralph spent Wednesday afternoon in Selma visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. T. L. Patrick and Miss Maude Lee Patrick left Sunday for Northport where they will visit Mr. and Mrs Zack Pennington.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier Marlar of Birmingham are spending their vacation here with his father, C. A. Marlar.

Mr. Robert Moore of Lynn Haven, Fla., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. King.

Messrs. William Patillo, Henry Apperson and Paul Vinson are spending several days in Chicago.

Misses Minnie and Virgie Gandy of Birmingham are visiting Mrs. W. A. Gandy this week.

Friends of Elbert Williams will be sorry to learn of the accident in which his leg was broken. This occurred during a ball game at the high school here Thursday afternoon. He was making a run and fell, causing this painful accident. He was rushed immediately to the Central Alabama Hospital at Clanton.

Rev. A. S. Bentley is at Mt. Creek this week assisting in a revival there. Next Sunday will be his regular time at the Baptist church here. All are cordially invited to come.

Miss Lila Green who is principal of the Elementary school here, has moved with her mother from Jacksonville, Ala. and will reside here in the future.

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While Policeman Charles Schisler of Chicago was in swimming thieves stole his $50 wrist watch, -5 from his wife's purse, his pants and his star.

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Samuel Bowlby, of Montebello, Cal., drove his car to the rear of an undertaker's establishment and ended his own life.

One Year Ago

Issue of August 14, 1930

Miss Katie Mae Rogers, representing the Dixie Cafe, was elected Queen of Clanton, last week, in a popularity contest, staged by the Kiwanis Club of Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stapp, who have been spending sometime at Atlantic Beach, Florida, are expected to return home the latter part of this week.

George Howard, of Jemison, Ala., was brought to the Central Alabama Hospital last Saturday night, suffering from a broken arm.

J. Renfroe Mullins returned last Sunday from an extended trip thru the West.

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If you get in water over your head don't become panic-stricken. Keep your hands under water, pushing down. This will keep your head out, making it possible for you to breathe.

Don't swim in unprotected places.

Don't dive into water unless you are sure of its depth.

Keep your small children near you at the beach.

Don't use automobile inner tubes as floats.

Don't duck children or grownups. It creates fear.

Don't swim alone, regardless of your ability.

Don't swim past the life-lines. It takes just as much ability to swim in water five feet deep as it does in water 500 feet deep.

Don't swim for at least an hour and a half after eating.

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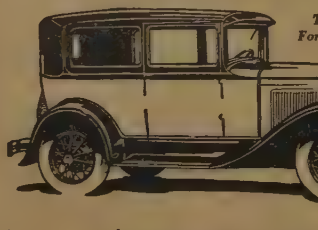

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Fairview News

The cream supper at this place Saturday night was quite a success, with a large crowd present. Our Band furnished music and it was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Ola Edwards carried her Sunday school class on a picnic out at the river last Friday. Twenty-one went, and all reported a nice time.

Mrs. Era Fox went with Rev. and Mrs. N. H. Culp to Pleasant Hill church in Autauga county Sunday night. Rev. Culp filled his appointment there Sunday and Sunday night.

Miss Edith Culp was the guest of Miss Lloyd Culp Sunday.

Misses Myrle Buzbee and Willie Nell Owen dined with Miss Mary Lois Culp Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Giles and little daughter, Glois, spent the week end in Tuscaloosa as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Darby.

Mr. M. R. Durbin motored down from Birmingham Sunday and spent the day with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Henley and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Henley and children attended the singing at Liberty Hill Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ola Edwards dined with Mrs. J. T. Cox Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Culp spent the afternoon with Mrs. John Sanders Sunday.

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ALABAMA LOGROLLERS ASS'N HOLDS MEETING AT BRENT

A meeting of the Alabama Logrollers Association was held at Brent on Tuesday afternoon of last week at two o'clock in the Grammar School Auditorium. Members of the Association gathered from all parts of the state. A large and enthusiastic audience composed of members and visitors were present. The meeting was presided over by President Edgar. This organization is affiliated with the Woodmen of the World.

Grover C. Herrin, Tuscaloosa, head counsel of Alabama Woodmen, spoke on "Woodcraft in Alabama." Others on the program included the Rev. E. M. Holman, pastor of the Brent Methodist Church. Mayor J. F. Johnston gave the welcome address, which was responded to by Evan C. Evans, District Manager of Woodmen of the World. Welcome from Brent Camp, W. A. Hooper, representative of sovreign camp; response by Donald Merchant; music address, I. T. Quinn, head of the Game and Fish Department. Address, Congressman Lister Hill. Address, Mrs. Ethel Holiday, State Manager, Woodmen Circle of Alabama. A fiddlers contest was held and two prizes given for the best fiddler.

The night program began at 7:45, with W. A. Hooper calling the session to order. The program consisted of music and talks. Col. Ellington, presided as consul commander, with other officers selected from the different districts. A large number of new members weer initiated, after which a business session followed.

Many were present from Tuscaloosa.

The visitors of the Logrollers association are very enthusiastic over the hospitable way in which Brent entertained them while they were in their hustling little town.

Next meeting will be held at Maplesville in September. Plans are underway to make this the best meeting of its kind in the state this year.

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MEMENTO OF A WAR ACE

The heroism of Major Raoul Lufbery, noted French-American war ace, will be remembered by thousands who will from time to time look upon the airplane compass used in his last fatal flight, which was deposited in the Smithsonian Institution in Washington a few days ago.

Lufbery was officially credited with shooting down 17 German planes, and his comrades assert that he really brought down more than twice that number, before his death near Tours, France, May 19, 1918. On his last flight his plane caught fire, and Lufbery jumped without a parachute to his doom.

His compass was salvaged from the burned plane by a French soldier, and given to an army surgeon, who tried to find some member of Lufbery's family to whom he might present it, but without success. After passing through several hands the compass was finally given to the museum of the Smithsonian Institution.

Lufbery was born in France, but was reared in Wallingford, Conn., becoming an adventurer and soldier of fortune. He joined the famous Lafayette Escadrille, composed of Americans who entered the air service of France early in the war. When the United States became an active participant in the struggle he was transferred to the American air force.

His aerial exploits were among the most brilliant of the war, and it is well that he may be remembered through the exhibition of his flame-seared compass in the national capital.

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Chilton County News

Wizard Is Ill

Thomas A. Edison had the doctors worried when he took to his bed after the recent hot spell. The 84-year-old inventor's wonderful powers of recuperation were evidenced again.

News In Brief Form

Operation of government properties at Muscle Shoals, Ala., in behalf of agriculture was endorsed by the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation in annual session at Auburn, July 31.

The American Dental Association has received a report from a committee of dentists pointing out that decays and cavities in teeth can be prevented by suitable diet. They found this to be true in an experiment which they conducted.

Officials of the Kansas State College at Manhattan recommended a reduction of at least 20 per cent in the state's wheat acreage, according to the press. Farmers of that state were advised by the college to develop a better balanced system including several crops and livestock.

"We can produce farm products more cheaply than Russia," said Theodore M. Knappen in a recent issue of the Magazine for Wall Street. He told how big business is industrializing farms of the West by turning individual farm proprietors into stockholders and employees.

Three Years Ago

Issue of August 16, 1928

The Hoover Rally held last week in Thorsby was well attended, though the crowd was not as large as had been anticipated.

Mr. Harry Margolis of Uniontown arrived in Clanton last Sunday for a few days visit.

Thorsby is soon to have a telephone exchange. Mr. E. E. Brown and his crew are busy constructing the lines.

Mr. Loren Smith, who holds a responsible position with the Upchurch Drug Company, of this city, returned this week from a weeks fishing trip to Dauphin Island, in Mobile Bay.

William Arthur Willis, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Willis, of Clanton, received a fractured collar bone in a fall last week.

Burton Mullins, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Reece Mullins, of Clanton, who has for some time been connected with the Clanton Motor Car Company, has accepted a position with the International Harvester Company in Birmingham.

Miss Virginia Scott and Cordelia Gulledge, of Verbena, were among the visitors to Clanton last Tuesday.

Mr. S. L. Breadhead of Clanton Route seven, was a visitor to Clanton last Saturday.

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THE WAR ON POLIO

The term "polio" is a somewhat recent designation for the dread disease more commonly known as infantile paralysis. It is really an abbreviation, or simplification, of the word "poliomyelitis," the medical term for this malady.

While peculiarly a disease of children adults are by no means exempt from it. Perhaps the most prominent American who has suffered from polio in recent years is Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York. His almost complete recovery, through scientific treatment, has strongly brought to attention the fact that the disease does not necessarily make its victim a permanent cripple.

In gratitude for his own recovery, and in a desire to place proper treatment within the reach of all who are similarly afflicted, Governor Roosevelt has recently taken the lead in a national crusade against polio.

At Warm Springs, Ga., where the governor's cure was effected, there has been organized a non-profit making foundation, under the presidency of Dr. [illegible] timore, also a polio victim, who has been a patient there since last April.

The need for such an organization is emphasized by the fact that there are more than 300,000 cases of infantile paralysis in the United States at present and the number is increasing. The movement for the eradication of this blighting disease should have the hearty support of humanitarians and philanthropists everywhere.

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A recent investigation made by the University of Chicago and the U. S. Department of Commerce showed that during the present depression mortality rates for old established business have been practically as high as those of new ventures.

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My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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CHAPTER XXXVI

It was always stimulating to one's morale to visit the headquarters of the Canadians, where one soon caught the fine spirit of that superb body.

I made such a visit in the spring of 1918 and talked with their corps commander, Lieut. Gen. Sir Arthur Currie; his chief of staff, Major General Weber; his chief of engineers, Major General Lindsay, and others and had tea with them.

The alertness and confidence of these neighbors of ours and the excellent record they had made and were still making gave us as much gratification as though they had been our own. I remember this visit with much pleasure and recall the prediction of the Canadians that Americans would soon play an important part in the war.

General Currie deplored the fact that the British had so easily given up Passchendaele ridge, which the year before he had been told must be taken at all costs and for which the Canadians made the tremendous sacrifice of 16,000 casualties.

Calls at British G. H. Q.

At the invitation of Sir Douglas Haig, British commander in chief, I went to the British general headquarters April 20 to discuss the training of our troops with the British and study operations in progress.

We were always made welcome at British headquarters. It so happened that on the day of our arrival Lord Derby, who had just been relieved as minister of war by Lord Milner, was there en route to Paris as British ambassador. During dinner the conversation ran along freely, as though we were members of the official family. At length Lord Derby and Sir Douglas drifted to the subject of British politicians.

It would betray no confidence to say that there was considerable criticism of some who held prominent places. The coalition government came in for its share because of its attitude toward the military high command.

I took advantage of the opportunity while on the British front to visit the Nordaques area to inspect the advance elements of the Seventy-seventh division, one of the divisions selected for training with the British. We took luncheon with Brig. Gen. Evan M. Johnson, then temporarily in command, and his staff officers. He praised the soldierly qualities of the men, but said they were very much behind in their training.

Makes Agreement With Haig.

At Sir Douglas' headquarters he and I reached an understanding as to the training and administration of our troops that were to be temporarily with the British. In the first place, they were to be allocated by regiments to British skeleton divisions under such a schedule as might be agreed upon. The training staffs of British divisions were to be at the disposal of these regiments, especially for instruction in the use of the rifle and machine gun and the handling of gas.

After that, and with the approval of their American division commander, the regiments were to be attached to a British division in line, so each of the three battalions of the regiment would have the opportunity to serve with one of the three brigades in each British division. These battalions were to be commanded by their own officers as a part of the British brigade, while the staff of the American regiment was to be attached to that of the brigade.

In the next stage the American regiments, with their three battalions united under the regimental commander, were to act as a brigade in a British division. The final stage would find the four American regiments of each division united as such under its own officers, the artillery being British until the arrival of its own artillery brigade.

In carrying out this scheme the tendency at first was for British officers actually to assume command of our units in training. Our officers in most cases permitted this to be done until it was checked by my orders that "American units must be commanded in training by the officers and noncommissioned officers who are to command them in battle," and that American troops would in all cases be commanded in battle only by Americans.

Talks Shipping in London.

Following a suggestion by Lord Milner, I went to London April 22, 1918, to consider further the shipment of American troopers. At our first conference there were present Lord Milner and Gen. Sir Henry Wilson, who had succeeded General Robertson as the chief of the general staff; Harbord and myself. The main point of difference that had developed in previous conferences as to just how far the Americans should be committed to serve in active operations was again considered.

I stated that the main thing was to get our units trained, and that while I was opposed to amalgamation, yet if during the period of instruction the units with which they were serving should be attacked or, if another great emergency should arise, of course, our men would go in. Naturally the British wanted unlimited infantry and machine-gun units, but I would consider nothing further than a limited extension of the six-division plan.

During the conference a cable from Lord Reading to the prime minister was brought forth, which stated that the President had agreed to the amalgamation of Americans with the British. I had nothing official at hand later than the President's conditional approval of joint note No. 18 of the supreme war council as suggested by Secretary Baker, so I promptly said that it could not be possible that any such concession had been made and that the classes of our troops to be shipped over and their disposition must be left to me.

Agree on Troop Shipments.

As a result of these discussions we reached an agreement which provided for the shipment in May by British and American tonnage of the infantry, machine gun, engineer and signal troops, together with the various unit headquarters, of six divisions for training with the British army. It was provided that any shipping in excess of the amount required for this number of troops should be utilized to transport the artillery of these divisions; also that such personnel as might be required to build up corps organizations should then follow, it being understood that the artillery regiments would train with the French and join their proper divisions when this was completed.

To meet any emergency that might require an excess of infantry after the completion of this program, it was agreed that all the American and British shipping available for the transportation of troops was to be used under such arrangement as would insure immediate aid to the allies, and thereafter as far as possible provide other units necessary to complete the organization of our divisions and corps.

It was further agreed that the combatant troops mentioned in connection with May shipments should be followed by such services of supply and other contingents as we ourselves might consider necessary, the shipment of a large number of these troops should be utilized at my discretion, except that the six divisions which the British were to transport would be trained with them.

Washington Makes Concession.

Reaching Chaumont, I found that a cablegram dated April 26 had been received, transmitting a memorandum dated April 19, that had been sent by direction of the President to the British ambassador at Washington in conformity with his approval of note No. 18. In this memorandum the shipment of 120,000 infantry and machine-gun units per month for four months was conceded, with the understanding that their assignment for training and use should be left to my discretion.

It went on to say that the United States, until the situation changed, had no intention of departing from as full compliance with the recommendation of the permanent military representatives as the nature of the case would permit.

This was the first official information I had received that the administration had agreed to send any specific numbers of infantry and machine-gun units to France.

Lord Reading's Influence.

This concession went further than it was necessary to go and much further than I had expected. Realizing the complications that might arise from commitments so far in the future and the delay in forming an American army that would follow, I did not agree in later discussions at the supreme war council with all that the allies now felt justified in demanding. I was opposed to the action of the supreme war council in assuming the power under any circumstances to dispose of American troops. It was not in any sense a prerogative of the supreme war council.

There can be little doubt that Lord Reading received the distinct impression from President Wilson that infantry and machine-gun units would be sent to France at the rate of 120,000 men per month for four months, beginning with April. That the President agreed to this "in principle" is practically certain. It need not be further emphasized that such a concession, even though prompted by the most generous impulse, could only add to the difficulties of our task of building up an army of our own.

It is probable that Lord Reading, skilled advocate that he was, did more while ambassador at Washington to influence the administration to grant allied requests than any other individual.

CHAPTER XXXVII

I left London April 25, 1918, and crossed to France in a British destroyer. Colonel Mott was at Boulogne with a request for me from General Foch to come to Sarcus. I learned then that the Twenty-second division, at Seicheprey, had repulsed a severe trench raid on the night of April 20-21, and had suffered considerable loss.

Arriving at General Foch's headquarters I found Generals Bliss, Harbord and Weygand already there, and after dinner we entered into a general discussion about American troop shipments. The conversation ran as follows:

Foch—On March 28 you came to offer the services of American troops. I have a vivid recollection of the occasion. As to the American divisions, in what order do you think they should be employed?

Pershing—The order would be the Twenty-sixth, Forty-second, Second. (The First had already been sent to an active front near Amiens.) The regiments of the Thirty-second will be ready by May 1.

Foch—I do not think they can be used before May 5, but the more we put into the line the better it will be. Your Seventy-seventh division has arrived, I see. What about the Third and Fifth?

Pershing—The infantry of the Third has arrived, and that of the Fifth will soon follow.

Pershing Stands Firm.

Foch—What we need now is infantry, especially the British, on account of the present crisis. That is why the supreme war council at Versailles recommended that all tonnage be devoted to that purpose for the time being. I hope that America may send over as much infantry as possible during the next three months. The other arms to complete your divisions can come afterward. What do you think of that plan?

Pershing—I cannot commit myself to such a proposition. If nothing but infantry and machine gunners are brought over, to the total of 300,000, it will be October or November before the artillery and auxiliary troops could arrive, and we could not foresee the formation of an American army until next spring.

Foch—I think your calculation is rather pessimistic, for we could begin bringing your other troops in August, but without considering that point we can furnish you with artillery and its personnel and you can have your divisions reconstituted beginning with October. What would you propose in this connection?

Pershing—I think we should limit the transportation of infantry to May, and that the artillery and auxiliary troops should come in June! They should not arrive more than a month later than the infantry. Under what conditions would you employ the American infantry units?

Foch Dodges Final Decision.

Foch—A final decision cannot be made on that subject. That will evidently depend upon the degree of instruction of the units. In the crisis that actually confronts the allied armies it is effectives that we lack. The method of employing these units is a question to be handled in due course and according to their efficiency.

Pershing—I would like to have the conditions under which these units are to be employed determined now, and to fix the time during which the regiments and brigades will be used separately.

Foch—Make your proposition on that subject.

I then explained the details of the system that was being followed where our divisions were in training with the French and the plan agreed upon with the British. I added that it was fully understood that if an emergency should arise while our troops were in training they would go into battle as part of the divisions with which they were serving.

Pershing Refuses to Consent.

General Foch then said:

"I do not doubt the excellence of the method, but in the crisis through which we are passing I return to the decision of the supreme war council, and I ask you to transport during May, June and July only infantry and machine-gun units. Will you consent?"

Pershing—No, I do not consent. I propose for one month to ship nothing but infantry and machine-gun units, and after that the other arms and service of the rear troops to correspond.

Foch—If you adopt the plan I propose you would have by July 31, 300,000 more American infantry.

Pershing—You said just now that you would furnish the artillery, and even artillerymen, which would be joined with our infantry to complete our divisions. Then why not consent to transport our artillery personnel along with our infantry?

Foch—I repeat that it is the infantry of which we have the greatest need at this time. I would like to have General Bliss tell us the considerations which led to the decision taken by the supreme war council at Versailles.

Bliss—The collective note recommended to the United States to send only infantry until the surpeme war council should give instructions to the contrary. The government of the United States, in conformity with this note and with the recommendation of Secretary Baker, consented to—this plan. As far as the employment of the units on the front is concerned, the question should be decided by General Pershing according to agreement with the commander in chief to whose army they may be attached.

Foch Fears Disaster.

Pershing—I have been discussing this question of training our units for the last eight months, first with General Petain and then with Marshal Haig. The method agreed upon leads naturally to the formation of constituted American divisions.

General Foch said he wished to see American divisions constituted and an American army formed as large as possible, but the policy he was then advocating would have made it impossible to form an American army without serious delay, if ever. Continuing, he said:

"But do not forget that we are in the midst of a hard battle. If we do not take steps to prevent the disaster which is threatened at present the American army may arrive in France to find the British pushed into the sea and the French driven back behind the Loire, while it tries in vain to organize on lost battle fields over the graves of allied soldiers."

He was assured that it was fully understood that if an emergency should arise while our troops were in training with the British or French they would go into the battle and do their part. I then gave him the numbers to be shipped during May and told him that it had been agreed between the British and ourselves to consider the question for June later. I informed him that the British shipping authorities now thought it would be possible within the next three months to transport to France 750,000 men.

Our Troops Surprised.

With reference to the German attack at Seicheprey on the Twenty-sixth division the night of April 20-21, mentioned at the beginning of this chapter, that point was the focus of a German raid covering a three-kilometer front extending west from the Bois de Remieres. It came during a heavy fog and was a complete surprise to our troops, who were considerably outnumbered. Seicheprey was taken by the enemy, but co-operation was re-established throughout the division and the original front was recaptured on the following day.

In this affair we lost one officer, 80 enlisted men, killed; 11 officers, 176 enlisted men, wounded; 30 officers, 211 enlisted men, gassed, and five officers, 182 enlisted men, missing and prisoners.

The losses of the enemy in killed and wounded were reported as even greater.

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REGISTER'S SALE

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Lawrence F. Gerald, as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of James C. Jones, deceased, Complainant. vs. B. G. Jones, et al. Respondents.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause, rendered on the 30th day of July, 1931, by the Judge of the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Court house door at Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. **ON WEDNESDAY, THE 26TH, day of August, 1931.**

The following described property, situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

The North-half (N½) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-five (25): Also the East-half of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of the Southwest quarter (SW¼), and the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼), and Eight acres being situated in the Northwest corner of the Southwest-quarter of the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) said Eight acres (8) of land being situated West of the old Clanton and Columbiana Public Road, and North of a certain lane running West from said Road to the West boundary of said Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Southeast-quarter (SE¼), in Section Twenty-four (24); All in Township Twenty-two (22) Range Fourteen (14), Chilton County, Alabama, said Eight acres being the same land, in part, conveyed by N. S. Johnson and wife Escharles Johnson, to J. C. Jones, by deed dated August, 25th, 1915, and recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 143, page 503, all of which land is subject to the homestead right, for her lifetime, of Sophia L. Jones, the widow of James C. Jones, deceased.

Also the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼), Section Twenty-nine (29), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

The Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Southeast-quarter (SE), of Section Thirty-two (32), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

East-half (E½) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-Four (24), Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fourteen (14);

The Southeast-quarter, (SE¼) of the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-two (32), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

Also the West-half (W½), of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-Four (24), Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fifteen (15);

The Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼), Section Thirty-three (33), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

The South-half (S½) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-five (25), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fourteen (14);

The Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of Northwest-quarter (NW¼) lying South of Yellow Leaf Creek, and the North-half (N½) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-two (22), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

The Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-two (22), Township Twenty three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

The Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of the Northeast-quarter, (NE¼) Lying East of Clanton and Adams Ferry Road, in Section Twenty-four (24) Township Twenty-two (22) Range Fourteen (14); also a right of way on and along the East side of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Section Thirty (30), Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fifteen (15);

The Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Northwest-quarter (NW¼), of Section One (1), Township Twenty-two (22) Range Thirteen (13);

Also Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Section Nine (9), Township Twenty-two (22) Range Fifteen (15);

East-half of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Section Four (4), Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fifteen (15);

Northwest - quarter (NW¼) of Northwest-quarter (NW¼) and South-half (S½) of Northwest - quarter (NW¼) of Section One (1) Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fifteen (15); All in Chilton County, Alabama.

(b) Lot numbered Four (4), in Block numbered Eleven (11), in the Gowan addition to the Town of Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, as shown by the Map or Plat of said Gowan addition to the Town of Clanton, Alabama, on record in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama.

Also the following described real estate situated in Autauga County, Alabama, to-wit:

The Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-six (26), Township Twenty (20), Range Fifteen (15).

(d) The following described property located in Jefferson County, Alabama, to-wit: All of Lot numbered Six (6), according to the survey of Shady Springs, a Map of which said survey is recorded in Map Book 13, page 6, of the Probate office of Jefferson County, Alabama. Also One-half of an acre, more or less, off the Northwest side of lot number Four (4) according to the said survey of Shady Springs, a map of which survey is recorded in Map Book 13, page 6, in the Probate office of Jefferson County, Alabama, said One-half acre tract off of said lot Four (4), being particularly described as follows: Commence at Southeast corner of said lot (6) Six, of survey of said Shady Springs, thence West along the South line of said lot Six (6) 221.6 feet to point of beginning, thence at an angle to the left of 27 degrees 18', 284.6 feet to the Easterly line of the County Road, as now constructed; thence at an angle to the right 85 degrees 3' and in a Northerly direction and along Easterly line of said Road, 154.8 feet to the South line of the aforesaid Lot Six (6), thence at an angle to the right of 122 degrees 15' and along the South line of lot Six (6), 336.1 feet to point of beginning, also an easement covering a strip of land 25 feet wide off of the Northeasterly side of said lot Four (4), of said Shady Spring survey, said 25 foot strip running from the Montgomery High-way as shown on said Map, which map is recorded in Map Book 13, page 6, in the Probate office of Jefferson County, Alabama, to the Northeast corner of said lot Four (4), said strip of land being 25 feet wide and approximately 420 feet long, said strip of land running from the Southeast corner of said lot four (4), to the Northeast corner of said lot Four (4) said 25 foot strip to be used only as a right of way as a road or highway

Also a One-half undivided interest in and to the following described real estate situated in Jefferson County, Alabama, to-wit:

The South-half (S½) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Northwest-quarter of the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-six (36), Township Eighteen (18), Range three, West in Jefferson County, Alabama, and also a One-half undivided interest in and to the following described Lot or parcel of land situated in Jefferson County, Alabama, to-wit: Commence at the Northwest corner of the South-half (S½) of the Northeast-quarter of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of the Southeast-quarter of Section Thirty-six (36), Township Eighteen (18), Range three (3), west, and run thence South along the land line 89 feet, more or less, to the Edge of the right of way of the Public Road, and from said point which is the point of beginning of the land here conveyed, run North along the land line 404 feet, more or less, to a point 15 feet South of the Northwest corner of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Southeast - quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-Six (36), Township Eighteen (18) Range Three (3), West, thence at right angles run west 60 feet and 6 inches, thence run at right angles South 325 feet, more or less, to a point on the Edge of the right of way of the Public Road, thence run in a Southeasterly direction along and on the Edge of the right of way of said road to point of beginning, and contain One-half acre, more or less.

(a). That certain Note executed by D. C. Alred and wife Hattie, to James C. Jones, on the 2nd day of January, 1925, for the sum of $8000.00, due and payable on the 2nd day of January, 1929, bearing interest at 5% per annum, payable annually.

Also the mortgage securing the said note, which mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 197, at page 290.

(c). That certain Note executed by R. Mat Vines and wife L. A. Vines, to James C. Jones on the 18th day of December, 1925, for the Sum of $1400.00, due and payable on the 1st day of October, 1926, with interest from date.

Also mortgage securing said note which said mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 209, page 76, and conveying the following described real estate situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

The Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) and the Northeast - quarter (NE¼) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) and the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) and the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) all in Section Twenty-eight (28) Township Twenty-three (23) Range Fifteen (15), Chilton County, Alabama.

(f). Fourteen shares of Cumulative Preferred Stock in the Alabama Mills Company, a corporation

Twenty-six (26) shares of Common Stock of the Alabama Mills Company, a corporation

(e). One Diamond Knight Templar Ring, and one Diamond Shirt Stud

This August 3rd, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
Register.

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For the 50th time recently burglars invaded the home of G. C. Love, of Memphis.

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Mr. Rucker Simms who has been employed by the state for some time, was a visitor to his home in Clanton last Sunday.

Mr. Curry Thomas, wife and mother, were pleasant visitors for a short while Monday, of Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Teel. Mr. Thomas is employed in the steel industry in Ohio, and was spending a few days vacation visiting friends and relatives.

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Clanton Party Makes Fishing Trip To Gulf

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caught the large shark. Though he was a younger member of the party, reports state that he handled his catch like a veteran. And after seeing the fish we are in no doubt that nerve and skill were required aplenty to land him.

The fishing was done in the mouth of St. Andrews Bay. It seems that the signs were just right when the boys got there, as every member of the party caught fish. Quite a number of Blue Fish were landed. According to reports Dick Kemp had quite a tussle with a Baby Dolphin. When the "baby" didn't act like a "baby" at all, and it was quite a surprise to find, on landing him that he was really a "baby" in size, but not in action.

The party returned home Sunday night and pronounced it a highly successful day of sport, packed full of activity for everyone.

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Mr. A. E. Reagan, prominent hardware merchant of Thorsby, was a visitor to Clanton last Tuesday morning.

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Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith of Thorsby spent the past week end in Collinsville, Ala. They attended the funeral of Ralph Oliver, a nephew of Mr. Smith.

We Extend A Cordial
Invitation To
Dr. N. S. Johnson and Wife
To Dine With Us As Our
Guests
Sunday, August 16, 1931
DeWITT'S CAFE

Fishing Rodeo Opens Monday, August 17th

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ond is for the greatest number of speckled trout caught in one day on shrimp and the twenty-third is for the largest catch of choice edible fish. All of these will doubtless be won by some "doodler" who sticks to the old pole, line and sinker method and spits on his bait for luck.

More than thirty prizes are offered in the different classes and there is nothing in the rules to prevent one fisherman from winning any number of these if he has the luck and skill to catch the fish, harpoon the devil fish and tell the big one to win the fish liar's contest; except that only children may enter the spadefish catching contest, in which a fine tackle box is the prize for the greatest number caught in a given hour at Ft. Gaines wharf.

At latest reports from Ft. Gaines, the cruise of the yacht, with her Mississippi owners and guests, captured all of the tarpon in the pre-rodeo contest which comes to a close Sunday afternoon, immediately before the big rodeo begins. Jake Rubel, of Corinth, certainly caught the first tarpon officially recorded; though he will have to be present to receive the award in that class at the wind-up, as will all other claimants of prizes under the rules; otherwise the prize goes to the next lucky man, or woman. Women are eligible for all prizes.

Though hundreds of ling and king mackerel had been caught since July 1, when the pre-rodeo event began, not one had been officially entered and weighed in with Weigher H. D. Bacon, at The Fort, up to August 8, when the latest official report was made. T. B. Baird, state manager of the Southern Bell, Birmingham; P. W. Greene, assistant treasurer of the same company, Atlanta; H. M. Stanfill, district manager, Mobile, and George A. Michael, Mobile banker, weighed in a number of blackfish, the largest weighing 15½ pounds and later caught larger blackfish and a ling, which they failed to record. In the two days aboard the Seahome they caught 9 blackfish, one ling and had a fierce fight with a devil fish which got away, taking with it Capt. Raz Crenshaw's harpoon and forty fathoms of new line.

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MINERALS IN CATTLE FEEDING

By Dr. John M. Evvard

In the fattening of cattle it has been our experimental experience that the feeding of properly selected minerals has been a paying proposition.

The addition of from one-half to an ounce or more of minerals per head daily, the allowance depending upon the weight of the cattle and character of ration fed, resulted in a greater daily gain, a more uniform feeding record with less "off feed" disturbances, a better finish at the end of the fattening period, a greater selling value per hundred weight, and a larger margin per head fed this, over and above feed costs.

Surely these advantages accruing from the feeding of a well compounded mineral mixture carrying the elements most likely to be lacking in cattle feeding rations, or namely: calcium, phosphorus, iron, copper and iodine should appeal to even the hardest minded. After all, a great many so-called tough minded or conservative cattle feeders have in recent years tried out the "mineral way" of feeding, and a very large percentage of these farm experimenters have been won over to mineral feeding because of the good results secured.

In fact, considering all the phases of live stock production, the mineral feeders in cattle production are somewhat akin to the mineral feeders in swine raising, because both classes of feeders "stay put" that is, they "stay put with minerals in their feeding program." They have learned from the profitable experience that the feeding of properly selected minerals pays good dividends.

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President Gerardo Machado of Cuba has a clock that not only tells the time of day but boils coffee and pours and serves it while sounding the alarm at 5 o'clock every morning.

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Sunday, August 16, 1931

Important Meeting Held For Farmers, 15th

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yields of the two plots. Their names and estimates will be put on slips which will be held by the County Agent until the crop is harvested. A prize of $5.00 will be given the farmer whose estimate is closest to the yield.

The meeting will start at 10 A. M. according to the County Agent. An interesting program has been planned so that the visitors will see and hear much that can be applied on their own farms. Farmers of this section are urged to bring their families and make a good half day of the meeting.

Saturday afternoon at 3:00 P. M., August 15, there will also be an estimating contest on the farm of Mr. A. F. Mims, Thorsby. A five-dollar gold piece will be offered as the prize for the successful guesser.

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PAPER BAGS MADE FROM CHILTON COUNTY TIMBER

Did you know that there is being used right here in Clanton and Chilton County paper that is made from the trees that are cut from the swamps of our own county? Well, such is the case. No doubt you have sold some pine wood to the pulp manufacturers, or at least you have seen such wood being sold and hauled to market. This wood is being ground into pulp and manufactured into paper and sold on the markets as paper bags to our merchants and business men. No doubt you have carried home groceries in paper bags the pulp for which was grown on some old field in Chilton County.

These paper bags are manufactured by the Gulf States Paper Corporation at Tuscaloosa, and are distributed by the Taylor Wholesale Grocery Company of Clanton. This firm is the sole distributor for these bags in Central Alabama. They handle everything from charcoal bags to the large bags used by laundries to deliver dresses and things in.

The Gulf States Paper Corporation is owned and operated solely by Alabama capital and Alabama men. They use every bit of the raw material from this State that they can.

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MRS. MATTIE WILLIAMS BUYS HALF INTEREST IN DIXIE CAFE

The Dixie Cafe, one of the largest and most popular cafes in the central part of Alabama, has again made another change in management. Announcement was made this week that Mrs. Mattie Williams has purchased half interest in the cafe. Mrs. Williams has been connected with the business almost continually since its founding and her cooking has won many patrons for the cafe from all over all parts of the state. This is the latest business change which has been made in Clanton and we are sure that the people of Clanton wish Mrs. Williams well in her business venture.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PARDON OR PAROLE

Notice is hereby given that an application for the pardon or parole of Sam Reed convicted and sentenced by the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, on May 22nd, 1913, for murder in the first degree, to the penitentiary for his life time, will be made to the Governor of Alabama.

8-13-2tch SAM REED.

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Two Years Ago

Issue of August 15, 1929

P. D. Wilson and O. C. Paulk, prominent business men of Clanton, have opened a real estate and insurance company. This is the latest business addition to Clanton and will be known as The Wilson & Paulk Real Estate and Insurance Company.

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson, and two sons, Arthur and Joe Hall, left last Sunday morning on a trip to Hot Springs, Arkansas.

The Robinson Garage and Machine Shop will move into its new building, which has just been completed, during next week.

The Annual Revival Meeting of the local Baptist Church will begin next Sunday morning with Dr. L. E. Barton of Andalusia, conducting services.

Mrs. Mary Robinson, age 38, of the Mineral Springs Community, was drowned last Saturday afternoon while swimming in a pond with some friends.

J. Newton Carter, age 58, of Billingsley was killed last Thursday morning, in Birmingham, when struck by an automobile.

It is reported that there will be a big Klan meeting here on the twenty-fourth of this month. There will be klansmen from all over Central Alabama at this meeting.

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Miss Katie Conway from Greenwood, Ark., is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Conway, of the Isabella community. Miss Conway will be at home for about a month.

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Circle No. Five Met With Mrs. Charlie Raspberry.

Circle Number Five of the local Baptist church met with Mrs. Charlie Rasberry last Monday afternoon. Devotional services were led by Mrs. W. J. Billingsley. Immediately following devotional services an interesting program was rendered on the subject, "Adventuring with the Gospel in South America." The meeting was dismissed with a short prayer by Mrs. Horsley White.

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Mrs. P. D. Wilson returned last Saturday night from an extended trip to Chattanooga, Tenn. While in Chattanooga Mrs. Wilson was joined by her daughter, Miss Mary Sue Mullins, and the two made a short trip to Rome, Georgia. Mrs. Wilson returned to Clanton Saturday night accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mullins of Birmingham.

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After spending one whole day in Leland, Ill., looking for two men to work, M. K. Madison finally wired his office saying: "Everybody in this town is employed. Hire men and send them at once."

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Dr. Scholl's Foot Comfort Appliances for sale at Sample Shoe Store.

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NOTICE OF LETTING OF ALMSHOUSE FOR 1932

Notice is hereby given that the County Commissioners will meet at the County Almshouse Monday, August 24th, 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of employing a keeper and making a contract for the Almshouse for the year 1932.

The Commissioners will receive seal bids up to 11 o'clock on that date from anyone wanting to bid for the work.

Under the terms of the contract to be let, the County will furnish everything for said inmates and home except the following items which the keeper shall furnish, food, all necessary help for preparing the food and for taking care of said inmates and wood. The county will pay for taking care and feeding said inmates $8.50 per month for each person.

It will be observed that the county is next year furnishing clothing which has not heretofore been done.

This the 12th day of August, 1931.

L. H. REYNOLDS, Judge of Probate.

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CIRCUIT COURT HELD SESSION HERE THIS WEEK

Judge Geo. F. Smoot Presides Over Non-Jury Session Here Monday

A non-jury term of the Circuit Court f Chilton County was held last Monday by Judge George F. Smoot, of Weumpka, Ala., with Winston Huddleson, Solicitor, prosecuting for the state. The following cases were disposed of t this call of the docket, to-wit:

State vs. Houston Darby, charged with assault and battery, fined $10.00 nd costs.

State vs. Walter Woodson, charged with abusive, indecent and obscene language, fined $100.00 and costs.

State vs. Foster Glasscock, charged ith violating prohibtion law, fined 100.00 and costs.

State vs. Houston Nelson, charged with assault and battery, sentenced to ix months hard labor.

State vs. Leander Bohannon, charged ith violating prohibition law, fined 50.00 and costs.

State vs. Thos. J. Mims, charged with ating prohibition law, fined $50.00 nd costs.

State vs. Carl Johnson, charged with iolating prohibition law, transferred to enile Court.

State vs. Thos J. Watts, charged ith violating prohibition law, fined 50.00 and costs.

State vs. John F. Johnson, charged ith violating prohibition law, fined 50.00 and costs.

State vs. William Price, charged with iolating prohibition law, fined $50.00 nd costs.

State vs. Lindsey Cleckler, charged ith violating prohibition law, fined 50.00 and costs.

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EGROES OF CHILTON COUNTY ADD TO REWARD FUND

That those who would stir up racial rejudice have little chance in Chilton County is indicated by the following tter sent in by the leaders of the egro race in this community:

"Clanton, Ala., Aug. 14.—The Birmingham News, Birmingham, Ala., Gentlemen: We, the colored people of hilton County, pledge ourselves to ut forth to bring the guilty person to stice. The amount we are sending to added to the reward isn't much, but e send it with open hearts, out of our eagre earnings, hoping it will be of lp in finding the right person.

"We also pledge ourselves to eradi- every effort put forth by some ndy Gump" from far away China, ho comes into our community trying embitter our minds against the White ople who are our best friends. It is r desire to be at al ltimes on the ry best terms with our best White iends, because we are planted as it re, in the South, and if we grow, we ust grow in the South. Enclosed find eck for $10.75.

—Committee, M. B. Coker, Grover oney, R. C. Mixon, pastor Union aptist church, Clanton, Ala., W. A. ckerson, E. W. Burt, prin. City hool, Benj. Anderson, prin. Chilton unty Training School, Chairman, anton, Ala."

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EXPRESSES APPRECIATION

. T. Willbanks wishes to express his anks to his many friends and to Dr. J. Gragg for their kindness and help tended to him while he was ill. May of them be richly rewarded for their d deeds is his prayer.

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Mr. H. M. Wade and sons of rksville, Miss., were guests on last esday afternoon of his brother, J. Q. ade and Mrs. Wade.

TO OUR CORRESPONDENTS

A very important item in the pubishing of a newspaper is the news tters which are received weekly. hese have been of much help and terest this week. We appreciate ese items of news from the differt communities of the county, and e have a standing invitation to evy community to send these in.

We wish to get these as early in e week as possible, so that there ill be no danger of us being unble to get them in on the final sh. The Thorsby representative ks that those wishing to leave ws for the Thorsby section leave at the depot.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE TO BE CLOSED FOR SEVERAL DAYS

According to a statement issued from the office of the City Clerk last Monday his office will be closed from Wednesday morning through the following Monday. Mr. Pipes, the clerk of the town, will be away on his vacation during the time. It was stated that he intended to spend his vacation at Biloxi. All persons who have any business to transact with the town during the time the office of the city clerk is closed should see Mayor J. Lee Smith, or councilmen Reedie Taylor or Grady Heflin.

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Work To Be Done On Isabella S. House

According to an announcement from the County Superintendent's office, a contract has been let to E. L. Stringfellow to do some work on the Isabella school building. The contract was awarded by Supt. B. Lawrence, acting by authority of the County Board, last Saturday. This work will consist of building two rooms to the structure and will finish the building. The amount of the contract was stated as being $1441.60.

The contract calls for the work to be finished in time for the opening of school at Isabella the 5th of October.

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NEW FUNERAL HOME LOCATES IN CLANTON

New Place of Business Is Located in Former Hugh Jones Place

The Spigener Funeral Home, a new business enterprise in Clanton was opened Monday morning of this week. It is located in the building formerly occupied by Hugh Jones Cash Store. The business will be managed by Mr. E. J. Brand, a licensed embalmer and funeral director of eight years experience. The Spigener Funeral Home of this place will be the newest unit in a group of similar businesses in which Mr. Spigener is interested in various cities of Alabama.

According to Mr. Brand, the manager, he is equipped to handle funeral arrangements in the most appropriate manner. He has a fine motor hearse and ambulance which will be available not only for funerals, but for emergency calls at all hours. The phone number of Spigener's is 15.

The Spigener Funeral Home here will be the authorized representatives of the Service Insurance Company, of Anniston. This company offers complete funeral protection on the insurance policy plan. They have been operating in Alabama for four years, and have 51 different funeral homes affiliated with them. There are at present over one hundred thousand people in Alabama carrying the funeral protection policy offered by the Service Insurance Company.

The business of the Service Insurance Company in Clanton and Chilton County will be managed by Mr. J. O. Ray, Jr. His office will be at Spigener's Funeral Home. Mr. Ray will be engaged in the business of offering to the people of this vicinity the opportunity of buying the insurance policies of his company.

All persons who are enlisted with the insurance company will have available funeral service through the organization of Spigener's Funeral Home. Elsewhere in this paper is an advertisement which gives all the important features of the insurance plan.

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J. A. NIVENS APPOINTED CONSTABLE FOR BEAT 4

J. A. Nivens, widely known and respected citizen of Beat 4, Chilton County, has been appointed by the Governor as Constable of Beat 4. He received his appointment August 13th. For some time he has been acting as special constable by appointment of T. W. Bryan, Justice of the Peace. Mr. Nivens is a man of sterling character, and whatever job is placed in his care will be well taken care of. We are pleased that Mr. Nivens has received this appointment, because we feel sure that he will discharge his duty in a worthy way.

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Mrs. L. F. Gerald and daughter, Celia, are spending several weeks in Denver, Colo., with relatives.

COOSA-CHILTON PICNIC WILL BE HELD ON 30TH

Another Get-Together Meeting At Ferry Planned for Fifth Sunday

Again we make the announcement that there is to be a big picnic and get-together of Coosians and former Coosians and others, at the ferry just below Mitchell Dam. It will be recalled that some time ago one of these get-together meetings was held at this place with a great deal of pleasure to all who attended. Information from C. L. Woodfin of Rockford that the nature of this gathering is the same as the held before. This meeting will take on some of the characteristics of a reunion when those who have moved away will meet their old friends and relatives. A special invitation is extended to older people.

A day of joy is being prepared for all. A fish fry and barbecue are on schedule, and it is asked that everybody bring lunch. It was also stated by Mr. Woodfin that those coming from Coosa County to this picnic would be furnished free passage on the ferry, as the meeting will be on the Chilton side of the river.

Quite a varied program of entertainment will be rendered, among which will be music, boat races, from 9:30 to 10:00 o'clock. And at ten o'clock there will be speaking by Hon. A. C. Smith of Clanton and F. A. Gulledge of Verbena. Dinner at 12:30 and during the afternoon there will be boat races and music. Make preparations to come to this gathering of friends and neighbors and have a great day. The date is set for the fifth Sunday in this month, August 30, 1931.

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PAINT DEMONSTRATION AT FARMERS HARDWARE CO.

The Farmers Hardware company, one of Clanton's largest and most progressive hardware concerns is again sponsoring a paint demonstration for those who are interested in protecting and beautifying their homes. This demonstration, according to Lester Jones, manager of the concern, will take place on Friday August the 21st, and will be presented by the Sargent-Gerke company. In addition to the demonstration they are making a special offer on paint fo rthat day. Elsewhere in this issue of the News will be found their ad with its remarkable offer. Clip the coupon and take advantage of their wonderful offer.

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FARMERS OF COUNTY VISIT AUBURN TUES.

Large Number From All Sections Make Triy To Experiment Station

On Tuesday morning, early, as had been announced by County Agent C. E. Stap, a large number of farmers of Chilton County left for Auburn, Ala. This trip had been planned for sometime and the purpose of it was to visit the experiment station of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute. Also it partook of the nature of an outing, and those who made the trip enjoyed the pleasure of a day among different surroundings, and see at first hand the operation of the many experiments on crops, livestock, etc., which are being conducted for the benefit of the farmers of the state.

Farmers from all sections of the county made the trip, and they did not all leave together from Clanton. However we were able to obtain the names of the following who made the trip:

O. O. Roper, R. J. Williams, W. C. Jones, E. E. Plier, G. W. Willis, J. M. Deramus, Clifton Jones, E. B. Tucker, J. M. Williams, J. C. Rich, J. D. Jones, G. P. Rich, Eddie Owens, C. B. Owens, M. E. Thrash, Bernie Thrash, Preston Thrash, Chelsie Thrash, Leonard Wyatt, Addis Wyatt, Morris Taylor, J. D. Collins, Jr., O. H. McDowell, V. C. McKee, W. J. Bice, W. W. Popwell, Richard Popwell, S. E. Bruce, Ben Sims, J. L. Smith, A. B. Pressley, J. T. Cox, Hugh Taylor, Bill Calloway, Frank Patterson, Hardie Calloway, G. L. Sut-

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ANNUAL CAMP OF 4-H CLUB IS BIG SUCCESS

4-H Boys Of County Report Profitable And Enjoyable Camp On River

The 4-H Club Camp last week was a great success. More than a hundred boys attended camp and apparently enjoyed every minute of the time, except when they had to shell peas and clean chickens.

The selection of the best all-round camper is an annual affair with the boys. James Dennis of the Calf Club was voted best camper, and Dick Davis of Concord Club was voted second best camper. James Deason of the Isabella Club was camp secretary and rendered splendid service. Claud Conway, formerly of Isabella, Mr. Earle Thomas, vocational teacher of Isabella, and Mr. J. P. Montgomery, vocational teacher of Jemison, aided Mr. Stapp in helping the boys make the camp the success it was.

Among those who visited the boys while on camp and made talks to them were Mrs. J. Q. Wade, Mrs. S. J. Ezell, Mr. J. B. Atkinson, Rev. G. G. Williams, County Supt. of Education B. Lawrence and Mr. W. M. Polk. Mr. Stapp and the boys certainly appreciate the way the members of the Kiwanis Club, Mr. Rudolph Moates, Mr. J. N. Dennis, Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mr. Lorenza Popwell, Mr. Bob Sumner and others cooperated in helping get the boys and their baggage to and from camp. They also wish to express their appreciation to the Alabama Power Company men at Lay Dam for showing them through the plant there.

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NEGROES IN SHOOTING SCRAPE

According to information reaching the News office this week Ed Mallory, negro, of Anniston, is in the Central Alabama Hospital suffering from severe gunshot wounds said to have been inflicted in a shooting scrape in the negro section of Clanton last Sunday night. Mallory, it was stated, was shot in the left chest with a shotgun said to have been fired by one Brack Pearson, also colored. Officers Sherrod and Gillespie investigated the shooting soon after it occurred but at the time of this writing no arrests had been made in the case. The nature of the trouble between the two negroes was not definitely stated, but it is thought that the shooting arose from a family quarrel

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hand are visiting friends in Coosa County this week

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HIGH SCHOOL TO OPEN HERE SEPTEMBER 7

Boys And Girls Urged To Continue In School If Possible

On Monday, September 7, Chilton County High School will throw open its doors to the young men and women of Clanton and Chilton county.

Today there are scores of boys and girls standing at the cross roads of life and don't know it. They will make a decision at this time, and their lives to the last day they live will be influenced by the choice they make.

By this statement I mean that schools and colleges will open all over this Southland and our boys and girls are undecided as to whether they will continue their education —undecided, some of them, as to whether it is worthwhile. To this group I would say, "go back to school if it is possible for you to do so." Education is the best insurance that the world has to offer as protection against failure and disappointment.

Out of the 100 boys and girls in the United States who start into the first grade only 67 ever finish the common schools. 33 of the 100 that started enter the high school and 14 finish. Only 4 enter college and 2 graduate. Those who finish their education generally speaking, are well paid for doing so. Figures based upon the earnings of thousands of people show that the man with only a common school training may expect to earn in his life $45,000; the high school graduate can

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REVIVAL AT THE CHURCH OF CHRIST AT CLANTON

The church of Christ at Clanton will begin a revival on Sunday, August 30th, with G. A. Dunn, Jr., of Dallas, Texas, doing the preaching. Mr. Dunn is an evangelist of wide experience. He has lectured in almost every state in the Union and has traveled extensively in Asia, Africa, and Europe, making special study of the Holy Land. He is a forceful speaker and a pleasant entertainer. Services each evening at 7:45. Sunday School at ten o'clock and preaching at eleven on Sundays. Time of day services to be announced later.

The public is cordially invited to attend each service.

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Unity G. A. Girls On Camp This Week

During this season of the year when vacation trips and camping trips are occupying a major place in most of our minds, it was pleasing to a representative of the News to see the fine group of G. A. girls of the Unity Baptist Association gathered in front of the Baptist church here last Tuesday morning, preparing to have a jolly time at Martin's Camp on Coosa River.

It was planned that they would spend several days at the camp this week. Mrs. Arthur Taylor, Mrs. Eubanks, Mrs. S. J. Ezell of Clanton, and Mrs. Traywick of Indian Grave and others went with the girls.

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MERCHANTS TO MEET IN BHAM. ON SEPT. 3RD

Merchants Are Invited To Bring Their Problems to Convention

Merchants attending the fifteenth annual Alabama Merchants Association Convention in Birmingham Sept. 3 and 4 are urged to bring along their merchandising problems. They will be given an opportunity of consulting A. J. Luther of Chicago, outstanding authority on present day retailing.

A "Model store" will be set up in the Municipal Auditorium, which will be headquarters for the convention, and Director Luther will be present to give personal advice to delegates on any of the following subjects: Arrangement and Display, Stock Analysis and Control, Accounting Systems, Budget Controls, Credit Controls, Sales Promotion and Advertising and Employee Training. He will give public lectures on one of these subjects at 10 o'clock each morning of the convention.

The Luther company has modernized more than 2,000 dry goods, drug, stationary, hardware, grocery, electrical and house furnishing stores in 27 different states from Coast to Coast and has worked with the United States Department of Commerce in aiding merchants throughout the country in improving their establishments. More than a million magazine articles went out from this company to trade magazines during the past year.

Arrangements have been made with the Birmingham City Commission, thru its president, J. M. Jones, Jr., to extend the courtesy of the Municipal Golf Courses and Swimming pools to visiting merchants while they are in the city. They will be given free use of both the greens and pools during the entire convention.

Approximately 5,000 merchants are expected to attend the two days' session and participate in the many events of entertainment and helpful interest that have been planned by the committee in charge. Delegates will be registered at the Municipal Auditorium Thursday morning. Here they will be presented with coupon books. During the afternoon they will be the guests of the Wholesale Merchants and Manufacturers of the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce at a ball game at Rickwood Park, with the Birmingham Barons playing the New Orleans Pelicans.

The Merchants Ball and Dance Pageant at Cascade Plunge will feature the first night's entertainment. Pupils

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FAIRVIEW 4-H CLUB MEETING

According to an announcement from Marvin M. Durbin, there will be a meeting of the Fairview 4-H Club on Friday night, August 21st. All members are requested to be present, and visitors are invited.

NEWS IS NAMED ON ALL ALA. 11 AT PRESS INST.

Victor Hanson Cup Awarded To Greenville Advocate This Year

The annual institute of the Alabama Press Association met in regular session at Auburn last week for a successful meeting. Jack M. Pratt, editor of The Pickens County Herald, was selected as president of the Association for the coming year. He succeeds Marcy B. Darnall, editor of The Florence Herald.

Other officers chosen were F. G. Stephens, vice-president; E. C. Hall, of Alexander City, secretary and treasurer; J. C. Norwood, Cullman, historian and Mrs. Scottie McKenzie Fraser, Dothan, poetess.

The winners of the All Alabama Weekly Newspaper Eleven of 1931 were announced as follows: The Greenville Advocate, the Roanoke Leader, Southern Star, Ozark, The Florence Herald, The Covington News, Andalusia, The Dothan Herald, The Chilton County News, The Sylacauga News, The Atmore Advance, The Brewton Standard, The Jasper Mountain Eagle and The Dothan Wiregrass Journal

The Victor Hanson Cup for the best all-round newspaper in Alabama this year was awarded to the Greenville Advocate, published at Greenville by Gen. James B. Stanley and his two sons. The Advocate was founded in 1865 and Gen. Stanley is one of the oldest editors in point of service, in America, having served continuously sixty-six years. A pleasing feature of the award was that it was made at almost the same time as Gen. Stanley's birthday.

In making the decision which awarded the Victor Hanson cup The Jasper Mountain Eagle, The Ozark Southern Star, Florence Herald, and the Chilton County News, were not considered due to the fact that they had received this award in former years. Judges in this contest were Howard C. Smith, P. O. Davis, Fred Naeter and George Naeter.

Members of the "Ala-Pressa" committee, publishers of the official organ of the association, were reelected and includes F. W. Stanley, Greenville, M. C. Cady, Birmingham, and P. O. Davis, Auburn.

Due to illness, Billy Smith, editor and publisher of the Chilton County News, was unable to attend the institute this year.

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ISABELLA F. F. A. MEETING

The News has been requested by the President, Marvin M. Durbin, to announce that there will be a meeting of the Isabella Chapter of the Future Farmers of America next Wednesday night, August 26th. A full attendance is urged.

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MISS CALLIE WATTS RETURNED

Miss Callie Watts, widely known operator of the Watts Hat and Dress Shoppe, returned lately from the Northern markets where she was successful in buying a complete new line of ladies hats and dresses which are now arriving daily. She invites her friends to come by and see her new line of goods at The Fair on main street.

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VERBENA BOYS

Boys 4-H club thank those who took part in making their outing a success. Meeting Friday night, all farmers and members urged to attend.

John A. Scott, Sec. of Club.

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Miss Alma Gentry is spending her vacation this week in Birmingham.

EDITOR SICK THIS WEEK

Editor Billy Smith has been ill for several days, and has not been able to fill his usual place in the publishing of this week's News. At present he is somewhat improved and it is expected that he will be back in his office the latter part of this week. The News force has been greatly handicapped without his guiding hand. But we wish to express our sincere thanks to those who have so willingly co-operated with us in the editor's absence, and if there be mistakes we assure you that such was not our intention, and that we have done our best under the circumstances.

My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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W. N. U. Service.

CHAPTER XXXVIII

The question of the shipment of American troops, and particularly their allotment to the allied armies, had assumed very great importance in the minds of the allied leaders.

Accordingly a session of the supreme war council was called at Abbeville May 1, 1918, and Premier Clemenceau opened the meeting by referring forthwith to the previous recommendation of the council's military representatives as to the disposition of American troops.

"The military representatives," he began, "expressed the opinion in their joint note No. 18 that only infantry and machine-gun units should be sent to France for the present. Since then the agreement between Lord Milner and General Pershing, signed at London April 24, 1918, has intervened. This agreement makes a change.

"It had been understood at Versailles that America would send 120,000 men per month, which the French and English armies would share equally. Under the Milner-Pershing agreement it appears none go to France. The French have not been consulted. We might suppose that in compensation the American troops arriving in June would be given to France. But it now appears they are also to join the British. I wish to protest that this is not satisfactory.

"I am not discussing the figure of 120,000 men; I am prepared to accept that these men go to the British in May. I am asking to receive the same number of troops in June. There are close to 400,000 Americans in France at present, but only five divisions, or about 125,000 men, can be considered as combatants. That is not a satisfactory proportion."

Milner Defends Agreement.

Lord Milner arose, much incensed at M. Clemenceau's statement, which he considered quite unjust.

"M. Clemenceau has intimated," he asserted, "that there was something mysterious about the London agreement. I believe that an explanation is necessary. He appears to believe that the agreement we signed is a reversal of the supreme war council's decision. I know only of a joint note embodying the recommendations of the military representatives, but it is of no value without the approval of the governments.

"Besides, M. Clemenceau seems to be under the impression that half of the American troops were to go to France and the other half to England. I do not recollect any such decision. All that General Pershing and I have urged is that infantry and machine gunners should be sent to France. We had no intention of depriving France of any American troops. I do not know that anything has been said regarding their allotment on arrival in France. We simply wanted to hasten their coming."

Pershing Upholds Independence.

"In making the agreement with Lord Milner," I interposed, "I had in mind bringing troops as rapidly as possible to meet the existing situation. Lord Milner is quite correct in stating that there was no agreement as to the allocation of American troops either to the British or French armies. There is no agreement between my government and anybody else that a single American soldier shall be sent to either the British or French.

"There is in existence an agreement between Mr. Lloyd George and myself that six divisions should be brought to France. M. Clemenceau will remember that I spoke to him about going to London to arrange for the shipment of American troops to France and that he approved because it would expedite their arrival. I also spoke to General Petain about it."

Clemenceau Is Insistent.

M. Clemenceau remembered my speaking of it, but disregarding his previous approval continued his objections, saying:

"We have been informed that nothing had been decided on at Versailles, but something has been decided on at London, and France was closely concerned in this. It was decided that six divisions should go to the British. Well, I will not argue about that. You announce to us artillery for the month of June.

"Where four are in alliance, two of them cannot act independently. Nothing has been provided for France in June.

"The appointment of General Foch as commander in chief is not a mere decoration. This post involves grave responsibilities; he must meet the present situation; he must provide for the future.

"I accept what has been done for May, but I want to know what is intended for June."

M. Clemenceau said the French had not received certain specialists they had asked for, and also quoted from the conversation I had held with General Foch with reference to sending over troops in May and June.

British Losses Heavy.

Mr. Lloyd George then said:

"I am of M. Clemenceau's opinion. The interests of the allies are identical; we must not lose sight of that, otherwise the unity of command has no meaning. We must consider what is best for the common cause.

"What is the situation today? The British army has had heavy fighting and has suffered heavy losses. All available drafts have been sent to France and we shall send all who are available in May and June. This would be the case even if all the Americans who arrive in Europe during these months should be assigned to the British army.

"At present certain British divisions have been so severely handled that they cannot be reconstituted. General Foch will remember the number."

"Yes, ten," Foch answered.

"As we cannot again put them in line," Mr. Lloyd George continued, "they must be replaced by new units. The Germans are now fighting with the object of using up our effectives. If they can do this without exhausting their own reserves they will sometime deal us a blow which we shall not be able to parry.

"In the meantime, I suggest that the decision for the allotment of the American troops for June be taken up when that month arrives. In May, in fact, either of our two armies may be hard pressed. That is the one which should be re-enforced. It is not desirable now to decide how troops arriving in June should be allotted."

Foch Also Cites France's Need.

To this, Foch replied:

"It is undeniable that the British army is now exhausted; so let it receive immediately re-enforcement in May. But lately the French have had grave losses, notably at Montdidier, and both during the last few days have been fighting shoulder to shoulder. So American aid is now needed almost as much for France as for Great Britain. Above this question of aid to the French or to the British is aid to the allies.

"We are agreed that the American army is to re-enforce the British army at once; in June we, too, shall need infantry and machine-gun units. So let us make the agreement for June at once by saying: the same shipment of infantry and machine guns as for May. If there is tonnage available we shall devote it, after that, to the elements necessary for filling up the American divisions. I am sure that General Pershing, with his generosity and his breadth of view, will grant the fairness of this view and will extend for June the agreement decided upon for May."

Whereupon Mr. Lloyd George gave support to the principle, saying that British recruits would not be available until August and he understood it was the same for France, when both would be able to furnish their own recruits. He then asked that the May program be extended over June, in which M. Clemenceau joined.

Pershing Insists on Own Army.

In reply, I said:

"I do not suppose that we are to understand that the American army is to be entirely at the disposal of the French and British commands."

M. Clemenceau said that of course this was not the intention.

Continuing, I said:

"Speaking for my government and myself, I must insist upon our intention to have our own army. The principle of unity of command must prevail in our army. It must be complete under its own command. I should like to have a date fixed when this will be realized. I should like to make it clear that all American troops are not to be with the British, as there are five divisions with the French now and there will be two more in a short time.

"As to the extension of the May agreement to June I am not prepared to accept it. The troops arriving in June will not be available for the front before the end of July or the middle of August. So we have the whole month of May ahead before deciding whether an emergency is likely to arise in June. I have explained to Lord Milner and General Foch why I do not wish to commit the American army so long in advance. If need be, I shall recommend the extension into June. I can see no reason for it now."

CHAPTER XXXIX

"I am commander in chief of the allied armies in France," said General Foch, "and my appointment has been sanctioned by the signature not only of the British and French governments but also by the President of the United States. Hence, I believe myself in a position to insist.

"There is a program signed by Lord Milner and General Pershing at London. I ask to be made a party to this arrangement, since America has given me the strategic direction of the war, or else I have no reason for holding the position.

"So I ask that an agreement be made this evening among Lord Milner, General Pershing and myself, extending to June what has been decided on for May.

"I cannot forget the responsibilities weighing on me, because of the fact that the allied governments have intrusted to me the direction of operations in France."

Of course all present knew that no authority to dictate regarding such matters had been conferred upon him and his remarks only showed that the allies were ready to go to almost any length to carry their point.

Clemenceau Makes Plea.

Premier Clemenceau then said he agreed with General Foch and favored an American army, but that the Germans were at Villers-Bretonneux, and if the lines were broken there the enemy might quickly arrive under the walls of Paris, and liaison between the allied armies might have to be established on the Loire, or if the lines were pierced at Hazebrouck the enemy could reach the sea.

"What is important for the morale of our soldiers," he said, "is not to tell them that the American soldiers are arriving but to show them that they have arrived."

In my opinion the plan proposed was entirely unsound, and I thought that the best and quickest way to help the allies would be to build up an American army. Moreover, the implied presumption that the council might dictate to us either as a council or through the allied commander in chief in the arbitrary manner indicated set me more firmly than ever against American units serving in allied armies. The day's discussion made it quite clear that both allies intended to get commitment to the proposed schedule as far into the future as possible.

Saw Pershing Opposing Wilson.

A telegram sent by the British secretary of state for foreign affairs April 8, 1918, to Lord Reading, British ambassador at Washington, said:

"It is evident from the brief account of the conversation that General Pershing's views are absolutely inconsistent with the broad policy which we believe the President has accepted. The main difference, of course, is that we interpret it as meaning that 480,000 infantry and machine guns are to be brigaded with French and British troops in the course of four months. General Pershing admits no such obligation and does not conceal the fact that he disapproves of the policy.

"A second and minor difference is that, while the British government quite agrees as to the propriety of ultimately withdrawing American troops brigaded with the French and British so as to form an American army, they do not think this process could or ought to be attempted until the end of the season for active operations this year draws to its close, say, in October or November.

"I am unwilling to embarrass the President, who has shown such a firm grasp of the situation, with criticisms of his officers. But the difference of opinion is so fundamental and touches so nearly the issues of the whole war that we are boud to have the matter cleared up."

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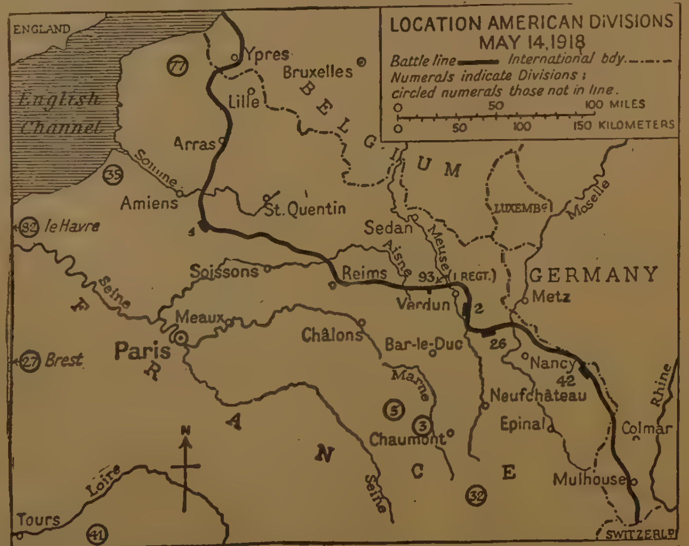

REGISTER'S SALE

Lawrence F. Gerald, as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of James C. Jones, deceased, Complainant. vs. B. G. Jones, et al. Respondents.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause, rendered on the 30th, day of July, 1931, by the Judge of the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Court house door at Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. **ON WEDNESDAY, THE 26TH, day of August, 1931.**

The following described property, situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

The North-half (N½) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-five (25); Also the East-half of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of the Southwest quarter (SW¼), and the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼), and Eight acres being situated in the Northwest corner of the Southwest-quarter of the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) said Eight acres (8) of land being situated West of the old Clanton and Columbiana Public Road, and North of a certain lane running West from said Road to the West boundary of said Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Southeast-quarter (SE¼), in Section Twenty-four (24); All in Township Twenty-two (22) Range Fourteen (14), Chilton County, Alabama, said Eight acres being the same land, in part, conveyed by N. S. Johnson and wife Escharles Johnson, to J. C. Jones, by deed dated August, 25th, 1915, and recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 143, page 503, all of which land is subject to the homestead right, for her lifetime, of Sophia L. Jones, the widow of James C. Jones, deceased.

Also the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼), Section Twenty-nine (29), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

The Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Southeast-quarter (SE), of Section Thirty-two (32), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

East-half (E½) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-Four (24), Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fourteen (14);

The Southeast-quarter, (SE¼) of the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-two (32), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

Also the West-half (W½), of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-Four (24), Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fifteen (15);

The Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼), Section Thirty-three (33), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

The South-half (S½) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-five (25), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fourteen (14);

The Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of Northwest-quarter (NW¼) lying South of Yellow Leaf Creek, and the North-half (N½) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-two (22), Township Twenty-three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

The Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-two (22), Township Twenty three (23), Range Fifteen (15);

The Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of the Northeast-quarter, (NE¼) Lying East of Clanton and Adams Ferry Road, in Section Twenty-four (24) Township Twenty-two (22) Range Fourteen (14); also a right of way on and along the East side of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Section Thirty (30), Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fifteen (15);

The Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Northwest-quarter (NW¼), of Section One (1), Township Twenty-two (22) Range Thirteen (13);

Also Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Section Nine (9), Township Twenty-two (22) Range Fifteen (15);

East-half of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Section Four (4), Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fifteen (15); Northwest - quarter (NW¼) of Northwest-quarter (NW¼) and South-half. (S½) of Northwest - quarter (NW¼) of Section One (1) Township Twenty-two (22), Range Fifteen (15); All in Chilton County, Alabama.

(b) Lot numbered Four (4), in Block numbered Eleven (11), in the Gowan addition to the Town of Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, as shown by the Map or Plat of said Gowan addition to the Town of Clanton, Alabama, on record in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama.

Also the following described real estate situated in Autauga County, Alabama, to-wit:

The Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-six (26), Township Twenty (20), Range Fifteen (15).

(d) The following described property located in Jefferson County, Alabama, to-wit: All of Lot numbered Six (6), according to the survey of Shady Springs, a Map of which said survey is recorded in Map Book 13, page 6, of the Probate office of Jefferson County, Alabama. Also One-half of an acre, more or less, off the Northwest side of lot number Four (4) according to the said survey of Shady Springs, a map of which survey is recorded in Map Book 13, page 6, in the Probate office of Jefferson County, Alabama, said One-half acre tract off of said lot Four (4), being particularly described as follows: Commence at Southeast corner of said lot (6) Six, of survey of said Shady Springs, thence West along the South line of said lot Six (6) 221.6 feet to point of beginning, thence at an angle to the left of 27 degrees 18', 284.6 feet to the Easterly line of the County Road, as now constructed; thence at an angle to the right 85 degrees 3' and in a Northerly direction and along Easterly line of said Road, 154.8 feet to the South line of the aforesaid Lot Six (6), thence at an angle to the right of 122 degrees 15' and along the South line of lot Six (6), 336.1 feet to point of beginning, also an easement covering a strip of land 25 feet wide off of the Northeasterly side of said lot Four (4), of said Shady Spring survey, said 25 foot strip running from the Montgomery High-way as shown on said Map, which map is recorded in Map Book 13, page 6, in the Probate office of Jefferson County, Alabama, to the Northeast corner of said lot Four (4), said strip of land being 25 feet wide and approximately 420 feet long, said strip of land running from the Southeast corner of said lot four (4), to the Northeast corner of said lot Four (4) said 25 foot strip to be used only as a right of way as a road or highway.

Also a One-half undivided interest in and to the following described real estate situated in Jefferson County, Alabama, to-wit:

The South-half (S½) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Northwest-quarter of the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-six (36), Township Eighteen (18), Range three, West in Jefferson County, Alabama, and also a One-half undivided interest in and to the following described Lot or parcel of land situated in Jefferson County, Alabama, to-wit; Commence at the Northwest corner of the South-half (S½) of the Northeast-quarter of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of the Southeast-quarter of Section Thirty-six (36), Township Eighteen (18), Range three (3), west, and run thence South along the land line 89 feet, more or less, to the Edge of the right of way of the Public Road, and from said point which is the point of beginning of the land here conveyed, run North along the land line 404 feet, more or less, to a point 15 feet South of the Northwest corner of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Southeast - quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-Six (36), Township Eighteen (18) Range Three (3), West, thence at right angles run west 60 feet and 6 inches, thence run at right angles South 325 feet, more or less, to a point on the Edge of the right of way of the Public Road, thence run in a Southeasterly direction along and on the Edge of the right of way of said road to point of beginning, and contain One-half acre, more or less.

(a). That certain Note executed by D. C. Alred and wife Hattie, to James C. Jones, on the 2nd day of January, 1925, for the sum of $8000.00, due and payable on the 2nd day of January, 1929, bearing interest at 5% per annum, payable annually.

Also the mortgage securing the said note, which mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama; in Book 197, at page 290.

(c). That certain Note executed by R. Mat Vines and wife L. A. Vines, to James C. Jones on the 18th day of December, 1925, for the Sum of $1400.00, due and payable on the 1st day of October, 1926, with interest from date.

Also mortgage securing said note which said mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 209, page 76, and conveying the following described real estate situated in Chilton County, Alabama, to-wit:

The Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) and the Northeast - quarter (NE¼) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) and the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) and the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Southwest quarter (SW¼) all in Section Twenty-eight (28) Township Twenty-three (23) Range Fifteen (15), Chilton County, Alabama.

(f). Fourteen shares of Cumulative Preferred Stock in the Alabama Mills Company, a corporation.

Twenty-six (26) shares of Common Stock of the Alabama Mills Company, a corporation.

(e). One Diamond Knight Templar Ring, and one Diamond Shirt Stud

This August 3rd, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER [illegible]

8-6-3tcS

For the 50th time recently burglar invaded the home of G. C. Lov[illegible] Memphis.

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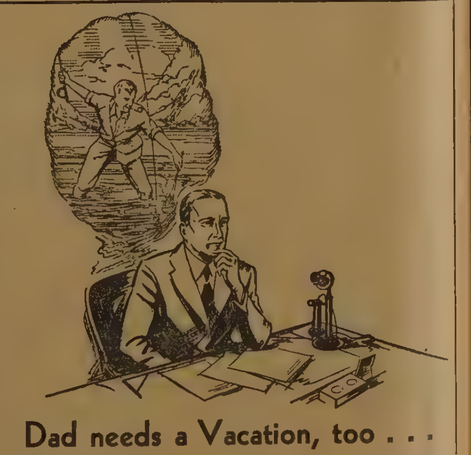


Dad needs a Vacation, too . . .

MOTHER is busy planning her vacation—the children's holidays must be decided upon—but how can dad get away from business? If there was some way he could keep in touch with the office for a few minutes each day, he, too, could enjoy a well-earned rest.

The answer is the telephone, which gives quick and inexpensive voice contact with the office wherever you choose to go. By arranging to call the office at a particular time, you may be sure your manager pro tem will be at the telephone to report the day's activities and receive instructions. This enables you to use cheaper Station-to-Station service without risk of not finding your manager in.

Join mother and the children in having a holiday this summer, while dependable telephone service enables you to keep informed about your business or to call your friends at home. The operator wherever you go will gladly tell you about the cost of calls to your office—just ask for "Long Distance."

SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE
and Telegraph Company
(Incorporated)

West End People and Things

A spic and span new garage has been erected in our suburban city and you did not say a word about it. Mr. Grady Taylor is proprietor and Albert Pyron is head knocker. If you car gets rankerous slip it in that shop and Albert will have it coming out in just a few minutes ready to carry you and your flapper to the shady roadside. You know where it is.

As stated in your paper last week, the new store of Mr. Cooper threw open its doors Saturday and displayed a dandy and well selected stock of general merchandise. Call on him there and his prices will hold you fast and empty your pocketbook before you can resist the bargains he will offer you.

The kindest and best people live in West End that are. We challenge the world has none better.

Mr. O. O. Roper has sold 700 dozen roasting ears this year. On top of a $2,000 clear on a strawberry crop, with more good things to follow, that don't sound like he is going to get hungry this winter. At least, not much. There was only one stalk of cotton on his farm this year and he happened to walk up on that one the other day and pulled it up rott and branch.

Mallie White, or perhaps, his excellent wife, are having a complete and beautiful job of painting and decorating done at their lovely home out this way. Mr. Posey Marcus and his efficient crew are handling the job and you know that means it will be nifty and nice when they finish. What a pity that more of our citizens who are able don't do likewise.

Mr. Jim Scroggins, who is widely known as a stock and cattle man, is having erected a large new barn to care for his mules and horses this fall. If you need anything in the horse, mule cattle or hog line just call on him a little later and he will fit you up.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Dunlap has been quite sick for a few days, but is pronounced better now.

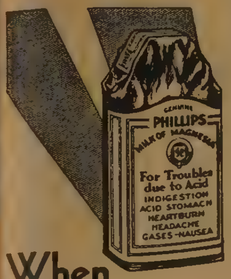
Mrs. Luther Williams and two small sons, who recently moved from here to Selma, visited his father and mother and other relatives here last week end.

Mrs. Lullard Robinson and three children of Birmingham, are the guests of her uncle, Mr. Joe Grooms, and wife.

Leon Richardson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, of West End, is quite sick with typhoid fever. Dr. Napoleon Johnson is the attending physician.

Mrs. Minnie Goff has been wrestling with typhoid pneumonia for several weeks. I learn she is now nicely convalescing.

Mrs. Beatrice Jackson of Savannah, Ga., has returned home from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Joe Grooms.



When PAIN Comes

WHAT many people call indigestion very often means excess acid in the stomach. The stomach nerves have been over-stimulated, and food sours. The corrective is an alkali, which quickly neutralizes acids. And the best alkali known to medical science is Phillips Milk of Magnesia.

One spoonful of this harmless, tasteless alkali neutralizes instantly many times as much harmful acid, and then the symptoms disappear at once. You will never use crude methods when once you learn the efficiency of this. Go get a small bottle to try.

Get the genuine Phillips Milk of Magnesia, the kind physicians have prescribed for 50 years in correcting excess acids. 25c and 50c a bottle—any drugstore.

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Concord-Billingsley

Sunday was our regular preaching day. We had with us Rev. N. H. Culp of Verbena Circut, who brought to us a wonderful Gospel message. We were glad to have him with us and always we welcome visitors to our church.

We were sorry that Bro Headley could not be with us Sunday night, but on account of the revival meeting beginning at Pleasant Grove it was inconvenient for him to be with us. But we pray God's richest blessings on the meeting there this week.

Mr. W. A. Williams and children are spending this week with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kynard, of Selma.

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Williams spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Clide Little Sunday.

Miss Connie Shaw was the guest of Miss Sarah Weldon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sheppard and little daughter, Eleanor Louise, of Clanton spent the past week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw and family spent the day in Coosa County with friends and relatives Sunday.

Mrs. Willie Mae Weldon and daughter, Annie Frances, spent the latter part of last week with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sheppard, of Clanton.

Mrs. J. T. Cowart of Coosa County is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw.

Miss Allie Williams was the dinner guest of Miss Virginia Little Sunday.

Several from here attended the revival service at Walnut Creek church near Clanton last Wednesday and Wednesday night. All reported a splendid time.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. R. P. Williams is on the sick list this week but we hope to see her well again soon.

Mr. Porter Williams dined at the home of his uncle, Mr. J. P. Williams, Sunday.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PARDON OR PAROLE

Notice is hereby given that an application for the pardon or parole of Sam Reed convicted and sentenced by the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, on May 22nd, 1913, for murder in the first degree, to the penitentiary for his life time, will be made to the Governor of Alabama.

8-13-2tch SAM REED.

ALABAMA HAS LOW STATEWIDE DOMESTIC RATE FOR ELECTRICITY

Reports Legislative Investigating Committee on Public Utilities In Alabama

"IN THIS investigation the thing which is of most interest to consumer is the cost to him of electric current per kilowatt hour. Under the rates of Alabama Power Company as last revised by the Public Service Commission the average cost to the domestic consumer during the year 1930 was 5.05c against 7.75c per kilowatt hour during the year 1926, or a reduction of 34.8% in that period of time, and is 17% less than the national average . . . . . and is the lowest statewide domestic rate in the United States."

"Upon the whole it is very clear to your Committee that power is available to new industries in Alabama in rates which compare very favorably with those of other States. We realize that a strict comparison of rates is impossible because of varying conditions in different localities but from the evidence before us it appears that the Alabama consumer is enjoying rates which when considered all together *are lower than the general average* throughout this section of the country."

"We find that the rates which the utilities collect for their services are prescribed by the Alabama Public Service Commission and it is undisputed that this Commission has given careful attention and consideration to these matters, the fact being that there has been a reduction in rates for the consumers in Alabama of more than $1,000,000 within the past two and one-half years."—From Report of Legislative Committee under H. J. R. No. 80—1931 Session.

ALABAMA'S CHEAPEST SERVANT

"Alabama has the lowest statewide, residential electric rates in the United States."

—Dr. John Bauer, of the American Public Utilities Bureau, New York, testifying before the Alabama Public Service Commission, as an expert witness for the City of Mobile.

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THIS COUPON MUST BE PRESENTED ON THE DAYS OF THE DEMONSTRATION

Poplar Springs News

Singing school at this place is progressing nicely with 42 on roll.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. Lanton McDowell is very ill. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Next Saturday and Sunday is our regular preaching day. Sunday school at ten o'clock, B. Y. P. U. at seven o'clock. Everybody is invited to attend.

The B. Y. P. U. program is as follows:

Scripture Lesson by Mrs. Johnson Driver.

Facts of History by Mrs. Mattie Lane Crew.

More Facts About History by Mauvereen Cox.

The Passive Attitude of Older Christians, by Curtis Dykes.

Some Present Facts by Libbie Dykes.

Economic Effects by Mrs. Lera Traywick.

Spiritual Effects by Newbern Jones.

Drivers Procedures, by Gladys Wilson.

Second by E. J. Foshee.

Don't forget the time, 7 o'clock.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS

The value of building permits issued in Alabama cities during June was $640,975. This was 2 per cent above the total for May but 19 per cent below the figure for June, 1930.

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The output of by-product coke in Alabama and Tennessee during June was 282,472 tons as reported by the Bureau of Mines. The daily rate was 9,416 tons as against 9,604 tons in May and 11,930 tons for June of last year. For the United States the daily output in June, 1931, was 90,506 tons or a drop of 10 per cent from the May pfoduction as compared with a 2 per cent decline in Alabama and Tennessee.

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The cotton spinning industry in Alabama according to the preliminary report of the Bureau of Census increased its speed of operation in June and was considerably more active than for June, 1930. All spindles in place operated on an everage of 10.2 hours per normal working day in June.

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Between August 1, 1930, and June 30, 1931, there were 399,405 tons of cottonseed crushed in Alabama mills. This was 15.6 per cent more than the amount used at the mills during the same period a year earlier and contrasts with a decline of 5.2 per cent for the United States.

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"Agricultural Mathematics" is the title of a new bulletin issued by the Extension Service of the Alabama Polytecnic Institute, Auburn, for use in teaching agriculture in the Alabama schools.

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Julian Brown, extension horticulturist at Auburn, recommends planting the following vegetables in Alabama gardens during August: cabbage, collards, kale, turnips, tendergreen, spinach, mustard, lettuce, beets, carrots, radish, and onions.

WINTER LEGUMES IN THE SOUTH

The use of winter legumes for green manure in the Cotton Belt has increased greatly in recent years, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Austrian winter peas, hairy vetch, and smooth vetch are the crops most generally used. Make seeding the latter part of September or early October, as earlier seeding may result in nematode injury and later ones in poor stands and growth. The legumes should be inoculated at seeding time. Use a commercial fertilizer consisting largely of superphosphate, especially when growing a legume on land for the first time. Barnyard manure also increases the growth and helps to inoculate the plants. Turn under the green-manure crops two weeks before corn-planting time and three weeks before cotton planting.

We read that a Washington woman lost a purse containing $15 and later found it with nearly $100 tucked in its folds. Now you tell [illegible]

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Congratulations to The Greenville Advocate and Gen. J. B. Stanley

Sixty-six years ago, a young man, just out of the service of the South in the War Between the States, founded a paper, the Greenville Advocate, at Greenville, Alabama. Last week at the annual convention of Alabama Press Association, this paper and this man were presented with an outstanding honor—that of being awarded the Victor H. Hanson cup, which goes each year to the best all-around Alabama weekly newspaper during the year. It is gratifying indeed to see this gallant gentleman of the Old South and his newspaper receive this token of recognition. With a record of service such as lies behind the Advocate, it is assured that the applause of fellow laborers in the newspaper game, will be loud and long. With a glad hand we extend our heartiest congratulations to the Advocate, Gen. Stanley and to his two most worthy sons, J. G. and F. W. Stanley, who share with their father the credit for making the paper the force for better things that it is.

This beautiful cup is given through the courtesy of Victor H. Hanson, of The Birmingham News, and it is awarded to the paper which is adjudged to have been of the most service during the year. But it occurs to us that this token of honor, given by Victor Hanson through the decision of Alabama Press, must have a fuller significance than that of one year's service to Gen. Stanley who has served his people with his newspaper sixty-six years. And, not only has his influence been felt in his community, but the entire state has been helped because of his constructive and progressive ideals which have led him on to the time when he is the oldest—the dean of Alabama and American editors, with the love and respect of his fellow laborers. We think that this must also be a recognition of some of those other years, perhaps when the Advocate was yet a babe in years, when political, social and economic conditions were upset, lean years, and years of depression and panic—these things Gen. Stanley and the Advocate have gone through. Sometimes we suspect it was hard to see the outcome, and like Columbus, he could only say, "Sail on!" A long journey has been made and an honor well-earned has been bestowed. The few words we can say are but passing, but sixty-six years of earnest and sincere work will exert a lasting influence. May Gen. Stanley be with us yet, for a long, long time, we say, as we add our approval and congratulations.

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Explanations and Apologies

It is a new experience for the electorate of the United States to have the President in the midst of his term telling them in effect what a good Executive he has been. It has been the custom heretofore for the Chief Executive to let his aots speak for themselves, at least until he had been renominated and the actual campaign was on.

The assumption of the party in power has always been that its high officials were competent, and that the nation in its wisdom must appreciate the deftness and skill of the administration. When the time came for speeches, the accomplishments of the administration and the benefits that had accrued to the country from the President's exercise of the functions of the high office were naturally the theme of the dominant party's orators.

It is all different this time. The deduction must be made from the output of the publicity branch of the Republican National Committee in that so far from applauding the President, the country is most doubtful of his capacity and increasingly critical of his performances. No other conclusion is possible in view of the constant stream of apology and explanation. This is particularly significant inasmuch as it is popularly understood in Washington that the President, with his meticulous attention to details, supervises and O K's the entire output of his press agents.

A recent publication emanating from the Committee carried an elaborate dissertation on the inaccuracy of the assumption that the President was a miracle worker in the direction of insuring prosperity. This, of course, though it departed radically from all the campaign propaganda precedent to his election, was intended to palliate the difference between his promises and what actually eventuated in the fields of industry and commerce, especially with reference to the incongruity of his campaign declaration that his election meant that everybody should have a good job and the six or seven million people now without employment.

More recently we have a White House statement telling of the marvelous achievements of the administration in the National Building Program and Secretary of Labor Doak's report on the re-employment of 281,000 men for which he gives the Hoover regime credit. It is stated that $44,000,0000 worth of projects are in the course of contract letting and the plans are under way for $181,000,000 more, and reference is made to something like $50,000,000 worth of projects that are under way but have not quite reached the stage of contract letting. The obvious question is raised why it should have taken upwards of a year and a half to have reached these plans which were to furnish immediate relief for the unemployment situation. Senator Fletcher of Florida recently complained of the delay in the government's building program. Fletcher particularly instanced projects in his own state to illustrate his point, among them the post office building at Lake City, the appropriation for which was made in 1930. The work was not begun until a year later. He also cited the Jacksonville Parcel Post Building, the appropriation for which was made in March of 1930, but on which work has not been begun yet. Lest it be thought that Fletcher's strictures had a partisan bias, it may be noted that Senator Bingham of Connecticut, rock-bound Republican regular, was equally vehement in his criticisms of the government's delay.

In the matter of finding places for the unemployed it is probable that the 281,000 jobs which the administration claims to have filled, would have been filled a good deal sooner had the President not vetoed the Wagner Employment bills in order that none of the credit of supplying men with work might be alienated from the Republicans.

The instances could be multiplied indefinitely to show the extraordinary appeal that is being put forward to excuse the President. It is a curious political departure and the significance that President Hoover feels it is necessary at this time to go to such length to appease dissatisfaction with his administration is perhaps the leading political index of the day.

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

We almost started this column off with a poem about autumn. A poem about the turning trees, the waving grain, the flocks of geese flying south and the yellow golden rod. The poem was already copied down and ready to be turned in when we realized that autumn is a long way off yet. This is only the middle of August and we have some of the hottest summer weather to pass through yet this year. Nevertheless some of the cool nights we have been having during the past week almost made us think that fall was really here.

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If you noticed the article on the front page of the News this week concerning the negro contribution to the reward fund for the capture of the negro attacker of three white girls in Birmingham not long ago you will see that the names of a number of the most prominent negroes around Clanton are affixed to the letter accompanying the contribution. The fact that these negroes from Clanton raised this sum and sent it to Birmingham to swell the reward fund seems evidence to us that the intelligent negro as well as the intelligent white person is anxious to avoid trouble or friction between the two races. We think that this act on the part of these Clanton negroes was very well timed and will help to disspell any fear around Clanton that trouble was contemplated.

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By the time you read this piece I may be all wrong. Nevertheless I would like to call your attention to the fact that the fire alarm has not been blown, except in practice, for the entire summer. If I remember correctly it was away back in the spring when we had our last fire. Clanton has certainly improved over last summer. For a while during the summer of 1930 the fire truck was making a call a day and one could hardly sleep for the blowing of the fire alarm. Perhaps Clanton has learned to discipline herself a little better in the use of matches and fires.

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Notice this week that the city clerk is taking his vacation and that G. C. Armstrong, manager of the local A & P Store is doing the same. Wonder what would happen if I asked the boss for a vacation. Perhaps ye columnist would get a permanent rest and Clanton would have to do without this column for a while.

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August is already passed the half way mark and September will soon be here. September will bring school days again much to the displeasure of the little boys and girls of Clanton. I sympathize with them for once this writer was a kid himself and remembers how he hated for school to start.

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With school starting soon there should be a general influx of school teachers into town pretty soon. We welcome them back to Clanton after their vacation during the summer months.

How is the golf course coming along? Haven't heard as much about it lately as I did at first. Will the first divot digger who makes a hole in one please drop around to the News office. We want to see what he looks like.

For the benefit of Clanton's budding young Bobbies we repeat here a story heard not so long ago. If you have heard this one stop me. There was a certain dub who was playing a round of golf. He gave the ball a terriffic blow and by a miracle his ball landed in the cup for a hole in one. When ye dud had sufficiently recovered from the shock he prepared to play the next hole. He hit the ball on the second drive as hard as he hit the first and by a lucky fluke the ball made a second hole in one. Wiping his head with his handkerchief the dub whispered, "Gosh, I thought I missed that one." Hope you liked the little story and can find a moral in it for yourself.

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Clanton has a new business. Spigeners, a firm of morticians from Tuscaloosa, have established themselves in the place formerly occupied by the Hugh Jones mercantile company.

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A number of Clanton fishermen have gone to Mobile this year to attend the annual fishing rodeo. We hope they land the biggest fish and get the prizes. They get the prizes and we get the fish stories.

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Had you noticed what a change the new coat of paint which has recently been put on the Hill Grocery Company has made? It has given the building a nice new clean energetic look. Any store with an attractive front will draw in more business than its neighbor with a dismal exterior.

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The surplus cotton must be disposed of, the unemployment situation must be met, the wheat surplus must be gotten rid of; a thousand and one things are facing this columnist so he must stop to do his bit toward setting things right again, though he confesses that his advice in solving such weighty matters counts for less than nil.

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Misses Polk Entertain.

Misses Corinne and Alice Polk entertained recently at a week end house party at Log Cabin Beach. The guests included in this courtesy were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Blake, Mrs. Belle Thompson, Misses Emily and Donice Wise, Messrs. J. P. Baker, Grady Templeton, Chas. W. Nixon, Jr., Howard Hatcher, of Bessemer, Ala. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Polk chaperoned.

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Mrs. C. Reese Mullins Hostess To "As You Like It" Club.

The "As You Like It" Club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. C. Reese Mullins Thursday afternoon. A pleasant afternoon was spent in sewing. Later the hostess served a delicious salad plate to the following: Mesdames L. C. Warr, M. A. Gore, J. B. Atkinson, D. W. Haskew, Flem Higgins, T. R. Burdette, L. H. Reynolds, D. C. Alred, G. C. Walker. Invited guest for the afternoon was Mrs. E. Leatherwood of Selma. The club will meet with Mrs. W. E. Martin next time.

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Party Enjoy Outing at Higgins Camp.

A party composed of Mrs. Milton Smith and daughters, Annie Cordelia and Frances, Mrs. Joe Higgins and sons, Joe Frank and Sims, Mrs. Marjorine Henley and daughter, Pearl, Mrs. Marcus Polk, Jr., Mr. Maury Higgins, and Miss Celia Baldwin of Mt. Creek enjoyed a few days camping with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Higgins.

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Friends of Charles Wade will be glad to know that he is very much improved after being quite ill at his home in Calera.

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Mr. Robert Atchison and family, Mr. Clint Atchison and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Atchison, Mrs. Dora Hayes and children, all of Maplesville, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Atchison of Ensley motored to Mobile last week on a pleasure trip.

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Mr. and Mrs. Grady Heflin and children have returned to Clanton after spending a very pleasant vacation with relatives in Moulton and Randolph.

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Mrs. A. B. Holmes of Bremen, Ga., is the guest this week of Mrs. R. J. Alexander.

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Mrs. R. J. Alexander and young son, Bobby, are home again after visiting relatives in Wrightsville, Atlanta, and Bremen, Georgia.

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Mrs. E. Leatherwood has returned to her home in Selma after spending several days here as the guest of Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry.

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Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry and children are spending this week in Selma.

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Mrs. W. W. Fox is spending several days in Centerville as guest of Dr. and Mrs. Tucker.

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Mrs. W. A. Reynolds and Mrs. Percy Pits and children spent Tuesday in Centerville.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Robinson of Mitchell Dam, Bonnie Hand and Miss Evelyn Yarbrough of near Deatsville motored to Montgomery and Prattville Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson motored to Selma Tuesday.

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Maplesville

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Rev. Paul Oden filled his regular appointment at Baptist church Sunday.

The revival at M. E. church began Sunday night, conducted by Pastor, Rev. Stafford, of Plantersville, Ala.

The many friends of Mrs. Bessie Middleton will regret to learn that she is critically il lat the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wrenfroe. Her daughter, Mrs. Rockard and granddaughter, Miss Bessie Murle. Mrs. Alrdidge, Catherine, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pharr, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe, Birmingham, Ala.; and several other relatives called to her bed side.

Misses Susie Mae Huges and Francis Brown returned from summer school at Livingston, Ala.

House Party

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Abney entertained in honor of ther attractive daughter Flora Jane with a house party from Tuesday until Friday night. The guests were: Anne Pierce, Nancy Corr, Francis Brown, Eugenia Burton, Harriate Dozier, of Selma, Ala., Sadge Francis Mims, Flora Jane Abney, Maplesville, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Abney entertained with lovely welcome party Tuesday night. Games, dancing were enjoyed throughout the evening. A delicious ice course was served to following guests: Mrs. Cottingham, Misses Margaret and Kittie Cottingham, Mr. Mine Cleveland, of Randolph, Ala., Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Shanks, Misses Flossie and Mary Shanks, Ethel and Ruth Mize, Pat Maples, Messers. Charlie Haggard, Abney, Jno. and Frank Brown, Jno. Maples, Misses Willie ou Balding and M. J. Balding, Mrs. Sallie Perry.

On Wednesday the annual picnic at the home of Mr. Wm. Walker was greatly enjoyed. Music, singing and horse back riding were the amusements, and a real southern spread will long be remembered.

Thursday a picnic afternoon and night on beach at Dixie, a beautiful place. Same guests all the way thru. A farewell party Friday afternoon from 5 to 7:30, Mrs. F. A. Shanks and Miss Ethel Mize joint hostesses at home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Shanks. A salad and ice course was served.

The guests left on the 7:30 train for their homes.

Miss Elizabeth Parnell leaves Friday for Guntersville, Ala., where she will teach.

Miss Bernice Yagle of Marion, Ala., is guest of Miss Susie Mae Hayes.

Mrs. E. H. Heinz of Repton, Ala., was guest of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Payne.

Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Nix and interesting children, Margaret, Helin and H. M. Jr., and Mrs. Potts, returned Friday from Pensacola, Fla., and other points of interest.

Mrs. W. W. Bankhead and interesting children, of Jasper are guests of her sister, Miss Blossom Crumpton.

Miss Susie Foshee has returned home after an extended visit to
Laton Parnell, at Straven, Ala.

Mrs. L. Duncan and twins, Virvi and Vivian, of S. C., are guests her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. F shee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dennis have turned from Ga., and other points interest.

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NEWS FROM EAGLE'S NEST CAMP FOR GIRLS

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A lovely water pageant, "King Neptune's Cure for Piracy" was given the beautiful lake front at Eagle's N Camp for Girls, Brevard, N. C., wh is owned and operated by Miss Ca Purse Oppenheimer of Savannah, G on Sunday afternoon. Miss Pegg Page of Clanton took the part of a Se Nymph. This is the second of a seri of pageants portraying the legend o Neptune which are being given at E gle's Nest.

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Constance Bennett In
"SIN TAKES A HOLIDAY" - All Talking
Comedy --- All Talking

Hospital Notes

The following were discharged from the Hospital last week:

Mr. Elbert Williams, Mr. Jesse Lawrence, Mr. Zebbie Grey, Mrs. W. C. Burnette, Mr. Ruben Riggins.

Mr. Vernon Jones was discharged Monday.

Mr. Paul Hawkins was discharged Monday, much improved.

Mr. Eadorn Gore underwent an operation Friday night and is doing fine.

ittle Julian Dobbs continues to improve.

Mrs. G. E. Plier is resting well after an operation.

Mr. J. L. Billingsley is resting well after an operation Tuesday morning.

Little Hollis Johnson's condition is about the same.

Ed Mallory (col.) is resting well.

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Miss Sarah Francis Stapp who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stapp, returned to Alliceville Monday. Mrs. Stapp accompanied her and will also visit her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Seay at Fernbank.

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Jemison Farm News

By Dept of Vocational Agriculture Jemison High School

Everybody is canning and drying fruits in this section. Mr. Jim Cobb says the only disadvantage to it is that it keeps him broke buying fruit jars. Mr. L. H. Bean has as their goal 365 jars, one quart a day for each day in the year.

The farmers want to write Auburn and find out what is the best type of plow to use in plowing up the third row of cotton. Another farm problem to be solved.

The farm poultry in this section is feeling the effects of these "prosperous times." They were brought up on good growing mashes all analyzed and labeled. They are now being handed out such plain foods as corn meal and buttermilk with plenty of watermelons as a filler. The old hens look around as if to say that times are not what they used to be. However, cornmeal and buttermilk with plenty of green feed has in it the making of a fairly good ration.

The land owners in this section are interested in planting vetch. Those who have tenant farmers are also interested and will plant vetch if they can decide, before it is too late to plant, the problem of what part should the landlord and tenant furnish.

If anyone thinks that this hill land won't produce corn they ought to visit the seventy acres of Mr. Clarence Childress, and become convinced that it will produce corn. Mr. Childress thinks the method of cultivation has a good deal to do with it. However, most of his land has had vetch or barnyard manure at some time during the past late years.

The farmers around Thorsby are especially interested in shipping Big Stem Jersey sweet potatoes. If the vine growth indicates the yield there will be several carloads sold. Mr. Tom Martin of Thorsby finds two No. 1 potatoes under each hill that he has tried. That indicates a very good yield for this time of the year.

—J. P. Montgomery.

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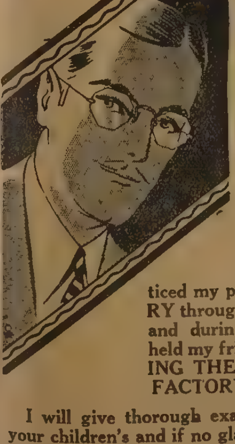

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Smith Makes Statement About Financial Condition of Town

Report Given In Answer To Questions Asked; Audit Of Town's Financial Condition of October 6, 1930 Is Also Published

Clanton, Ala., Aug. 18, 1931.

Editor Union-Banner, Clanton, Ala.
Dear Sir:

There appeared in the columns of your paper of Thursday, August 13, 1931, under your article "The Man On the Corner" certain statements or rather questions concerning the financial status of the Town of Clanton, and certain statements regarding operation of the water works of the Town.

In the first place, the Mayor and Council heartily agree with your statement that the affairs of the Town of Clanton are public matters, which are a part of the business of every citizen of the Town and we appreciate the cooperation of the citizens and would like to state that all of the affairs of the Town are public matters and all public records of the Town and its actions are always open to the public for their inspection. The present administration of the Town of Clanton took office on October 6, 1930, and have been in office something like ten and one-half months and in this connection we would like to remind the citizens that the present depression has been on us and that no doubt the Town has been, during the present administration, going through its worst financial depression, this is true of practically all other businesses, both public and private.

There is submitted below a statement of the financial condition of the Town of Clanton as of October 6, 1930, the date the present officials took office. This audit was made by H. C. Crane & Co., certified public accountants of Montgomery, Alabama, and was made in compliance with the law which requires an audit each year:

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF TOWN OF CLANTON AS AT OCTOBER 6, 1930

CURRENT ASSETS:				
Cash on hand		$ 4.13		
Cash on Deposit:				
Street and Sidewalk Fund		4,194.97		
School Bond Sinking Fund		217.20		
General Fund—Overdraft		421.29		
Water Works Fund		43.33		
Ada M. Atkinson, Treas.		14.62		
			$ 4,052.96	
Accounts Receivable:				
Water Accounts		$ 1,723.62		
Delinquent Licenses		194.83		
Delinquent Taxes 1929 assessment		219.43		
Delinquent Taxes 1929 assessment		29.75		
City of Centreville		282.00		
			$ 2,449.63	
				$ 6,502.59
Public Improvement Assessments:				
Sidewalks			$ 5,341.97	
Paving			12,963.59	
Private Work			574.12	
				18,879.68
Fixed Assets:				
Real Estate			$ 1,500.00	
Furniture and Fixtures			580.05	
Waterworks plant and equipment			59,003.84	
Street department equipment			8,037.14	
Fire department equipment			11,071.30	
Roadways			34,929.67	
				115,122.00
				$140,504.27
CURRENT LIABILITIES:				
Accounts Payable:				
Trade creditors—Open accounts		$ 7,288.19		
Accrued Items:				
Salaries		1,097.08		
Interest on bonds:				
School Bonds	$ 208.00			
Water Works	1,895.83			
Street Improvement	512.00			
		2,615.83		
Notes payable		25,596.80		
Accrued interest thereon		1,605.30		
			$38,203.20	
Bonded Indebtedness:				
Street improvement maturing 1-1-35		$32,000.00		
Water Works maturing 4-1-44		25,000.00		
School maturing 11-1-38		8,000.00		
			65,000.00	
				$103,203.20
Surplus				37,301.07
				$140,504.27

It might be stated that there were other indebtedness of the Town, which were not shown by said audit for the reason that there was no record of the same.

We would like to call your attention to the fact when the present administration went into office there was $4.13 cash on hand in the General Fund and was a General Fund overdraft of $421.29, leaving General Fund actually overdrawn $417.16, that is, the Town was in the hole that amount in the General Fund on October 6, 1930.

The first question asked in your Article was the indebtedness of the Town on the water works plant. This indebtedness is $25,000.00 bond indebtedness and $1800.00 on the filtering plant, both the water works and the filtering plant were purchased and provided for during former administrations.

The next question asked was the total bond indebtedness of the Town, which is as follows:

Street Improvements	$32,000.00
Water works (as stated above)	25,000.00
Schools	8,000.00
Total Bond Indebtedness	$65,000.00

The next question asked was the total monthly expense of the Town, which is as follows:

Salaries, including Mayor, Clerk, Supt. of Water Works, Supt. of Streets, Helper on Street, Day and Night Policeman, and Street Cleaner, $535.00; General Securities Corporation, on filtering plant, $200.00; Alabama Power Company for street lights, operating water works, and fire engine, approximately, $285.00. There are numerous miscellaneous items, such as necessary office supplies, extra help that the Town employs, lime for the filtering plant, accessories and parts for water works, gas and oil for truck and engine and water departments and necessary parts and repairs for tractors and graders and trucks and other machinery of the Town, approximately, $300.00, making a total of $1320.00. (Interest on past due indebtedness not included).

There is another question that was not asked in your column, but we think the citizens should have a right to know, which is Receipts of the Town from all sources. In this connection there are certain receipts as license and taxes which come only a few months of the year, but below we are setting out the yearly receipts and then the monthly average of the total Receipts:

Ad Valorem Taxes	$ 7,000.00
License	6,500.00
Fines and Cost	500.00
Water Works	12,000.00
Miscellaneous, such as rental equipment and other items	300.00
Total	$26,300.00

The above figures are the average receipts yearly of the Town of Clanton and it will be observed the monthly receipts of the Town are between $2100.00 and $2200.00. It might be stated that the receipts of the Town during the last ten months was some $2000.00 or $3000.00 more for the reason that $2082.03 was collected by the Town on one of the official bonds and the Town has also collected some several hundred dollars for some past due obligations.

Since October 6, 1930, in round numbers, about $14,000.00 has been paid upon past due open accounts and waived notes indebtedness. These payments have been for various and sundry items, among the same, being $1500.00 on the fire truck, around $1200.00 to the Alabama Power Co. for light bills which were past due, Farmers Hardware Company, around $400.00 on past due account, Eureka Fire Hose Company, around $700.00, past due salaries around $1100.00, past due notes to the General Security Corporation for filtering plant, $800.00, interest coupons on water work bond $1250.00, Standard Oil Company, past due indebtedness $300.00, L. C. Warr $200.00, and many more items which the records of the Town will show and all of this being accounts that were past due, or for interest that became due upon past indebtedness at the time the present administration went into office. In other words, since October 6, 1930, something over $14,000.00 has been paid on past due indebtedness of the Town of Clanton. In this connection we would like also to state that all current bills, created by the present administration have been paid and satisfied and there are some bills created by former administrations which have not been paid, but which we are paying off as fast as possible. The $14,000.00 which has been paid in round numbers, has been prorated out among the several creditors of the Town. The Town now pays its monthly current bills and is in a position to pay cash for all necessary purchases and obligations assumed by the Town.

All of the bonded indebtedness shown above and the indebtedness of the filtering plant and other debts mentioned above were created prior to the present administration assuming office and we have tried not to create any new debts, or to expend any sums of money except, of course, as is necessary to properly carry on the functions of the Town.

We would like to state further in regards to the water works and the rates which are now being charged, that this administration is using exactly the same rate used by the former administrations when the filtering plant was purchased, as it was estimated that it would be necessary to charge this rate in order to pay off the indebtedness of the filtering plant and the operation of the water works. We would like to call attention of the citizens to the fact, as stated above, that there is now $1800.00 due on the filtering plant and this is being paid for at the rate of $200.00 per month, the last past due note being paid August 15th and the final note will become due in April, 1932, at which time the filtering plant will be finally paid for, and it is the purpose to materially reduce the water rate about January 1st, 1932. The Town appreciates the fact that the present rate is high, but in view of the purchase of this filtering plant and the great improvement in the water being furnished and in view of the fact that only a few more months, the rates can be reduced, we feel that the citizens should bear with us during this time. As stated in the beginning of this letter, conditions are depressing and we heartily feel that expenses of operating the Town should be reduced wherever possible and we are glad to say that the Town is on a cash basis and that the credit of the Town is good and as stated we hope to, in the very near future, materially reduce the water rate.

Mr. Editor, we have tried to answer in this letter, each of the questions asked by you and we are glad of this opportunity to give the public information as to the financial conditions of the Town and we might state that the yearly audit of the Town affairs will be made in October of this year and we will be glad to have this printed in both the County papers. In conclusion, the business of the Town is the business of every single citizen and tax payer and we want each of you to feel free at any time to advise or suggest or help in any way that you might see fit, the officials in the operation of our Town.

Yours very truly,
J. LEE SMITH, Mayor.
Attest: C. H. PIPES, Clerk.

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After thinking things over for 24 hours, Samuel H. Youge of Richmond, Va., gave in and admitted he was 81 years old in order to get a license to marry Mrs. Lutie R. Archer.

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LOST KEYS—Lost on road between Clanton and golf course Friday, Aug. 14, three keys on small chain with clip. Finder bring keys to News office for liberal reward. 1tpd.

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Pleasant Valley News

Messrs. Irby DeRamus and Ben Oliver of Verbena were visiting this community last Saturday.

Messrs. Raymond Burkhalter and Osmond Lette made a business trip to Calera Sunday.

Mildred Neeley was the guest of Mary Burkhalter Sunday night.

Wilson Courtney and Leon Crane of Odenville are spending their vacation with relatives of this community.

Miss Charles Neeley of Bessemer is spending this week with her relatives at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Burkhalter spent this week end in Birmingham with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Prickett.

Miss Lula Courtney is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phate Courtney.

Misses Lena and Jewell DeLoach had for their Sunday dinner guests Mildred Neeley, Vivian and Elnor Silas.

Mr. Marshall Burkhalter spent a few enjoyable hours with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Burkhalter, Sunday.

Maggie Boockholdt and Charles Neeley dined with Marie Neeley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lette made a business trip to Verbena Monday.

Mrs. Asbery Sandlin is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Courtney.

Misses Agnes Gray and Essie Neeley of Clanton spent this week end in this community.

Mr. Dock Martin of Montgomery was the guest of his brother, Mr. Lloyd Martin, and family Sunday.

The following "pitched" a very enjoyable picnic at Log Cabin Beach Sunday: Misses Lena and Jewell DeLoach, Vivian and Elnor Silas, and Mildred Neeley, Messrs. Lloyd DeLoach, L. C. Cagle, Artis Hill and Elzie DeLoach.

Mr. Lewis Curlee is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. D. E. Patterson of this community.

A large number of young people of this place attended a wonderful B. Y. P. U. program of Birmingham, given at Maple Springs Sunday night.

DR. ARTHUR JOHNSON
Diseases and Surgery of the eye, ear, nose and throat. Fitting Glasses
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LIVE-AT-HOME GOAL IS BEING ATTAINED

Auburn, Ala. —The live-at-home movement which has been promoted with unusual success in Alabama to date this year will be continued through the fall and winter. With this in view, summer and fall garden work is now in progress, as reported by the county farm and home demonstration agents.

Plantings are being made, cultivation is being continued, and additional fertilizer is being applied. The aim is to make the garden render maximum service in supplying food for the family.

Fall vegetables listed by Julian Brown, extension horticulturist of the Extension Service of the Alabama Polytecnic Institute, are tomatoes, beans, turnips, parsnips, beets, lettuce, Swiss chard, rutabagas, cabbage, Chinese cabbage, spinach, mustard, onions, and other vegetables.

"The main things to do," said Mr. Brown, "are to keep planting, working, and fertilizing. When the weather is hot there is an inclination to neglect the garden. This is a mistake because a few hours spent in garden work at frequent intervals will keep it producing throughout the year."

Outside of tne garden farmers are producing and preparing to produce feed for animals. Rape, Austrian peas, and hairy vetch will be planted in the early fall. Most of the Austrian pea and hairy vetch plantings will be for soil improvement but many farmers will plant them for grazing and for hay. Where this is done either of these winter legumes and oats will be planted together.

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LOOKING FOR THINGS

Did you ever stop to think how much time we waste every day looking for things which have been mislaid? We misplace a letter or document and spend half an hour looking for it. Often several minutes are consumed in searching for a hat or pair of spectacles. Some froquently forget where they have parked the car.

This waste of time through lack of care in putting things in their proper places was called to our attention by a very timely article in a newspaper which has just come to our desk. It is such a fine article, so full of good common sense and practical advice, that we shall clip it out for our scrapbook at once.

Now where in the dickens did we put those scissors?

Billingsley News

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Simmons of Tuscaloosa were the week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Beadlescomb.

Miss Mabel King is at home after attending school at Alabama College at Montevallo for the summer term.

Miss Emmie Thompson of Autaugaville who formerly was one of the high school faculty here, spent the week end with Mrs. J. N. Carter.

Prof. H. A. Askins made a business trip to Mathews, Ala., the past week.

Carey Lowe Willis of Jones is spending some time with James Marlar.

W. J. Patrick with Misses Inez and Maude Lee Patrick made a business trip to Tuscaloosa Monday.

Mrs. T. L. Patrick spent the week end with her son, C. U. and Mrs. Patrick in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. King of Jones were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. King.

Mrs. W. J. Patrick and daughters, Misses Inez and Willie Jeanne, attended the wedding of Miss Martha Simpson in Birmingham Tuesday evening.

Mrs. E. H. Downs is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jim Kicker, in Holt, this week.

Elbert Williams returned home Sunday from the hospital in Clanton where he has been for treatment for a broken limb.

Mrs. A. J. Marlar, Mrs. John Wonder and Mrs. J. C. Hughes spent Tuesday in Clanton with relatives.

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NOTICE

Under and by virtue of the Power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed by John R. Martin and wife, Martha L. Martin, to the Southern Building & Loan Association, a corporation, on the 25th day of January, 1927, which said mortgage is recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 207 page 555; default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, the undersigned Southern Building & Loan Association, a corporation, will proceed to sell at the Courthouse Door at Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, within the legal hours of sale, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of September, 1931, the following described real estate, situated in the Town of Thorsby, Alabama, County of Chilton, State of Alabama, to-wit:

Lots Eleven (11) and Twelve (12) in Block numbered One (1); Lots 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14 in Block numbered 2; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, 15, and 16 in Block numbered 6, all according to the original map of the Town of Thorsby, Chilton County, Alabama, as recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of said County, in Book 41, on Page 183.

Also, Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 in Out-Lot "I" according to map of the subdivision of Out-Lot "I" in the Town of Thorsby, Alabama, as shown by map of said subdivision recorded in the Probate Office of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 128 on page 40.

Also the following described parcel of land situated in the Town of Thorsby, Chilton County, Alabama, viz: Commencing at a point which is One Hundred (100) feet Northwest of Chilton Avenue and on the West side of Washington Avenue in the Town of Thorsby, as per recorded plat thereof, run thence between Lots 12 and 13 in Block 6 in a Southwesterly direction Three Hundred Sixteen (316) feet, run thence in a Northwesterly direction and parallel with Washington Avenue Two Hundred Twenty-five (225) feet, run thence in a Northeasterly direction and parallel with Chilton Avenue Two Hundred Sixteen (216) feet, run thence in a Southeasterly direction and parallel with Washington One Hundred Seventy-five (175) feet, run thence in a Northeasterly direction 100 feet to the Western line of said Washington Avenue, run thence in a Southeasterly direction along the Western line of Washington Avenue Fifty (50) feet to the point of beginning, according to the Official map of said Town and map of the subdivision of Out-Lot "I" as recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama.

All the above said property is located in the Northwest quarter (NW¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Section 6, Township 22, Range 14, Chilton County, Alabama.

The said sale will be made for the purpose of paying all debts or other charges due under or secured by said mortgage, after the cost and expense of this foreclosure, including a reasonable attorneys' fee, shall have been paid.

This the 8th day of August, 1931.

SOUTHERN BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION, a corporation
By Lawrence F. Gerald,

REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity.

State of Alabama, Complainant vs. One Ford Touring Car, 1928 Model, Motor Number A-1155354, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 17th day of August, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M.,

On Tuesday, the 1st Day of September, 1931, the following described property, viz.: One Ford Touring Car, 1928 Model Motor Number A-1155354.

This the 18, day of August, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER.
1t Register.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity.

The State of Alabama Complainant vs. One Ford Roadster, 1925 Model, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 17th day of August, 1931 by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M.,

Tuesday 1st Day of September, 1931, the following described property, viz.: One Ford Roadster, 1925 Model.

This the 18th day of August, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
1t Register.

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Japanese judges are studying American jury methods; probably with a view to avoiding such antiquated practices.

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Even in peace times many motors might be included in casualty lists of dead or missing.

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D. W. Haskew, Pastor

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Next Sunday the pastor will preach at both hours, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. It is the policy of this pastor not to get after the folks who attend church about church attendance, but to be eternally after those who do not go. Some of you who read this will have your conscience to condemn you because you know that you are one who is indifferent about going to church. Why not play fair with your soul and fair with God and fill your place in God's temple?

For three Sundays our Sunday school has been growing. If you will give to us your presence we will continue to grow.

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PAGE, LINE, AND PARAGRAPH

American consumers of meat are demanding pork products with more lean in proportion to fat than formerly. The present demand is for a hog with a slaughter weight of about 200 pounds, rather long, fairly deep, fairly well finished, and with a good proportion of lean meat.

Winter killing causes nearly as heavy losses to the winter wheat crop as all wheat diseases combined. Using hardy varities, sowing in stubble or cornstalks, preparing a firm seed-bed on fallowed land by means of a duck-foot cultivator, sowing with furrow drills at proper rates and dates, and mulching with straw, reduce winter injury of wheat.

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3 RULES
big help to BOWELS

What a joy to have the bowels move like clockwork, every day! It's easy, if you mind these simple rules of a famous old doctor:

1. Drink a big tumblerful of water before breakfast, and several times a day.
2. Get plenty of outdoor exercise without unduly fatiguing yourself.
3. Try for a bowel movement at exactly the same hour every day.

Everyone's bowels need help at times, but the thing to use is Dr. Caldwells' Syrup Pepsin. You'll get a thorough cleaning-out, and it won't leave your insides weak and watery. This family doctor's prescription is just fresh laxative herbs, pure pepsin, and other helpful ingredients that couldn't hurt a child. But how it wakes up those lazy bowels! How good you feel with your system rid of all that poisonous waste matter.

DR. W. B. CALDWELL'S
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A Doctor's Family Laxative

Sunday School Lesson

for August 23

A GOSPEL FOR ALL MEN

Acts 11:5-18

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

Here is a lesson with an unsual amount of action. The Bible is far from being a dull book. To test this read from Acts 10:1 to 11:25 for the entire setting of the narrative. You will need your map in following the travelers as they journey between Caesarea, Joppa and Jerusalem.

Cornelius is a Roman centurion who had found the emptiness of the Roman mythology for purposes of religion and had developed faith in Jehovah as the only God. He was making practical use of his religion through prayer and practise. The knowledge that he gained made him eager for a fuller understanding of spiritual truths. In the midst of a certain prayer season he was directed to send messengers to Joppa and get Peter as a teacher of still larger spiritual conceptions.

Now Peter was a devout Hebrew as well as a growing Christian. National customs were part of his very life. He was strict in maintaining kosher diet. While awaiting summons for dinner he had a vision of various animals let down from heaven in a sheet, and was told to kill and eat. At once his Hebrew traning asserted itself as he declared that some of the animals were unclean. He was told that what God cleansed could not be unclean and the teaching of the vision was applied to those who at that very time were knocking at the gate The messengers from Cornelius were admitted and next day Peter went to the home of a Gentile that he might preach there and have full fellowship with them.

When Peter preached the full gospel as it is in Jesus Christ there was a renewal of the outpouring of the Holy Spirit, as on the day of Pentecost. The same spiritual forces were released and without hesitation the evangelist proceed to baptize the many believers.

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Early seeding of winter oats is necessary to get good returns from the crop. Experiments show that late seeding is often responsible for the low yield of fall-sown oats in the South.

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they have constant access to pure drinking water than if they are watered irregularly or only at certain hours. An automatic water bowl for each cow is the best way to supply water when the cows are confined in individual stalls, the Bureau of Diary has found. Place it at the right height—from 26 to 28 inches above the floor for Jerseys and other small breeds and from 28 to 30 inches for Holsteins.

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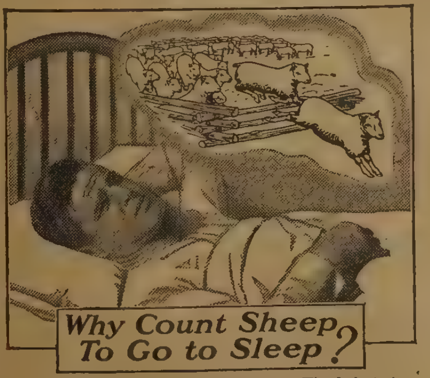

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TY COBB STANDS FIRST

Picking the greatest figures in various lines of activity is a mild but often interesting sport, and a jury of twelve old timers recently indulged in the pastime of selecting the outstanding baseball players of history. An average of the ratings given by the individual jurors lists the heroes of the diamond in this order: Ty Cobb, Hans Wagner, Babe Rpth, Nap Lajoie, Eddie Collins, Willie Keeler, Al Simmons and Tris Speaker.

Seven of the twelve judges picked Ty Cobb as the greatest baseball player of all time, while most of the others gave him second place. The opinion of Cobb's admirers was well expressed by Connie Mack, one of the judges, who said:

"Picking the greatest player that ever lived is easy, I think. I pick Ty Cobb. He was a good fielder, the greatest base runner in the game's history, the fastest thinker, and the most consistent hitter. How can you name anyone else?"

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NAGATA'S COMET

When Masana Nagata knocked off work as foreman of melon patch laborers near Brawley, Calif., on the evening of July 15, he was unknown outside of his own community. Today the name of Nagata is known throughout the scientific world, for that night he discovered a new comet which had escaped the eyes of all astronomers up to that time.

His discovery was made with a three-inch telescope, and reported to the great Mt. Wilson Observatory, where the genuiness of his find was verified. The new celestial visitor has since been observed by many astronomers and its orbit has been computed. It is some 167 million miles away and is receding from the earth. It will never be close enough to be visible to the naked eye. It has been named Nagata's comet in honor of its discoverer, as is customary in such cases.

Nagata is a Japanese, 45 years old, who has been interested in astronomy since he was a child, but only during the last 10 years has he possessed a telescope with which to pursue his study of the heavens. His only instruction in astronomy was obtained through a correspondence school course, and he frankly admits that he is only an amateur.

He will continue to till the soil by day and watch the stars at night, but his name will be perpetuated by the wandering comet which his keen eye discovered after professional astronomers with the finest telescopes had overlooked it.

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FEEDING THE FARM HORSE

The method of feeding the farm horse has much to do with his condition and with utilization of the feed, says the Bureau of Animal Industry. If the horse bolts his grain, make him eat it slowly by spreading it out in a large, flat box, by putting some smooth stones (about 3 inches in diameter) in the box, or by mixing the grain with bran, cut hay, or similar feed. If two kinds of hay are fed, one of which is especially palatable, the horse may waste the feed by pulling out and trampling it. In this case, feed only one kind at a time. Feed some hay the horse fills up on hay afterwards, and the grain is forced through the stomach too quickly. Keep the grain box and manger free from chaff, dirt, and other trash. Feed the horse only at regular intervals in the work season.

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Science has so far failed to find a salve to allay the itch for office.

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To The People
Of Chilton County

The Service Insurance Co., Inc., Home Office Anniston, Ala., has formed connection with the Spigener Funeral Home of Clanton, Ala., and we wish to express our appreciation of the opportunity of rendering our high class and efficient Service to the citizens of this County.

The Service Insurance Co., Inc., after 4 years of operation lays claim to the fact that our growth has been more rapid than any other company in the Funeral Insurance field. Being connected with 51 Funeral Homes and rendering Service in almost every county in Alabama.

The Service Insurance Co., Inc., is qualified and operating under the Laws of Alabama with an authorized capital stock of $250,000.00. Over 100,000 members and have rendered service in over 3000 homes.

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The Spigener Funeral Home is prepared to give the most efficient and sympathetic service known to the undertaking profession.

The Sands Of Time Run Swiftly!
Are You Prepared?

1. It is the purpose of this Company to furnish funeral benefits for our policy holders, and upon the death of a policy holder, to render such assistance as is proper in the conducting of the funeral; and, where the Company has an office, to provide a place where such funeral, memorial or other services may be held.

2. The company agrees as to adults to furnish a casket to the value of $250.00, embalm the body, furnish suit or dress and to furnish transportation for the body to the cemetery if burial is within 100 miles. For persons under eighteen and over fifteen years of age the casket is to be of the value of $150.00, and for children fourteen years of age and under, in proportion to age. If burial is not desired in said 100 mile radius the company will convey the body to the depot and pay transportation on same 1000 miles. In this event the company shall not be responsible for hearse service at destination.

3. The Company will when requested by any one having the authority furnish or cause to be furnished a casket of the value of $250.00 for adults and for children as per values above stated, for any policy holder who may die outside of the territory in which the Company is operating and, if the body is to be shipped will pay railway transportation on same for a distance not exceeding one thousand miles, provided such policy holder be in good standing on the books of the Company, and has notified the Home Office, in writing, of the change of address if it were reasonably possible to have given such notice.

4. The casket may be selected from stock of Company's undertakers by the person named in the policy, or by any other person having the authority. The Service Insurance Company or its authorized undertakers will handle all the details of the burial of deceased policy holders from their own parlors or home of deceased. But no expense incurred by other undertaker, or funeral director, embalmer or other person is to be paid by this Company.

5. No obligation is assumed by the Company prior to the date of this policy, nor then unless the policy holder is alive and has paid the first dues.

6. The dues for this policy shall be on a weekly basis, to be paid in advance and the following schedule to apply. For adults, twenty-five (25) cents per week; over ten years and under eighteen years of age, fifteen (15) cents per week; under ten years of age, ten (10) cents per week. Family schedule of dues shall be: For father or husband, twenty-five (25) cents per week; wife fifteen (15) cents per week; other members of the family as per above schedule. Free casket and transportation to local Cemetery will be furnished for still born infants provided father and mother are policy holders in good standing with this Company.

7. The Company shall not be liable for any benefits under this policy when the dues on same are more than four weeks in arrears, and the policy shall become lapsed and all dues paid thereon shall be forfeited to the Company. Provided, however, that should this policy become lapsed for non-payment of dues, it may be reinstated upon payment of all dues thus in arrears, and the furnishing of satisfactory evidence that the member is alive and in good health, and said dues not more than 26 weeks in arrears.

8. All dues are payable in advance at the Home Office of the Company but may be paid to an authorized representative, or District Manager. Such payments to be recognized, must be entered at the time of payment in the receipt book provided by the Company and bearing the same number as this policy. It shall be the duty of the policy holder to bring, or send said dues to the Home Office of the Company, or to the regular authorized branch office for that district.

9. After premiums upon this policy have been paid in accordance with tables below, upon written application made upon blanks furnished by the Company, accompanied by surrender of this policy and evidence of premium payments, the Company will pay a cash surrender value in accordance with the following table:

TABLE OF CASH SURRENDER VALUE

18 years and up Premium 25c.	End of	5 years	$ 25.00
	"	10 years	50.00
	"	15 years	75.00
	"	20 years	100.00
11 to 17 years. Premium 15c.	"	5 years	20.00
	"	10 years	30.00
	"	15 years	45.00
	"	20 years	75.00
1 to 10 years. Premium 10c.	"	5 years	15.00
	"	10 years	30.00
	"	15 years	37.50
	"	20 years	54.00

DISABILITY CLAUSE

If while this policy is in full force and effect and while there is no default in payment of premiums beyond the four weeks grace period. If the insured shall lose by severance of both hands or both feet or one hand and one foot or if the insured becomes totally and permanently disabled from work of any kind, immediately upon receipt of such proof thereatfer, no further premiums will be required and this policy will automatically become paid in full for service and burial at death as provided for and scheduled in this policy provided applicant was in sound health and mind when application was written

However, no disability will apply to persons over the age of 55 at the date of issue of this policy.

10. This policy contains the entire agreement between the Company and the policy holder and owner hereof. No alterations, or changes in the terms may be made except by written agreement signed by the president or secretary of the Company.

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Please have your Representative call and explain the benefits of your Burial Insurance Plan.

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Farmers Of Chilton County Visited Auburn On Tuesday

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ley, Tom Lessley, J. D. Sutley, W. L. Lessley, J. R. Scott.

W. A. Cox, Elzie Patterson, Raymond Cox, R. F. Holley, M. C. Childress, B. Lawrence, C. M. Lawrence, Houston Lawrence, Henry Lawrence, R. H. Popwell, Mrs. R. H. Popwell, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Popwell, Nelson Parrish, J. N. Dennis, James Dennis, S. Y. Dorminey, Ed Kelly, Horace Popwell, Reedie Taylor, Billie Popwell, Raymond Mims, O. C. Duke, W. T. Bean, J. D. Collins, Sr., H. S. Shaw, W. M. White, Earle Thomas, S. M. Jones, E. S. Jones, W. H. Veazey, Howard Wyatt.

(Colored) Ocie McHiney, A. G. Gordon, Moses Brown, Archie Hall, Anthony Holyfield, Obie Collins, Ben Brown, A. G. Craig, Noble Dobby.

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We Cordially
Invite
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Sunday, August 23, 1931

THE DIXIE CAFE

High School Here Will Open September 7th

(continued from front page)

expect to earn $78,000; and the college man or woman will earn $150,000. Based on these figures a high school education is worth in actual dollars $33,000 or about $8,000 for each of the four years. Using 180 days as average school year, this would mean that each day spent in school in accumuuative dividends to the high school boy would be worth nearly $45.00.

Education like most everything else cost money. That must of course be taken into consideration. We owe it to ourselves to provide for the future. The lowly squirrel knows that as she gathers her nuts and stores them away for the long winter months.

Now lets look at this going to school business just as we would look into any other business proposition. We must not consider the material side as I have dealt largely with in this article, but may we get the thought anew here and now, that the business of a school among other things is to reveal the higher qualities of the pupils as they come in contact with the personel of the teaching force in any school. May we teach the child to appreciate a sun set, to plant a rose garden, and walk therein in the late afternoon as was the Master's custom to do.

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The best grade fresh turnip seed on the market will be found at the Upchurch Drug Company. Buy yours now.

News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

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It was a perfect lark to the girls that camped out with the Boy Scouts Thursday night. The Boy Scouts have an ideal camping ground. Crispy bacon and crackling potato chips greeted the party of five at the edge of the woods. Those enjoying the camp supper and night on Nature's own green earth were Mrs. G. W. Freeman and Miss Odie Lee Arthur, who acted as chaperones, Edith Johnson, Doris Freeman, and Dorothy Butler. The only cover was a blanket of stars and dew-dripping blankets. The night cries are long to be remembered, such as "I forgot my tooth brush," "Aw, Shoot!" "Edith, hush up," "Bill, lets cut another watermelon," "Oh, for a pillow!" and various other cries. The night watches were marked by a watermelon cutting at 1:30 in the morning. Because of the keen appetites of the girls the night before no breakfast was available so the girls turned out at six and took breakfast at the Freeman home.

Mr. Sumner Gerald, who has been teaching at Piedmont College in Georgia, is home for a few days.

Dr. S. C. Wood is home after being confined three weeks in a hospital in Birmingham.

Miss Agnes Leary was hostess to a few friends for dinner Monday. The guests were Mrs. Pearson, Doris Freeman, Odie Lee Arthur.

Mr. Cecil Each was home Sunday from Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Butler, and daughters, Elizabeth and Frances, spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Butler. Frances is remaining until Thursday.

Miss Margaret Butler was home for the week end.

Miss Dera Rowell is home from Piedmont to spend a few weeks, after which she is planning to return and continue her college course.

Miss Gertrude Steiner is the visitor of Miss Dorothy Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Moody and Mrs. V. L. Sutlive spent the week end in Thorsby with Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald.

Miss Christine Bosworth spent the week end in Thorsby.

Miss Naemi Turnquist is home for her vacation.

Clipping from the Tuscaloosa News, Miss Edith Johnson of Thorsby is the guest of Misses Helen and Lois Kane during the week end.

Miss Astrid Ekblad left Saturday to visit her brother in Chicago and sister in Rockford, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Butler, Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Each, Miss Margaret Davison, and Rev. Ensminger from Demorest, Georgia, attended the convention at Tallassee last week.

Miss Frances Wilson spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Popwell attended the Farmer's Day festival at Auburn, Alabama, Tuesday.

The Butler home was a place of much revelry on Friday night of this past week. Miss Dorothy Butler entertained the following at a slumber party: Doris Freeman, Kathryn and Edith Foss, Christine Bosworth, Edith Johnson, Gertrude Steiner, and Ella Howard. A midnight luncheon was served after which the extinguishing of the lights by the Alabama Power Company put the girls to bed. Sleep denied, the girls resorted to a beautiful sunrise. Each girl helped in preparing the breakfast.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Peterson from Angola, Indiana are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peterson.

Ruth, Dorothy and Norma Peterson from Ensley motored to Thorsby Sunday to see relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Peterson and children of Birmingham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Peterson.

Mrs. H. V. Thompson of Birmingham spent the week end in Thorsby with her husband.

Clipping from the Tuscaloosa News, Mrs. Charles Howard and children, Lloyd and Ella, and Misses Kathryn and Edith Foss from Thorsby, Alabama, are the charming guests of Mrs. Anna Phalin on 14th st. and 14th ave.

Miss Bertha Littleton spent the week end in Thorsby.

The Fruit Growers Association is unloading a car of bushel baskets. Digging and shipping of new sweet potatoes is expected to begin in the next few days. It is estimated there will be about ten car loads shipped from the county.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Peterson and son, Fendell, of Houston, Texas, arrived in Thorsby Monday night and will spent a few days before continuing their trip to Chicago.

Mrs. Anna Phalin and son, Thomas, are spending a week in Thorsby with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard.

Dorothy Butler and Gertrude Steiner left Tuesday for Lay Dam to visit Mr. and Mrs. Elery Hanson.

Miss Thelma Martin of Birmngham is a visitor of Miss Myradine Martin for a few days.

Miss Sallye Thompson has returned after a weeks visit in Clanton with her grandmother.

Mr. Erchel Martin spent a few days with sisters, Mrs. Ernest Moore and Mrs. Curtis Billingsley.

Mrs. C. C. Peterson entertained last Thursday in honor of Mrs. T. T. Thorsen and Mrs. Sam Thorsen, the following people: Mrs. Foss, Mrs. Reagan, Mrs. Bosworth, Mrs. Villadsen, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Gerald, Mrs. N. C. Peterson, Mrs. Charles Howard.

Mrs. E. E. Hanson entertained Mrs. Bosworth, Mrs. Reagan, Mrs. Foss, Mrs. Sam Thorsen, Mrs. T. T. Thorsen, Mrs. Carl Peterson, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Howard, and Mrs. Bob Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Peterson and family of Birmingham spent Sunday with relatives.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid will meet this week, Thursday, at the home of Mrs. Conrad Carlson.

Mrs. T. T. Thorsen and Mrs. Sam Thorsen spent last week with Mrs. James Bosworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Williams and children, Floyd and Lena, spent the week end in Bessemer with Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Edmonds.

Miss Mary Sue Robinson is spending two weeks in Lincoln, Alabama.

Major James B. Hutchison spent Monday in Thorsby.

Miss Elizabeth Whitley of Birmingham spent the week end with Mr. T. W. Robinson.

Mrs. P. S. Orth and son, George, and daughter, Katharine, of Ensley were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Piper.

Mr. and Mrs. Gamble and children of Remlap were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Piper.

Miss Clara Vines has returned from Howard College where she has been taking a summer course.

Dr. and Mrs. Lee visited Birmingham last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard and Mrs. John R. Boyd spent Wednesday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira E. Sarber in Elmore.

Mrs. John R. Boyd after a two monthe visit with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Goddard returned on Thursday to her home in Preston, Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Massey of Liberty Hill.

There will be Scandinavian services at 10:45 next Sunday at the Lutheran church.

On August 30th Rev. S. H. Newman of Groveland, Florida, will preach in the Lutheran church in the English language. Everybody is invited.

Mr. Ralph Pate gave a picnic Thursday, August 13th, in honor of his birthday. The party went to Log Cabin Beach. Those present were: Lois Thompson, Edith Foss, Ella Howard, Myradine Martin, Lucile Each, Juanita Each, Mary Nelle Jones, Dorothy Von Franklin, Gene Swanson, Kathryn Foss, Katheryn Lenoir, Louise Robinson, Eloise Rasberry, Wilma Goodgame, Verlon Goodgame, Ruby Connatser, Helen Lowery, Conradine Pate, Mary Ruth Nix, Cora Connatser, Louise Bates, Roma Lee Pate, George Nix, Ralph Pate, Lloyd Howard, Clarence Benson, Claud Gore, Claud Collins, Kenneth O'Barr, Chester Dorough, J. C. O'Barr, Leo Spivey, Hubert Reinhardt, L. C. Lowery, Charles Childress, Ollis Littleton, Thomas Hays and Conway Thornburgh.

Dr. Horace Franklin has located in Thorsby and has his office on second floor of the Masonic building.

Alabama Merchants Will Convene September 3-4

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from the dancing class of Maybelle Sawyer will present a number of artistic features including on Oriental Novelty, Moonbeam Dance, Acrobatic dances and the Merchants Strut. Several aquatic novelties will be presented by the pupils of Prof. W. W. Abell, swimming instructor followed by the Merchants Ball, led by the Convention Queen and U. G. White, of Athens, Ala., President of the Alabama Merchants Association.

There will be a wrestling match at the Municipal Auditorium on the second night of thei program and Prof. Emory Hawk, economist of Birmingham-Southern College will speak. A prize of $200 will be given away as an attendance prize to some visiting merchant.

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Mrs. Hugh Simpson and son Charles, left Monday for Perdido Bay where they will join Mrs. Fenn Jones and party for several days.

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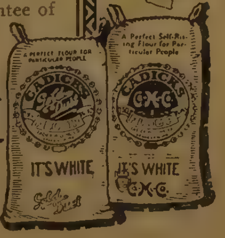
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NECTAR ORANGE PEKOE **TEA**	1-2 lb. pkg.	25c
OUR OWN BLEND **TEA**	1-2 lb. pkg.	19c
BANNER BRAND POTTED **MEATS**	10 1/4 cans	5 c
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WHEATS WORTH GRAHAM **CRACKERS**	2 pkgs.	25c
PACIFIC BULK PEANUT **BUTTER**	2 lbs.	25c
OCTAGON SOAP **POWDER**	6 pkgs.	25c
RINSO	3 pkgs.	25c
LIFEBOUY HEALTH **SOAP**	4 cakes	25c
A & P LIMA **BEANS**	no. 2 can	25c
OUR LEADER **BROOMS**	each	25c
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RAINBOW — PLAIN or SELF-RISING **FLOUR**	24 lb. bag 48 lb. bag	49c 98c
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LEGIONNAIRES PLAN TO FIGHT RED ACTIVITIES

Each Post in State to be Asked to Select Committee for Work In Territory

Counter attacks "in all legal ways" against spread of communism in Alabama was set as a major objective of the American Legion by the department executive committee at the Tutwiler Sunday. The movement will be under direction of the newly appointed chairman of the Americanization committee, Capt. R. B. Laird, of Huntsville.

Each post in the state will be asked to name a committee to work in its territory.

A bulletin issued by the executive committee states:

"It has come to the attention of the department executive committee that a horde of Communists has descended upon our state spreading a flood of propaganda opposing our form of government, our social conditions, our race relationships and all the bases upon which our society rests, advocating race equality, destruction of law and authority by force and violence.

"The legal decision condemning the negro rapists in the Scottsboro cases, the action of authorities in Tallapoosa County in recent racial trouble, means used in Jefferson County to find the negro murderer of two girls, our system of race segregation are being viciously attacked by paid agents of the Communist party and by literature in its name.

"The legion believes in free speech, it condemns violence, it will work for the orderly government and peace in race relationships which we in this state must have."

CAMP MEETING OF ADVENTISTS TO OPEN SOON

Annual Conference to be Held At Verbena Beginning Friday, August 28

A representative of the Chilton County News visited yesterday the location of the coming annual camp meeting of the Seventh-day Adventists, which is to be held at Verbena, August 28 to September 5. The use of the Verbena High School and grounds has been tendered by the school board while Hon. H. B. Oliver has given the use of additional property adjoining the school. The News reporter was pleased to see the excellent arrangement of the camp where it is planned for the delegates from the various Seventh-day Adventist church congregations in Alabama to spend the time of the convention.

The auditorium of the school building will be used for the main meeting hall while large tents will house the

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LANDE PARTY RETURNED FROM AN INTERESTING MOTOR TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. M. Lande and talented young son, Ervin, Miss Bertha Margolis and Harry Margolis returned last week from a motor trip that took them into several states, where they visited many points of interest, including the cities of Nashville, Louisville, St. Louis, Chicago and Hodgenville, Ky. They were accompanied as far as Chicago by Mr. Lande's mother, Mrs. S. Lande, whose home is in Chicago and who has been visiting in Clanton.

While in Hodgenville, Ky., the party visited the Lincoln Memorial and brought back some interesting photos of the place, including one of the log cabin home of Lincoln.

SINGING AT PLEASANT GROVE CHURCH ON NEXT SUNDAY

There will be a singing at the Pleasant Grove church, seven miles west of Clanton on next Sunday, August 30, according to an announcement this week. Everyone is invited to come and bring song books.

FAIRVIEW 4-H CLUB TO MEET FRIDAY NIGHT OF THIS WEEK

Members of the 4-H Club of the Fairview Community are urged to attend the meeting to be held there tomorrow night, Friday, August 28th. There is an interesting program planned for this meeting.

TO DELIVER SERMONS AT REVIVAL AT CHURCH OF CHRIST

G. A. DUNN, JR.,
Evangelist of Dallas, Texas, who will deliver the sermons at the Church of Christ, beginning next Sunday night.

REVIVAL OPENS AT CHURCH OF CHRIST SUNDAY

Other Churches To Join In Services At Revival Sunday Night

Much interest is being shown in the revival at the Church of Christ, in Clanton which is scheduled to begin on next Sunday night, August 30th.

G. A. Dunn, Jr., evangelist of Dallas, Texas, will be in Clanton during this revival meeting to deliver the sermons at the church. Mr. Dunn is well known over the entire state and other states, being an evangelist of note. He has made two trips into the old country visiting the Holy Lands, and has conducted revivals in almost every state in the union. He is a man who is fully capable of delivering sermons at such a meeting and those attending are assured of hearing some extremely interesting and inspiring messages.

According to an announcement this week, other churches of Clanton are to give way on their services for next Sunday night and the congregations are asked to join in with the members of the Church of Christ on the first service of their revival meeting. This meeting is scheduled to continue for a week or ten days. Services will be held each evening at seven-forty-five o'clock.

Miss Edna Lowe has returned home from the University of Alabama where she received her Master of Arts degree this summer.

NEW FEDERAL REGULATIONS BIRD HUNTING

I. T. Quinn Gives Timely Advice in Reference to Killing Migratory Birds

"I call the attention of the public to the new Federal regulations in reference to hunting, shooting and killing migratory birds during the coming season.

"Regulation Four, having to do with open seasons on and possession of certain migratory game birds under proclamation of the President of the United States on March 17, 1931, is as follows:

'Waterfowl (except snow geese in Florida and all States north thereof bordering on the Atlantic Ocean, Ross geese, cackling geese, wood duck, eider ducks, and swans), rails coot, gallinules, woodcock, Wilson snipe or jacksnipe, and mourning doves may be taken each day from half an hour before sunrise to sunset during the open seasons prescribed therefor in this regulation, except that the hour for the commencement of hunting on the opening day of

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Mrs. Sadie Schwartz of Chicago is spending several days in Clanton as the guest of her brother, M. Lande, and Mrs. Lande. Mrs. Schwartz, after visiting in Clanton plans to extend her trip on to Hot Springs, Ark., where she will spend sometime before returning to her home in Chicago.

ANOTHER BIG PICNIC IS SET FOR AUGUST 30

To Be Held On Chilton Side Of River; Fish Fry and Barbecue Scheduled

Next Sunday, August 30th, is the day set for another big picnic for those who reside in Chilton County, and formerly of Coosa County, and for the Coosa County people, according to an announcement that was made last week.

The picnic will be held again this time at the ferry, on the Rockford road, on the Chilton side of Coosa river. The picnic held sometime ago, was a success and a much larger crowd is expected to attend the one next Sunday.

A fish fry and barbecue is on schedule for the day, as well as music and boat races. Among the speakers of the day will be Hon. A. C. Smith of Clanton and Hon. F. A. Gulledge of Verbena. Dinner will be served at 12:30 and everyone is invited.

SCHOOL TERM QUESTION IS ARISING HERE

Supt. Lawrence Gives Views On Question In Letter To People This Week

Since the question concerning the length of the term of the schools in Chilton County has risen, and many have questioned it, B. Lawrence, superintendent of Education gives his views on the matter in a letter for publication this week. Following is the statement as secured from Mr. Lawrence Tuesday:

"Many people are asking me every day about what length of school term Chilton County will have for the year just beginning. I wish I could answer this question but no one, even to state authorities, seem to be able to furnish any definite information.

"The situation is simply this: We have something over $15,000 of state warrants issued by the state last year

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Every Farm Family In Chilton County Should Plant A Fall & Winter Garden

Farmers Urged To Live At Home; Information Is Given On Planting Fall And Winter Gardens Including Planting Dates, Fertilizers, Etc.

Every farm family in Chilton County should plan and act now, to plant a Fall and Winter garden, and to store sufficient potatoes and other products for winter consumption. Sometime ago the urge was sent out for families to can up as many fruits and vegetables as possible and it is not yet too late for this to be done, and assure families of food for the Winter.

Perhaps the lesson from the ant who stores food in the summer for winter consumption is now needed more than in previous years. Following is some very timely and worthwhile information on the producing of a Fall and Winter Garden. This information has the approval of the County Agent, and the time to act in regard to this is Now:

The Fall And Winter Garden
By Julian Brown, Ex. Horticulturist

Select, as nearly as possible, a fertile, moist, well-drained location. Break the ground broadcast, turning it thoroughly at least once.

Broadcast heavy applications of barnyard manure; at least five two-horse loads should be used to the one-fourth acre. Where it is impossible to apply this manure, apply about 200 pounds of 8-4-4 to the one-fourth acre before planting. In addition to this, side dress the leafy vegetables, such as turnips and cabbage, with nitrate of soda at the rate of one to two pounds to one hundred feet of row.

Cultivate lightly after the vegetables begin to grow, just enough to keep down weed growth.

Where there is danger from hard freezes, vegetables such as beets, carrots, cabbage, and turnips should be dug and stored for the winter. Beets, carrots and turnips may be stored either in a cellar or in a specially prepared pit made in the following manner: (1) Select a well-drained area, dig pit about 12 inches deep, four to six feet wide, and long enough to accommodate all the vegetables to be stored. (2) Cover the bottom with pine straw. (3) Cut

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Legion Auxiliary To Meet On Sept. 7

The Clanton unit of the American Legion Auxiliary will hold its regular monthly meeting on Monday night, September, the 7th, at 7:30 o'clock, at our regular meeting place. This will be a very important meeting and each member is urged to be present. A very interesting report will be given of the convention just held at Talladega, Ala., according to Mrs. Percy M. Pitts, President.

SOMEBODY HAS WON CLOCK AT CALLOWAY DRUG CO.

Joe Calloway says that someone has won a handsome clock at his drug store, the Calloway Drug Company, and when they bring in the right card, he will take pleasure in awarding the clock. The clock will be given to the person who has the card which says the clock would stop at 6:02 a.m. This clock has been running several days and stopped at that time last Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Williams, of Verbena, have announced the arrival of a fine and charming baby girl, born at their home Monday, August 17th, whom they have named Jean Patricia.

Collins Chapel School To Get Auditorium

It is understood that plans are now underway for the erection of a large auditorium as an annex to the attractive Collins Chapel School House. Thiss will fill a long felt need.

Patrons of the school are at work now in raising a sufficient amount of funds to start the work, and it is hoped that the auditorium will be completed within the next month or so, if the necessary funds can be raised.

COUNTY FARM INMATE DIED LAST SATURDAY MORNING

Mrs. Annie Glenn, age 60, and an inmate of the county farm succumbed to a lingering illness last Saturday morning. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at New Salem. Martin & Sons of Clanton in charge.

CITY CLERK RETURNS FROM VACATION; OFFICE OPEN

C. H. Pipes, city clerk, has returned from his vacation and is now back in his office, seemingly much benefitted from his few days rest from work. The office of the city clerk having been closed during Mr. Pipe's absence, is now open.

Planting Of Dewberries In County Discussed At Recent Meeting And Several Acres Signed Up

At a recent meeting of growers of strawberries of the county the planting of dewberries for market and home consumption was taken up. Several farmers over the county have cultivated dewberries to an advantage and realized a profit from them. Following are some items of interest about dewberries:

The crop looks promising as a money crop. Dewberries ripen about two weeks after we are through with the strawberries. The yield and price usually run about like strawberries. It takes about 2200-2500 plants per acre. Plants cost about 1c each, set in January or February. It takes about 600 pounds of fertilizer per acre annually.

MAPLESVILLE SCHOOL TO GET ADDITIONAL ROOM

A contract has been let to E. L. Stringfellow of Maplesville for the erection of an additional class room to the Maplesville high school, according to information from the office of the county superintendent of education.

Mr. Stringfellow also has the contract to complete the work on the school building at Isabella. This work, it was stated, is expected to begin right away, and will enable the Maplesville school to meet the standards for accreditment.

NEW USE FOUND FOR BRICK BROODERS BY MANY FARMERS

A new use has been found for brick brooders according to a letter from the office of the county agent. It is for drying fruit, such as peaches and apples. Simply spread the fruit on boards in the house, build fire and dry for two days. It would probably be better to spread on hardware cloth. This seems to be a much better method than that of spreading on top of house.

BIDS RECEIVED FOR KEEPER OF CO. ALMSHOUSE

Thirty-Three Bids Received By Commissioners To Be Looked Into Saturday

Members of the Commissioners Court of Chilton County met at the county almshouse last Monday for the purpose of receiving bids from people for the place of keeper of the farm for next year.

Information from the office of the Judge of Probate stated this week that thirty-three bids were received by the Commissioners Court for this place. This was said to have been the largest number of bids ever received for this place in this county. These bids will be placed before the next meeting of the Court which is scheduled to be held next Saturday morning, August 29, at ten o'clock in the morning, at which time it is hoped a decision will be made as to who will be the keeper of the almshouse for next year.

The Commissioners Court is allowing $8.50 per month for each inmate the information stated, and this amount is for food and incidentals. The county it was stated will furnish each inmate with clothing in the future, and this item is not included in the $8.50 per month for each inmate. It was stated that although the change in the keeper does not take place until next January 1st, they are making arrangements now so the keeper for the following year may be making preparations now for food for the inmates for his term, in the way of planting fall gardens on the property.

ABUNDANT FOOD SUPPLY ASSURES FARMER SAFETY

Survey Admits Money Scarce But Says Low Price Won't Spell Ruin

Twenty weekly newspaper editors of Alabama have written the State Department of Agriculture and Industries, stating that farmers have more food and feed crops for their families and livestock than ever before and that farmers have more occasion to be optimistic than other classes of people.

It is generally agreed by the editors that there has been a tendency among farmers not to place all their "eggs" in the "cotton basket" but have diversified by growing various crops. They have also reduced their cost of production.

G. A. Carleton, Grove Hill Democrat, wrote:

"With cribs filled to overflowing with corn, lofts swelling with oats and hay, big banks of potatoes, sleek cows,

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COTTON GINNINGS IN CHILTON SHOW FLUCTUATIONS IN YEARS

According to figures from the paper, Alabama Farm Production for August, cotton ginnings since 1924 is as follows:

1924, 14,476 bales; 1925, 19,946 bales; 1926, 20,211 bales; 1927, 15,667 bales; 1928, 15,420 bales; 1929, 18,974 bales; 1930, 22,507 bales.

DEEP SEA RODEO DAUPHIN ISLAND ENDED AUG. 19TH

Sam Powers Wins Prize By Landing 355 Pound Shark After 2 Hours Battle

By David Holt

More than 300 fishermen, representing twenty-four states trolled for game fish during the third Alabama Deep Sea Fishing Rodeo, at Fort Gaines, on Dauphin Island, at the entrance to Mobile bay, August 17, 18 and 19

A tropical disturbance was reported in the Carribean sea, though the storm went inland in Central America. A series of local squalls on the day before the rodeo began, kicked up a heavy sea in the Gulf and coluded the waters on the inside of Mobile bay, so that Monday was not an ideal fishing day, tho the sun shone bright and gentle, variable winds calmed the sea and gradually cleared the bay water. On Tuesday, the second day of the event fishing and conditions were greatly improved and on the final day, when the contest came to a close at 3 p.m., both bay and gulf were back to normal for the season.

Palmer Gaillard, Mobile attorney and sportsman, was awarded the prize offered for the first tarpon caught; the judges having established the rule that not more than one of the prizes should be given for one fish. The Pfleuger "Atlapac" reel offered by the Enterprise Manufacturing Co., Akron, O., rod and Ashway line, to make a complete deep-sea fishing outfit, offered as the first prize, were returned to the donors, as was a similar outfit, with "Templar" reel, offered as the second prize. The first was for the largest

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HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY WILL GATHER SOON

Principal Makes Statement on Opening Of Local High School Sept. 7th

Following is a statement received this week from Prof. [illegible], principal of the Chilton County High School, in regard to the [illegible] of the faculty for the next school term which opens Monday morning, Sept. 7.

"One week from next Saturday morning, on September 5, at 9:00 o'clock, in the office of the Chilton County High School, the members of the faculty will meet for the purpose of preliminary arrangements to be made for the formal opening of the School on Monday morning following. Every member of the faculty will be present and definite plans will be made and

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MRS. JACK SIMMS RUSHED TO BIRMINGHAM HOSPITAL MON.

Mrs. Jack Simms, who has been residing just north of Clanton near the Reynolds swimming pool was rushed to a Birmingham hospital late Monday night in a Martin & Sons ambulance. Mrs. Simms was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams when she became suddenly and critically ill. Doctors were called immediately but she seemed to rally very little. Latest reports, received Tuesday afternoon stated that her condition was critical. Mr. Simms is connected with the Southern Bell Telephone Co., in Birmingham.

HILYER FAMILY REUNION TO BE HELD AUGUST 30TH

According to an announcement made by J. D. Hilyer, a prominent citizen of the northern part of the county, the entire Hilyer family of this section is invited to be present at his home on Sunday, August 30th. This will be a family reunion and guests are expected to arrive about ten o'clock Sunday morning. Mr. Hilyer resides on the Jemison and Lay Dam Road, east of Jemison. Anyone not in the Hilyer family is also invited. There will be two interesting sermons during the day and dinner served picnic style.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh L. Binford, of Selma have been spending the first part of the week in Clanton. Mr. Binford is connected with the A. H. Niolon & Son Coffee Co., and is well known in the county.

IN LOVING MEMORY

Sweet memories linger in our hearts today
Of a little friend gone on her way.
Ruth Jones, her mission done—a little sunbeam
Gone back to the Son.

Sweet to meet, but sad to part
Seems the way of a human heart.
Yet we should try to be content
When the Master calls, and a life is spent.

One by one we all must go,
The certain time we never know.
There's a certain promise—how true it is—
We'll go home to Him, for we are His.

It's just a truth we all must face.
A child was called to fill her place,
Her body resting beneath the sod,
Her pure white soul gone home to God.

—Dedicated to the memory of Ruth Jones by her aunt, Mrs. Wiley Funderburk, Dallas, Texas.

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Mama—But, Jonnie, if your ear-ache is better, why do you keep on crying?

Johnnie—I'm waiting for D-dady to c-come home. He's never s-seen me with a ear-ache.

Fresh stock Fall Turnip seed. Calloway Drug Co., Clanton.

NEWSPAPER TALK

When one reads an unusual news story about somebody who proposes to perform an unheard-of-feat, the item is often viewed with skepticism, and dismissed with a shrug of the shoulders as being "only newspaper talk." And more often than not that is all it amounts to.

Files of daily newspapers of February 5, 1927, contain such an item, which it is interesting to read again, in view of what really happened later. It is an Associated Press dispatch from St. Louis, in part as follows:

"A St. Louis-to-Paris airplane flight for the $25,000 Orteig prize is under contemplation by Captain Charles A. Lindbergh, chief pilot on the St. Louis-Chicago air mail route. Captain Lindbergh proposes to go alone, using a small plane. The flight to New York would be made in one day. The second leg of the trip, 3,200 miles, Lindbergh believes he can make in 32 hours."

Three and a half months later that dispatch was verified except that it took the flyer an hour and a half longer than he had estimated. This made more "newspaper talk," and Lindy is still making it.

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Fairview News

The Fairview 4-H Club will meet next Friday night, August the 28th, and want all members to be present. The following is the program:

Vocational Agriculture, by Delos Culp.

Why We Should Have Good Terraces, by Morris Keen.

Qualities of a Good Laying Hen, by S. L. Broadhead.

Key to 4-H Club, by Carlos Owen.

Fertilizing a Home Garden, by Alton Culp.

Feeding and Care of Laying Hens, by Julius Mullins.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Clackley and two children of Birmingham, Mrs. Jadie Bean and daughter from Thorsby, Mrs. Etta Mims and daughter, and Mrs. Harriett Clackley from Jemison, and Mr. Lloyd Bean of Thorsby spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Wagner last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Giles were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Giles last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cox and family visited their sister, Mrs. J. M. Roper of Deatsville Sunday.

Misses Avoleen Webb, Jewel Foshee, Louise Cox and Mrs. M. R. Durbin dined with Inez McKee last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Foshee and little Elsie Fay Kemp of Birmingham, Mrs. Vollie Mims, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Williams and children, Myrtle and Aull, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Littlejohn and daughter, Evan, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Foshee Sunday.

Mrs. N. H. Culp and niece, Elsie Myrle Griffin, spent the day with Mrs. Zella Scott Sunday.

Misses Peggy Foshee, Willie Nell and Edith Culp, Inez McKee and Mrs. Ruth Durbin dined with Miss Lloyd Culp Sunday.

Mrs. Ola Edwards spent last week in Birmingham visiting Mrs. M. L. Warren and Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Durbin.

Miss Avoleen Webb was the guest of Miss Peggy Foshee last week.

Inez McKee dined with Mrs. N. H. Culp last Tuesday.

Eastview News

Mr. Jim Rushing died Monday about 8:30 a.m. He had not been sick. He attended church here Sunday night and was pruning his watermelons when he was taken. He went to the house and told his wife that he was afraid he wouldn't live to get to see her, and died in a few minutes. At the time of this writing it is expected that burial will not take place until sometime Wednesday, as his mother-in-law, Mrs. Strength was in Detroit at the time of his death, and they want to keep him out until she arrives. He joined the church here the 2nd Sunday in June and has been a faithful member ever since. He leaves to mourn his loss a loving wife, an aged father and stepmother, ten children, three sisters, and a host of relatives and friends. The Lord gave and the Lord has taken away, blessed be the name of the Lord.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins, Mr. and Mrs. Arian Parker, Miss Gulma Traywick and Miss Catherine Strength motored to Pleasant Hill Sunday where Rev. A. C. Nelson delivered a sermon at 11 a. m. He also preached at another point at 3 p.m. and again at 8 p.m.

Mr. J. A. Dobbs and family visited the former's sister, Mrs. Nellie Driver, and family Sunday.

Miss Jessie Belle Speer, who has been at work in Montgomery, is spending this week at home with her parents.

Mrs. Sallie Strength spent the week end in Birmingham visiting her daughter, Mrs. Oro Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Culpepper spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Henson.

Misses Mary Sue and Emma Dean Smith visited Misses Lillian and Evelyn Devaughn Saturday evening.

Our Sunday school is still growing. We have 79 on roll, but some don't come regular. Bring the children to Sunday school, and let your light shine that the world may see your light and glorify your father which is in heaven.

We have Christian Endeavor every Sunday night. You are always welcome at Eastview.

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The world's deepest gold mine, which extends into the earth for one and one-half miles, is located at Morro Velho, Brazil.

Because there are no school houses in Northern Ontario, Canada, the youth of that section are taught on well-equipped traveling school trains.

A Chicago woman got a divorce because her husband told her kissing was "barbarous and ancient."

Searching for counterfeit money, the police of London wrecked the interior of five houses, tearing out floors and pulling down walls.

Mrs. Clara Hopper of Hammond, Ind., had her husband arrested for knocking her down and sitting on her, and then she begged the court to release him.

MAIN STREET Looks at BROADWAY

New York Prisoners—

Small towns, with their one-cell "hoose-gows" in which tramps are the usual inmates for a one-night sojourn, think of New York as a terrible place, with its many thousands of prisoners. These men are held in police stations, the notorious Tombs, where Harry Thaw was held for the many months of his trial, the old Blackwell's Island, in the East River where sentences over a month and less than a year are served, and many other houses of detention.

Two Federal prisons are also located in the city, Governor's Island, where soldiers and sailors under sentence are immured, and Fort Wadsworth which ranks with Leavenworth and Atlanta, although very much smaller. There is also the Federal House of Detention, at West and Eleventh Streets, where men are held for trial.

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No Conversationalists—

Fort Wadsworth, which has been used as a Federal prison for only a year, recently has been under fire in the newspapers. Charges were openly made that millionaire convicts had paid various sums ranging from $500 to $1,000 to be transferred from the gruelling hot penitentiaries at Atlanta and Leavenworth to the cool confines of the jail located at the Narrows.

A trip there to uncover the truth of such charges netted practically nothing as far as official information goes. Everybody at the lovely fort refused to give out the slightest bit of information. They even declined, pleasantly enough, to discuss what uniforms the inmates were forced to wear, although one could see it consists of a white broadcloth shirt, well laundered, and a pair of well-made blue trousers.

The only admission vouchsafed was that the place was run as an honor farm. The men were free to come and go within the confines of the quadrangle, which comprises about three acres of beautifully kept gardens tended by the men. There seemed to be no locks and bars, although we did not get to see the cells.

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No Escapes—

The records show there have been practically no escapes from the fort in the year it has been used as a prison. The guards, one can readily see, carry no firearms and could be overpowered by the men who outnumbered them one hundred to one.

Instead, there is a lack of any seeming restraint. Far instance, one of the guards wanted the chairs in which the convicts had been sunning themselves taken back into the building, and we expected to hear a sharp order. What we actually heard was this:

"Some of you fellows hustle those chairs inside, please."

The prisoners nearest to empty chairs merely picked them up and they melted out of sight in an instant. It all looked like a scene at a barn dance when the floor is cleared for dancing. Just one man to another.

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Not Any Soft Snap—

Whatever truth there may be in the report prisoners paid to be sent to Fort Wadsworth from other hot prisons, there cannot be any idea the place is a summer resort. In the day time the breezes are balmy, the scenes of Uew York Bay beautiful, and the surroundings delightful. But the hidden hand is present.

All mail and packages are censored; prisoners are allowed to receive their families and friends only in the public room, and then only at stated intervals. Paraphrasing the soldier's army slogan during the war, "They're in the prison now!"

Studying the men, one was disturbed by the hang-dog expressions on their faces, the lagging walk, the lack of ambition. One prisoner alone showed signs of mental activity. We observed him furtively watching us from a distance. His expression was that of a snarling wolf behind bars. It made us sorry the guards were so noncommunicative as we would have liked to learn what he was serving time for.

Maybe he had crashed a national bank; or headed a rum running fleet; or was a notorious forger. Beyond question, he was a man of high mental attainments.

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An Antiosocial Deduction—

Sizing up the convicts as a body forced the deduction that they formed a splendid body of men. They averaged away up in intelligence and social graces. In their well-kept "uniforms," they looked like men at a tennis match or yachting event.

Some of the younger men were handsome. Real heart-breakers. We saw one of these young chaps taking leave of a girl, at the end of the public reception hour. They clung to each other, sobbing pitifully, utterly oblivious to the convicts around them.

A desirable summer resort say the critics. Oh, Yeah!

Billingsley News

Mr. Bob Moore, Mrs. Betty Moore, Mrs. W. C. Covington, Norma Covington and Betty Moore returned on Wednesday to Lake Wales, Fla., after a visit with J. F. King and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidna Davenport of Thorsby, with Mrs. Lloyd Belter of Mt. Vernon, Ohio, were pleasant visitors here Sunday.

Messrs. B. W. and Letcher Thompson left Tuesday for York, Pa., where they have accepted positions with the Western Electric Co.

Mrs. John Cobern of Mt. Creek spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Green.

Mrs. Minnie Carter visited relatives at Maplesville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Harrell left Monday for their home in Rayburn Gap, Ga., where Mr. Harrell will resume his work in the school there.

Mr. Bertram King is at home after a year's absence, having recently received his degree from the University of Iowa.

Mr. Albert Merrill, Mrs. L. A. Merrill, Miss Maude Merrill, Martin and Edgar Merril of Talladega, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Overstreet Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Peyton Pattillo of Florida were pleasant visitors with relatives and friends here last week.

Miss Elma Gaines of Birmingham is visiting Miss Josephine Spigener.

Mrs. A. J. Marlar has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Willis Lawrence at Eoline.

Mrs. W. C. Wilson returned to Birmingham with her husband Sunday afternoon, while there she will be the guest of Mrs. F. D. Wilson, Sr.

One of the older negroes here, Camilla Parker, died Sunday and was buried Monday.

Rev. A. S. Bentley is in a revival this week in Bibb County. Mrs. Bentley and children are visiting her mother, Mrs. Fitts, at Colena.

The revival meeting will begin at the Baptist church here next Sunday. Rev. L. M. Jones of Dadeville will assist Pastor Bentley. Everyone invited and urged to attend each service.

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Mrs. Lester Arron of El Paso, Tex., refused to wear stockings, her husband told police, and finally left him because he objected to her bare limbs.

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"You should have weighed your words," said a friend to a defeated candidate at the last election.

"Yes," chimed in another friend, "and you should also have given short measure."

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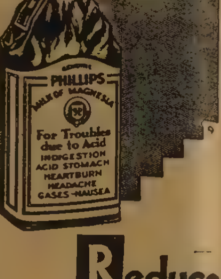

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My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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Three Meet Privately

At M. Clemenceau's suggestion the meeting of the council was adjourned at this point that Foch, Lord Milner and I might meet and examine the question and see if some agreement could not be reached. Whereupon we repaired to an adjacent room and went over the whole subject again.

My proposal was more liberal than the circumstances or my own views on the subject really warranted. It conceded priority for a limited number of the infantry and machine-gun units, but generally it contemplated the shipment of artillery for divisions and corps and railways troops, mechanics and labor troops for the service of the rear, all of which were badly needed.

It was the distinct understanding, however, as already promised by Foch, that if we would consent to make the concession as to infantry and machine-gun units the French would help us out with artillery when the time came to form an American army. But, of course, they could not furnish men for other services, nor for the services of supply, without which we could not function as an army.

Others Insist on Program.

When we met Milner, and especially Foch, insisted that the war would be lost unless their program was carried out. I repeated the arguments already presented to the council and added that I full realized the military emergency, but did not think that the plan to bring over untrained units to fight under British and French commands would either relieve the situation or end the war.

I pointed out that, regardless of the depressing conditions and the very urgent need of men by the allies, their plan was not practicable, and that even if sound in principle there was not time enough to prepare our men as individuals for efficient service under a new system, with the strange surroundings to be found in a foreign army.

Here Foch said: "You are willing to risk our being driven back to the Loire?"

I said: "Yes, I am willing to take the risk.

"Moreover, the time may come when the American army will have to stand the brunt of this war, and it is not wise to fritter away our resources in this manner. The morale of the British, French and Italian armies is low, while, as you know, that of the American army is very high, and it would be a grave mistake to give up the idea of building an American army in all its details as rapidly as possible."

"Can't Budge Him an Inch."

At about this juncture Lloyd George, M. Clemenceau and Premier Orlando of Italy, evidently becoming impatient, walked into the room. Milner met Lloyd George at the door and said in a stage whisper behind his hand: "You can't budge him an inch." Lloyd George then said: "Well, how is the committee getting along?"

Whereupon we all sat down and Lloyd George said to me: "Can't you see that the war will be lost unless we get this support?" which statement was echoed in turn by Clemenceau and Orlando. In fact, all five of the party attacked me with all the force and prestige of their high positions.

But I had already yielded to their demands as far as possible without disrupting the plans toward which we had been striving for over a year and a continuance of May shipments into June, without any provision for transporting artillery and auxiliary and service of supply troops, could not be granted without making it practically impossible in the future to have an American army.

After I had gone over the whole situation again and stated my position, they still insisted, whereupon I struck the table with my fist and said with the greatest possible emphasis: "Gentlemen, I have thought this program over very deliberately and will not be coerced."

This ended the discussion in committee and when the council reconvened M. Clemenceau stated that the question of American troops would be taken up again the following day.

When the council met for the afternoon session of the second day the discussion of shipments of American personnel was at once resumed. General Foch spoke at length, repeating previous arguments and giving a rather grandiose dissertation of the allied situation and the dire things that would happen unless the Americans agreed to the proposal of the council.

Lloyd George's Challenge.

Mr. Lloyd George in turn spoke at some length. He asserted that the Germans hoped to use up the British and French reserves before their own were exhausted and that the British had already called up nearly 7,000,000 men for their army and navy and had extended their age limits to all men between eighteen and fifty years of age.

"If the United States does not come to our aid," he said, "then perhaps the enemy's calculations will be correct. If France and Great Britain should have to yield this defeat would be honorable, for they would have fought to their last man, while the United States would have to stop without having put into line more than little Belgium."

Possibly realizing the unfairness of the comparison he quickly went on to say that he was sure I was doing my best to meet the emergency, and that:

"General Pershing desires that the aid brought to us by America should not be incompatible with the creation of the American army as rapidly as possible.

"I, too, am counting on the existence of that army and I am counting on it this very year to deal the enemy the final blow. But to do that the allies will have to hold out until August."

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CHAPTER XL

"Speaking in the name of the American army and in the name of the American people," I told the supreme war council during the second day of its session at Abbeville, May 2, 1918, "I want you to realize that we are ready to bear as large a part as possible of the burden of the war. We all want the same thing, but our means of attaining it is different from yours.

"America declared war independently of the allies, and she must face it as soon as possible with a powerful army. There is one capital point to which I wish to call your attention. That is the importance to the morale of our soldiers of fighting under our own flag.

"America is already anxious to know where her army is. The Germans have once more started a strong campaign of propaganda in the United States, the purpose of which is to insinuate that the allies have so little confidence in the American troops that they are obliged to distribute them among their own divisions.

Tells of American Pride.

"The American soldier is as proud as any other, and the time will soon come when our troops, as well as our government, will ask to fight as an autonomous army under the American high command.

"I understand that in Prime Minister Lloyd George's proposal we shall have to examine the situation again in June before deciding for July.

"That is all that I can agree to at present to show my desire for solidarity with the cause of the allies."

Lloyd George had previously taken up a revised program submitted by myself and after some discussion he proposed that:

"America give us 120,000 infantrymen and machine gunners in May—the same number in June, with a supplement of 50,000 infantrymen and machine gunners if we 'scrape together' the tonnage to transport them."

He further proposed that the situation be examined again in June before deciding whether there was reason to extend to July the program decided upon for May and June. He then called on the council to accept his plan.

Inasmuch as the proposal submitted by Lloyd George contemplated the shipment of the numbers mentioned in British tonnage, leaving American shipping entirely free for us to use as we should decide, an agreement was soon reached, substantially as set forth in the following cablegram to the secretary of war:

Following agreement adopted by supreme war council May 2 at Abbeville. Will cable more in detail later: "It is the opinion of the supreme war council that, to carry the war to a successful conclusion, an American army should be formed as early as possible under its own commander and under its own flag. (Then it was thought the war would run to 1919.)

"In order to meet the present emergency it is agreed that American troops should be brought to France as rapidly as allied transportation facilities will permit, and that as far as consistent with the necessity of building up an American army preference be given to infantry and machine-gun units for training and service with French and British armies; with the understanding that such infantry and machine-gun units are to be withdrawn and united with their own artillery and auxiliary troops into divisions and corps at the discretion of the American commander in chief after consultation with the commander in chief of the allied armies in France.

A. E. F. Phone Girls.

"It is also agreed that during May preference should be given to the transportation of infantry and machine-gun units of six divisions, and that any excess tonnage shall be devoted to bringing over such troops as may be determined by the American commander in chief.

June Shipment Up to Pershing.

"It is further agreed that this program shall be continued during June upon condition that the British government shall furnish transportation for a minimum of 130,000 men in May and 150,000 men in June, with the understanding that the first six divisions of infantry shall go to the British for training and service, and that troops sent over in June shall be allocated for training and service as the American commander in chief may determine.

"It is also further agreed that if the British government shall transport an excess of 150,000 men in June such excess shall be infantry and machine-gun units, and that early in June there shall be a new review of the situation to determine further action."

American Troop Train Passing Through a French Town.

As stated in a cable from the secretary of war, received May 12, this agreement provided less priority for infantry and machine-gun units than recommended by the supreme war council. It was certainly much more favorable to the ultimate formation of an American army than we had reason to expect in view of the recommendations contained in note No. 18 of the military representatives, which, as we have seen, had been practically approved by the President. In the excitement over our agreement with the British the full purport of this commitment was not emphasized by the allies during the discussion.

Pooling of Supplies.

Another matter, taken up informally with the prime ministers after the conference, was that of pooling allied supplies. I explained its advantages and emphasized the saving in tonnage that would result. Mr. Lloyd George and Mr. Orlando did not commit themselves entirely, but accepted it in principle, as M. Clemenceau had done, and each agreed to designate an officer with business experience to meet with us at an early date to study the question.

With this beginning at least a step had been taken toward our objective, even though the principle might not be extended as far as we thought desirable. A few days later M. Clemenceau called a meeting in his office of the representatives, Gen. Sir Travers Clarke acting for the British and Col. Charles G. Dawes for the Americans.

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Lots Eleven (11) and Twelve (12) in Block numbered One (1); Lots 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14 in Block numbered 2; Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, 15, and 16 in Block numbered 6, all according to the original map of the Town of Thorsby, Chilton County, Alabama, as recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of said County, in Book 41, on Page 183.

Also, Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 in Out-Lot "I" according to map of the subdivision of Out-Lot "I" in the Town of Thorsby, Alabama, as shown by map of said subdivision recorded in the Probate Office of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 128 on page 40.

Also the following described parcel of land situated in the Town of Thorsby, Chilton County, Alabama, viz: Commencing at a point which is One Hundred (100) feet Northwest of Chilton Avenue and on the West side of Washington Avenue in the Town of Thorsby, as per recorded plat thereof, run thence between Lots 12 and 13 in Block 6 in a Southwesterly direction Three Hundred Sixteen (316) feet, run thence in a Northwesterly direction and parallel with Washington Avenue Two Hundred Twenty-five (225) feet, run thence in a Northeasterly direction and parallel with Chilton Avenue Two Hundred Sixteen (216) feet, run thence in a Southeasterly direction and parallel with Washington One Hundred Seventy-five (175) feet, run thence in a Northeasterly direction 100 feet to the Western line of said Washington Avenue, run thence in a Southeasterly direction along the Western line of Washington Avenue Fifty (50) feet to the point of beginning, according to the Official map of said Town and map of the subdivision of Out-Lot "I" as recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama.

All the above said property is located in the Northwest quarter (NW¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of Section 6, Township 22, Range 14, Chilton County, Alabama.

The said sale will be made for the purpose of paying all debts or other charges due under or secured by said mortgage, after the cost and expense of this foreclosure, including a reasonable attorneys' fee, shall have been paid.

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By Lawrence F. Gerald.

Its Attorney.

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Pleasant Grove News

The revival has just closed here with one of the best we have had at this place.

We met Sunday night and reorganized the C. E. Society with the following officer elected: President, Mr. S. A. Henley; Vice President, Mrs. Etta Durbin; Secretary, Inez McKee; group leaders: No. 1, Miss Ollie Mims, No. 2, Miss Jewel Foshee; social committee, Simmie Headley, Lottie Henley, Katherine Headley; flower girls, Mrs. Arthur Mims, Mrs. Katie Culp and Simmie Headley; chorister, Mr. Albert Headley; pianist, Mrs. Zella Scott. We want all members to be present next Sunday night so we can decide on how much literature to order. Let's all come and make our society one of the best.

—The Secretary.

There will be a singing at Pleasant Grove church, 7 miles west of Clanton, on the Billingsley road, next Sunday, August the 30th. Everybody is invited to come and bring your song books and lunch.

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"I would like to spend the rest of my days in peace," remarked C. B. Holton, 85-year-old Civil War Veteran, as he filed suit for a divorce in Charlotte, N. C.

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Samuel Nicholls of Brighton, Eng., must serve four years for robbing three widows he was courting at the same time.

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—Mrs. W. A. Rikard, Miss Bessie Merle Rikard, Geo. M. Pharr, Mrs. H. S. Aldridge, Mrs. W. E. Northrup, W. E. Northrup.

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School Days

It won't be long now before vacation is over and school will begin again. Then the young ones will get back into their own world, for in the life of the child the real world is that in which he mixes on equal terms with others of his own age. We older folk are too absorbed with the affairs of grown-ups to understand what the young ones are thinking about.

We are prone to think, as we grow older, that what we had in school is good enough for our children. That would be true if the world stood still, but it doesn't. In a changing world, the best education is that which makes the child alive to the changes, which brings him most closely in touch with the new things that we didn't know anything about when we were young. Everything is different today from yesterday; tomorrow everything of today will be out of date. The boy or girl who gains from his school work the sense of change, of constant forward movement steadily going on, has got the best foundation for success in life.

We don't think it is nearly as important to teach children how to do things as it is to teach them how to understand things. One way is to get more young people as teachers and on school boards. School systems must grow and change, just as the world grows and changes, and old folks are too apt to resist change. There must be old heads in school affairs, of course, but some who are still young enough to remember their own schooldays ought to have some say about school matters.

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The Turning Tide

The public is beginning to buy again. Money is coming back into circulation more freely than for a year and more past. The textile mills are coming back toward normal production. The leather industry is showing a decided improvement. Sales of electric and gas refrigerators are increasing in almost every part of the country. Many of the smaller industrial plants are now running on full time and the larger industries, or many of them are putting on more help. The steel industry and building construction are still at low ebb and the railroads are not carrying their normal volume of freight and passengers, but those are conditions which a general revival in other lines will remedy.

The country is still suffering from overproduction of wheat, cotton and oil, among other things. It seems to us wrong and wasteful, however, to destroy what has already been produced, as is being advocated in some quarters.

It also seems to us unnecessary to resort to anything like the "dole" system. Nobody in the United States has approached starvation in this crisis except in the regions where the drought of 1930 was at its worst and in one or two "sore spots" in the bituminous coal districts. There may be more who will need help the coming Winter because their reserves are exhausted, but there will be more people in a position to give help, we believe. And there will be more and more jobs for those who really want to work.

How fast the tide of good times will come nobody can predict. The country has been suffering almost as much from over-prediction as from over-production, and we are not gifted with the power of prophecy. But we have history to back our belief that the United States of America will come out of this depression, as it has come out of every preceding depression, stronger and more prosperous than ever.

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The Railroads In 1930

The complete operating statistics for the American railroads during 1930 have just been issued. To even the casual reader, they vividly illustrate the plight in which our principal transport medium finds itself as the result of high taxes, unregulated competition and business conditions.

As compared with 1929, the number of tons of revenue freight handled by the lines last year decreased almost 400,000,000. Freight revenue went down $742,000,000, and passenger revenue, $144,000,000. Car loadings were lower than in any year since 1922, number of passengers carried the least since 1903, and operating revenue the lowest since 1919.

The number of railway employes declined from 1,661,000 to 1,488,000. Total purchases for materials and supplies were $291,000,000 below 1929. Taxes were $48,000,000 under that year, due to lower earnings and the consequent decrease in income taxes. However, earnings declined relatively more than taxes, so that the percentage of revenue consumed by the tax collector was the highest in history.

The only bright spots are in the continued increase in operating efficiency. Several new speed and economy records were established and further progress was made in safety, both for passengers and employes.

In the interest of American progress and prosperity a way must be found to increase railroad revenue and thereby speed up activity of one of our greatest industrial employers and purchasers of supplies.

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Untimely Death of Tribune Editor

The staff of the Chilton County News extends deepest sympathy to the family of N. R. Thompson, veteran newspaperman, and editor of the Tallassee Tribune, of Tallassee, Ala.

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

> "The law of worthy life is fundamentally the law of strife. It is only through labor and painful efforts, by grim energy and resolute courage, that we move on to better things."
> —Theodore Roosevelt.

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And it is a certainty that with a group of men so divided among themselves will have much difficulty in moving on to better things. I am not trying to 'jump on' somebody this week about things being done round town, but it appears to me that if there ever was a time when a group of men in a town needed to get their heads together and stick together for the good of the town, it is now. There is an old saying that, it doesn't pay to change horses in the middle of a stream, and certainly with prevailing conditions, we are in the middle of a stream.

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Newspapers are full of what the Farm Board is advising the farmer to do, and when to do it. There have been committees appointed to advise on this and that. These committees are costing the government plenty of money, and yet, after all, they seldom ever get anywhere. My suggestion to the farmer is to get down and study his own problems and look over his individual situation, then go about making arrangements to overcome as much as possible. I notice in this issue there is a story about Fall and Winter gardens. That is certainly a splendid idea in my opinion. These gardens will at least give the families something to eat during the winter months and they can live at home. They certainly can't live at home with cotton at the price it is now.

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Somebody said that Hoover will see that the price of cotton will go up right away, but that is all tommy-rot. They had an idea he will use that as a campaign pull if he runs for President again next year. I truly dislike to take advantage of a fellow's tough luck, but it occurred to me that the Republicans have by this time had enough of Hoover's "Full Dinner Pail' 'that was talked about so much during his big Prosperity Campaign before he became President. I see by the papers that there are families in the Birmingham district actually starving to death now. If they are in destitute circumstances now, it is pitiful to think of the condition they will be in this Winter.

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The Democrats don't make any great big hullabaloo about the things they have done or will do, but just the same, things do run pretty good when there is a Democratic President sitting up there in Washington. Think of President Wilson. Of course we had a war when he was president, but nevertheless he made a splendid president. It brings chills to my spine when I think what would happen if we should be in the midst of a war now with the President and some other officials we have in Washington.

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What ho. With another funeral establishment in Clanton. Now about this insurance business they are offering. It's kind of new to me, and I better look into it.

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Clanton is pretty well loaded with various kinds of business houses. It is true that Clanton is a fine town, there's no mistaking that, but I am afraid that there are too many outsiders who are prone to believe we are a little better off than we really are, and therefore come here to establish a place of business, and when there is already one here of the same type, then they usually have a tough time getting off on the right foot, and sometimes they just have to quit. Then that leaves a bad taste in the new comers mouth about Clanton and he goes away thinking that Clanton ain't so good.

Of course that is not the fault of the people of Clanton. The new comer just misconstrued or something. Seems to me there ought to be a committee of far-sighted business men of Clanton, whose purpose is to pass on any kind of business that wishes to locate in Clanton. Let the would-be establisher have to present his plans to this committee and if the latter didn't think it would pay the new comer to open up, then tell him so, before he comes here and goes into business and loses his breeches. This would not only protect the man already in business, but would also be a protection to the new comer.

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And what is this I hear about a commission form of government for Clanton. I been hearing something about it for sometime, but was kind of uneasy about saying something about it just yet, but I see now that it is pretty well known over the town.

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Well, I am proud to see that this newspaper is still holding its place in the All-Alabama Eleven Weeklies, the eleven outstanding weekly newspapers in the state. Looks like there isn't much chance of winning another loving cup, as the committee doesn't consider a newspaper that was awarded it once. But the Victor Hanson Cup went to a deserving newspaper this year, The Greenville Advocate.

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It won't be long now. The high school opens here on September 7th, and the kids will again be treking on to school with an arm full of books. Here's hoping that all who are old enough will be able to attend school, this year.

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Some of these days I think I'll sponsor a beauty contest among the young ladies of Clanton, to determine who is "Miss Clanton." It won't be one of these kind where votes are sold, because that is when money talks, not beauty. I want to conduct a beauty contest where curves, and perfection of anatomy is the main attraction. Clanton has never had anything like that and I would like to see a contest of that sort. I'm beginning to get kind of out of practice on my duties as Chilton County's Certified Critter Sizer and an authority on the fairer sex, but I'll get back into my own some of these days and make up for lost time, and you can lay to that. For some reason I haven't been able to find much material to work with lately. It all is about the same anyway, and I think a change would help matters. At any rate I'll be seeing you with some good dope next week.

Concord-Billingsley

We met Sunday morning at the usual time and had Sunday school. Our superintendent was not present, but the assistant superintendent acted in his stead and we had a real good lesson. We are few in number, but most of us seem to be much interested.

The Junior Christian Endeavor are going to put on the program next Sunday night. They will have complete charge of all the program and the Seniors will be listeners. Let's everyone come and show them we are interested in them.

Miss Clara Dell Sims has returned from Birmingham where she has been visiting relatives.

Mr. Charlie Williams spent a few days with his brother and other relatives near Haynes the past week.

Mrs. C. H. Herrod and children of Haynes are spending this week with relatives here.

Pastor of the Baptist church, Bro. Carrol and wife, dined at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Smith and Mr. W. W. Williams of Fairview community were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. Y. Sims Sunday.

Mr. Porter Williams visited Mr. J. P. Williams and family Friday night.

Mrs. O. Y. Sims is on the sick list this week. We hope to see her well again soon.

Mr. Hudson Williams, who has been attending school at Troy, has returned home.

Mr. Charlie spent Saturday night with Mr. Porter Williams.

Mrs. W. A. Williams returned home Sunday after a weeks visit with parents in Selma.

Mrs. W. W. Williams spent a few days the past week with Mrs. R. P. Williams.

Special

There will be a cemetery cleaning at the McCord Cemetery near here next Friday. We will be glad for everyone interested to come and help.

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Ordinance Regulating Traffic on Approach of Fire Truck Passed By City Councilmen Recently

An ordinance to regulate the driving of fire department vehicles while operated on official business and to regulate the drivers of other vehicles when fire department vehicle is going to or from a fire or when they are on official business was passed at a recent meeting of the City Council, according to a notice being published in this issue of the News.

This ordinance is very timely, and its provisions are such that when observed there should be no excuse for accidents occurring when the fire department of Clanton is on a call. The order states that drivers of vehicles are to drive to the curb as quickly as possible upon the sounding of the bell, siren or exhaust whistle of the fire department vehicle, while on official calls.

No set fine or punishment was set out in this ordinance to be imposed on anyone not observing the rules as set out, but it is presumed that a reasonable fine will be imposed on any driver of a vehicle not observing these rules. It will be advised that all persons read this ordinance and acquaint themselves with its provisions.

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AN ORDINANCE

To regulate the driving of fire department vehicles while operated upon official business and to regulate the drivers of other vehicles when fire department vehicle is going to or from a fire or when they are on official business.

Be it ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Clanton, Alabama, as follows:

Section One. The driver of a vehicle upon a highway or street shall yield the right of way to fire department vehicles when they are operated upon official business and the drivers thereof sound audible signal by bell, siren or exhaust whistle. This section shall not operate to relieve the driver of a fire department vehicle from the duty to drive with due regard for the safety of all persons using the highways or streets nor shall it protect the driver of any such vehicle from the consequence of an arbitrary exercise of such right of way.

Section Two. Upon the approach of any fire department vehicle giving audible signal by bell, siren or exhaust whistle, the driver of every other vehicle shall immediately drive the same to a position as near as possible and parallel to the right hand edge or curb of the highway or street, clear of any intersection of highways or streets, and shall stop and remain in such position unless otherwise directed by a police or traffic officer until the fire department vehicle shall have passed.

Section Three. It shall be unlawful for the driver of any vehicle other than an official business to follow any fire apparatus traveling in response to a fire alarm, closer than five hundred feet, or to drive into or park such vehicle within the block where fire apparatus has stopped in answer to a fire alarm.

Read, adopted and approved this the 18 day of August, 1931.

J. LEE SMITH, Mayor.

Attest: C. H. PIPES, Clerk.

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Deep Sea Rodeo At Dauphin Island Ends

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tarpon caught on artificial lure and the second for the largest caught on live bait.

The prize awarded Mr. Gaillard for the first tarpon caught was a "Long Key" Ocean City reel and South Bend Bait Company rod and line, donated by McGowin-Lyons Hardware Company, of Mobile.

This season, for the first time, the rodeo committee gave a prize for the first devil fish, or giant ray, caught by registered boat and contestants. It was won by the crew of the power cruiser Mari-Lou, Albert Gill, of Mobile, owner and master. It was a fine specimen of the sail fish, mounted and donated by Allen W. Davis, taxidermist. The big bat fish was harpooned near the outer bar, Mobile ship channel, on the third day of the contest, and was estimated to weigh 1,200 pounds.

The largest ling caught weighed only sixteen pounds, though this species grows to weigh one hundred pounds or more. The "Templar" reel awarded to H. G. Springman, of Louisville, Ky., for this catch was donated by the Paterson Hardware and Supply Company's Sport Shop, Mobile.

Ike Kohorns, fishing with Billy Paterson on his speedboat Play Mate, caught the largest king mackerel, 11 pounds, and won the Winchester shotgun offered by Sears-Roebuck & Co. The prize winning king in the rodeo weighed 24 pounds. It was caught by R. L. Bidez, rodeo official, who fished but a short time and had but the one strike. He had a similar experience in the recent contest; trolled for a short time, had but one strike and brought in the winning redfish, 32 pounds, for which he was awarded the South Bend rod, donated by the South Bend Bait Co.

Harry Crawford, Mobile advertising man, who gave the party aboard Capt. Earl Bryant's schooner, Sweetheart, of which the tarpon prize winner was a member, won the Benrus Shockproof wrist watch donated by Leon Wildberger, Mobile, for the largest blackfish or flasher. It weighed 15 pounds —not a large specimen.

The largest cavalla, 29¾ pounds, was caught by Kent Moss, Mobile, who received the "Ute" Waterproof suit given by Johnson Outboard Motor Co., Waugegan, Ill.

The prize for Spanish mackerel, a Pfleuger "Norka," Reel donated by the Loeb Hardware Co., Montgomery, went to B. C. Moore, Aldrich, Ala. Mrs. C. W. Taylor, of Washington, D. C., caught a number of large cavalla and received the prizes offered for the largest fish and also for the largest cavalla caught by a woman, a Shakespeare rod from Eugene Thoss,Jr., Mobile, and a pen and pencil set from Horder Stationery Stores, Chicago.

S. R. Powers, of Clanton, Ala., a Coosa river "doodler," landed a 335-pound shark with rod and reel after a two hours battle aboard a skiff far out in the Gulf and also caught a 11-pound bonito which captured a prize, a Shakespeare reel donated by Barnett Hardware Co., Montgomery. This was the first time the rodeo committee has offered a prize for sharks.

D. M. Nelson, of Chicago caught the largest speckled trout and won an assortment of Al Wilson spoons, donated by their manufacturer. In the 1929 contest he caught two of the three tarpon for which prizes were awarded. G. E. Barnes, of Mobile, caught the largest number of bluefish and won a rod given by Winchester Repeating Arms Co. L. G. Adams, Jr., won the juvenile prize for the largest number of spadefish caught in a given time from Fort Gaines wharf, and was awarded a tackle box by Teague Hardware Co., Montgomery, and J. Harry Edwards, of Henderson, N. C., made the largest catch of edible fish. He landed five bull redfish weighing a total of 65 lbs., and won a rod given by F. S. Ward.

In the annual fish liars' contest H. R. Watts, of Louisville, Ky., who told how a school of fish, name unknown, have learned to cooperate to thwart the fisherman. When one fish gets caught, the others grab it by the tail and back water. A competitor, Jimmie Mallon, of Dauphin Island village, exhibited a bird dog which goes in the boat with him and points fish. When ordered to do so, the dog dives for mullet and Jimmie had witnesses present to prove that it sometimes catches a boatload of the species known as "Biloxi bacon." Mr. Watts was given the fishing line offered by Game Warden August Oberhaus.

The cash prizes for boatmen are annually awarded on a system of points, ranging from 100 points for the first tarpon down to two points for each speckled trout, bonito and Spanish mackerel. Capt. Tubeson, of the schooner Ospray, Fairhope Single Tax Colony, won the first cash prize with 360 points; Capt. Ras Crenshaw, of the cruiser Seahome, the second prize, with 303 points and Capt. Earl Bryant, of the schooner Sweetheart, third with 200 points. Each boat having its own motive power is regarded as a separate unit in awarding prizes for boats. The yacht Jeanne and others of the largest class act as "mother ship" to a number of outboards and motored dories, making this rule necessary.

New Federal Regulations On Bird Hunting Given

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the season shall be 12 o'clock noon, by the means and in the numbers permitted by regulations 3 and 5 hereof, respectively, and when so taken may be possessed any day in any State, Territory, or District during the period constituting the open season where killed and for an additional period of ten days next succeeding said open season, but no such bird shall be possessed in a State, Territory, or District at a time when such State, Territory, or District prohibits the possession thereof. Nothing herein shall be deemed to permit the hunting or killing of migratory birds on any refuge established under the Migratory Bird Conservation Act of February 18, 1929, nor on any area of the United States set aside by any other law, proclamation, or Executive order for use as a wild-life refuge except in so far as may be permitted by the Secretary of Agriculture under existing law, nor on any area adjacent to any such refuge when such area is designated as a closed area under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act.'

"I call your attention further to the fact that the State law in reference to migartory game birds must conform to Federal laws and regulations based thereunder, so that a violation of Federal law or regulations based thereunder also becomes a violation of State law as well."

Yours, very truly,

I. T. QUINN,

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Abundant Food Supply To Assure Safety of Farmers

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fat hogs, and yellow-legged chickens in abundance, Clarke County farmers don't need to be seriously concerned over the price of cotton or probable weevil damage.

"At the beginning of this season farmers of the county laid their plans to produce sufficient food and feed crops for their own needs. Already they have harvested a bumper crop of oats, the largest corn crop in the county's history is nearing maturity, and all other food and feed crops are being produced in proportion.

"We may not be flush with cash this fall, but everybody will be well fed, contented and happy."

Joe E. Pelham, Jr., Washington County News, states that farmers will have plenty to eat this Winter, but not any money to spend for paying taxes, reduced production cost.

Other editors state that farmers have clothing and other necessities of life

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News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Last Wednesday morning about 5:30 rs. S. J. Davenport with several Y. . A. girls and some visitors hiked to ross Roads, carrying frying pans, ps, spoons, plates, bacon, eggs, wein- s, rolls, bananas, and coffee. When ey all arrived, they were ready to rt cooking as they all felt very hun- y. After having eaten a big meal ey rested a while before starting meward. While doing that they ere engaged in taking pictures. The llowing enjoyed the breakfast: Con- dine Pate, Lucille Howard, Mary uth Nix, Ola Mae O'Barr, Linnie Bell heinhardt, Edna Lee Wilder, Letha ae Martin, Roberts Marcus, Sallye hompson, Mrs. Gene Davenport, Mrs. dney Davenport, Edna Raybon, Kath- n Lenoir, Mary Sue Porter, Thelma ee Martin.

Miss Lucile Howard spent Wednes- v with Miss Mary Ruth Nix.

The Thorsby baseball team played inooka Monday at Thorsby. The st game resulted in Thorsby win- ng 5-4. The second game Thorsby t. 12-8. The team is going to Stony oint to play them Friday.

Mr. Hubert Reinhardt returned Sun- v after spending a week in Colum- ana with his grandmother.

J. C. Reinhardt from Columbiana is siting at the Reinhardt home this eek.

Misses Kathryn Lenoir and Edna aybon spent Sunday with Miss Mable ohnson.

Mrs. G. F. Harper and three neices, rs. Higgins, of New Orleans, Mrs. cNeal and Mrs. Hayes of Montgom- y spent Tuesday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Davenport, Mrs. loyd Belter, and baby, Eula Gene, ent Sunday in Billingsley, Ala., visit- friends. Billingsley is Mrs. Daven- rt's and Mrs. Belter's old home wn. They report that they had a ry pleasant visit.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Willis, Mr. and rs. G. F. Harper, and Mrs. Rein- rdt and daughter, Mary Louise, spent nday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. Jones.

Forty young people gathered at the me of Miss Lois Thompson Satur- y night for a farewell and surprise party for Miss Jean Swanson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Vines and little daughter, Dave Broughton, and Miss Smith spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. R. Piper.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Vines of Ensley spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cox.

The Y. W. A. will meet with Helen Lowery Friday P. M. at four o'clock. A large crowd is very much desired.

Services at the Baptist church were very good Sunday morning and Sunday evening. Rev. Jones in charge at the morning hour and Rev. Howard Higdon in charge in the evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Jones and daughter, Evelyn, are spending their vacation days in Mobile, Pensacola, and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Heflin of Clanton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Higgins.

Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Mixon of Montgomery spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mixon of Thorsby.

Mr. Luther Taft was a week end visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Primm.

Miss Lois Primm and Mr. Luther Taft had Sunday dinner at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Each.

Rev. and Mrs. Howard Higdon visited Mrs. Higdon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Franklin, a few days.

Mr. Sumner Gerald left Tuesday for Mississippi.

Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Sutlive left for Blakely, Georgia, for a ten day visit.

Miss Anna Wernis spent the week end in Thorsby with her mother, Mrs. Martha Grothey.

Mrs. P. C. Smith of Clanton visited friends in Thorsby Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith spent the week end in Thorsby with Mrs. Lela Martin.

Miss Jennye Robinson left Friday for Florida where she will teach this winter.

Mr. Nat Bentley and Mrs. T. W. Robinson left Sunday night for Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Horton and son from Moulton, Ala., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton a few days.

Mrs. R. R. Franklin and Mrs. Flem Higgins gave a bridge birthday party Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Higgins in honor of Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway. Mrs. Grover Bice won high score.

Mr. Ben Franklin went with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Higdon to Florida on his vacation and spent a week.

Mr. John Johnson of Birmingham spent Sunday in Thorsby visiting with friends.

Mrs. Carl Peterson and daughter, Norman, spent the week end in Thorsby with relatives. Mr. Carl Peterson came after them Sunday night and Misses Naemi Turnquist and Ruth Foss returned with them to spend a few days.

Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Moody of Birmingham spent the week end in Thorsby.

Miss Myradine Martin spent a few days in Clanton last week.

Mr. Floyd Robinson of Maylene is visiting Mr. Erchel Martin.

Mr. E. F. Mead is confined to his bed at the home of his son, Mr. Clyde Mead.

Mrs. Charles Howard entertained the following ladies in honor of Mrs. Geo. Phalin of Tuscaloosa Saturday: Mrs. Gerald, Mrs. C. C. Peterson, Mrs. E. E. Hanson, Mrs. Foss, Mrs. Reagan, Mrs. Bosworth, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Conrad Carlson, Mrs. Fred Howard, Mrs. Louis Howard, Mrs. Edward Howard, Miss Naemi Turnquist.

Mrs. Johnnie Burnett and children of Wetumpka visited her mother, Mrs. J. W. McCain a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kelley spent the week end with Mrs. Louis Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobbs and Mr. Holt stopped by Wednesday from Florida to see Mrs. Louis Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Peterson had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson Sunday.

Mrs. Goddard will have the Congregational Ladies Aid the first Thursday in September.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Peterson and son, Fendell, left Friday morning for Chicago, Ill., Gary Ind., Minnesota and other points.

The P.-T. A. met at the home of Mrs Martin Peterson Tuesday afternoon.

The Ladies Guild meets at the home of Mrs. E. R. Piper Thursday afternoon. This is a business meeting, so everyone be present.

Mr. and Mrs .J. W. Carroll of Washington, D. C., visited relatives in Thorsby.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carroll, Mrs. G. W. Freeman and daughter, Doris, and Miss Gladys Parnell visited Mrs. Jeff Parnell in Stanton, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Theoren South and Mr. Freeland Logan of Birmingham spent Sunday with relatives in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carroll left Tuesday for Birmingham to spend the night with her niece, Mrs. Theoren South, after which they will leave for Goodwater and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Harper had as their guests Mr. Harper's granddaughters, Lillian and Louise Fitzpatrick, last week.

Mr. Charles McKee returned home Thursday after spending a week in Thorsby.

Tuesday Mrs. C. R. Foss, Kathryn and Mrs. A. E. Reagan made a business trip to Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Payne, daughter, Helen, and mother, Mrs. W. C. Payne, were week end visitors of the Nortons.

Mr. D. H. Gentry is much improved.

Mrs. D. H. Gentry has her sister, Mrs. Barrett, from Selma visiting her this week.

Miss Evelyn Sudduth of Birmingham is visiting Miss Jessie Martin.

Mrs. S. C. Wood had as guests Sunday her brother and mother.

There will be services at the Congregational church Sunday night.

Misses Alta Each and Hazel Maddox returned Friday from Balm of Gilead.

Mrs. Jack Simms was carried to the Highland Avenue Baptist Hospital on Monday night by Dr. Wood in a very critical condition.

Dr. and Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Irene Rasberry spent Friday in Birmingham.

Mrs. M. J. Primm, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Raybon and children, Mrs. W. H. Raybon, Phares and Ruby, spent Sunday in Birmingham with Mrs. R. C. Fletcher, daughter of Mrs. Primm.

Mrs. M. A. Barnes left Saturday for Talladega to spend several days with W. H. Compton.

Rev. and Mrs. Jimmie Pate of Calera visited at W. H. Raybon's Saturday. Mrs. Pate, better known, as Frances Shirley, a former student of Thorsby Institute, and Mr. Pate of Howard College are now at Calera. Rev. Pate being pastor of Calera Baptist church.

Mr. James Thomas, Clyde Campbell and Ralph Sellers were visitors of Miss Mable Johnson Sunday afternoon.

Miss Jewell Wilson spent last week in Birmingham with relatives.

Friends of the Thorsby Institute who would like to put up fruit and vegetables for the dormitory, please do so, as it will be very much appreciated by them.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Popwell and two children, Marjorie and Howard, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carroll, Mrs. G. W. Freeman and daughter, Doris, Miss Gladys Parnell and Mr. Walter Parnell enjoyed a picnic at Log Cabin Beach Sunday.

The Freeman's had as their dinner guests Friday Mr. and Mrs. Carroll, Mr. Walter Parnell and Miss Edith Johnson.

Mrs. Martin Peterson's brother and family from New Jersey are visiting the Petersons. Mrs. Peterson has not seen her brother for thirty-five years.

There will be services at the Lutheran Church next Sunday. Rev. S. H. Newman from Florida will speak in English.

Mrs. G. C. Wilder, Marcelle and Edna Lee, made a business trip to Birmingham Tuesday.

Duncan and Hattie Frances Davenport of Birmingham are visitors of Mrs. R. S. Robinson.

JAMES W. RUSHING DIED AT HIS HOME SUDDENLY MON.

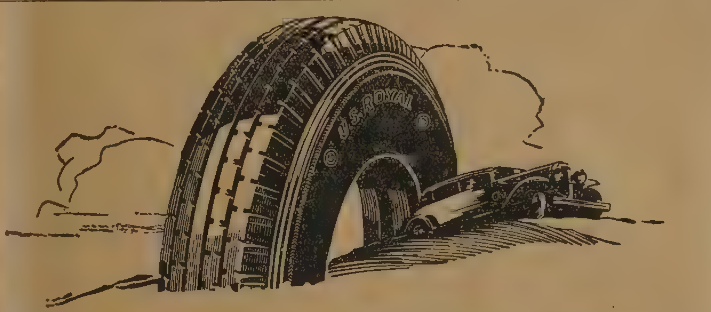
Death visited the home of one of the prominent families of the Eastview community last Monday morning and carried away the spirit of James W. Rushing, age 44. Mr. Rushing had been in the field working and came home complaining of being very ill. Before Mrs. Rushing could summon aid he died.

Funeral services were held yesterday at Eastview, and the large gathering of friends of the deceased and the many floral offerings attested to the esteem in which the deceased was held. Interment took place in the Eastview cemetery with Martin & Sons of Clanton in charge. Mr. Rushing is survived by his widow and several children.

SEABORN WILKINS

Funeral for Seaborn Wilkins, 41, who died Saturday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wilkins, of Marvin, was held from the Beth Salem church Sunday afternoon. Mr. Wilkins had been in ill health for several years. Surviving are his widow, his parents and two daughters, Misses Louise and Vesta Mae, all of Marvin; two sisters, Mrs. W. B. Caldwell, of Selma, and Mrs. J. S. Carr, of Montgomery, and three brothers, M. D., of Union Spring, Wilbur of Hardaway, and Rufus of Marvin.

The trouble is that the average worm is about as helpless after turning as he was before.



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Miss Lois Hand of Hueytown, near Bessemer, is the guest this week of her cousins, Misses Ruth and Pearl Hand, of North Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robinson and James Robinson and Mr. Perry Shelfer of Havana, Fla., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Calloway in Clanton for several days. They left Monday to return to their home, and were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lett of Verbena were in Clanton Monday attending to business and doing some shopping. While in town Mr. Lett called at the News office and left a rather large ear of fine corn which he raised on his place. The corn was well filled and is of the White Dent variety.

Miss Ruby Porter of Laurel, Miss., is expected to arrive this week to relieve Miss Ruby Warlick as manager of the local Western Union office. Miss Warlick will be away for several days on a vacation.

R. B. Johnson, principal of the Mt. Pleasant Junior High School, has recently returned from Birmingham where he has just completed the summer course offered to teachers at Birmingham-Southern College.

Mrs. C. E. Stapp has returned to Clanton after spending a week with her parents in Fernbank, Ala.

Mrs. Ada Pitts of Jacksonville, Ala. is visiting her son, Percy M. Pitts.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hammack of Childersburg, Ala., are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pitts and daughter of Sylacauga, Ala., were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy M. Pitts.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus, baby, Billie Ruth, Mr. and Mrs Sam Reid, came down from Birmingham and were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Geiger, two sons, Fredide and Ralph, one daughter, Mary Elizabeth, of Birmingham came down Sunday and spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Hosea Down and C. Reese Mullins motored to Eufaula and spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Mullins.

Mrs. W. C. Lambert and children, Sara Frances and Willie, of Dalton, Ga., returned to their home Monday after spending several days in Clanton with relatives. Mrs. Lambert is remembered by her many Clanton friends as Margaret Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Rumsey and Miss Mary Ben Rumsey of Birmingham were the guests of Mrs. Agnes McNair and family Sunday.

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Jemison Farm News

Department of Vocational Agriculture

The dewberry crop on the laboratory area at the school is making a fine growth. There are two varieties, the Young and the Lucretia. The Young is a new berry in this section. If it bears well it will be a fine berry to sell on the Birmingham and other local markets. The Young dewberry is a larger berry than the Lucretia and is much better flavored. However, every report from the Young tends to prove that it is highly perishable and that it cannot be shipped long distances as to northern markets.

The Lucretia variety has been tried in this section for three or four years. Among the growers of the Lucretia are Wilbur Bean of Collins Chapel, Eddie Little, G. W. Littleton, J. D. Suttley and C. H. Robinson all of Jemison. This is a berry that will stand shipping. The vine growth this season is good. Most of the growers used some nitrate of soda.

Wilbur Bean of Collins Chapel, and C. H. Robinson of Jemison have both been very successful in growing dewberries. They both spray or dust for anthrocnose and the strawberry weevil. Their opinion is that a farmer should not enter this field unless he means to fight anthracnose and strawberry weevil. Some years neither may appear, but nevertheless the vines should always be sprayed for anthracnose, and materials should be kept on hand to fight the weevil if it appears. These two men have never failed to make a crop of dewberries. Their yield this past season was 100 crates per acre, and the price was from two to three dollars per crate.

The market price of dewberries in the past has been good enough to justify the farmers growing them. It is a crop that requires fifteen months to get returns from and requires an acreage somewhat larger than the strawberry to ship in carload lots. These points make it more difficult than the short time seasonal crop and are points in its favor in that it cannot be as quickly or easily overdone.

No-one however, cares to take the responsibility for recommending crops for sale just now due to bad business conditions in general. Never-the-less, the growers of dewberries would like to see a number of farmers grow this dewberry and try this berry in carlots. The main expense in growing dewberries is obtaining the plants and stakes. The local growers use one stake for every two plants. The plants may be obtained from local growers at a very reasonable price. After a man has a small start he can soon grow enough plants himself to set an acre. Pine stakes 2 inches by two are used. Such stakes last for a long time. However, where a man hasn't that kind of timber he might use temporary stakes cut at a sawmill at a low price.

The dewberries are not fertilized near as heavily as strawberries. The cost of spraying is small and the labor involved in growing and harvesting the crop is not near as large as with strawberries.

It is not a crop to replace strawberries but a crop that may be grown in addition to strawberries.

JOSEPH HESTER RECEIVED DEGREE AT AUBURN

Auburn, Ala., Aug. 26.—Of the 77 diplomas and degrees awarded by President Bradford Knapp at the close of the summer session at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, August 21, one of the graduates came to Auburn from Chilton County.

The summer graduating class brought the total number of graduates for the year to 317, since 226 and 17 degrees were awarded at the May and January exercises respectively. Total enrollment for the regular session of 1930-31 was 1,927. This compares w ith 1,797 the pervious year, and 1,724 the year before that. The 1927-28 enrollment was 1,615. The total registration for 1930-31 including the Summer session is 3,111. The enrollment of young women as well as young men increased rapidly.

List of Chilton County graduates follows: Joseph Allen Hester, Clanton.

"I married my first husband for money and my second for love."

"Then you are happy, I suppose?"

"Not very. You see my first husband married me for love and my second for money."

Lawyer—Why do you want a divorce?

Movie Mae—Oh, I am just crazy to have another wedding!

Auto Registration Declines 37,154

For the first six months of the present fiscal year, motor vehicle registrations in Alabama decreased 37,154, compared with registrations for the same period in the fiscal year 1929-30, it is shown by records of the automobile tax division of the State Tax Commission.

Registrations from Oct. 1, 1929 thru March 31, 1930, totalled 257,993; the total figures for registrations for the corresponding period of time in the year 1930-31 being 220,154.

For the six-month interval from Oct. 1, 1929 through March 31, 1930, there were 216,794 private cars, 33,940 motor trucks and 1,200 State cars registered.

Up to April 1, of the present fiscal year, there were 185,226 private cars, 29,175 motor trucks and 864 State cars registered. During the first half of the 1930-31 fiscal year, 717 buses and taxicabs were registered, compared with 938 during the first half of the preceding year.

From Oct. 1, 1930, to July 1, 1931, the amount received from motor vehicle registration was $2,573,383.82—compared with $2,897,765.78 from Oct. 1, 1929, to July 1, 1930.

FARMERS AND FAIRS

Fair time is approaching and prospective exhibitors should be planning to make the most of their opportunities to show their best products. The real success of a fair, whether it be one embracing a state, a county, or only a local community, depends more on the number of exhibitors than upon the number of exhibits.

That a farmer can not display a great variety of superior products should not prevent him from entering at least a few. Even though a prize is not won, the effort to win is stimulating and beneficial to every exhibitor.

In these days of home demonstration agents more attention is being given to exhibits by farm women and girls and these should be encouraged in every possible way. There are few farms which could not make a creditable exhibit of some kind and no farm should be unrepresented in its local fair.

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Tax Notice

Collector's and Assessors Round

WE WILL ATTEND AT THE FOLLOWING TIMES AND PLACES FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING THE STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR CHILTON COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1931 AND ASSESSING TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1932:

Mullins Academy, Beat 1	Oct. 5	Thorsby, Beat 9	Oct. 19
Jemison, Beat 2	Oct. 6	Coopers, Beat 10	Oct. 20
Mars Hill, Beat 2	Oct. 7	Cane Creek, Beat 11	Oct. 21
Benson, Beat 3	Oct. 8	Mineral Springs, Beat 12	Oct. 22
Verbena, Beat 5	Oct. 9	Robinson's Store, Beat 12	Oct. 23
Mountain Creek, Beat 5	Oct. 10	Providence, Beat 13	Oct. 26
Enterprise, Beat 6	Oct. 12	Macedonia, Beat 14	Oct. 27
Kincheon, Beat 6	Oct. 13	Pletcher, Beat 15	Oct. 28
Maplesville, Beat 7	Oct. 14	Culp Schoolhouse, Beat 15	Oct. 29
Shoults, Beat 7	Oct. 15	Providence, Beat 16	Oct. 30
Stanton, Beat 8	Oct. 16	Clanton, Beat 4	Oct. 31
Riderville, Beat 8	Oct. 17		

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct to attend in Person on the day of the appointment in your Precinct and then and there render to the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the 1st day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31st, 1931.

W. G. CULP, Tax Collector.

AKINS I. COLLINS, Tax Assessor.

MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

Not long since two car loads of travelers stopped at a filling station in Chilton county, and while there they boldly drank from their hip flasks. The women in the party lighted cigarettes and smoked like toughs. The children of the one operating the station were there to wait on the customers, and they were astonished beyond measure. They had never seen the like before, and were frightened. A grand mother was in one of the cars, and she was asked by one of the girls traveling with her, "Grandmother, can you inhale the smoke?" The old soul pulled hard on her white tube of death and filled her lungs with smoke and then blew it out through her nose saying, "Oh Year." That was "Class" on wheels. The devil had that bunch out on exhibit. From reports that was a completed product. Roll up next.

I have made this observation that when men get money by dishonest methods, that money will never do them any good. When a man cheats in a trade, he may fill his purse with dollars, but the time will come when that money will hang like a millstone about his neck. He may make quite a sum by selling whiskey, by bootlegging rum, but that money will turn around and like a reptile plant fangs of poison into his very being. A man told me a few days ago that one night he went into a gambling den with a dime, and before he left that bunch of toughs on the inside, that he had won three hundred dollars. He came out of the room with the cash in his pocket, caught the next train for Mobile and there he reveled until the last penny was gone. This man said that he had won thousands of dishonest dollars, and that he could truthfully say that not one had done him any good. This man then hung his head and said, "Every penny I won in the gambling den has done me untold harm." If you want your money to do you good, get it by honest toil, honest trade and honest deals.

A man handed me a little batch of matches. I pulled one from the cluster, handed the box back to its owner and then tried to get fire out of the match. I scraped the match head on my shoe, on my pants, on a plank that was near. I worked hard to get fire out of that match, but it refused to yield its flame. Then the man handed me the box saying, "That match will not catch on fire until you scrape it on its own box." That reminds me of many church folks. They are not much for religion, only through their own denomination. Some Methodists, some Baptists, some Christians, some Presbyterians, refuse to show the flame of Christian activity until you scrape them on their own denomination. When they are pulled across the denomination to which they belong, they show fire every time. May God in heaven pity us because of our denominational selfishness.

A prominent author was treating the question of the home budget in American life. A teacher in Chilton county was discussing that budget with his class. In the list were such things as food, clothing, education, furnishings, radio, automobile, church and the like. The teacher asked his class to list the home items in their importance—showing which should be listed first, second, etc. The class listed food as first, clothing came in for second place. Education came in for third place. A long list was made and the church had not been mentioned. The professor asked, "What about the church?" Here is what the most of those students said in reply, "The church, why we never pay anything much to the church. If we pay anything at all it is after all these other items have been taken care of." Well, well, is that so? We have been suspecting the truth of that confession. Last fall I passed a negro country church, and the top of the hill was covered with people who were black. I asked the nature of the gathering, and they told me that it was a "Top Crop Meeting." They were there with the top crop results to pay off their preacher. How can we expect God to bless us when the bottom crop, all the first money we have, goes to take care of self. There is a bale of gospel in this statement, "Ged has got to be first, or he will not be at all."

One day I walked out into the plantation of a thriving farmer. He showed me the harvest that he had made, and finally we came to his fattening pigs. They were free in his peanut field. The most of those pigs looked good because they knew how to use a fat pasture, but there was one pig in that bunch that was very lean. The owner said of him, "There is something wrong with that pig. He has been in the peanut field a month and he is leaner than he was when I put him in here." Have you not seen many a lean cow strolling around in a fat pasture? That reminds me that God has made this old world into a "Fat pasture" for human spirits, but on every hand we are faced with lean souls. If you do not grow a big soul in God's pasture, there is something wrong with you. Have you not seen men and women in the possession of lean souls, while they stroll around in God's fat pastures? It will pay you to get yourself in that attitude so that you can use God's fat pasture, and then grow a fat soul for this world and for the world that is to come.

DRYING FOOD SAVES BY GOOD OLD METHOD

Drying is the oldest method of food preservation. Food prepared this way is less bulky and requires less space for storage. They are lighter in weight and can be packed in less expensive containers.

Because of the above facts, home demonstration extension workers of Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, are encouraging drying along with canning and other methods of food preservation this year.

Drying fruit is done in two ways, they said. One is sunlight, and the other is indoor drying. Sunlight drying is done at almost no expense. Dryers made at home of wood are used frequently. To protect fruit against insects it should be covered with a screen or mosquito netting. For protection against rain a good light cover should be used when needed.

Vegetables and fruits can be dried in an oven in trays or racks over the kitchen stove, or in a specially constructed dryer. The cook stove dryers or evaporators are small oven-like structures, usually made of galvanized sheet iron or of wood and galvanized. They are of such size that they can be placed on the top of an ordinary wood or coal range or kerosene stove.

These dryers hold a series of small trays on which fruits and vegetables are placed after being prepared for drying. There are many types of dryers on the market which are convenient, but homemade dry kilns w answer the purpose for family use.

The county home demonstratio agents are conducting demonstration in saving food products by drying, an also other methods.

Dentist—Well, Mr. Leisenring, yo will have to have an entirely new se of teeth.

Leisenring—That will be O. K. but I wish you would also patch up th old set to use as spares.

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ublic Is Warned Against The Purchase Of NuGrape Stock At $18 Per Share

Montgomery, Ala., Aug. 23.—A warn- to the public that a new issue of ,000 shares of NuGrape Company of merica stock is being offered the in- sting public of Alabama without au- ority or approval of the Alabama Se- rities Commission, and that one H. Spiro, who is reported to have of- red the stock for sale in Montgom- , is not registered with the Com- ission, was issued yesterday by Hugh hite, president of the State Securi- s Commission.

he Commission further stated that had been informed that this stock is eing offered to the public at an ex- itant price" of $18 a share, when de from being in defiance of the law erning registration of such securi- s, the current market quotations list ch stock at $3.50 bid and $4 asked a are.

he statement of warning requests t any individual who has purchased y of this stock, or who has been so- ited to buy the stock, to communi- e with the Commission at once.

he warning of the Commission fol- s:

"Warning by the State Securities mmission of Alabama.

"In re: H. A. Spiro Grant and Com- y and Miller-Koch and Company, ing no par value common stock of NuGrape Company of America:

The Commission has received reli- le advice and has evidence in its files ich shows that the above named in- idual (together with an associate ose name is believed to be Pouchin) operating in this State representing above named companies in selling stock of The NuGrape Company of erica. On April 30, 1929, the Com- ssion upon the application of The NuGrape Company of America registered 10,000 shares of this stock. Due to the failure of this company to file the quarterly reports required by law and an annual audit required by the order of the Commission, this registration was suspended on July 30, 1929. Said suspension has remained in force since that date, consequently The NuGrape Company of America has only had authority to solicit sales for its stock during the months of May, June and July of the year 1929. This would also apply to any agent company or agent individual representing The NuGrape Company of America in selling such stock. The NuGrape Company of America through Grant and Company, Healey Building, Atlanta, Ga., and Miller-Koch and Company, 400 Madison Avenue, New York City, is now offering to the public a new issue of 100,000 shares of its capital stock. The individual Spiro has been offering and selling this stock at $18 per share to Alabama citizens.

"This is to advise the investing public of Alabama that neither Grant and Company nor Miller-Koch and Company have been registered by the Commission as a dealer pursuant to the provisions of the 'Alabama Securities Act' and that H. A. Spiro has not been registered as a salesman under the provisions of said act; further, that no part of the above described stock of The NuGrape Company of America has at any time been nor is now registered by the Commission as is required by the provisions of said Act. The investing public of Alabama is, therefore, warned against dealing with either of the above companies or with said H. A. Spiro, and against buying any of this stock, which is now so being illegally offered for sale in this State, either for cash or for other securities or property.

"The Commission has in its files a recent circular describing this new issue of stock of The NuGrape Company of America, which has been and is being sent through the United States mails to citizens of this State by the above named company, or companies. This offering circular, in the opinion of the Commission, is fraudulent and misleading on its face according to information previously furnished the Commission by The NuGrape Company of America.

"In the opinion of the Commission this stock is being offered to the public at an exorbitant price, $18 or more per share. On the basis of the company's own consolidated balance sheet dated May 31, 1931, the Commission's auditor, J. C. Holmes, after eliminating certain accounts representing book entries, has computed the approximate book value of this stock to be $6 per share. Current market quotations from reputable unlisted security dealers in New York and Chicago show that the unlisted quotations on this stock as of Aug. 21, is bid $3.50, asked $4 per share.

"The public is hereby requested to immediately report to this Commission any and all solicitations or sales made by any of the above named companies or individuals, giving time and place and circumstances of such solicitations and name or names of solicitors.

"Without the cooperation of the public in such matters this Commission cannot hope to protect the investing public of this State against the sale of fraudulent securities or the fraudulent sale of sound securities. Such cooperation of the public is requested."

WAR ON PESTS COSTLY

Few persons, even among those engaged in the right, realize the enormous cost of the warfare which must be continually waged against the various forms of insect pests. It is estimated that the time and money expended for this purpose in the United States represents a loss of two billion dollars a year.

In spite of this mighty effort, insects and plant diseases destroy between 10 and 15 per cent of all food raised. This situation also confronts Canada and South America and to a large extent the entire world.

Grasshoppers and corn borers have caused much damage of late and among others which are particularly destructive may be mentioned the Japanese beetle, boll weevil, leaf hopper, red spider and an almost endless list of minor pests.

An eminent scientist declares that if continuous warfare were not waged against these destructive agencies they would cause a loss of 60 per cent of all crops. It is therefore imperative that every possible means should be employed to check their ravages.

To make it easy for motorists to recognize traffic cops in Paris, France, at night, each officer wears a helmet with a luminous band of phosphorescent paint.

Mrs. Charles Brindle of St. Louis sued her husband for desertion because while there are 21 rooms in his house he chose to sleep on the kitchen table every night during the last two years.

More farmers ought to carry more insurance and better insurance, economists say, particularly insurance against serious damage to growing crops.

TODAY AND TOMORROW

FRANK PARKER STOCKBRIDGE

ENGINES

A young man named Cramer astonished the world the other day by flying from Detroit to Greenland without telling anybody that he was going. The important thing about that flight is that he didn't use any gasoline. His engine is of the Diesel type, which uses anything in the form of oil for fuel. As he put it, he could fly it on butter or whaleoil if necessary.

The best gasoline engines today are only 8 per cent efficient—that is, they utilize only 8 per cent of the power in the fuel. Crude oil engines of the Diesel type are more efficient than that but still far from perfect. The next thing in engines will be one in which the waste of energy necessary to convert reciprocal motion, into protary motion will be done away with.

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CONTRAST

The city of Chanute, Kansas, is probably the most prosperous community in America, if not in the world. Its people pay no taxes whatever.

The city of Fall River, Massachusetts, is in the hands of a receiver, because of inability to meet its obligations out of tax receipts.

Chanute gets enough revenue from municipally-owned gas, electric and water utilities to pay all the running expenses of the town as well as support an airport and a brass band. The city is run by business men. Fall River has been run by politicians for generations.

The principal argument against publiclic ownership of public utilities is that they would be run for the benefit of the politicians instead of for the benefit of the people. That is not always the case, as Chanute is proving.

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PENSIONS

Today eevery man who seved in any of our wars before the World War is receiving a pension. Soon all the World War veterans will be on the pension roll. Employees in the civil service of the Federal Government now get pensions at the age of 70. Most states provide pensions for dependent mothers. Many states have old-age pension systems. Nearly all school systems now retire aged teachers on pensions. Many industries pension old employees. Firemen, policemen and other municipal employees in the big cities all get pensions after a given term of service. Even Al Smith is on the New York State Civil pension roll.

Much of the worry of middle age would be eliminated if everybody could look forward to a peaceful old age not dependent upon charity. Perhaps the incentive to thrift would be impaired, but I doubt that. And I believe that eventually some such system will be adopted everywhere.

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SEAPORTS

Chicago got greatly excited a short time ago when the Swedish freighter "Anna", with a cargo of barbed wire and sardines entered the Chicago River with the Swedish flag flying. It has long been Chicago's dream to become a seaport. Chicago enthusiasts picture a deep-water channel from the St. Lawrence through the Great Lakes to the very heart of the United States

That is an engineering possibility, but whether it would pay is another question. Ocean transportation is always a risky venture. Very few shipowners are making money these days. The demand is constant for greater speed and quicker "turn-around" between ocean terminals. The passage through any inland waterway is necessarily slow.

However, Chicago has set her heart on becoming a seaport and what Chicago goes after she usually gets.

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PARALYSIS

The East this year is having another epidemic of infantile paralysis. The West is comparatively free from this terrible scourge. It is one of the few diseases of which the exact cause is still unknown to science, and for which no effective preventive measures have been devised. Cure is uncertain, and complete recovery practically unknown.

While it cripples the bodies, especially the legs, of its victims, infantile paralysis sometimes seems to sharpen the brain. Governor Roosevelt of New York was infected by this disease, which seldom attacks adults, eight years ago. He is able now to walk without leg braces, with the aid of a couple of canes, while his mind is as active as ever. I know one girl who was infected in the 1916 epidemic who refused to be licked by her affliction and has succeeded in establishing herself as a fashionable milliner, making annual trips to Paris. One of the most seriously crippled boys I ever saw, a victim of paralysis at the age of seven, graduated this year at the top of his class in a western university

It is small consolation to a mother whose child is deprived of its normal physical life by infantile paralysis, to realize that it still has a chance to develop its mental activities, but there is always that ray of hope.

Mineral Springs News

The people of Mineral Springs and Cane Creek communities are going to meet at the Mineral Springs church Sunday afternoon at two o'clock to sing, and organize a singing in the communities, and would like to have the cooperation of the Pleasant Hill and other singers. Everybody come.

The revival at this place closed Friday night with baptism Saturday morning. There were thirty-seven additions to the church, twenty-seven by baptism. It was the greatest meeting that has been at Mineral Springs. It was conducted by the pastor, Rev. Homer Carroll, and Rev. Davis Durbin.

The prayer meeting and B. Y. P. U. were fine Sunday night. We had a large number of visitors, and invite them back.

There will be preaching here Saturday night and Sunday by Rev. Trice.

Brief News Notes

Two final state short courses for 4-H club girls will be held in Montgomery, October 10. One will be the contest at which the State Health champion will be selected; and the other will be the final dress revue.

Tenant farmers now total nearly half of America's farm population, in contrast with conditions 50 years ago when three out of every four farmers owned their land. An increase of 3.8 per cent in tenant farmers since 1925 was reported by the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

F. W. Burns, extension livestock specialist at Auburn, announces three livestock shows in Alabama this fall. They will be for 4-H club members and others, as follows: Montgomery, September 15-16; Huntsville, September 22; and Anniston, the week of October 12

The U. S. Department of Commerce has found that 10,000,000 homes in the United States are now equipped with radio sets, and Dr. Julius Klein, assistant secretary of commerce, thinks that the industry is probably half grown. Ten million homes is about one-third of the total in the country

Potash produced in the United States in 1930 amounted to 105,810 short tons of potassium salts, equivalent to 61,270 short tons of potash, according to the Bureau of Mines. Potash materials of domestic origin sold by producers in 1930 were valued at $2,986,157 f.o.b. plants.

The marriage ceremony for Miss Muriel Ball and Williaf Peters of Mansfield, Eng., was performed by the brides father grandfather and uncle, all methodist ministers.

Two detectives hidden beneath the pulpit in a church in Liverpool, found that the verger, James Ellison, was the thief who had repeatedly robbed the offertory box.

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

We have preaching next Sunday, but no preaching service at night. The Christian church in Clanton will begin a meeting that day and we call in our night service so that our people may worship with them.

I heard a woman say last Sunday, "My mother taught me that I had a place in my home, in my community and in my church that no other one could fill, and I have always been in my place doing my best." That thing is true in your case. You have a place in your church, and no other one can fill it for you. When you are not at church, your place is vacant.

Fill your place in the Sunday school at 9:45. Another Sunday when we had more present than we had the Sunday before. Help our continued growth by being present next Sunday.

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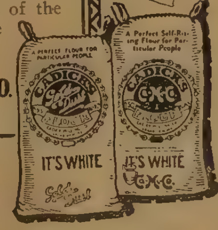
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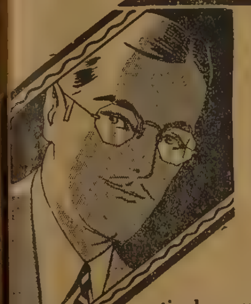

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Banks Will Help Finance Cover Crops

FARMERS URGED TO CONSIDER COVER CROPS

Plans Made Tues. at Meeting Of Bankers, Farmers At County Agent's Office

Tuesday afternoon, upon the call of John C. Page, banker of the county, and C. E. Stapp, County Agent, the bankers of the county and about a dozen farmers and the vocational teachers met at Mr. Stapp's office to consider the financing of farmers in planting vetch and winter peas this fall.

Mr. Stapp advised that all the banks in the county, except the Bank of Maplesville, were officially represented, and that the Bank of Maplesville rendered a satisfactory excuse.

After some discussion by those present as to the value of vetch and Austrian winter peas, the bankers agreed to help finance the planting of vetch and peas this fall. County Agent Stapp, was instructed to find out who wants loans for seed, the amount of loans wanted, and with what banks the farmers want to do business individually in this matter. Then Mr. Stapp will turn the cards of the individual farmers over to the bank of their choice for approval for loans.

Mr. Stapp made the statement that $2 per acre spent for vetch or peas this fall could be made worth more than $5 per acre spent for soda next spring. This statement was endorsed by Willie Hamilton, Mr. Allen, and several other farmers who were present.

With the splendid spirit of cooperation shown by our banks, and their hearty response to help in this great movement, it seems that every farmer in the county should try to arrange to plant vetch and peas this fall.

Mr. Stapp states that 202 farmers have already booked a total of 45,800 pounds of seed, or enough to plant about 2,000 acres. This seems like a lot of seed, but Mr. Stapp stated, it is only a drop in the bucket compared to what should be planted this fall.

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Rev. J. R. Bean Weds Mrs. Annie Armstrong

Last Sunday was an exceptionally busy day for Rev. J. Robert Bean, pastor of Friendship Baptist Church. Bro. Bean is a very energetic sort of preacher, and is able to expedite lots of work in a short time, but last Sunday deserves special mention even for a man of his potential ability.

He came down from his home in Bessemer Saturday and filled his regular appointment that night at Friendship. Sunday morning baptismal services were attended to, he preached at 11 o'clock, got married at 3 o'clock, and filled his regular appointment again at 7:30 in the evening.

Now, of course, crowding all of these actions into one day's work would not have been noticed so much had not one of them been his getting married. Perhaps that is the reason so much significance is attached to the incidents of the day.

The home of Rev. M. J. Parrish was the scene of the ceremony, and the other contracting party was Rev. Parrish's daughter, Mrs. Annie Armstrong. The ceremony was performed by the father of the bride. A number of relatives of the Parrish family from Birmingham and other places, as well as several friends of the couple from the community, gathered out in the shade of the spreading oaks and witnessed the ceremony so impressively administered by the aged father and minister. After the marriage, all those present filed by and shook hands, wishing Rev. and Mrs. Bean a long life chuck full of happiness and sunshine.

Mrs. Bean is the widow of the late W. J. Armstrong, and is the mother of three sons: J. Robert Bean is the son of Pendleton C. Bean, who died at Jemison in 1890. He now has two sisters in Chilton County—Mrs. John L. Gore of Union Grove and Mrs. Bud Webb of Jemison. He has one brother, Eugene Bean, at Bessemer. At the age of 20 he was married to Miss Elizabeth Scurlock of Bibb County, in 1889. Has three sons and one daughter, the oldest son living in Charlotte, N. C., the next in Bessemer, and the girl, the youngest child, living in Talladega County. Mrs. Elizabeth Bean died at Bessemer in 1928.

Rev. and Mrs. Bean will make their home in Clanton. His work as pastor in Jefferson County will be abandoned and Rev. Bean will concentrate his work in Chilton County. He is now pastor of two churches in the county—Friendship, where he preaches each fourth Sunday and Union Grove, each second Sunday.

Some

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Every Farm Family Should Plant A Fall Garden

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off tops of root crops to be stored. (4) Place them in the pit in a wedge-shaped pile about two feet high. (5) Cover with about 4 to 6 inches of straw and cover this with about an equal depth of dirt.

Cabbage may be stored in pits or trenches by inverting the plants and covering with straw and dirt the same as above. The roots and outer leaves should be left attached to the plant.

Use care in storing your winter supply of potatoes. Do not store them where you stored potatoes last year without first cleaning out and disinfecting your old storage place. For detailed information see your county agent.

Cabbage; Flat Dutch variety, plant now. Plant seed in partially shaded moist location and set plants in field in about six weeks.

Collards; Georgia variety, plant now. Plant seed where they are to grow. Side dress with nitrate of soda when plants are about 3 or 4 inches high.

Kale; Siberian variety, plant Aug. 15 to Sept. 15. Will stand more cold than any other greens. Very important as winter greens.

Turnips; Purple Top, Globe, Cowhorn, Seven Top, and Japanese varieties. Plant from Sept. 15 to Oct. 1. Grow Purple Top Globe in North and Central Alabama and store for winter use. Grow Cowhorn variety in South Alabama and leave in ground during winter. Plant Seven Top in North and Central Alabama for greens and the Japanese type in South Alabama.

Tendergreen, plant from Aug. 15 to Oct. 1. Produces greens quicker than any other crop. Excellent for fall greens.

Spinach, Thickleaf variety, plant Aug. 15 to Sept. 15. Very resistant to cold. Stands average winter freezes.

Mustard, Southern Giant curled variety. Plant Aug. 15 to Sept. 15. Preferred by many as fall greens. Not dependable during hard freezes.

Lettuce, Big Boston and New York varieties. Plant from Aug. 15 to 30. Fertilize heavily and thin to stand 15 inches apart in the drill.

Beets, Crosby Egyptian variety, Plant from Aug. 15 to 30. Store in banks or pits before hard freezes.

Carrots, Chantenay variety. Plant from Aug. 15 to Sept. 15. Handle same as beets, in Middle and South Alabama. Will usually keep in ground where grown.

Radish, Rose variety. Plant from Aug. 15 to Sept. 15. Very quick maturing root crop.

Onions, Shallots and Bermuda varieties. Plant from Aug. 1 to 15th. Will provide green onions during winter.

Hospital Notes

Little Hollis Johnson was discharged last week.

Mrs. G. E. Plier is doing fine.

Mrs. C. E. Headley is resting well following an operation.

Mrs. Eadona is doing nicely.

Mrs. J. O. Wilson is resting well.

Little Julian Dobbs continues to improve.

Mr. B. L. Porter is resting well following an operation Monday morning.

Mr. J. L. Billingsley is doing nicely.

Ed Mallory (col.) is doing fine.

COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION TO MEET HERE TOMORROW

The Chilton County Board of Education will hold its scheduled meeting in the office of the County Superintendent of Education Friday, August 28th, according to Supt. B. Lawrence. At this meeting one of the main items to be attended to will be the discussion of the length of the school term of the county.

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Fresh stock Fall Turnip seed. Calloway Drug Co., Clanton.

High School Faculty To Gather At School Soon

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discussed towards making the year 1931-1932 better in every possible way than any previous year.

"Most of the faculty are well known to the patrons and children of the school, there having been only one change made. We feel that we are to be congratulated in this particular matter for it is not only of great value for a child to have an able and efficient teacher, but it is worthwhile that the child know and understand his teacher. Having been associated with the majority of their teachers during the past year, the children of Chilton County High School will begin the new year with this distinct advantage.

"The young men and young women who compose the faculty are not only able and efficient teachers, but they are vitally interested in their work and in the children they teach. The Principal of the school is in position to know from past association and recent communication that these teachers have the welfare and interest of the school on their hearts and that they are looking forward to the opening of school. We trust that the patrons of the school in particular and the citizens of the town in general will give them a hearty welcome back to town, and again assure them of their loyalty and cooperation. It is not mere talk. We are indeed determined to make this year count in the life of every child who enters the doors of our school.

"For the benefit of any new patrons we again publish the names of the faculty:

Miss Bernice Williams, Luverne, mathematics; Miss Nell E. Wells, Jemison, English; T. H. Walker, Lawley, manual arts; James V. Varnell, Falkville, science; Miss Margaret Kendrick, Luverne, English; Miss Josephine Martin, Birmingham, social studies; Miss Bonnie Clyde Griffin, Thorsby, science and physical education; Mrs. W. M. Greene, Birmingham, history; Miss Margaret Brown, Fairfield, home economics."

L. C. WARR, Principal.

Camp Meeting Of Adventists To Open

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cafeteria, young people's department, and children's divisions. Some fifty smaller tents have also been erected as the homes of the delegates to the convention. These tents which will accommodate from two to six people each are arranged in streets and avenues on grounds which will be well lighted at night.

Leaders in the denomination representing the various departments of their work will be in attendance, among these being pastors C. K. Myers of Washington, D. C., L. E. Christmas, a returned missionary from South America, N. S. Ashton of Nashville, Tenn., and B. H. Shaw representing the Educational Department.

The News was asked to extend to all its readers a hearty invitation to attend any or all of the meetings to be held. The program is announced as follows:

Preaching Service ...... 10:45 A. M.
Devotional meeting ...... 6:00 A. M.
Bible Study ...... 2:45 P. M.
Song Service ...... 7:15 P. M.
Preaching ...... 7:30 P. M.

At other hours during the day meetings of special activities will be held as announced. Each Saturday morning at 9:15 a Sabbath School will be held preceding the forenoon preaching hour.

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More Livestock In Alabama Foreseen

An improvement in livestock farming in Alabama is expected because of low prices for cotton. In this way farmers will improve their farming; they will provide a weekly income, they will improve their soil; and they will create a better balanced system of farming.

F. W. Burns, extension livestock specialist at Auburn, said that the biggest improvement and increase will be with dairy cows. Instead of increasing numbers rapidly the tendency is to get better dairy cows, produce feed for them, feed them better, and take better care of them, Mr. Burns said.

The goal is to make dairying a part of general farming. Already this has been done on thousands of farms and it will be extended to other farms, Mr. Burns said. A farmer who has a few cows and produces milk or cream and sells it has a weekly income. Even though it may be small it is a big help in the operation of the farm. Dairying also provides productive employment every day in the year, which is not true of cotton.

More attention will be given to hogs, sheep, and other livestock, Mr. Burns continued. Hogs will not be added on a big scale but rather as a unit of general farming because they can be handled in this way efficiently and at a profit.

Along with animals of good breeding, the county agents are urging the production and use of home-grown feed, including good pastures, because pasture is the cheapest feed a farmer can provide. With fall and winter approaching a special effort is now being made to save all the feed that has been made.

School Term Question Is Arising In County

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bearing no due date. Recently we received about $1,800 in warrants from the state with a notation to hold them until the state treasury is in a condition to pay them. Such warrants will not mean anything to us unless we can get the cash. The Legislature adjourned without making any provision for taking care of the amount of money due us from the state. If the condition of the state treasury does not improve we will continue to receive these due bills and we will, therefore, not have any money to operate schools except the county funds. The county funds will be sufficient to operate the schools about one-half year. It seems to me that it will be unwise for us to continue to operate our schools for a longer period than we have the money with which to pay the teachers. No one seems to be able to tell us when the state will be able to pay their money. As I see it the only business like way to handle the matter is to operate our schools as long as the money holds out then when that has been exhausted let all schools, including high schools, close.

"I do not know just what the County Board of Education will do at their meeting next Friday but it seems to me that the wise thing to do is to set up a half-year program. At the end of the half-year program the state treasury will be in a condition to pay these warrants if they are going to pay them at all this year. If they are not going to be able to pay them this year I believe the wise thing to do is to close when the half-year is over but we will have to be governed entirely by the condition of the state treasury. We will appreciate any suggestions that anyone may have relative to this matter and if you have suggestions we will be glad to have them on or before Friday, August 28."

Respectfully yours,
B. LAWRENCE,
County Supt. Education.

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We Extend A Cordial Invitation To

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Sunday, August 30, 1931

DeWITT'S CAFE

Next Friday Set As Day F Canning At Baptist Church Here

Following a very timely and wort while suggestion, the Pilot Club Clanton, composed of business and pr fessional women, will can food for u in taking care of needy families in t county during the coming win months, according to an announcem made this week.

The Pilot Club is to be highly co mended for this action and much inte est is being shown in the work.

Ask Farmers Aid

Next Friday, August 28, is the d set when the members of the club w be at the Baptist church in Clanton t do this canning. Farmers of the co ty who have a surplus of food pro ucts, suitable for canning purposes a asked to donate as much as they can this work. The Pilot Club asks th the farmers send or bring their pro ucts to the Baptist church this afte noon or early Friday morning Pro ucts such as peaches, beans of all kin tomatoes, and anything that will d to can will be used by the club and expected to be donated.

The people of Clanton are expecte to donate cans, glasses and jars [illegible] canning of these products and a ca vass of the town is expected to be ma however, if anyone has any [illegible] cans, or jars they are asked to [illegible] them to the church either thi [illegible] noon or early tomorrow morning. T Kiwanis Club is expected to be [illegible] sible for the furnishing of n[illegible] cans, also, it was stated.

It is hoped that through the [illegible] the Pilot Club of Clanton alo[illegible] line, that a sufficient supply of [illegible] food products will be put up t[illegible] any families in the county wit[illegible] food for the winter, and it is [illegible] that much help will be needed.

Farmers of the county who [illegible] to donate any surplus products the have will be playing a greater [illegible] this work and their assistance i[illegible] ly needed at this time. They a[illegible] ed to give whatever they can t[illegible] this worthy action on the part of t Pilot Club.

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1 Slightly Used Wicker Suite, 3 pieces
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DATE OF SCHOOL OPENING MAY BE DELAYED SOME

Trustees of County Schools to Meet at Courthouse Today To Discuss Matter

In a letter sent to all trustees of the schools in Chilton County by Superintendent of Education B. Lawrence this week, it was stated that trustees have been asking if it would not be a wise idea to delay the opening of the schools, in view of the possibility of the school term being cut short this year.

At a meeting held sometime ago, it was announced that the opening date for high schools would be Sept. 7, and for other schools on October 5th.

A meeting of all trustees of the county schools has been called for this afternoon at three o'clock at the courthouse in Clanton to discuss this matter, according to the letter sent to the trustees by Supt. Lawrence, and it is hoped that the matter will be gone into in detail and the definite announcement will be made as to the date set for the opening of the schools of the county immediately.

CO. ALMSHOUSE WILL GET NEW KEEPER JAN. 1ST

Harlon Bean Selected From Thirty-Three Applicants For Keeper's Place

Out of the thirty-three applicants for the place as keeper of the county almshouse for the year 1932, Harlon Bean, of the New Salem Community was selected last Saturday by the Commissioners Court of Chilton County, to fill this place, according to information from the office of the Judge of Probate.

Among the applicants for the place of keeper were some of the best known men of the county, and some of the best qualified men for the job, as the list which follows shows. Instead of allowing the keeper the $8.50 per inmate per month, as was stated last week, the information stated that this was changed to $11.00 per inmate per

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THE LEADER DOES SPLENDID BUSINESS ON MEN'S SUITS

In last week's issue of the county papers, Mr. Lande, operator of The Leader, a popular dry goods store of Clanton, carried an ad telling of some exceptional values to be found at his store in men's and boys suits.

In a statement to a representative of the News Monday of this week, Mr. Lande said that they had sold approximately seventy of these suits within a period of three and a half days.

This no doubt sets a record in Clanton on sales on men's and boys colthton on sales of men's and boys clothing. Judging from comments from many of the men who purchased these suits, they were exceptional bargains as advertised by Mr. Lande. He stated that they still have a large number of these suits in stock at these low prices.

W. T. DAVIS LOCATES HERE WITH SEWING MACHINE CO.

W. T. Davis, a representative of the Singer Sewing Machine Co., has recently moved his family to Clanton and is working this section of the state in the interest of his company.

Mr. Davis stated that in the near future he hoped to open an office in Clanton, and if possible conduct a sewing class for the ladies of the county.

Verbena High School Makes Plans To Open

In an announcement from Prof. W. C. DuBose, principal of the Verbena High School, it was stated that this school will open on the morning of September 7, at eight o'clock. Pupils are asked to come prepared to remain all day, as the teachers expect to meet all classes.

Patrons and friends of the school are invited by Prof. DuBose to attend the opening program which is to begin at ten o'clock. The faculty urges everyone who is interested in the school to be present. Opening of the grammar school at Verbena will be announced later, it was stated.

LIQUOR, STILL, BEER AND MEN NABBED BY LAW

Four Men Arrested And Still Destroyed In Single Raid By Sheriff's Forces

Seven men were arrested during the past few days by Sheriff Gillespie and his deputies, and one small still and a quantity of beer destroyed, according to information from the Sheriff's office Monday.

On the raid on the still, four men were arrested in connection with the outfit, the information stated. The still was a small copper outfit and in full operation when the officers arrived on the scene, which was located in the north western part of the county. One of the men made bond and the other three were carried to Montgomery and placed in jail. One hundred and fifty gallons of beer and approximately three gallons of whiskey were also found at the still.

Other arrests included one for violating the prohibition law, one for driving a vehicle while intoxicated and one for presenting firearms. This report covered arrests through Monday of this week.

J.B. Atkinson's Father Died Last Monday

Striking grief to the hearts of his countless friends and to members of his family, J. C. Atkinson, age 69, died suddenly last Monday, August 31, following a wound received near his heart from a pistol bullet inflicted as the pistol he was working with accidentally discharged Monday at his home in Sylacauga, Alabama.

The deceased was a citizen of good standing of the Talladega County town, and has been a resident there since 1903, coming there from another part of the county. The large number of people attending the funeral, not only from Sylacauga, but from other places, and the many beautiful floral offerings attested to the great love and esteem held for this aged citizen, who is the father of one of Chilton County's prominent attorneys, J. B. Atkinson.

He was a devoted and long-time member of the Methodist Episcopal church, and the story of his Christian life was brought out by the minister conducting the funeral services, and by those older residents of the county who knew the deceased for the greater part of his life.

Funeral services were held at the home of the deceased and conducted by the Rev. W. E. Faust of Sylacauga, and these last rites for this beloved citizen seemed to touch the hearts of all present. Interment followed in the Sylacauga cemetery with Howard & Darden of Sylacauga in charge. The deceased is survived by his second wife, and three children, Joseph B. Atkinson of Clanton, C. C. Atkinson, of Gadsden, and Mrs. S. W. Killgore of Rockford, and several grandchildren and other relatives.

JERSEY CATTLE SHOW HERE ON 2 DAYS SOON

Owners Of Purebred Cattle Invited To Take Part In Club Show

It was announced in Clanton Tuesday by County Agent Stapp that the Jersey Calf Club members will hold a Jersey Show in Clanton, starting on September 18, and ending Sept. 19th.

Owners of purebred Jerseys in Chilton County are invited to take part in this show. The cattle will be brought to Clanton on Friday, Sept. 18, and the judging is to take place on Saturday morning following. Immediately following the judging the cattle will be paraded through the streets of the town.

Many of the club boys in the county are already grooming and blanketing their cattle in preparation for the coming show in Clanton. About ten of the best individual animals belonging to Calf Club members are to be carried to Anniston on October 12 to take part in a district show, Mr. Stapp stated.

WIDELY KNOWN THORSBY MAN DIED SUNDAY

E.F. Mead Succumbs Following Lingering Illness At His Thorsby Home

Mr. E. F. Mead died Sunday, August 30, at 3:30 P. M. after a lingering illness and was buried in the Thorsby Cemetery Monday afternoon. The funeral was in charge of the local Masonic Lodge of which Mr. Mead had been a member for many years and in which he had been secretary for several terms. Rev. J. E. Each conducted the services at the home.

Mr. Mead was seventy-seven years, eleven months and nineteen days old at his death. He was born in Cleveland, Ohio, September 11, 1853, and moved with his family to Thorsby in 1896, being one of the first of the northern people to settle in Thorsby. Mr. Mead has been in the concrete business for about twenty-five years, and was respected and well thought of by everyone who knew him. He served three terms as mayor of the Town of Thorsby.

He leaves a daughter, Mrs. George Kimball, of Leith, North Dakota, and two sons, Earl of Calera, Alabama, and Clyde, of Thorsby. Mr. Mead's death was preceded by that of his wife, who died in May, 1928.

MR. AND MRS. ROY ROPER ARE PARENTS OF FINE BABY BOY

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roper of Clanton have announced the arrival of a fine baby boy, born at the Central Alabama Hospital on last Friday, August 28th. The new arrival is a fine looking young fellow, but they had not selected a name for him Tuesday. Both the mother and son are doing fine, and the News joins their many friends in offering congratulations.

"STOP MY AD, IT SOLD ALL MY APPLES AND MORE, TOO"

It pays to advertise in the News, says Judson Strock of Verbena. Mr. Strock ran a small classified ad in the News last week advertising some apples for sale. This week the News received a card from him telling us to stop the ad that it sold all his apples and that he could have sold more if he had had them. Thanks for the kind comment, Mr. Strock.

Mrs. Sid Plyer, Mrs. E. T. Weldon and daughter, Miss Ruth Aylene Maddox, of Kellyton, Ala., spent Tuesday night at their former home in North Clanton.

CLANTON GOLF CLUB ELECTED OFFICIAL STAFF

Constitution And By-Laws Also Adopted By Newly Organized Club

At a meeting held on the golf links, just south of Clanton, the recently organized golf club of Clanton with twenty-one members elected officers and adopted official constitution and by-laws.

The following officers were elected and installed at this meeting: R. J. Sumner, president; John C. Page, vice-president; Otto Jones, secretary and treasurer. The Green Committee is composed of Hosea Downs, Raymond Smith and Claudy Pipes. A board of directors was also named at this meeting.

According to officers of the club, the interest in this newly organized club is growing constantly and new members are expected to be coming in right away. The course is in fine shape now, and they have a caretaker employed to look after the course every day.

PRINCIPALS IMPLY TEACHERS GOT RAW DEAL

Ask Legislation To Make Up Back Salaries Due From 1930-31 Session

Montgomery, Ala., Aug. 29.—High School principals of Alabama at the close of their annual meetings here yesterday formally requested members of the Legislature to do something about paying the past due salaries of teachers in the State in the event the Legislature is assembled in extra session.

The request was made in a resolution unanimously adopted by approximately 200 principals who attended the meeting. The Association also elected officers for the year, and adopted several other resolutions.

In the resolution calling upon members of the Legislature for relief in the matter of overdue teachers' salaries the Principals implied that the payment of all other State and county employes in cash while the teachers were forced to accept "script" in counties where State warrants could not be cashed readily, amounted to a discrimination against the teachers.

The resolution did not mention the existence of any discrimination but merely called attention to the fact that

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COTTON GINNINGS HERE SHOW SLOWNESS IN GATHERING

Farmers in this section are not being fast about gathering cotton this year—at least not as fast as they were last year. According to information from a reliable source, about this time last year there had been something like two hundred bales ginned. This is compared with something like twelve or fifteen bales ginned in Clanton up to date this year.

H. E. CULVER BRINGS FIRST BALE OF COTTON TO CLANTON

The first bale of cotton brought in Clanton and ginned by the Planters Gin & Warehouse Company, this season, came from H. E. Culver. The bale weighed 554 pounds and was ginned on August 26, and rated as strict middling. The bale was purchased by W. I. Mullins and five and three-quarters.

One of the latest additions to the attractiveness of one of the main streets of Clanton at night is a new neon sign installed this week at the Upchurch Drug Company. The sign is one of the most attractive in Clanton and was installed by the James Sign Shop.

Executive Committee Letter Carriers Here

The Executive Committee of the Federation of Letter Carriers of Alabama is scheduled to meet in Clanton on next Monday, Sept. 7th, according to H. T. Wallace, of Rockford, who is president of the committee. The meeting will probably be held at the Wilson Hotel, and for the purpose of arranging a program for the convention to be held in Birmingham next Spring.

Samuel H. Monk, who has recently returned from a years study in England, is visiting his siter, Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry, and Mr. Falkenberry in Clanton.

PILOT CLUB OF CLANTON CANS FOR WINTER AID

Movement Greeted by Hearty Approval From Over The Entire County

A commendable movement pushed forward by the women of Clanton, was brought to a close here Saturday when the Pilot Club of Clanton, sponsored a canning program to can all kinds of vegetables and fruits for use in supplying needy families of Chilton County during the Winter months.

A call was sent out over the entire county asking farmers to donate surplus fruits and vegetables to this work, and delivery was made to Clanton by some, while citizens of the town furnished automobiles to bring the products in.

Two days were set to do this work in and members of the Pilot Club, assisted by other women of the town, gathered at the basement of the Baptist Church here where cooking paraphernalia is located and with something like 30 women, Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts of Clanton putting forth all effort in preparing the products for canning.

The work of putting the fruits and

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Central Singers Will Elect Officers Sunday

Next Sunday afternoon at Concord the Central Singing Society will elect officers for the coming year. This will be the beginning of the second year of the society. The outgoing officers are President, Prof. W. M. Devaughn; vice presidents, O. L. Devaughn and L. T. Grant; Secretary, T. E. Wyatt; Committee, Jesse Baker, C. H. Robinson and Ammie Boswell. Some disposition of the matter of new books will be made at the Concord meeting also.

The society met last Sunday afternoon at Maple Springs; a large class was present and the singing was fairly good. Everybody buy you a new book—one of each kind, and have them at Concord next Sunday afternoon. Don't depend on the society furnishing everybody a book this year, for they will keep on hand only enough extra books to supply visiting singers. All members of the society will be supposed to buy and keep your own books this year.

COL. A. C. SMITH SERIOUSLY ILL AT HIS HOME HERE

Col. A. C. Smith, one of Clanton's oldest and prominent attorneys, is seriously ill at his home here, where he has been confined to his bed for over a week. Reports from his bedside yesterday morning stated that he shows a slight improvement.

Miss Thelma Irby of Charleston, Miss., has been in charge of the local Western Union Office during the past several days in the absence of Miss Ruby Warlick who is on her vacation

CO. BOARD OF EDUCATION SETS SCHOOL PROG'M

Meeting Results In Setting of Program For Only Half Year With Option

The Chilton County Board of Education met at the office of the county superintendent last Friday for the main purpose of outlining a program for the schools in the county for the coming term.

At this meeting it was decided by the board that a program for only a half term would be planned at present, due to the apparent lack of funds which are to come from the state for school purposes.

It was stated, however, that should the funds from the state be paid before or about the end of the half term as planned by the board, then the schools of the county would operate a full term. In case this money is not paid by the state, then, it was stated the schools will close immediately

MISBRANDED SEED SWINDLE IS REVEALED

Alabama Farmers Vicitimized In Purchase of Soy Beans; Investigation On

The Alabama Department of Agriculture has declared war on misbranded seed and is cooperating with Federal authorities in bringing suit against out-of-state seedmen who sold Alabama dealers and farmers misbranded soy bean seed for planting last Spring.

Announcement to this effect was made Friday by Seth P Storrs, commissioner of Agriculture and L. N. Allen, seed analyst, who reported that a number of Alabama farmers had complained about their soy beans being a dwarf variety of little value for hay instead of a hay producing variety as branded.

"We have written county agents in the counties originating the complaints asking that farmers make affidavits to the effect that their soy beans are not of the variety purchased. We are also

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DAVENPORT CEMETERY

All parties interested in any wise in the cemetery at the old Uncle Jimmy Davenport place—better known as the Henry S. Oates place—are hereby requested to meet at the cemetery on Friday morning, September 9th, at 8:30 for the purpose of cleaning off and rehabilitating same. Bring all such tools as you may think will be needed, including axes, saws, hoes, rakes, and some one of those near the cemetery bring a team.

Bring your lunch and we will make it a picnic and family reunion of all the present connection.

EMMA DeSHAZO.

GOOD NEWS, BUT WHO WROTE IT?

This week the News received an interesting bit of news in regard to a singing convention. to be held There was no name signed to the letter and consequently we were unable to use it, as all newspapers have a rule that articles are not usually used unless there is a signature to them. This does not mean that the name of the person will be printed, but we must know where it came from.

Prof. Warr Points Out Several Important Items In Regard To School Opening

Only three more days and a nice long summer's vacation will have come to a close and the high school boys and girls of Clanton and surrounding community will bid farewell to these days and weeks of leisure times and will again turn their hearts and faces towards their "dear old C. C. H. S."

We trust that the summer vacation has been profitable as well as pleasant and that each boy and girl will resume his or her duties with a feeling of responsibility, for going to school is indeed the child's greatest responsibility and should be as big a business to him as his father's business is to his father. However, your child will not feel this responsibility, and will not feel that he is carrying on a big business, unless the parents aid the teachers in impressing these things upon him. Will you please see that your child is in readiness next Monday to commence the new school year. You may rest assured that the teachers are prepared

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Strawberry Meeting To Be Held At Maplesville, Saturday

At the strawberry meeting held at Maplesville, on August 15, a second meeting was called for Saturday, September 5th, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the same meeting place. Everyone in the Maplesville district who is interested in strawberries is urged to attend this meeting next Saturday.

Dr. Samuel Ezell Completes Nine Years Service Last Sunday As Pastor Clanton Baptist Church

Last Sunday, August 30, marked the closing of nine years of faithful service as pastor of the Clanton Baptist church for Dr. Samuel J. Ezell, who will enter upon his tenth year here next Sunday.

Nine years ago, Dr. Ezell came to Clanton with his family to become pastor of the local Baptist church. These nine years he and Mrs. Ezell have been in Clanton have been very colorful for this popular and loved couple, and their untiring work in behalf of church work of all kinds has made a lasting impression on the minds of the people of this section of all denominations.

In his sermon of last Sunday Dr. Ezell reviewed his work of the past nine years, telling his congregation with interest, of the many things he has tried to do for his people here. Next week the News hopes to carry a more detailed account of the fine work done here by Dr. and Mrs. Ezell.

TODAY AND TOMORROW
BY
FRANK PARKER
STOCKBRIDGE

CUBA

We have learned a few things about Cuba and the Cuban people since we went to war with Spain, 33 years ago, to set Cuba free. The Cuban people are about as badly off under self-government, so-called, as they were under Weyler. When sugar and tobacco sell at high prices they are happy; when these commodities are cheap, as they have been for some years, there is revolution. We gave them political freedom but we did not give them the more important economic freedom .

Nobody today wants to annex Cuba to the United States, least of all the American speculators who have built race-tracks, hotels and gambling houses there to attract Americans who want to carouse and waste their money. Under American rule Cuba would have to be officially "dry" and that would start another revolution.

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ICE

Greenland the latest scientific explorers tell us, is a great bowl of ice several thousand feet deep, surrounded by high mountains. This ice has been gradually melting since the last Ice Age, some 20,000 years ago. As it melts, the land below it will rise and the tropical vegetation which once flourished near the North Pole, and of which traces are still found, will grow there again.

By that time all of the white races of man will have moved much farther North than they live now. Then will come another Ice Age and population will be driven back toward the Equator. That is what has happened at least three times in the earth's recent history, and there is no reason to doubt it will happen again Explorers from the universities of Nova Zembla and Spitzbergen will find traces of human handicraft in the tropical jungle growing where Chicago now stands, and will wonder what gods these primitive people worshipped.

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AGE

I got a bill the other day from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, where I vote, for $1, with the information that this was my annual "Old Age Assistance" tax. It seems to me like a good way of creating a fund for the care of aged persons. The direct tax which every individual has to pay has the effect of bringing government and its activities more closely to the attention of everybody who pays it. Massachusetts voters are going to watch the Old Age Assistance program more closely than they would if it were merely a matter of paying for this sort of relief out of the general funds.

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BRAINS

Reading Mrs. Mary Roberts Rinehart's fascinating autobiography, "My Story," I was struck by one phrase she uses, "the physical lethargy of the brain worker." I have never known a great athlete who was at the same time a great thinker, nor a person with a creative mind who excelled in any form of sport. The two attributes do not go together.

Charles P. Steinmetz, perhaps the greatest scientific mind we have ever known in America, was a tubercular hunchback. Einstein gets his exercise by playing the violin! Ædison, mentally keen at 84, never took any form of exercise in his life. Charles Dickens died comparatively young because of his notion that he could keep his brain in condition by vigorous daily physical exertion. Persons of average ability can combine physical development to "get by" in their jobs. But the person who would excel in either field must concentrate solely on the one or the other. Perhaps the best method is Mrs. Rinehart's own. She drops all mental work for long vacations on her western ranch, living and riding in the open until her bodily vigor is restored, then returning to her writing.

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TAXES

The Government defict and the question of how we are to pay for the great public works program inaugurated largely to provide employment, have combined to revive interest in the subject of taxation. Two major proposals are being strongly advocated. One is an increase in inheritance taxes, the other a general sales tax. We have sales taxes now, Federal and State, on automobile sales, on gasoline on theater tickets above a certain price, on stocks, on cosmetics, cigars and cigaretts and many other commodities. Why not extend the principle to everything anybody buys? Inheritance taxes are low, espesially on large estates. Inheritance is a privilege bestowed by law, not an inherent human right. Who would be injured by a law which provided that nobody might inherit more than a million dollars, or enough to care for a dependent widow and children comfortably?

I fully expect to see much higher inheritance taxes and a more widely spread system of sales taxes generally adopted before many years.

Marriages In August

Following are couples to whom marriage licenses were issued from the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County during the month of August, 1931:

Lonnie Cleckler and Miss Emma Smith.

F. L. Britton and Miss Alice Mildred Miner.

Arrie Liveoak and Miss Myrtle Walter.

Winston Culp and Miss Mary Ellen Chasteen.

Chester McGraw and Miss Ella Mae Reliford.

Lesley Bean and Miss Lola Erwin.

Dally Robinson and Miss Christine Murray.

Seborn Jones and Mrs. Polly Franklin.

Samuel Riley Culpepper and Miss Ida Belle Dobbs.

L. R. Willis and Mrs. Bonnie Davenport.

Howard Mims and Miss Mary Elner Wright.

Reuben Cecil White and Miss Nell Jo Martin.

John R. Bean and Mrs. Annie Armstrong.

J. A. Mims and Mrs. Susie Johnson.

Mack Hawes and Miss Ritta Goggins.

Clyde Wright and Miss Lillian Mims.

Ollie H. Robinson and Miss Katie Lou Robinson.

SURPRISING FIGURES

To those who like to delve into statistics of production, commerce and the like, the actual figures often afford some odd surprises. For example, while Florida is classed among the cotton producing states, one county in Alabama grows more cotton than the entire State of Florida.

Another surprise is seen in the record of Pennsylvania's exports. The Keystone state has been established for years as a leader in the production of coal, iron and steel. But trade figures for 1930 show that Pennsylvania's principal item of export is lubricating oil, with shipments valued at $26,775,230. Bituminous coal ranks second, anthracite third, iron and steel fourth, and gasoline fifth.

The state exports more than a hundred leading products, ranging from silk and rayon hosiery and unmanafactured hair to automobiles and railway cars. Oil is on the export throne, however, due to its extensive refining interests and the fact that the state produces a large part of the famous Pennsylvania grade crude oil, the premier crude of the world.

Perhaps it is not inappropriate that oil should assume the export lead in the Keystone state, for it was the scene of the first oil drilled and produced in commercially paying quantities.

His wife played the piano late at night, James O. Matthews of Oregon City, Ore., charged in filing suit for divorce.

June 13 is the birthday of a mother, daughter and grandmother in the family of Mrs. S. A. Hamilton of Stillwater, N. Y.

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The program which the Junior Christian Endeavor put on Sunday night was enjoyed very much. We are proud of them and the interest they are taking in their work. May God help them everyone to grow strong in the service of Jesus and may we seniors and parents help and encourage them in every way possible.

Everybody that was present at the Christian Endeavor social that was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams last Friday night reported that they never had a better time before. The games were very good and everything went off very nicely. The refreshments were very nice and enjoyed by everyone I'm sure.

Our pastor, Bro. Headley, had a special invitation to attend, and we were glad he and his wife were with us.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton spent the past week end with his mother, Mrs. C. A. Surles.

Mrs. W. W. Williams is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Herod, of Haynes, this week.

Most all the Sunday school from here attended the singing at Pleasant Grove last Sunday.

We are sorry to know that Mr. W. A. Williams is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams and family motored to Montgomery Sunday afternoon.

We have changed our Sunday school time from 9:30 in the morning to 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, every first Sunday afternoon, as that is our regular singing evening and it will be more convenient to have it at that time on that Sunday.

Come to the singing and bring your books and friends with you; you are always welcome.

AIDING THE FARMER

Among the many schemes which have been projected in the past few years by politicians and others in real or pretended efforts to aid the farmers of the country, very few have been of any practical benefit. In fact, some of them have been productive of more harm than good.

But there is one species of government aid, at least, which has on the whole been really helpful. It is the agricultural extension service, whereby farm and home demonstration agents, trained for their important duties, have gone among the farmers, their wives and daughters, and taught them how to help themselves.

The various field and home projects and demonstrations carried on by these faithful workers, often under the most discouraging circumstances, have materially raised the efficiency of farming and rural homemaking.

Especially effective work has been done with the boys' and girls' clubs; work which will exert a tremendous influence upon the rural life of the future. This training of farm boys and girls for community leadership is perhaps the most important activity for the betterment of agriculture today.

Three hours after taking his first bath in 40 years by order of the police, William Brisendine of Sheffield, Eng., died of exhaustion.

LEGAL NOTICES

REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity.
F. H. Brown, Complainant, vs. W. G. Hayes, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 7th day of August, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Tuesday, The 22, Day of September, 1931, the following described property, viz.: The Southwest-quarter of Northeast-quarter and the Southeast-quarter of the Northwest-quarter, of Section 23, Township 22, Range 12, in Chilton County, Alabama, which is the 80 acres known as the W. G. Hayes home place.

This the 1st day of September, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
9-3-3tcS Register.

REGISTER'S SALE

Polk Brothers Motor Company, a corporation., Complainants, vs. C. H. Mash, et al., Respondents.
In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause, rendered on the 5th day of August, 1931, by the Circuit Court in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Court house door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. on Tuesday the 15th, day of September, 1931. The following described property, to-wit:

That certain note executed by C. H. Marsh to Oda Bates on August 1st, 1927, for $800.00, and due an payable on the 4th day of May, 1929.

Also the mortgage securing the note just above described which said mortgage is dated August 1st, 1927, and recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 217 of mortgages, Page 162.

This 1st day of September, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
9-3-1tcS Register.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas J. M. Rowell and wife Annie Rowell did on May 21, 1927 execute that certain mortgage payable to Scott Lumber Company, which said mortgage is of record in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama in Volume 221 Record of Mortgages at page 207; and

Whereas, heretofore, for value received the said Scott Lumber Company did transfer, sell and assign all its right, title, claim and interest in and to said mortgage, the debt secured thereby and the real estate described therein to the undersigned N. W. Scott; and

Whereas, default has heretofore been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, so that said mortgage, by its terms is now subject to foreclosure;

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as transferee of said mortgage, will sell the real estate described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to the highest bidder for cash said sale to be held in front of the courthouse door of Chilton County, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on October 9, 1931. The real estate described in and conveyed by said mortgage is described as follows: The West half of the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter; also the East half of the East half of the Northwest quarter of the Northeast quarter, in Section 7, Township 22, Range 14, containing 30 acres, more or less. Situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

The proceeds of said sale will be applied in strict accordance with the terms of said mortgage relating thereto.

N. W. SCOTT,
9-3-4tcB. Transferee.

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Two Years Ago

Issue of September 5, 1929

Carey Robinson, age 39, prominent citizen of the Providence community, died here at the Central Alabama Hospital last Friday.

P. L. Robinson of Jemison has succeeded Carl Boockholdt as night marshal in Clanton.

Antone Schoenwetter of Clanton was severely injured last Sunday in a motorcycle accident which occurred a few miles north of Montgomery.

The Chilton County High School opened last Monday morning and this school year promises to be one of the most successful ever enjoyed by the school.

Smedley—Why did you get rid of your old auto?

Benito—I had too much trouble with it.

Smedley—But I thought it never broke down.

Benito—It didn't—but think of the reputation it has for running over peo-

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My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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CHAPTER XLI

On the heels of all the clamor for nothing but infantry and machine gunners I received a request from Marshal Haig, British commander, asking 10,000 artillerymen. This fully bore out a prediction I had cabled Washington that the allies would be asking artillerymen before long.

It will be readily understood, however, that once the allies had made a demand for infantry and machine gunners they all joined in concerted effort to bring it about regardless of what their real needs might be.

In reply, I reminded Marshal Haig that the Abbeville agreement, giving priority to infantry and machine-gun shipments, would prevent the arrival of our artillerymen for some time.

In fulfilling our part in military co-operation we had already gone far beyond the mere recognition of the principle of unity of command and had begun to bring over hundreds of thousands of men almost regardless of the organizations to which they belonged, that they might be available in the event of extreme necessity.

Inspects Second Division.

It was my custom throughout the war, as both a duty and a pleasure, to visit the troops as frequently as possible to keep in touch with the state of efficiency and the morale of officers and men. As Bundy's Second division, with Harbord and E. M. Lewis as brigade commanders, was leaving the quiet sector south of Verdun en route to the billeting and training area to finish preparation for battle, the moment was opportune to make a brief inspection. I had an opportunity to talk with a number of the officers in command of smaller units. I especially discussed the question of supply with officers charged with that duty.

I visited Harbord's brigade of marines and found those I inspected in good shape and their billets well kept. The troops of the division that were seen on the march, especially the trains, did not look so well. In an army like ours the care of animals is difficult to teach. Cruikshank's artillery looked well. The entraining at Ancemont was carried out in an orderly and systematic manner.

Building in France Used as School for Officers of the A. E. F.

General Blondlat, in whose corps the Second had been serving, spoke very highly of the troops. The favorable impression obtained of this unit was very soon to be confirmed on the battlefield, where its distinguished service was to make its name immortal.

Frequently Had Guests.

During the first few months at Chaumont I occupied quarters in the town, but later M. de Rouvre placed at my disposal his beautiful chateau some three kilometers away. My headquarters mess was limited to the few officers with whom I was most intimately associated and consisted of my personal aids, the chief of staff, and one or two others. Nearly always there were a few guests at meals invited from among the visitors, both French and American, who came to headquarters. Officers from French general headquarters were frequent guests and we were always glad to have them.

As a rule there was a ban on everything in the way of shop talk and the rule was rarely broken and then only when we had special guests seeking enlightenment or information regarding our policies and activities.

There was one subject that would always start a discussion, and that was the relative value of the different arms, each being represented by at least one officer. Harbord and I were both from the cavalry, and the cavalry member of the staff felt that he had at least a sympathetic audience. The infantry aid, however, always held his own in any discussion, as no matter how specious the arguments or perhaps the gibes at his expense we all know that without the infantry the other arms would accomplish little. The associations of such a group are never forgotten, and even a short period was enough to establish a permanent and affectionate relationship.

Staff Offices Rotated.

Rotation in office was early adopted as a principle to be applied to the staff in general, and although it was never possible fully to carry it out most of the officers of my staff got their chance at a tour with combat troops. Major Collins and Major Shallenberger, two of the aids who went with me to France, were the first to go to other duty, being replaced by Major Quekemeyer and Major Bowditch. Colonel Boyd, who joined me as aid shortly after my arrival in France, remained throughout the war.

When General Harbord's turn came his place as chief of staff was taken by General McAndrew. Several of the higher officers of the general staff had a tour with troops, not only that they might have the opportunity to serve at the front, which is every soldier's ambition, but because they would return to staff duty with a broader and more sympathetic understanding of the line officer's point of view and appreciate more fully the consideration that he deserves at the hands of the staff.

According to the plan for the rotation of officers between line and staff several others were relieved and sent to serve with troops. Among them were Col. Frank R. McCoy, secretary of the general staff, relieved by Maj. James H. Collins, and Col. W. D. Connor, assistant chief of staff G-1, relieved by Col. G. V. H. Moseley.

Morrow on Maritime Council.

Our members of the interallied maritime council were wide awake at this time in their search for additional tonnage. Dwight Morrow reported prospects of some increase, besides calling attention to tonnage that was idle or not being used to the best advantage. The immense shipment of American troops contemplated the use of all available passenger-cargo carrying ships, British, American and neutral. As very little if any space would be left in such ships for cargo, the latter class of ships was in greater demand than ever.

Meanwhile the amount of world cargo tonnage built during the preceding five months was scarcely equal to the losses, and the ships we were manufacturing had only just begun to be turned out for service. It was at once evident that the immense program of troop shipments would call for extraordinary concessions on the part of all concerned.

CHAPTER XLII

A strong German offensive opened May 27, 1918, against the French, with the famous Big Bertha firing on Paris.

The position of the First division was near Cantigny, where it had been in line nearly a month opposite the town and near the point of farthest advance of the enemy in the Amiens salient.

Although some weeks had passed since my offer of troops in the emergency, up to now none had been called upon to take part in active operations. The reason appeared to be that the allies were skeptical of the ability of any of our units to conduct an offensive. The opportunity now came, however, to remove misgivings on that score.

The French corps in which the First was serving had prepared a counterattack to be launched in the Amiens sector about the middle of May in case of another offensive by the enemy in Flanders, which, it was believed, would occur between May 15 and 20. The counterattack was to be directed due east toward the heights of Montdidier, with the advance of the First division, supported by a French division on each flank, as a preliminary move. This was to be followed in forty-eight hours by a general advance northward of the entire Third French army, which covered the front from Montdidier to Noyon.

Ammunition dumps had been filled, special trenches dug, new battery emplacements prepared for the reinforcing artillery and necessary orders issued for the counterattack, but the enemy did not put in his appearance according to the forecast.

First Seeks Better Position.

It was then decided that the First division should undertake to improve its position. The Germans on its front continued to hold the advantage of higher ground, from which they were able to inflict constant losses on our troops while suffering little damage themselves. Another reason was at this moment the morale of the allies required that American troops make their appearance in battle.

The Cantigny sector at this time was very active, with artillery fire unusually heavy, and the preparations for the attack by the First division, which had to be hastily made, were carried out under great difficulty. Many casualties occurred during the construction of jumping-off trenches, emplacements and advance command posts.

The Twenty-eighth infantry, under Col. Hanson E. Ely, designated for the assault, was reinforced by machine guns, engineers and other special units. Additional French artillery was sent to assist the artillery brigade of the division and particularly to suppress the hostile batteries attempting to interfere with the consolidation of the new position after it should be captured.

Yanks Splendid Under Fire.

On the morning of May 28, after a brief artillery preparation, the infantry advanced on a front of a mile and a quarter. The village of Cantigny and the adjacent heights were quickly taken, relatively heavy casualties were inflicted on the enemy and about 300 prisoners were captured. Our troops behaved splendidly and suffered but slight loss in the actual attack

Events developing farther east, however, were seriously to complicate the success. The German assault in force against the French along the Chemin des Dames, between Soissons and Rheims, began on the morning of the Twenty-seventh and was making dangerous headway. By the morning of the twenty-eighth the gains of the enemy were such that the French high command was compelled to relieve much of the reinforcing artillery behind the First division and transfer it to that front.

The enemy's artillery within range of Cantigny thus became superior to ours and was able to concentrate a terrific fire on the unsheltered troops in the captured position. His reaction against our troops was extremely violent and apparently he was determined at all cost to counteract the excellent effect the American success had produced upon the allies.

Under cover of heavy bombardment a series of counterattacks were made by the enemy, but our young infantrymen stood their ground and broke up every attempt to dislodge them. The regiment sustained severe casualties from the large caliber shells poured down upon it and had to be reinforced by a battalion each from the Eighteenth and Twenty-sixth regiments.

It was a matter of pride to the whole A. E. F. that the troops of this division, in their first battle, and in the unusually trying situation that followed, displayed the fortitude and courage of veterans, held their gains and denied the enemy the slightest advantage.

U. S. Troops at Chateau Thierry.

The alarming situation had caused General Petain to call on me on the 30th for American troops to be sent to the region of Chateau Thierry. The Third division (Dickman), then in training near Chaumont, being the only division within reach, besides the Second, was ordered to move north immediately. Dickman started his motorized machine-gun battalion over the road on the afternoon of May 30. The infantry and engineers entrained the same night, and the division's supply trains marched overland.

The first element to reach Chateau Thierry was the machine-gun battalion, which arrived the afternoon of May 31 and immediately went into action against the enemy, who then held the half of the town north of the Marne. By daylight on June 1 all available guns had been provided with cover and were in their positions, one company with eight guns, and another with nine guns about 500 yards to the east, guarding the approaches to the railroad bridge. From these positions they repulsed all attempts by the Germans to cross the Marne.

Meanwhile, as the infantry of the division came up on June 1 its battalions were put into line to reinforce the French from Chateau Thierry east to Dormans. The conduct of the machine-gun battalion in this operation was highly praised by General Petain in a citation issued later.

Stopped German Drive on Paris.

The Second division (Bundy) May 30 was near Chaumont-en-Vixen and was preparing to move northward the next day for concentration near Beauvais to relieve the First division at Cantigny. But its orders were changed late that night, and the division, moving by motor trucks, was rushed toward Maux, twenty miles northeast of Paris. Reaching there, the leading elements were hurried forward in the direction of Chateau Thierry. The roads were crowded with French troops and refugees. There was great confusion among the rapidly retreating French troops, many of them saying to our men that all was lost.

The initial deployment of the Second division was made by the Ninth infantry and the Sixth regiment of marines June 1, across the Paris highway at Lucy-le-Bocage, in front of Montreuil-aux-Lions, supposedly in support of two French divisions; but the French had orders to fall back through the American lines. In the early morning of June 2 the Twenty-third infantry, then on the left, was replaced by the French One Hundred Sixty-seventh division, and when reinforced by one battalion of the Fifth marines, the Fifth machine-gun battalion and some engineers, it was deployed to the right between the Sixth marines and the Ninth infantry, to fill a gap in the French line, and by June 5 the entire division became engaged.

Considering that this was its first experience in battle, this division made a splendid defense, repulsed all German attacks, and by its timely arrival effectively stopped the German advance on Paris.

Bring Relief to French Poilu.

The sudden appearance and dramatic entrance of the Second and Third divisions into the shattered and broken fighting lines and their dash and courage in battle produced a favorable effect upon the French poilu. It must have been with a decided feeling of relief that the worn and tired French army, retreating before vastly superior numbers, caught sight of Americans arriving in trucks at Meaux and marching thence on foot, hats off, hurrying eagerly forward to battle. And the Germans, who had been filled with propaganda deprecating the American effort and the quality of their training, must have been surprised and doubtless rather disconcerted by meeting strong resistance by Americans on different portions of this active battle front, especially when our troops advanced at once to meet the attack in open combat.

This defeat of the French furnished the second striking confirmation of the wisdom of training troops for open warfare.

Replies to French Criticism.

After the success of our troops we were in no mood to listen to self-appointed critics. M. Andre Tardieu called on me upon my return to Paris and undertook to point out that our staff was inefficient and offered criticisms of our organization. As this was something he could not possibly know about, I replied that he had got an entirely erroneous impression and that our staff was second to none in either ability or efficiency.

I advised him that we had quite enough of this sort of thing from the French, either military or civilian, and suggested that if his people would cease troubling themselves so much about our affairs and attend more strictly to their own we should all get along much better.

I did not fail to appreciate M. Tardieu's ability and his helpfulness on many occasions, but this constant inclination on the part of a certain element among the French to assume a superiority that did not exist then or at any later period, added to the attempts of some of them to dictate, had reached the limit.

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West End News

Just now and then we see in your valuable paper, a few lines from West End, but not often. If you had any idea about what a live, hustling community this is, why, you'd be wanting to move your office out here where you could move along with these wide awake folks.

Any time now when you go down in the business section you will find all hands busy. Makes you wonder if they have turned the "Hoover Corner" in fact. They seem to like everybody out here except our twin governors, Feagan and Miller.

Miss Cleo Broadhead and Jack Goff returned Sunday evening from a week end visit to Birmingham.

Mr. Johnnie Hardy returned to Montevallo Sunday after a few days visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hardy.

Mr. Grady Taylor spent the week end at home. He is salesman for the Tennessee Biscuit Company.

Miss Billie Scroggins is spending this week in Selma.

A Mr. Dow, wife and children and his mother, of Montgomery, visited Mrs. Kicker Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs George Culp of Birmingham, were the guests Sunday [illegible] of Mrs. Edwards, who returned with them Monday morning for a few days visit.

Mrs. Vollie Mims returned Saturday from a week's visit to her mother at New Harmony.

Mr. David Goff left Sunday to accept a position at Washington, D. C.

Quite a number went from here Sunday to the Coosa-Chilton picnic on the river.

Miss Lucile Scroggins spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Flora Thomas.

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On Living In A Small Town

There are so many reasons why people who live in small towns have a better time of it than those who live in the big cities that there isn't room to put them all down here. But one of the things that make our city cousins mad is that we small-town and country folk have so much more to say about the government of our state and of the nation than they do.

A writer in a recent issue of The American Mercury points out that one voter in Echols County, Georgia, has as much to say about the State's affairs on election day as 35 voters in Atlanta. Atlanta has 11 per cent of Georgia's population and pays 24 per cent of the ad valorem taxes, but has only 1.4 per cent of the members of the lower house of the state Legislature.

That disclosure leads the New York Times to remark that one voter in Putnam County, less than thirty miles north of the big city, has as much to say at Albany as five voters in New York itself. There are similar conditions in every state which has large cities. Chicago is always complaining that "down-state" members run the Illinois Legislature, while the constitution of the State of New York contains a provision which prevents New York City from ever having a majority in either house of the Legislature.

This condition is a survival of the original distribution of political authority according to locality and not according to population. And, on the whole, we see no reason to change it. Population has been drifting away from the farms in the past few years, but a whole lot of the drift never got any farther than the nearby country towns and villages, and now there is beginning a swing back from the big cities to the land again.

Farmers have their troubles, and so do small town business men, but they are trifling compared with the troubles of city people in times of industrial distress and unemployment. For one thing, the city dweller has to have cash in his pocket or starve. We know many good citizens who don't handle as much cash in a year as thousands of city folks spend for a month's house rent, but we haven't noticed any of them starving. And the few who have had hard luck and have had to have help from their neighbors haven't had to sacrifice their self-respect in accepting a "lift" over the temporary rough going.

As far as we can find out, the small towns of the whole United States have got along better through these past two years of depression than the big cities have done. And if there is anything really worth having in city life that we haven't got right here at home, we don't know what it is.

On the whole, perhaps, it's just as well that the cities don't run everything, so long as people have to eat and we country folk have to raise their food for them.

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Supporting The Railroads

Recently officials of banks, trust companies, universities, college foundations and fire insurance, casualty, indemnity and surety companies met in New York and formed a committee to support the railroads in their petition to the Interstate Commerce Commission for a 15 per cent increase in freight rates. The committee is known as the Security Holders' Committee on the Railroad Emergency.

Farmers, shippers and others affected by the increased rate structure, if it is allowed, may retort that the woes of security holders are of no importance to them. But, in reality, the railroad situation is of first importance to all of us. There is hardly a business that does not, in one way or another, depend on the railroads for existence. Millions of Americans are employed by concerns, a large part of whose business is done through sales to the lines. When the railroads face disaster the effect of it is felt throughout the nation, and in a multitude of industries.

It is said that the 15 per cent increase will give the railroads about four per cent profit, where at present many railroads are unable to earn enough to pay fixed charges alone. It will mean that railroad progress is to continue, and that the public—farmers and manufacturers laborers and stockholders—will benefit accordingly. One can sympathize heartily with agriculture and other businesses now in a depressed state—but it should be understood that a reasonable degree of prosperity on the part of the railroads will be a mighty factor in bringing back good times to all.

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This is not intended as a demand but if the label on your paper shows that your subscription has expired, there is no other month in the year in which a renewal is more appreciated than the month of September.

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The Iowa legislature has decreed that all taxes levied in that state for the years 1931 and 1932, must be five per cent less than in 1930. Iowa is getting right at last.

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When you have done a good days work relax and forget your troubles until the next day. There will be enough new ones to encounter then.

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A few more good milk cows and producing sows and laying hens will help to stimulate five and six cent cotton.

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Stop talking depression and go to work. That is the greatest cure in the world for discontentment.

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Our merchants are dolling up their stocks and getting ready for the fall trade.

"ROUND TOWN"

---*by Doug*

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

> "Search thy own heart; what paineth
> thee in others in thyself may be."
> —J. G. Whittier.

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And if you pardon my saying so, I think the above is a fine topic for a good sermon. I might pass that suggestion on to our preachers. They should not have very much trouble in finding a lot to say on a subject like that.

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I want to thank those several readers of this column for their kind comments on recent paragraphs contained herein.

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Just Supposing—

That Clanton had no paved streets. That about four filling stations would suspend business here. Or that about three or four more would open up for business. That you fell heir to a million dollars. That nine out of ten are not victims. That Chesterfields did not satisfy. That we had no Adams Apple for Luckies to advertise about. That Moses had not written the Ten Commandments. That the L & N Railroad did not pass through Clanton. That the bus companies had to pay all sorts of license to operate in the tsate. That Columbus had never discovered America. That Clanton did not have such a splendid reputation over the state. That we had no Prohibition Law. That Alabama passed a law prohibiting the planting of cotton next year. That the Clanton Golf Club erected a beautiful club house and accessories. That every farmer in Chilton County had a thousand dollars in cash.

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All that supposin' makes me wonder—just what would happen if all that would happen.

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This fellow Moses I spoke of above is the guy what started a lot o' trouble, no doubt. When he carved out the Ten Commandments on the Tablets of Stone, little did he realize just what he was starting in this country. Ever since he done that there has been an ever increasing output of laws and statutes, decisions and what have you, until now the poor lawyer, has a hard time finding his way through the maze of precedent.

But like The Specialist, I been figgering and I figger that if the Ten Commandments were observed as they should be, then there would not have to be so blamed many laws writ out for us to obey, or break, as the case may be or something.

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In a little private survey I made not so long ago concerning the people who read newspapers, and the newspapers they read, I met a great big surprise when I found such a small number of the business and professional men of Clanton who read the local papers. Yes, actually there is a large number of our business men who only glance at the local papers and then lay them down. When a subject of local interest is mentioned there are many who will remark that they knew nothing about it, even when the papers played it up as a feature news story.

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I have heard a lot about the errors that are found in newspapers. Most of them of course are what is referred to as typographical errors and are just overlooked. But here's some that caught me in the right mood to get one of those good laughs. I am always looking for:

"Mrs. Annie Besant, eighty-year-old theosophist leader, was confined to bed at the home of friends at Wimbledon. A severe child forced her to cancel all speaking engagements." Of course it should have been 'chill.'

"This is the first picture taken showing Europe's other famous Queen Marie with the infant Prince Andria, her third sin." And of course that should have been 'son.'

"It is proposed to use this donation to purchase new wenches for our parks as the present old ones are in very dilapidated state." — Naturally that should have been 'benches.'

Here's one from an ad—"Why rend your garments elsewhere when our up-to-date laundry can do the work more effectively."

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And along comes this Mr. Lande and advertises thru the press that he has some bargains in men's and boys suits. He says that in two days time last week he sold forty suits of clothes, and at the rate he was going the latter part of last week, I'll bet he has lost trace of how many he has sold by now. My comment on this is simply, "Publicity and advertising is a fine thing when done in the right way." And Mr. Lande apparently knows how to use it with his store, The Leader. If I could have scared up a few dollars there is a bare possibility that I would have blossomed forth in a new tailor made suit, one from Lande's. But such is the life of a columnist.

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I'm glad to see that the members of the Clanton Golf Club are progressing so nicely. I understand from a story in this issue that they have elected officers and adopted a constitution and some by-laws, and that interest is increasing. I'm afraid to go too much into detail about this for fear I might get the golf bugs on me, and that'll be just too bad because then I'd have to dig up a little cash and join that club if they would let me in.

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A Moral For "Reformers"

Those who advocate anti-revolver and pistol laws because of the prevalence of crime are on shaky ground. The sawed-off shotgun and sub-machine gun are the modern weapons whose operation involves little skill and whose destructive power is a thousand times that of any small arm.

It is not improbably that crime flourishes today partly because so few homes and offices are protected by arms. A good many cities and states have rigid anti-gun ordinances, and in others the requirements for owning a weapon are so involved that the average citizen does not go through the necessary red tape. This is not an argument in favor of all of us going about the streets armed—but it certainly is evidence of a condition which gives potential law-breakers an advantage by making it difficult for the law-abiding citizens to protect his home or place of business.

We have done many absurd things in the name of crime prevention. We have passed liberty-restricting laws, thus giving us more laws to break. We have penalized the good citizen in the hope that this ordinance or that would miraculously cut down crime. As a result, the United States is the greatest law-breaking civilized country on earth. There is a sound moral here, if the "reformers" care to look for it.

"AS SEEN"

By John Goodloe

PLAYING THE GAME

I look good acting whether on the stage or in real life. It is an art that is essential if one rises to a higher station in life, and yet most people will disagree because they believe in one being what they are. Theoretically that sounds like good advice—but I wondtr how far most of us would get if we really played the part of our real selves. Let a man or woman start talking about their pains and aches and see how interested you become. Let them expound their financial difficulties and see how soon you start avoiding them. No one cares for your chronic troubles, regardless of the patient interest they may show to keep from hurting your feelings. Play the old game my friend—smiel and the world smiles with you, weep and some day you wil lrun into some unsympathetic soul who will give you what you deserve. Life is too short for wasting the other fellows time telling him about your troubles—he has troubles of his own—so just smile and make him think you are enjoying the best of health. I've seen men smile when in their hearts there was sadness and fear. I've seen them laugh and joke when alone they would cry. I've known women who have pushed their husbands back to fortune and fame after loss and defeat by smiling and accepting their misfortune with a courage that would make most of us look like pikers. I don't like cheap acting—I hate the fellow who wraps a ten dollar bill around stage money, and acts rich. I detest a woman who tries to appear superior to her neighbors — yet I admire the woman who crashes the gates of society above her own station in life, and sticks. Haven't you noticed men and women who could adapt themselves to people of every walk in life—who could make the poor feed comfortable in their presence—who could make the rich feel proud of having their acquaintance? I know a political boss in one of the southern states who rose to a high place in the service of the National Government through the great influence he had in theh state where the party of his faith was greatly in the minority. The explanation was that he was a wonderful actor. I've heard him talk before the laboring class with patched trousers, a blue shirt with no tie and worn out shoes, with a vocabulary that would make the King's English appear as though it had been in a slaughter house. I've seen him changed to a dress suit and speak before the highest type professional men at a banquet and employ english that would make the King look like a second-rate tin horn. Perhaps you don't like that kind of fellow—but he has friends in all classes and he has never been known to snub them. He made his acting real—he put feeling into every expression and syncronized his thoughts with those of the class before whom he was speaking. This type of acting is well worth while no matter what you are and wil lbring to you an immeasurable amount of happiness and success if in your acting you train yourself to be sincere in the part you are playing.

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Demonstrations On Canning Held Here

During the past week Miss Ruth Dobyne, district home demonstration agent of Auburn, assisted by Miss Mignon Mallette, home demonstration agent of Coosa County, conducted several emergency canning demonstrations in this county in the various communities.

The demonstrations were held at some home in the communities and were attended by large numbers of the farm women in the communities, with much interest shown in the work. These meetings were arranged by County Agent Stapp and Erle Thomas, vocational teacher at Isabella, and Miss Bertha Dennis, who worked untiringly with Miss Dobyne and Miss Mallette in these demonstrations.

Meetings of instruction in this work were held at Isabella, Fairview, Vermont, Union Grove, Poplar Springs and Friendship. One hundred and twenty-one farm women attended these meetings and this work was appreciated by those present.

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LITTLE HOLLIS JOHNSON OF ROUTE TWO IMPROVING

Hollis Johnson, age 12, who was knocked down by a car driven by Mr. Raymond Baker July the 23rd, near his home five miles south of Clanton, on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway, seems to be improving at his home. And we especially wish to thank all of our friends, neighbors, relatives and Dr. Gragg and the nurses for all kindness and interest taken in Hollis's behalf.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gip Johnson, Clanton, Ala., Route 2.

Principals Imply That Teachers Got Raw Deal

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all other state and county officials were paid in cash for their services.

Amounts Due Vary

The amounts due the teachers for work during the last school year varies in the respective counties. In some of the counties the teachers have been paid in full. In others some teachers are holding "script" awaiting payment for services ranging from a month to four months.

With the beginning of the new school year hundreds of teachers are about to resume their work without any definite assurance as to when they will be paid for past due salaries or for salaries for the forthcoming term, it was pointed out by several at the meeting.

The situation was created by an empty treasury and large deficits when Gov. Miller entered office. Gov. Miller, in order that the teachers might be paid to January, borrowed $5,000,000, the greater part of which was disbursed to the counties. Subsequently Gov. Miller announced that the State would issue warrants to the counties for $850,000 due for the attendance fund; $900,000 for the equalization fund; about $457,000 for the rural high school fund, and several other smaller funds. The counties were authorized to borrow money on these warrants from the local banks, if possible, in order to pay the teachers and defray other expenses of school operation, maintenance, and capital outlay expenditures.

Some Paid In Full

Quite a number of the counties were able to borrow money on the warrants, and to a large measure, alleviate the situation. Other counties, however, were unsuccessful in floating any loans with the warrants as proffered securities and the teachers have been given "script" or "due bills" on the county.

The Principals also adopted resolutions thanking the officials of Womans College for the use of the chapel and dormitories of the school. Another resolution recommended that all high schools in the State adopt the uniform marking system recommended by the committee on a uniform system of marking.

Officers Elected

William M. Jackson, of Selma, was elected president of the Association.

W. J. Terry of Eclectic, the retiring president, was elected vice president and W. L. Spencer, director of secondary education for the State Department of Education, was re-elected secretary-treasurer. Mr. Terry is principal of the Elmore County High School

New members named to the executive committee are Houston Cole, of Northport, principal of the Tuscaloosa County High School, and William Tidwell, principal of the Livingston High School.

W. J. Baird, principal of the Jefferson County High School, recommended a point system for high school boys in directing a discussion of physical education and high school athletics.

Dr. J. O. Frank, of Oshkosh, Wis., recognized as an authority on science study courses, again addressed the convention on "Ways, Means and Devices to Enrich Courses in High School Sciences." Dr. Frank was a member of the faculty at the University of Alabama Summer School.

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LARGE CROWDS ATTEND CHRISTIAN CHURCH REVIVAL

The Church of Christ at Clanton began a series of meetings on last Sunday with large crowds in attendance. The Methodist and Baptist Churches dispensed with their evening services and their pastors with many of the members attending the meeting. The large crowds gathered from many other places as well as from Clanton. So far there have been visitors from Birmingham, Montevallo, Calera, Jemison, Thorsby, Speigener, Maplesville, and Mt. Creek. Monday night there was one confession of faith, with baptising to take place later.

Evangelist G. A. Dunn, Jr., of Dallas, Texas, is doing the preaching. Although a youth, Mr. Dunn has traveled extensively in his work, and the Church of Christ at Clanton feels itself fortunate in being able to obtain his services. Mr. Dunn has expressed himself as being well pleased with his reception by the citizens of Clanton.

The meeting will continue throughout the week and a part of next week with services daily at 7:30 P. M. Mr. Dunn has toured the Holy Land and has made a special study of this ancient city and will lecture on it on next Monday night. The public is urged to attend every service.

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Married men are more composed under cross examination, being quite accustomed to it.

J. B. ATKINSON
Attorney-At-Law
Office Over Robinson Department Store
Clanton, Alabama

Thorsby Public School Opening

Following is a statement from W. T. Bean, Principal of the Thorsby Public School, in regard to its opening:

"The Thorsby Public School will open on Monday, Sept. 7th. We hope that every pupil who expects to attend school here this session will be present for registration even if they can't attend regularly at first. All pupils taking ninth grade work are especially urged to register Monday so that we may determine whether there will be enough pupils in this grade to justify our carrying the grade.

"We are changing the opening exercises from what they have been in the past. The board of trustees have initiated an idea for the school to hold an all-day educational rally within a few weeks at which time an effort will be made to get every patron of the school out for the day. This being the plan of our get-together meeting, the patrons will not be expected to attend the opening next Monday. However, each and every patron who may wish to come will be gladly welcomed then or at any other time.

"The devotional exercises will be conducted by one of the local ministers, and G. A. Dunn, Jr., of Dallas, Texas, will lecture to the pupils, after which registration of pupils will be made.

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LARGE CROWD ATTENDS COOSA-CHILTON PICNIC

The picnic held last Sunday at Log Cabin Beach was attended by a large number of people from Chilton and Coosa Counties. This was the second all-day affair of this kind that has been held at Log Cabin Beach, and everyone seemed to thoroughly enjoy the day's outing and entertainments.

Several items of interest were added to the recent picnic more than was found at the first one. Delicious barbecued meat added to the filled dinner baskets of those attending and surfboard riding added to the thrills. Those attending expressed the wish that another picnic like the last one be held again soon.

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Clanton Pilot Club Sponsors Canning Program

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vegetables up was under the supervision of Miss Ruth Dobyne, of Auburn, district home demonstration agent, assisted by Miss Mignon Mallette, home demonstration agent of Coosa County. These two ladies have been spending several days in Chilton County giving canning demonstrations in the various communities.

Hundreds of quarts and pints of fruits and vegetables have been canned the two days by the Pilot Club, with the aid of others who took an interest in the work. It is planned that these canned products will be turned over to the proper committee for distribution to the families of the county who will be in need of wholesome food during the coming Winter months.

When this idea was placed before the Kiwanis Club of Clanton, it was decided that this club would furnish all necessary cans and jars to be used, many of them being donated by residents of Clanton. It was necessary to purchase quite a number after it was found that the call for the donation of products was met with such interest and response from the farmers.

This movement is the first step taken by the recently organized club of business and professional women of Clanton, the Pilot Club, with Mrs. C. Stapp as president. Apparently their first step toward service to their county has met with success and hearty approval from the entire county, and was the first of its kind ever to be sponsored in this county. Although it is rather late in the season for this work to be done, it was not difficult to find a sufficient amount of products in the county to keep the workers busy for two days, many working into the night in order to get as much canned as possible before the week ended.

The Clanton Pilot Club, although young in its organization and with 30 members, has been moving forward rapidly since its organization some few months ago. The club has several objectives on program, which it is hoped will be carried out before the end of the year. The club is cooperating with the Kiwanis Club of Clanton in putting over a Clean-Up Week in Clanton which will get underway within the coming week. Among the objectives under discussion in the Pilot Club is the placing of a children's playground in Clanton, and the beautifying of the main highways leading into the town by the planting of flowers and shrubbery along the sides of the road within the city limits.

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When government estimators of the cotton crop get busy the boll weevil hasn't a chance.

By strict rectitude since the war, many have almost lived down having been second lieutenants.

Look At These Wonderful Values For This Week

PLAYCLOTH
Fast Color Play Cloth. A New Shipment; Heavy Weight
10c

MENS SUITS
1 Lot of Men's All-Wool Suits; $15.00 to $25.00 Values for
$7.50

WORK SHOES
Men's All Leather $2.95 Work Shoes; All Sizes For
$1.95

DRESS SHIRTS
Men's Dress Shirts; All Sizes and Kinds for
50c

Silk Dresses
Just Received a New Shipment of New Fall Silk Dresses and Hats That Are Beautiful and very reasonably Priced

LADIES' BLOOMERS
Ladies' Rayon Bloomers; 48-Cent Values for 25c

WORK SHIRTS
1 Lot of Men's 65c Work Shirts at
44c

FULL FASHIONED HOSE
$1.25 Value for A Good Full Fashioned Hose;
80c

BOY'S & MENS' CAPS
1 Lot of Men's and Boys' Caps; Worth 75c, for
48c

Children's Dresses
1 Lot of Fast Color Long Sleeve Dresses; Sizes 7 to 14 Years for
48c

LADIES' DRESSES
One Lot of Ladies' Fast Color $1.95 Wash Dresses; Long Sleeves, for 98c

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MEN'S HATS
1 Lot of Men's Felt Hats; A Regular $1.75 Quality, for $1.00

News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Walker, Mrs. E. Pate and H. L. Collins spent Sunday ternoon with friends at Elmore.

Mr. Carl Peterson and Mr. E. R. Pi- r motored to Fayette, Alabama, Sat- day. On their return late Saturday ght, Mr. Piper had the misfortune to ve his car turned over. No serious mage was done and neither hurt with e exception of Mr. Peterson receiv- g bruises on his head and one leg.

The Thorsby baseball team is to play ndolph Tuesday at Thorsby, Union ove Thursday at Thorsby, and Ran- lph Saturday at Randolph.

Miss Mary Robinson of Jemison is ending the week end with Miss Lou- e Robinson of Thorsby.

Miss Rosa Lee McEwen of Wilson- lle is visiting Miss Linnie Bell Rein- rdt for a few days.

Miss Linnie Bell Reinhardt spent nday with Miss Dorothy Von Frank-

Mrs. H. W. Rheinhardt spent a few ys of last week with relatives and ends in Wilsonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gray spent a few ys with parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. dams.

Miss Anna Werness spent Sunday in orsby.

Miss Willo Dean Bean returned on onday from visiting in Tallassee. She ought Miss Mary Ward back with r to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Almon of Selma sited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton Sat- day.

Master Clarence Horton entertained out thirty young folks Monday af- noon at a birthday party.

Miss Jessie Mims gave a birthday ner Sunday. Her guests were Mr. d Mrs. Astro Wright, Mr. and Mrs. drew Littleton and son, James, of rmingham, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard an and daughter, Ruby Mae.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith and Mrs. illiam Billingsley of Clanton visited s. Lela Martin Sunday.

Mrs. Georgia Billingsley and son, adey, are visiting relatives in Thors-

Mr. R. R. Franklin has been con- ed to his bed for some time.

Mr. Rasco Maddox returned home turday after studying at the Uni- sity of North Carolina this summer.

Miss Mary Sue Robinson returned m Lincoln Saturday after spending o weeks with her sister, Mrs. A. P. lladson.

Mr. Kendall Franklin and Dr. Horace anklin made a business trip to Mont- mery Saturday.

Miss Sallye Thompson spent last ek in Clanton with her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robinson and mily of Jemison spent Sunday with . and Mrs. R. R. Franklin.

Mr. Willie Scott of Montgomery ent the week end in Thorsby.

Mrs. Nat Bentley and children, Sam d Marjorie, arrived home Friday m a month's visit with her sister, s. Clarence Bice of Pomona, Fla.

Mrs. J. L. Mixon and children left nday morning to spend a few days Union Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Johnson and . and Mrs. Bob Littleton spent the ek end in Selma with Mr. and Mrs. W. Littleton.

Mr. Tom Kemp, Mr. Dick Kemp, and s. W. D. Strock spent Sunday with . and Mrs. Donald Merchant.

Mr. Nels Nelson is expected home first of this week from Philadel- ia, Penn.

Miss Ruth Peterson spent the week d in Thorsby with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson.

Mr. Samuel Colley of Prattville is spending the week with his sister, Mrs. C. M. Gray.

Mrs. C. M. Gray spent Saturday in Birmingham visiting relatives.

Mrs. Joe Higgins and Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway spent Tuesday with Mrs. C. M. Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray and Mr. Samuel Colley spent Sunday evening in Wadsworth.

Mr. D. H. Gentry is continually improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jourdon were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Gentry Sunday.

Mr. Paul Thompson, Dera Rowell, Lucile Howard, and Kenneth O'Barr spent Monday at Mims Ferry.

Mr. J. L. Harris and Mr. Bernard Graves of Birmingham spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pate.

Miss Linnie Bell Reinhardt entertained in honor of Mr. J. C. Reinhardt of Columbiana last Tuesday night. Those present were Letha Mae Martin, Myradine Martin, Lois Thompson, Jean Swanson, Dorothy Von Franklin, Edith Foss, Ella Howard, Ruby and Cora Connatser, Verlon Goodgame, Edna Lee Wilder, L. C. Lowery, Hubert Reinhardt, J. C. O'Barr, George Herbert Nix, Aaron Vinson, Claud and Paul Davis, Frank Wood, Lutisha Bean, Mary Louise Reinhardt, Charles Childress, Ollis Littleton, Reese and Carmon Mims.

Mrs. H. M. Williams of Birmingham visited her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Blood, who is in charge of the telephone exchange in Thorsby, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Tucker and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blood Friday.

Mrs. Anna Villadsen spent last week with her son, Reno Villadsen, and family at Aldridge, Alabama.

Mrs. T. C. Sims of DeQuincy, La., arrived Monday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam English.

A surprise party was given Miss Kathryn Lenoir Tuesday night. Those present were Alton Connatser, Evelyn Sudduth, Lola Martin, Sallye Thompson, Erchel Martin, Edna Raybon, Mary Ruth Nix, Edna Childress, Floyd Robinson.

Mr. Cecil Each spent Sunday in Thorsby.

The sewing circle met at the home of Mrs. Each Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Jones returned Monday from their vacation spent in Florida and South Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Akins Collins returned Friday from Panama City, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mims returned from Birmingham Friday after spending a few days with relatives there.

The Thorsby baseball team played Clanton Monday, the score being 10-7 in favor of Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stanley and son, Gordon, of Birmingham visited friends in Thorsby Tuesday.

Mrs. Anna Phalin and son, Thomas, returned last Friday to Tuscaloosa, after spending ten days with friends and relatives in Thorsby.

September 8, the Y. W. A. is giving a Tacky Party at the home of M. E. Willis. Everyone is invited. The admission is ten cents for those who are dressed tacky and fifteen for those who are not.

Miss Kathryn Foss entertained Lloyd and Ella Howard, Thomas Phalin, Mary Ruth Nix, Edith Johnson, Lois Thompson, Jean Swanson, Henry Young, A. D. Gordon, Hubert Reinhardt, Alton Connatser, Edith Foss, last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Tate of Calera visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Gentry Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Nettie Littlejohn is in a hospital at Birmingham and is improving from the appendicitis operation.

Mrs. T. W. Robinson returned from Florida Saturday after spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Bice.

Miss Naemi Turnquist returned to Selma Sunday after spending her two weeks vacation in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Reagan took Misses Naemi Turnquist and Christine Bosworth to Selma Sunday.

Lloyd and Ella Howard, Lois Thompson, Kathryn and Edith Foss, and Christine Bosworth were entertained at the home of Conway Thornburgh Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howard and two daughters, Mable and Lucile, Mr. Ed Sims, Mr. Charles Howard and Mrs. Kenneth O'Barr motored to Baileyton, Alabama Sunday to visit a large nursery.

The Congregational Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Goddard this Thursday.

Doris and Orville Freeman returned Tuesday after a weeks visit with friends in Head River, Georgia, and her sister, Mrs. Theoren South, in Birmingham.

Mrs. Theoren South is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. G. W. Freeman.

Mrs. L. P. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Wise of Birmingham were visitors at the home of Mrs. L. E. Thornburgh Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. A. Mead, Mrs. Earl Mead and Conway Thornburgh made a trip to Birmingham last Friday.

Duncan and Hattie Davenport who have spent a few weeks with relatives in Thorsby returned to Birmingham Tuesday morning.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our Thorsby friends who helped us during the illness and death of our father, and especially thank Dr. Horace Franklin, who attended him during his illness, for all their kindnesses.

—C. E. Mead and C. A. Mead.

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ORGANIZATION OF SUNBEAM BAND OF STATNON, ALA.

Saturday afternoon at 3:30 Miss Robert Lee Lester and Mrs. C. F. Gandy met at the church to organize a Sunbeam Band. Eighteen children met. Mrs. Gandy made a complete speech on Sunbeam work and was followed by Miss Robert Lee Lester, who made it clear, "Doing the little things of life."

After a long discussion was made officers were elected as follows: President, Master Charles E. Golson; vice-president, Lloyd Davis; secretary and treasurer, and vice-leader, Miss Robert Lee Lester; leader, Mrs. C. F. Gandy. We hope our Sunbeam Band light will shine as the sun.

Our remark: Doing the little things of life. Motto: Preparing ourself for the greater life.

We truly hope that other communities will get busy and organize a band. Those that have not one now.

Because we learn that Dr. C. B. Williams, eminent psychologist, says "Modern psychologists, from their recent investigations have fairly agreed that the first seven years of the child's life, they receive all the ideas and impressions that determine the character, life and destiny of the man or woman."

So let us try to train our chlidren the way they should go and when they are old they will not depart from it. It's true they may get out in bad company and stray awhile, and sow some wild oats. But if we keep our prayers up for them and always be loving to them some day they will come back, with more determination to carry their cross than before. So let's train our children in the way they should go.

Miss ROBERT LEE LESTER,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Billingsley News

Miss Elizabeth Lewis of Brantley was the guest of Miss Willie Jeanne Patrick the past week.

Misses Jessie Mae and Frances Apperson of Jones are visiting Miss Mabel King.

Mrs. Coy Davis of Clanton is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Davis.

Mrs. J. A. Boozer of Tuscaloosa spent Sunday with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Downs.

Miss Elizabeth Williams of Clanton is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. F. Apperson.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Pennington of North Port are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Patrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Seymore announce the birth of a son, August 27th, whom they have given the name of Charlie Albert.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Willis and little daughter, Dorothy, of Jones were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar Monday.

Miss Jonnie Sue Marlar of Tuscaloosa was the week end guest of friends and relatives.

Prof. Ralph Upton is here for several days on business pertaining to the new high school.

Mr. E. J. Harrel continues quite ill at his home here.

Mrs. J. C. Vinson and son, Paul, have moved to Tuscaloosa.

Mr. Martin of Clanton and Mr. L. C. Lewis of Montgomery were the guests Sunday of Misses Inez and Willie Jeanne Patrick.

Rev. L. M. Jones of Dadeville arrived Sunday to assist in the revival which is beginning in a great way.

Mr. W. J. Patrick and Misses Inez and Willie Jeanne Patrick attended the funeral of Mr. Hall in Birmingham Tuesday morning. Mr. Hall is the father of Miss Margaret Hall who has visited the Misses Patricks often.

Those enjoying the hospitality of Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar in an annual picnic last Friday were Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Williams, of Montgomery, Messrs. Collier Marlar, Arthur Stamps, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Simpson and children, and Mrs. Gadick of Birmingham, Mr. J. B. Marlar, Mrs. Annie Thacker, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Lowe and Miss Edna Lowe of Clanton, Mrs. Willis Lawrence, Eoline, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Marlar, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Marlar and Mrs. J. C. Hughes, Billingsley.

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SURPRISE FAMILY GATHERING AT DUNLAP HOME, WEST END

Last Sunday there was something of a surprise family gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dunlap in West End, when their children and grandchildren were all present at one time. Mr. and Mrs. Dunlap have five children and eight grandchildren.

It was stated that they have had their children and grandchildren to visit them before, but this was the first time they all arrived on the same day and all being present at the same time. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Scroggins and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ward and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Williams and two sons of Selma, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dunlap and son and daughter, and Hughie Dunlap.

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Miss Shappard Entertains For Miss Roberts.

Miss Bessie Elmore Sheppard was a charming young hostess on last Thursday evening when she entertained a number of friends at her attractive home, "Hillcrest" in Verbena, honoring her guest, Miss Jo Roberts, of Birmingham, who is spending several days with Miss Sheppard.

Refreshments were served in the dining room which was decorated in fresh flowers for the occasion. Those enjoying the hospitality of Miss Sheppard were Misses Katherine Gaines, Nell Pattillo, Dorothy Pattillo, Evelyn Barrett, Josephine Barrett, Jo Roberts of Birmingham, and Lila James Sheppard. Messrs. Joe Earl Gowan, A. J. Hammel, Charles Flord, Clyde Barrett, Billy Smith, Aubrey Robinson, Spinney Hammel.

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Mrs. A. G. Jernigan of Abbeville is ill at the home of her daughter in Clanton, Mrs. J. C. Hill. Mrs. Jernigan and her daughter, Robbie, have been visiting in Clanton for several days.

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The Rev. J. C. Hill who has been conducting revival meetings in Pike and Autauga counties, has returned to his home in Clanton after closing several successful meetings.

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Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Seay of Fernbank, arrived in Clanton Monday to visit their daughter, Mrs. C. E. Stapp, and Mr. Stapp.

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Mrs. Frank Foshee has had as her guest for the past week, Mrs. Willie Moore, of Selma.

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Mrs. W. E. Martin Hostess To "As You Like It Club."

The As You Like It Club, met at the home of Mrs. W. E. Martin Thursday afternoon. The living room was tastefully decorated. Later in the afternoon the hostess served a delicious salad plate. The members present were: Mesdames T. H. Neighbors, V. J. Gragg, W. M. Polk, L. C. Warr, D. W. Haskew, J. B. Atkinson, T. R. Burdette, C. Reese Mullins, M. A. Gore, Flem Higgins, G. C. Walker, L. H. Reynolds, H. C. Falkenberry. Invited guests were Mrs. J. Mell Martin and Mrs. Macey Jones. The next meeting will be with Mrs. T. H. Neighbors.

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Misses Avis and Isabel Killgore returned to their home in Rockford after a week's visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry motored to Selma Saturday to attend the wedding of Miss Belle McCall Hart and Mr. B. Reynolds.

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Leon Mullins who is connected with the International Harvester Company, has been transferred from Tupelo, Miss. to Greenwood, Miss.

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Mrs. Frank Callen and charming children, Billy and Ann, returned Sunday from a three weeks visit with friends and relatives in Schenectady, N. Y.

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Hon. and Mrs. L. F. Gerald and children, Lawrence Jr., and Celia, and Dr. O. C. Mastin returned last Friday morning from an extended motor trip through Florida.

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Henry Arthur Roper who is employed in Birmingham is spending his vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Roper.

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Little Lois Cotton Gives Birthday Party.

Little Lois Cotton of Central Alabama Hospital celebrated her third birthday Monday afternoon, August 31, 1931, from four to six p.m. The color scheme of pink and green was carried out. Many games were enjoyed by those present who were: Pat Wyatt, Nell and Lois Rockett, Clay Jr., Delarous and Joyce Marcus, Johnnie Franklin, Flem Higgins, Jr., Catherine Gardner, Ann Cordelia and Frances Smith, Patty Jean Broadhead, Grace Carter, Arthur McMurray, Jane Gilbert, Betty Ann Brand, Sara Nell Sessions, Fannie Sue Littlejohn, Ervin Lande, and Lois Cotton. She was the recipient of many nice presents.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus, Jr., and little daughter, Mr. J. T. Tyus and Miss Fay Williams and Burt Tyus were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Prince, son, Wilbur, Mrs. S. J. Prince and Miss Ruth Prince spent Sunday in Harpersville at a home coming day.

Mrs. Leila Mikesell of Meridian, Miss., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. B. Foshee, and Mr. Foshee, just west of Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Wade of Birmingham were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade last Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stapp motored to Berry last Sunday to be present at a family reunion. They were accompanied on the return trip by Mrs. Stapp's parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Seay, who will visit here for a few days.

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Mrs. George Wyatt Hostess To New Sewing Club.

The Thursday Sewing Club, recently organized, was delightfully entertained on last Thursday afternoon by Mrs. George Wyatt at her home. Sewing was enjoyed during the afternoon, and sandwiches and tea became delicious refreshments.

The members present were Mesdames Joe Mims, Webb Parrish, Albert Davis, Eugene Gore, Herschel Gore and the hostess.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bolson and children of Anniston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry Sunday.

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Methodist Sunday School Party Enjoyed By Little Folks.

Mrs. J. E. Edgar entertained the Sunday school classes of the Beginners and Primary Departments of the Methodist Sunday School, at her home Friday afternoon. Many games and contests were enjoyed. Those enjoying this hospitality were Evelyn Williamson, Helen Parrish, Mae Aniece Polk, Buddy Roy, Jake Neighbors, Charles Neighbors, Dickie Neighbors, Frances Popwell, Kathryn Gardner, Betty Joe Hammack, Grace Carter, Percy Pitts, Jr., Lois Cotton, Dorothy Arnold, Joan, Mary Frances, and Gwendolyn Atkinson, Wilbur Prince, Betty Ann Brand, Billie Jean Huddleston, Marion Smith, Jr.

Mrs. Edgar was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. J. B. Atkinson, Miss Della Williams, Mrs. Vernie Teel and others.

One Year Ago

Issue of September 4, 1930

Loren Smith, who is connected with the Upchurch Drug Company of Clanton, took sixth prize in the recent deep sea Fishing Rodeo. Mr. Smith landed a 31½-pound cavalla.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. McSwain announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Lavina, to Horace C. Jones of Thorsby.

John Clifton Crane, age 39, of Pletcher, was killed last Sunday in an automobile accident near Antioch church.

The high schools of the county will open on the morning of the eighth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Huddleston, Jr., announce the birth of a son last Saturday whom they have named William Eugene Huddleston III.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bradford of Cincinnati have been spending several days in Clanton as the guests of relatives.

Mr. H. S. Shaw and daughter, Mildred returned the middle of last week from Mobile, where they have been attending the fishing rodeo.

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Oscar Fishburn of Haven, Kans., paid a bushel of wheat for admission to a baseball game and received half a bushel of oats in change.

Smile At the Ache

Muscular Pains

They may attack you anywhere—your back, your legs, your arms, your neck.

These Pains may be mistaken for Neuritis, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Sciatica.

Stop them with that modern, pleasant, mint-flavored tablet, DR. MILES' ASPIR-MINT. It's quick in action and effective. Try it for Headache, Colds, and Neuralgia.

DR. MILES' Aspir-Mint Two Sizes 15c and 25c

YOU'LL GET RELIEF—OR YOUR MONEY BACK

VERBENA, ITS HIGHLIGHTS OF ARISTOCRACY OF FORTY-ODD YEARS AGO

Verbena, Alabama, once and even now, has an air of aristocracy among its residents that has penetrated the minds of people who came in contact with its atmosphere, far and near, and this aristocratic atmosphere lingers still in the homes of the older residents of the town.

But during a period of some forty-odd years ago, Verbena held a place in this section of the state, never touched by towns of its size. Through the courtesy of Miss Frances Gulledge, a member of one of the oldest and most prominent families of the town, the News came into possession of a small newspaper, bearing a Verbena, Alabama date line of March 29, 1888. Although this newspaper was called The Verbena High School Alpha, and carried quite a bit of the school news of the now elderly residents of the town, and many who no longer reside there, it was also something of a community newspaper, well written and printed.

Following are some of the items carried in this particular issue of The Alpha of March 29, 1888:

"Mr. and Mrs. M. Barret, of Montgomery, have come up to prepare their home for summer enjoyments.

"Pratt Saw Mill Company received a car load of oxen last week.

"Mr. C. M. Williamson, of Birmingham, was visiting friends and relatives in Verbena Sunday and did not forget to subscribe for the Alpha.

"Mesdames S. T. Williamson, B. J. Baldwin, J. S. Pitts and A. J. Brooks, and Misses Julia A. Bostic, Mary Williamson and Carrie Shackelford have enjoyed the Friday evening exercises since our last issue. Come again. Students and teachers extend you a continuous invitation and hearty welcome.

"Hon. Ken Wells who has been sick most of the year is now constantly on our streets attending to business matters. While business demands the greater portion of his time, he does not forget to lend a helping hand to the proprietors of the Alpha.

"Mesdames J. C. Gibson and A. J. Brooks spent a half day last week in visiting our school, and expressed themselves as delighted with the recitations. Knowing that lessons are usually imperfectly perpared on Monday, they wisely selected that day for visiting us. The students and teachers extend you a hearty invitation to visit the School at any hour and on any day.

"When you go to Montgomery don't forget to call on Goetter, Weil & Co., as they keep one of the largest stocks of dry goods, millinery and clothing in the city and the best assortment.

"Remember that Joel White is an old friend to schools and always keeps on hand a large stock of text books and other literature. Give him a trial.

"The rain has kept our police force off duty for several nights. We hope the weather will permit them to turn out in full force this week.

"Mesdames Collier, of Clanton, and Patton, of Montgomery, were visiting Mrs. J. B. Boyakin several days last week.

"Miss Ida Scott, a beautiful young lady from Ironaton, Ala., has been visiting her uncle, Mr. O. T. Grimes.

"Mr. John Moody says that he did four weeks work last week. Ask him how he did it.

"Read the advertisement of John Smith, Verbena's barber.

"Justice court was in session Saturday, but did not have much business on hand; because our citizens are not inclined to waste money and time in the courts. . . .

"The following letter from Dr. B. J. Baldwin, of Montgomery, to the editor of the Alpha is fully appreciated:

'I have just received a copy of the Alpha. Really, I think the first copy will compare very favorably with any of the village papers in the State, and I offer the editorial staff my best wishes for the undertaking so creditably begun. Enclosed you will find my subscription for the first month.'

"The chief justice of the Supreme Court of the United States died very suddenly last week and the papers of the country are busy suggesting suitable men to fill the position. Mr. Cleveland will probably suit himself in the matter.

"Mr. J. M. Bradshaw spent Sunday in Verbena.

"If you stand in need of any drugs or anything else kept in a first class drug store, don't fail to read the advertisement of E. C. Andrew which appears in this issue of the Alpha.

"Monday's floods carried away the bridge across Chestnut Creek, at this place and several feet of the old mill dam. The rains were exceedingly heavy and great damage has been done to our farm lands in addition to the several other bridges in the county which have probably gone the way of all the world.

"The Democratic party should be organized in every state, county and village in the union and be ready to meet the enemy with organized ranks."

It was also interesting to note editorial comments from daily newspapers of Montgomery in regard to the fine work of The Alpha. Among these comments were those from The Montgomery Advertiser and The Daily Dispatch of Montgomery.

The paper had as its business manager F. B. Baldwin, and the following as publishers: F. B. Baldwin, O. J. Brooks, George Traywick, J. C. Parker, H. W. Strock, Fletcher Holmes, and Claud Boyakin.

The Verbena High School at that time had as its principal E. D. Acker, with Miss Fannie Collier, Mrs. Fannie Davis, and Miss Fanny Purifoy, as teachers. Tuition was paid monthly in advance and board was advertised as reasonable.

Among the advertisements appearing in this issue of The Alpha were those from F. A. Gulledge, general merchandise dealer, W. A. Howard, jeweler and watchmaker Pitts and Williamson, physicians and surgeons.

In next week's issue of The News, there will appear more items taken from this forty-three year old newspaper, The Alpha. During that period, it appears from this paper that Verbena was looked upon as an aristocratic summer resort.

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Tax Notice

Collector's and Assessors Round

WE WILL ATTEND AT THE FOLLOWING TIMES AND PLACES FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING THE STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR CHILTON COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1931 AND ASSESSING TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1932:

Mullins Academy, Beat 1	Oct. 5	Thorsby, Beat 9	Oct. 19
Jemison, Beat 2	Oct. 6	Coopers, Beat 10	Oct. 20
Mars Hill, Beat 2	Oct. 7	Cane Creek, Beat 11	Oct. 21
Benson, Beat 3	Oct. 8	Mineral Springs, Beat 12	Oct. 22
Verbena, Beat 5	Oct. 9	Robinson's Store, Beat 12	Oct. 23
Mountain Creek, Beat 5	Oct. 10	Providence, Beat 13	Oct. 26
Enterprise, Beat 6	Oct. 12	Macedonia, Beat 14	Oct. 27
Kincheon, Beat 6	Oct. 13	Pletcher, Beat 15	Oct. 28
Maplesville, Beat 7	Oct. 14	Culp Schoolhouse, Beat 15	Oct. 29
Shoults, Beat 7	Oct. 15	Providence, Beat 16	Oct. 30
Stanton, Beat 8	Oct. 16	Clanton, Beat 4	Oct. 31
Riderville, Beat 8	Oct. 17		

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct to attend in Person on the day of the appointment in your Precinct and then and there render to the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the 1st day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31st, 1931.

W. G. CULP, Tax Collector.
AKINS I. COLLINS, Tax Assessor.

F. F. A. Camp Of Marbury A Big Success

A great time was had by the members of the Marbury Chapter on their camp last week at Bridge Creek Hunting and Fishing Camp, thanks to a well planned program which included lots of good eats and eliminated the usual K. P. duties. The boys were able to enjoy and devote their time to swimming, boating, fishing, boxing, horse-shoe throwing, etc., including a mock trial, in which Mr. McKee of Marbury, acted as prosecuting attorney, D. E. Burns, (member) as defense attorney, Mr. Martin, agricultural teacher, as the Judge. Mr. Baker, teacher, was accused of being a "general nuisance" and found guilty.

Their program was made a complete success when they had as visitors at various times the following: Mr. Harvey Botteford, Marbury's coach for next year; Mr. and Mrs. Teal and children, (Mr. Teal, new principal of Marbury High School) Miss Helen Gilbert, teacher of Marbury, Mr. Martin, Agricultural teacher of Marbury; Mr. McKee, Marbury; Mr. L. C. Rew, County Agent; Miss Josie Barefield, Miss Nora Rogers, both of Marbury, and Mr. Baker, teacher of South Alabama.

Some very interesting after dinner speeches were made on different occasions, and the chapter as a body, wish to extend their appreciation to Mr. Teal for his sincere offer of co-operation in making this club a success in 1932, also Mr. Botteford for the splendid program he outlined along athletic lines and Mr. Martin, who has made this club a success by his keen interest and cooperation. Other helpful and interesting talks were made by Mr. Baker, Mr. Rew and Mr. McKee.

During camp there was much quick repartee and fun between Mr. Baker and Mr. McKee which caused much merriment. A good time was had by all, including the discussion of plans for next years activities. So succe
ful was this camp that they hope
make it an annual event. They wish
thank Mr. Gaines, overseer of Club,
his every effort toward the success
this camp and the courtesies extend

DONALD BURNS,
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Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Payton
Clanton, Rt. 4
To Dine With Them As
Their Special Guests
Sunday, Sept. 6, 1931

POISON
in Your bowels!

Poisons absorbed into the system fr
souring waste in the bowels, cause th
headachy, sluggish, bilious conditi
coat the tongue; foul the breath;
energy, strength and nerve-force. A lit
of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will cl
up trouble like that, gently, harmles
in a hurry. The difference it will m
in your feelings over night will pr
its merit to you.

Dr. Caldwell studied constipation f
forty-seven years. This long experien
enabled him to make his prescriptio
just what men, women, old people a
children need to make their bowels h
themselves. Its natural, mild, thoro
action and its pleasant taste comm
it to people of all ages. That's w
"Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin," as i
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drugstores sell.

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SYRUP PEPSIN
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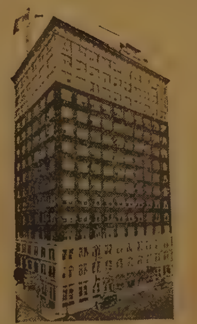

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Atlanta, Georgia

evi Morgan, 92 years old, of Akron, who recently fell out of a peach , is confined to bed for the first e in his life.

A Few of Our

Week End SPECIALS

"I" Blend		Lb. Pkg. 33c
FFEE "G" Blend		Lb. Pkg. 25c
"A" Blend		Lb. Pkg. 21c
Always Fresh		
TMEAL, I.G.A. her Style	Pkg.	9c
ICED BACON, light Rindless	Lb.	26c
RE COCOA . A.	Lb. Pkg.	19c
RK & BEANS, I.G.A. Campbell's	Can	8c
NCY TINY PEAS, A. Petit Pois	2 Cans	41c
NCY WHITE RICE, . A.	3-Lb. Pkg.	23c
BLE SALT, I.G.A. Running	3 Pkgs.	10c
E PEARS, hfield	2 Large Cans	41c
A, I.G.A. Finest Orange koe	¼-Lb. Pkg.	21c
RSHMALLOW CREAMS	Pound	30c
UNDRY SOAP A. White	5 Bars	19c
LIFORNIA GRAPES cy Malagas	Pound	10c
OUR, I.G.A. Plain or Rising	24-Lb. Bags	78c
OUR, Duchess Self Rising Columbia Plain	24-Lb. Bags	65c

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Clanton, Alabama
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Clanton, Alabama
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GULLEDGE BROTHERS
Verbena, Alabama
APLESVILLE CASH GROCERY
Maplesville, Alabama

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

At the 11 o'clock service next Sunday we will have the holy Communion. We spread the elements on the Lord's table, and your portion will be there. Come and bow yourself in humility and have fellowship with your Lord about his table.

Preaching at 11 A. M. and at 7:30 P. M. by the pastor.

We welcome Mr. J. O. Ray into our church from the First Methodist church in Anniston, Alabama.

Our Sunday school climbed over its previous record again last Sunday. Let all who were there last Sunday be present next Sunday and bring some one with you. The Sunday school spirit is lower at Clanton than in any other place where I have ever served. We need a Sunday school consciousness. Make yourself into one who will help to take this reputation from our City. Our churches are not play things. We are dealing with the matter of eternal life, and we should make the church the thing of first importance.

ROUGH RIDER MYTH

Probably 99 persons out of 100 who have read or heard of the famous Roosevelt's Rough Riders of the Spanish-American War believe that those ambitious troopers charged up San Juan Hill on horseback, booted and spurred, sabers waving in the air.

A writer in a recent magazine graphically portrayed their exploit as that of "500 men on horseback standing in their stirrups and galloping, shouting to one another like polo players."

The truth is that the Rough Riders marched and fought on foot in Cuba, as did other Calvary regiments, their horses having been left behind when they sailed from the United States.

Due to Roosevelt's vivid personality and the large amount of publicity given the regiment by New York newspapermen, the Rough Riders received the lion's share of credit for the victory at Santiago, a share rather greater than was their just due.

That they were brave men and good fighters none will deny, but they were in that respect no different from other troops, some of whom received scant attention in the dispatches. The Rough Riders did no riding, rough or otherwise, in Cuba.

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The hospital is almost a home to A. C. Murdock of Atlanta, now paying his twenty-ninth visit. This time for removal of his appendix.

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Found guilty of stealing merchandise valued at $2.63 from the municipal market, Police Chief W. W. Campbell of Alexandria, Va., has been fined $100.

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In A
NEW or USED
AUTOMOBILE
See
Clay Marcus
Polk Bros. Motor Co.
Clanton

To Our Farmer Friends

We wish to take this opportunity to

Thank You

for your patronage in the past

Now as the gin season is approaching soon we are still asking you to continue your patronage with us this season, and we promise you the best service that you can get anywhere, and also promise the best sample that can be made from your cotton.

We will carry cotton seed meal and hulls at all times to sell or exchange in any way that is practical.

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This Week In Verbena

A buffet supper was given Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Samuel Scott in honor of Sidney and Joe Carr Gibson, who have recently returned from Camp Lanier in Maine. Out of town guests were Misses Jane Roberts and Bernice Williams of Clanton.

Miss Elizabeth Hubbard has returned from a visit in Los Angeles, Calif.

Messrs. F. A. Gulledge, W. A. Gulledge and Frank Gulledge recently made a trip by motor to Hot Springs, Arkansas, attending the I. G. A. Convention at Biloxi, en route.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. DeRamus and Miss Sara Pattillo have returned from a fishing trip in Florida.

Mr. Joseph Sheppard and Miss Louise Spratling of Montgomery spent last week end with Mrs. Lila Sheppard.

Barnett DeRamus, Jr., has returned from Birmingham where he visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Watlington, Sr.

Billy Eiland has returned from a visit to relatives in Selma.

Mrs. W. A. Gulledge has as her guest Miss Stevie Dudley of Pleasant Hill, Alabama.

Mrs. D. I. DeRamus has returned from Montgomery where she visited her daughter, Mrs. W. D. Barton.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Forte and Mr. Gaston Buford of Montgomery were guests of Mrs. G. R. Buford last week end.

Miss Janie Jones of Atmore was the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. C. DuBose, last week end.

Dr. T. M. Barnett of Atlanta is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gulledge.

Mrs. Irby DeRamus entertained at a bridge party Friday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Harvey DeRamus, her home guest from Birmingham, and Mrs. John Ward, Jr., who is moving to Selma early in September.

Mr. Gleason Howard is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Howard. Late in September he will return to Annapolis for his third year at United States Naval Academy.

Miss Evelyn Buford entertained at a bridge party Saturday afternoon.

Miss Virginia Scott left Sunday for Hayneville, Alabama, where she will be a member of the high school faculty this winter.

Miss Fannie Jo Scott left Tuesday for Pensacola, Florida, where she will teach mathematics in the City High School.

Miss Sadie Lowell of Fairhope, Ala., is visiting Rev. and Mrs. Metcalf.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Joyall (Evelyn Scott) of Berkeley, Calif., will arrive this week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Scott. They are en route to Washington, D. C., where they will make their home.

Farmers Prepare To Plant Legumes

Alabama farmers are making good progress with their plans for planting seed of Austrian peas and hairy vetch this fall, according to reports received from the county agents by District Agents J. T. High, R. G. Arnolds, and Emmett Sizemore at Auburn.

They are placing orders for seed and basic slag with which to fertilize, because basic slag is recommended by the Experiment Station at Auburn. They are also making their plans to plant the seed in late September or early October.

Several large shipments of seed have been bought by the Alabama Farm Bureau Mutual Supply Association from Oregon farmers for distribution among Alabama farmers. Harvesting and shipping of these seed were supervised by C. L. Hollingsworth, county agent for Clarke County.

Planting of these seed this fall will be done primarily for soil improvement next year. Experience has demonstrated that improving land this way is better and cheaper than buying fertilizer. Big yields of cotton, corn, and other crops are now being made in Alabama where winter legumes were plowed under last spring.

In addition winter legumes are used for grazing and also for making hay when planted in combination with oats.

Inadequate funds with which to buy the seed and fertilizer is the only barrier to planting of a very large acreage of winter legumes in Alabama this year. Even with this handicap it is hoped that the acreage planted will be larger than that planted in any other year.

OFFENSIVE SIGNS

In keeping with what is becoming a world-wide protest against offensive signs and billboards, the authorities of Paris have decreed that no signs shall be displayed on its famous thoroughfare, the Champs Elysees, which advertise any goods not actually sold on the premises.

Recently protests were heard in Spain concerning objectionable American billboards which mar the landscape. In this country the women's clubs and other organizations are waging a campaign against the billboard nuisance.

By their erection of signboards which spoil the natural scenery along the highways, and by their encroachments in residential sections of our cities, the billboard people have brought upon themselves the just resentment of that section of the public which has regard for appearances.

When we become more civilized the billboard will go the way of the town crier.. As an advertising medium it is an anachronism already.

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An exchange tells of a new-born baby that weighed 28 pounds—on the iceman's scales.

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Given the privilege of imposing sentence upon her own husband, who she said had caused her trouble through his drinking, Mrs. Victoria Gugowski of Buffalo gave him a term of six months in the penitentiary.

PRODUCE SHIPMENTS

It is somewhat surprising to know how wide is the territory from which large cities of the country draw their food supplies, particularly vegetables. A few illustrations will show how the expense of transportation must greatly increase the price of farm and garden products to the ultimate consumer.

White potatoes are shipped to Chicago from no less than 37 states, to Indianapolis from 33, to Cleveland from 32 and to Birmingham from 31 states.

Practically all the larger cities of the middle west receive potatoes from more than 20 states, some being shipped by rail a distance of 2,500 miles.

New York receives apples from 23 states, the maximum haul being 3,150 miles; potatoes from 21 states, lettuce, cantaloupes and onions from 17, tomatoes and peaches from 13.

Chicago's apple supply comes from 25 states, cabbage from 23, onions from 20, peaches from 19, tomatoes from 17, strawberries and sweet potatoes from 16 and cantaloupes from 14.

While the long haul of early vegetables is due largely to the varying climate of different sections of the country, it seems that a system of marketing might be developed which would eliminate a considerable part of the transportation charges involved in getting these products to the consumer.

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"He kept my shoes in a pail of water so I could not get out nights," complained Mrs. John Earl of Newburyport, Mass., when she had her husband arrested for disorderly conduct.

Aches and PAINS!

When you take Bayer Aspirin you are sure of two things. It's sure relief, and it's harmless. Those tablets with the Bayer cross do not hurt the heart. Take them whenever you suffer from:

Headaches
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Toothache

When your head aches—from any cause—when a cold has settled in your joints, or you feel those deep-down pains of rheumatism, sciatica, or lumbago, take Bayer Aspirin and get real relief. If the package says Bayer, it's genuine. And genuine Bayer Aspirin is safe.

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BEWARE OF IMITATIONS

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IS THE SCHOOL READY FOR YOUR CHILD?

By Dr. Christmas Seal

The lines that follow were used two years ago, and they apply just as well in 1931 as they did in 1929.

If September is the month in which parents should have their children ready for school, it is also the month in which someone should have the school ready for your children. Go over to your school to see if the trustees have done their duty. Are the toilets clean and sanitary? Is the water supply safe? Is there plenty of light in the schoolroom and is it admitted in such a way that it does not strike back into the eyes of the children as they work? Are the blackboards in good condition so that work shows up well? Are the walls finished in some light shade that is neither hard on the eyes or the spirits of the children?

The Alabama Tuberculosis Association suggests that if parents, will personally look into these things there will be more happiness and less illness in the school year.

IN MEMORY OF CLIFTON CRANE WHO DIED SEPTEMBER 1, 1930

Do not ask if we miss him, there is
such a vacant place.
Yet softly through the gloaming, I
whisper;
Father, thy will be done, not mine.
He left us broken hearted. Friends
may think the wound is healed,
But they little know the sorrow that is
in our hearts concealed.
Watch for me, dear brother, you will
meet me some day on that golden
shore,
When shadows fade, mists clear away,
And sad farewells are known no more.

—By his Sister, Nettie.

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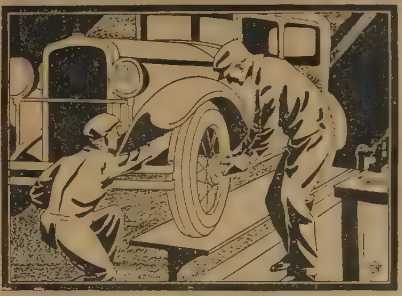
Liquor which he drank ate all the enamel off the teeth of Edward Gardner of Mason, Mich., dentists say.



TIME — To Have Your Car
CONDITIONED FOR WINTER

Drive in—or phone us to come get your car, for a general overhauling and condition it for Winter. Winter months are wearing months on any automobile and as a matter of economy alone you protect your investment by having your car tuned up as the Winter season comes on. Our workmanship is of the best, our prices are most reasonable, and we will do the work either on a job or time basis.

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Garage and Repair Service - - Verbena, Ala.

GOOD
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AT NEW LOW
PRICES

All those things you've been meaning to do around the house can be done now during the out-of-doors season. Painting and repairing require good tools and supplies. We have made it possible for you to obtain these tools and supplies at the minimum of cost. We have recently placed in our store a line of low priced high class hardware. If you are planning on repairing or building see this new line before you buy your supplies

Buy Now — Build Now
Repair Now

Never was there a time when you could build or repair your property at the savings you may effect now. We advise you to act now. Come in and see our new line of low priced high class hardware before you begin to renovate your property.

Clanton Building Supply Co.
Clanton, Alabama
J. D. Rockett J. T. Rockett

SCHOOL TRUSTEES TO BE ELECTED UNDER OPERATIONS OF NEW LAW

Beginning in May, 1932, and every two years thereafter, the school patrons of the several school districts of Alabama will elect their school trustees by popular vote.

The law passed at the recent session of the Legislature, sets out the following provisions for the election of trustees:

Section 1. That on the first Saturday in May, 1932, and every two years thereafter, three school trustees shall be elected for each school in every county by the patrons of the school. The county superintendent of education shall appoint three managers to hold the election at each school who shall conduct the election in accordance with regulations prepared by the county superintendent of education and approved by the county board of education. The results of the election shall be reported to the county superintendent of education on a certificate signed by the managers of the election, provided, however, that this shall not apply to incorporated cities or towns having city or town Boards of Education.

Section 2. That the trustees elected under the provisions of this Act, except as otherwise provided by law, shall have charge of the school building and grounds and shall advise and cooperate with the county board of education in all matters relating to the general welfare of the school. The trustees shall have authority by a unanimous vote to refuse to accept the assignment of any teacher within ten days after the date of the superintendent's notice of assignment upon written notification to the county superintendent of education, setting out the reasons for such refusal.

Section 3. That when any vacancy occurs on the Board of School Trustees elected under the provisions of this Act, the same shall be filled by the County Board of Education and the person thus elected shall hold office until his successor is elected and qualified. Provided that the County Board of Education may remove any school district trustee elected under the provisions of this Act upon recommendation of the County Superintendent of Education, for misconduct, or willful neglect of duties.

Section 4. That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 5. Provided that the provisions of this Act shall not apply to counties now having or that may hereafter have a population of more than ninety thousand inhabitants by the present or any subsequent federal census.

Section 6. That the managers of said election shall serve without pay.

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Invitation To
Dr. J. P. Hayes and Wife
To Dine With Us As Our
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Sunday, Sept. 6, 1931
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INDIGESTION

"My work is confining, and often I eat hurriedly, causing me to have indigestion. Gas will form and I will smother and have pains in my chest.

"I had to be careful what I ate, but after someone had recommended Black-Draught and I found a small pinch after meals was so helpful, I soon was eating anything I wanted.

"Now when I feel the least smothering or uncomfortable bloating, I take a pinch of Black-Draught and get relief."
—Clyde Vaughn, 10 Shippy St., Greenville, S. C.

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BLACK-DRAUGHT

WOMEN who are run-down, nervous, or suffer every month, should take Cardui. Used for over 50 years.

County Almshouse To Get A New Keeper Jan. 1st

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month, and the keeper is to provide the inmates with clothing.

Mr. Bean will succeed Jadie Bean who has been keeper of the almshouse for approximately five years, it was stated.

The list of names of the men who made application to the Commissioners Court of the county for this place is as follows:

J. F. Patterson, C. A. Gore, O. G. Price, John Mims, Henry T. Gore, J. A. Headley, J. L. Mims, E. F. Taylor, I. W. Bice, Ernest Moore, W. T. Patterson, W. T. Thames, Greene Dorminey, B. F. Vines, C. A. Arant, Perry Glass, Sam Mims, B. G. Jones, John T. Thompson, B. F. Clark, Harlon Bean, Erley Littleton, W. M. Heath, J. A. Culp, W. H. Killingsworth, Percy Freeman, Mrs. D. H. Gentry, J. E. Mims, J. T. Burnett, J. W. Williams, J. L. Burnette, W. J. Minor.

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Hospital Notes

Mrs. C. E. Headley of Verbena was operated on last Tuesday. She is doing nicely.

Mrs. G. E. Plyer of Baxley, Ga., is doing nicely and will be going home soon.

Edon Gore went home last week.

Mrs. R. M. Roper and son who arrived Friday night, are doing nicely.

Mrs. J. O. Wilson will soon be able to go home.

Mr. B. M. Porter was operated on last week and is much improved.

Little Julian Dobbs went home Tuesday.

Mr. Gebbie Gray was admitted to the hospital Tuesday.

Miss Icy Belle Dennis had her tonsils removed Thursday.

Mr. Louis Busby was a patient here one day last week.

Mr. J. L. Billingsley was discharged Monday.

Arthur D. Huett Died On Friday

Bringing a shock to countless friends over the state, Arthur Dewey Huett, died in a Birmingham hospital last Friday morning early following an operation. He is known throughout this and other counties for his untiring work in church affairs.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Huett, born April 24th, 1906, in the Enterprise community. His early schooling was at Enterprise and he was a noble minded boy who won the lasting affection of teachers and schoolmates. He was married the latter part of January, 1923, to Miss Effie Hand. Later when he felt the call to the ministry he surrendered his life and put his whole soul into his work for the Master. About this time he entered high school at Clanton. After finishing there he entered Howard College. Here, as in his early school days, he won the love and esteem of everyone.

He leaves to mourn his loss, a loving faithful wife, and little daughter, Lorene, six years of age; his father and mother, three brothers and five sisters. The brothers are F. J. Huett of Kansas City, Mo., I. D. Huett of Coopers, and Marvin Huett of Enterprise. The sisters are Mrs. J. W. Cagle of Mitchell Dam, Mrs. O. J. Eiland of Montgomery, Mrs. A. L. Patterson of Ensley, Mrs. R. C. Morris of near Verbena, and Mrs. Clarence Billingsley of Enterprise.

He would have finished his college work in the next year had he lived. He was ambitious, eager always to please his Maker, and was devoted to his wife, and baby, mother, father and all relatives and friends.

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Isabella School To Open September 7

Isabella High School will open at 9:00 o'clock, Monday, September the 7th. Dr. D. W. Haskew will be the principal speaker. All the patrons and friends are urged to be present at the opening exercises. Dr. Haskew will have something rich in thought and advice for all who are interested in education.

The teachers for next year are as follows:

Mr. J. D. Griffin, mathematic; Mr. G. G. Williams, science and occupation; Mr. Ralph Grant, English and physical education; Miss Ruth Williams, social studies and physical education; Mr. Earle Thomas, vocational agriculture; Miss Bertha Dennis, vocational home economics; Miss Mary Ellis, music.

I shall be at the school building practically all day Saturday, the 5th, and shall be glad to discuss courses with students.

J. D. GRIFFIN, Principal.

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LOST—One shoe, size 7. Lost off of bumper or running board of car between my home, in Gowan Addition, and bus station, Sunday afternoon late. Finder please return to Vernie Teel at News Office.—25c reward.

STRAYED

Sorrel horse-mule in good condition, 800 lbs., 8 years old, barefooted. Strayed from my home Aug. 27, 4 miles north of Jemison.—S. C. Sloan, Jemison, Ala., Route 1. 9-3-1tpd.

WANTED—Position some kind. Experience Bookkeeping; clerical position. Consider anything.
8-27-tf STANLEY DAVIS.

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J. H. BROADHEAD SPECIALS

Feed Stuffs - Saturday
C.S. Meal Hulls Shorts
$1.05 55c $1.25
Corn Meal 85c

Fresh Meats, Pork Sausage and Steaks
Per Pound 20c

COFFEE French Market Lg. Pail **90c**
Fresh Ground Coffee — 7 Lbs. $1.00

Browns Mule or Blood Hound
at 15c Per Plug

SOAP LB BAR 5c

J. H. BROADHEAD
WEST END

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Jemison Farm News

Dept. of Vocational Agriculture

The department of Vocational Agriculture of the Jemison High School will make a strong effort to get a large acreage of strawberries planted in the Providence Community, seven miles north of Jemison. An evening school will begin there at 7:30 o'clock p.m. on Thursday of this week.

There will be a number of meetings and the latest information will be given. Old growers as J. D. Sutley and J. T. Childress will be called upon to give their experiences in growing strawberries.

An effort will be made to encourage the growing of Austrian peas and vetch.

Demonstrations in laying off terraces will be part of the course at these evening schools. The farmers of the Providence and surrounding communities are urged to attend.

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Misbranded Seed Swindle Has Been Remedied

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asking them for the names and addresses of the dweller and shipper of the beans, analysis tag from the bag in which the beans were shipped, samples of the beans where available and other information. We are asking for this information in order to cooperate with the Federal authorities in bringing suit against out-of-state shippers who have shipped misbranded seed into the State.

"It is our desire that every farmer who purchased misbranded seed be refunded for his losses and that the shipper be duly punished. The farmer has recourse on the dealer from whom he purchased the beans and the dealer has recourse to the shipper of the beans into the State.

"All farmers who did not get the kind of seed purchased are urged to take it up with their county agents."

Commissioner Storrs and Mr. Allen have also written seed dealers advising that all seed not bearing an analysis as required by law will be removed from sale subject to confiscation. The letter sent to dealers reads:

"We have found that certain shippers of seed from out of this State do not place an analysis tag on each bag of seed as required by law. We have taken the matter up with them and they still refuse to comply with the requirements of the seed law.

"This letter is to advise you that in the future all seeds not bearing an analysis as required will be removed from sale subject to confiscation when found by the seed inspectors. In order to prevent this happening to you require that all seed sold to you be tagged with a correct analysis as required by the Alabama law."

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S. S. Convention At Mt. Carmel

The District Sunday School Convention of Unity and Chilton County Baptist Associations will be held at the Mount Carmel Baptist church on Sept. 6, beginning at 2:15 o'clock in the afternoon, according to W. J. Patrick, associate superintendent. Following is the program:

2:15 P. M. Devotional by E. F. Klinner.

2:30 Reports from all the schools in district, and Standard of Excellence explained.

2:50 The Sunday School Under Church Control, by T. L. Patrick.

3:05 Grading the Sunday School, and Its Importance, by Mrs. J.C. Hughes.

3:20 Twelve Reasons for Teacher Training and Its Importance, by W. A. Patrick.

3:30 The Superintendent, His Qualifications, by Rev. H. T. Wooten.

3:50 General Discussion.

4:00 Adjourn.

Everybody invited to be present. Let's boost our Sunday school work and make this the best year.

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MISS MADGE SCARBOROUGH RETURNED TO HER OFFICE

Miss Madge Scarborough, who has been spending the summer months at her home in Blue Springs, and in taking extra courses at school, has returned to Clanton to resume her duties as Elementary Supervisor of this county.

We Cordially
Invite
Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Mullins
To Dine With Us
As Our Guests.
Sunday, Sept. 6, 1931
THE DIXIE CAFE

Prof. Warr Points Out Several Important Items

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to do their parts.

There are a number of items to be considered in the term, readiness. Have you talked with your child and impressed upon him the importance of a high school education? Have you tried to point out to him that it pays to be educated? Are you holding before him the goal of a high school diploma? Will you see that he has his books, his pencils, his tablets, and other necessary equipment for carrying on his work to the best of his ability? If you do not attend to these matters, then your child will begin his school year handicapped, and at a great disadvantage.

Please see that your boy or girl comes to school on Monday morning ready to pay his incidental fee. It is very necessary that these fees be paid. There are many things to be supplied in connection with running a school besides the money which the State promises to pay teachers. I feel that it i not necessary at this time to expla in detail the expenditure of incident fees, but I assure you that the recor are open at all times for inspection an that every penny is most wisely an economically spent. Please do not em barrass your child and his teachers b sending him to school next week wit out his incidental fees.

Let's all join in making this a happ and profitable year for the children o our community.

L. C. WARR, Principal.

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APPLETON'S LEAVE ON MOTOR TRIP THROUGH KENTUCK

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Appleton an brother, Jess Appleton, left Tuesda for a motor trip to Kentucky and We Virginia. While in Louisville, Ky., the will visit the seminary where Mr. Ap pleton plans to enter school next fa They will also visit the Boys' Industri School in Kentucky. Mr. and Mrs. Ap pleton have been teaching at the Ala bama Boys' Industrial School in Birm ingham this summer.

SUNNYFIELD --- *Plain or Self Rising*

FLOUR

12 lb. bag **35c** 24 lb. bag. **65c** 48 lb. bag. **1.29**

- RAINBOW -

24 lb. bag 45c

48 lb. bag 89c

ANN PAGE—PURE FRUIT
Preserves 4, 4 oz. Jars **25c**

ENCORE ITALIAN STYLE
Spaghetti 15¾ oz. Can **5c**

CAMPBELL'S TOMATO
SOUP 3 Cans **23c**

NECTAR — ORANGE PEKOE
Tea 2 1-4 lb. Pkgs or 1-2 lb. Pkg. **25c**
OUR OWN BLEND ½-Lb. Pkg. 19c

BEST GRADE WHITE
MEAT per pound **9c**

NEW LOW PRICE ON
8 O'clock Coffee Lb. **19c**

CALUMET or RUMFORD BAKING
Powder Lb. Can **25c**

A & P PURE GRAPE
Juice Pints 15c Quarts **29c**

WHITE HOUSE — EVAPORATED
Milk 3 Tall cans **19c**

NBC FRESH FIG
Newtons Lb. Pkg. **23c**

Sugar 10 lb. paper Bag **49c**

Pure Lard In Bulk Lb. **10c**

Kerosene Oil Gallon **13c**

PINK ALASKA
Salmon No. 1 Tall Can **10c**

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Community Interest In Its Editorial Policy Is The Cornerstone Of This Newspaper

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LONG'S COTTON PLAN WILL BE CONSIDERED HERE

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Mulberry Farmers Turn To Berry Growing

STRAWBERRY ASSOCIATION IS ORGANIZED

Mulberry Valley Truckers Is To Be Name of New Organization In County

Bringing to a finer point some activities of the Clanton Kiwanis Club, and efforts of County Agent C. E. Stapp and others interested in the matter, a new strawberry growers association has been formed in Chilton County.

This new organization is the Mulberry Valley Truckers Association and became fully organized last Saturday, September 5th, at a meeting held in Maplesville, attended by a large number of farmers and business men of the western part of the county. The purpose of this organization is to promote the growing and shipping of strawberries throughout the section of the Mulberry Community, Maplesville, etc.

This organization is the outcome of a meeting sponsored by the Clanton Kiwanis Club at Maplesville some time ago, when the club had as its guests approximately eighty farmers, business and professional men of Maplesville and surrounding communities. At this meeting the value of planting and shipping strawberries cooperatively was brought out, and with the help of County Agent Stapp, Earle Thomas and many others, much interest was aroused in that section along this line.

Other meetings have been held in Maplesville to promote this program and the Mulberry Valley Truckers Association is the first organization of its kind ever to be formed in that section. Indications are that the association will be a success. Something like eighty men have become members of the organization already and approximately one hundred acres of land has been pledged to strawberry planting next season, with the shipping point at Maplesville.

Officers of the association were elected with J. P. Payne, hardware merchant and planter of Maplesville as Secretary-Treasurer, and a board of directors of five men was named. From this board of directors, a president and vice-president will be selected and named later.

LOCAL SCHOOLS HAVE SPLENDID OPENING DAY

Largest Attendance for First Day Reported By Many County Schools

Last Monday was a history making day for those long term schools which opened in Chilton County, according to reports coming in from the principals of the schools.

The schools reported that the enrollment for the first day of the term this year exceeded in many instances any previous year, and the outlook for a successful term is most promising. Incidental fees have been paid very well at all schools it is reported.

No definite figure of enrollment has been received from all the schools opening Monday. The Chitlon County High School reported Tuesday an enrollment of 238 for the first day, and over 250 are expected shortly. Prof. Warr, principal, stated that this is the largest enrollment seen since he has been principal of the school, which has been several years.

The Clanton Grammar School reports an enrollment Monday of 253, and twelve more on Tuesday of this week, with incidentals being paid nicely. In former years incidental fees for grammar school pupils have been paid at Alred Drug Company, but this year they are being paid to Prof. I. J. Quinn, principal.

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Prof. Ely Daniel, principal of the Maplesville High School, was among the visitors to Clanton Monday.

LOCAL LEGION WILL COMBAT RED ACTIVITIES

Department of Americanism Established to Help Preserve Sacred Institutions

A timely movement has been inaugurated by the American Legion of Alabama to combat and stem the tide of communist activities now surging in the State of Alabama. The Legion regards it as a matter of serious concern to take prompt and deliberate action and cooperate with local civil authorities to apply appropriate corrective measures. The American Legion will keep a constant eye open for all un-American propaganda and its influences.

At the meeting of Chilton County Post No. 6 Monday night, this matter was taken up in its local application to our county, and proper steps were taken to perfect a local Americanism organization under the direction of officials of the local post.

A committee was appointed to have charge of this program, and it was indicated that extreme vigilance will be maintained to apprehend any communist activities and have such activities brought to the attention of local law enforcement authorities.

Movements of any kind contrary to the fundamental ideals and principles of Americanism will meet the prompt and rigid measures that characterize the attitude of the American Legion toward such movements.

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Udah Curlee who has been spending the summer months in Clanton with his mother, Mrs. J. M. Curlee, left this week for Alabama City, where he will be a member of the school faculty this year.

Son Of E. B. Mills Killed In Accident

Carl Wesley Mills, age 10, died at the Central Alabama Hospital here last Saturday night as the result of injuries received when a truck on which he was riding overturned, crushing him beneath it late Saturday afternoon.

According to the account of the accident given the News, several boys were riding on the truck, young Mills standing on the running board. The driver apparently lost control of the vehicle, and in attempting to jump from the truck he also knocked young Mills off. The truck is said to have overturned, crushing the lad. He was brought to the hospital where he died soon after.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Mills of Billingsley. Mr. Mills is a prominent merchant of that town. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. Bentley. Interment followed in the Billingsley cemetery with Martin & Sons of Clanton in charge. He is survived by his parents and three brothers, Earl Leslie, Ralph and Phillip, grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Culp, and Mrs. R. P. Mills.

MRS. MOSS RETURNS TO CLANTON TUES., FROM LONG ISLAND

Mrs. Mollie F. Moss, who has been spending some time in Long Island, N. Y., visiting relatives, returned to Clanton Tuesday morning where she will spend some time with Mrs. Mamie C. Smith and family.

Mrs. Moss took advantage of the service of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad on this trip, and her letters back to Clanton told of the many courtesies shown her as well as other passengers on the trains, and also of the scenery to be found along that route. She also spoke very highly of the employees of the railroad with whom she came in contact with on her return trip, and of the efforts of the railroad in regard to her comfort at all times while a passenger on the trains.

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Mr. and Mrs. Will Gulledge and Miss Frances Gulledge were visitors to Clanton Monday. Miss Gulledge leaves Thursday for Troy, where she will be a member of a Troy school faculty.

40 Gallon Still Captured Tuesday

Things were quiet for the Sheriff and his deputies for two or three days recently, but began picking up Tuesday morning of this week when they made a raid on a still about eleven-thirty o'clock. The still, a copper outfit of forty gallon capacity was located in the north-western part of the county in the Six Mile section, and was in full operation at the time.

Two young men were on the scene and were arrested without trouble and carried to Montgomery where they were placed in jail. Seventeen gallons of liquor was also taken, and a small quantity of beer, at the still, it was stated. Officers participating in the raid were Deputies James Gillespie, Louis Gillespie, Adelbert Norris, and Loss Robinson.

LAST RITES FOR ALLIE C. SMITH YESTERDAY

Prominent Attorney Passes At Home Here On Last Monday Night

Death brought to a close last Monday night a life of usefulness, achievement and knowledge when Hon. Allie C. Smith, prominent attorney, succumbed at his home here following a lingering illness of several weeks.

Since the first day of the illness of this prominent citizen of Chilton County, and the news spread over the state, much concern was shown by his many acquaintances over his condition, and death came late Monday night with his family at his bedside.

The deceased was 69 years old, and was considered the dean of the Chilton Bar Association, having been engaged in the practice of law in Clanton for more than thirty-five years. He gave eight years of loyal and effective service to the county as County Solicitor from 1895 to 1903, whn he resigned to give his undivided attention to his substantial and important law practice, which up until his death grew under the name of Smith & Smith, having as

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M'KEE HOMECOMING LAST SUNDAY ENJOYABLE DAY

On last Sunday, September 6, a large number of relatives met at the home of Mrs. Georgia McKee for a family reunion. Those present were J. E. McKee, wie and son, of Mobile; G. O. McKee and family of Selma; Virgie Devaughn and family of Newcastle, Ala.; Pearl Parrish and family of Clanton; Emmett McKee and sister, of Marbury. There were seven children, six grandchildren and others who assembled at their mother's, Mrs. Georgia McKee, and spent the day Sunday. All enjoyed the reunion.

SCHOOL TERM QUESTION IS SETTLED HERE

Opening Dates Set; Meeting Of Trustees Held On Last Thursday

Apparently the question that has created quite a bit of concern over the county recently, concerning the opening date of the schools here has been settled. This became known following a meeting held last Thursday at the courthouse for trustees for the purpose of discussiing the opening.

The meeting was well attended, not only by school trustees, but by others who were interested in the matter. J. Mell Martin was elected as chairman of the meeting. A division was made separating trustees of long term schools from trustees of the short term schools. A motion was made that the long term schools open on September 7th which was last Monday, as heretofore set out. This motion was seconded, and when a vote of trustees was taken, it was carried.

Trustees of the short term schools were then given an opportunity to discuss their question. A motion was made that all short term schools of the county open on October fifth as heretofore set out. The motion was seconded and carried by vote.

Due to considerable discussion over the county, and suggestions that the opening of the schools be postponed on account of cotton picking, this meeting was called in order that the question could be settled among the trustees of the schools of the county, and the definite opening dates were set.

NIGHT SCHOOL AT PROVIDENCE

Prof. J. P. Montgomtry, vocational teacher at Jemison High School, stated Monday that he has already started off a night school for farmers at Providence, Beat 12. The first meeting was held last Thursday night with about forty farmers in attendance. The actual enrollment the first night was 22.

The school will be continued with meetings each week on Tuesday and Friday nights. Mr. Montgomery is very much pleased with the interest shown by the people of Providence community, and has hopes that this school will prove of special benefit.

The home economics teacher at Jemison, Miss Newell, expects to enlist the ladies of Providence community in a night school for teaching subjects of interest to housewives.

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According to an announcement from E. C. Evans, district manager, the next meeting of the Woodmen of the World in Clanton will be a most interesting one. They will meet on next Monday night, Sept. 14th, and with 25 new members to be initiated into the order. All members urged to be present and visiting Woodmen are invited.

Mr. And Mrs. Hugh Foshee Pass Fifty-Seventh Year Of A Tranquil And Happy Married Life

Fifty-seven years ago, last Monday, September 7th, Mr. Hugh Foshee took Miss Mary Marzell Jones, of Swift Creek, Ark., as his young bride. This occurred on Monday morning, September 7th, 1874, a little later than eleven o'clock.

A most interesting and colorful story is the life of this happy and popular couple of Clanton during the time since their marriage fifty-seven years ago. Through these many years of a happy life together, Mr. and Mrs. Foshee have had their many ups and downs, all of which go to make the story more interesting.

Mr. Foshee is a native of Chilton County, reared out in the Mulberry settlement, but stayed for awhile, when a young man, in Arkansas, where he met Mrs. Foshee, and their courtship blossomed forth. After they were married, they moved to Alabama, and in 1874, on October 15th, they located in Lomax, where Mr. Foshee had secured a job as bookkeeper with a saw mill. In January 1877, they moved to Clanton, and Mr. Foshee served this county as Clerk of the Circuit Court.

Mr. Foshee's story of his married life will take a person back to the days when there were no automobiles, and when he took the young lady on horseback to the minister to be married to her, and how they traveled many miles on horseback to reach a railroad, on their way to Alabama where they were to start life in a new place. The story will unfold a few hardships this couple encountered during their early married life, and how they started housekeeping with a cow, a chair, a bed, a few cooking utensils, and only a few other small articles, in a small home. That of course was in the days when only a few homes had glass windows, and hinges on doors. The home at that time of Mr. and Mrs. Foshee had sliding doors and windows.

The News joins the many friends of this happy elderly and popular couple of Clanton in congratulating them on their fifty-seventh wedding anniversary.

Meeting Called Here For Farmers and Bankers Sat.

MRS. A. F. TUNSTALL VISITED IN CLANTON LAST MONDAY

Clanton received a visit from Mrs. A. F. Tunstall of Montgomery, State Director of Child Welfare Work, last Monday. Mrs. Tunstall was in Clanton in the interest of the Child Welfare work in the county, and appeared before the Commissioners Court Monday on this work.

3 TENTS ARE DESTROYED AT CAMP MEETING

Woman Asleep in Tent While Flames Burn Canvas Around Her

Three small tents were completely destroyed by fire, and many others endangered last Sunday at the camp meeting of the Seventh Day Adventists which has been going on in Verbena for several days and which ended last Saturday.

The tents are said to have become ignited from a small fire built in one of the tents by some small children. Quick action on the part of persons nearby, when the fire was discovered probably saved many of the other tents, when they cut the ropes of other tents, causing them to fall to the ground.

In one of the tents destroyed a woman was sleeping, and although difficult to awaken, she left the flaming canvas just as it became a mass of flames.

The tents were occupied by visiting Adventists attending the camp meeting. Contents of one of the tents were saved, it was stated, while the contents of the other two were a total loss.

Night School At Vermont Is Fine

Quite a good deal of splendid work has been done at the night school for farmers and their wives, which is being conducted at Vermont, in the western part of the county. This school is being conducted by Erle Thomas, and Miss Bertha Dennis. Mr. Thomas takes care of the agriculture end while Miss Dennis gives instructions to the ladies on preserving and other home work.

The school meets each Monday, Wednesday and Friday night and will continue for about another week. Attendance has been extremely pleasing, and those who are attending express themselves as being appreciative of the work being done there.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR ARLENE SANFORD MONDAY

Funeral services for Miss Arlene Sanford, age 19, who died at her home here last Sunday, were held at the home Monday morning at 11 o'clock, with Dr. S. J. Ezell, pastor of the Baptist church and Dr. D. W. Haskew, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating. Interment took place at the cemetery near Jemison.

The deceased was a popular member of the group of young people in her neighborhood, and her sudden death brought grief to many hearts, young and old. She is the daughter of W. L. Sanford, one of Clanton's oldest and widely known barbers.

She is survived by her father, and several brothers and sisters. At the funeral of this young girl, the many persons present and the beautiful floral offerings showed that she will be greatly missed.

PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK GIVES LOVING CUP TO SCHOOLS

The Peoples Savings Bank of Clanton had as a prize for the school showing the highest average attendance during 1930-31, a beautiful silver loving cup. Every school in the county was considered in this, and the cup was awarded to the Chilton County High School, whose average attendance for the recent term of school was 94.53.

This step on the part of The Peoples Savings Bank is to be commended, as much interest was shown in this prize.

PLAN IS FOR PROHIBITING 1932 COTTON

Meeting Here Next Saturday Requested By Member Of Plan In Alabama

Falling in line with many other places, where meetings to discuss the considering of the Long Plan on the cotton situation, Chilton County will hold a meeting in Clanton on next Saturday, September 12, for this purpose.

Much activity is being seen all over the country in regard to the Long Cotton Plan, originated by Governor Hughey P. Long, of Louisiana who has succeeded in getting the approval of his state on the plan

The Long Plan is to prohibit the planting of cotton in 1932, with the hope that this will cause the price of the product to increase, provided the plan is adopted officially in a sufficient number of the larger cotton producing states.

In a statement from Judge L. H. Reynolds of Chilton County, the meeting to be held here has been requested by a member of the Long Cotton Plan in Alabama. Following is the statement from Judge Reynolds:

"I have been requested by Hon. J. B. Barnett, a member of the Long Cotton Plan in Alabama, to get the sentiment of the people of the county interested in growing or selling cotton.

"You are, therefore, hereby notified to meet at the Court House on next Saturday, September 12, 1931, at two o'clock P. M. for the purpose of expressing yourselves as to whether or not the Legislature of Alabama shall be called together in special session for the purpose of recommending or passing some resolutions that would help the cotton situation.

"The Long Plan, if adopted, will prevent the growing of cotton next year and I especially urge all banks, persons holding mortgages on cotton and others interested in cotton growing to attend this meeting."

J. R. HARDY TO BE NEW CHIEF OF POLICE HERE

Will Succeed J.A. Boockholdt Who Has Been On Force For Several Years

J. R. Hardy will become day policeman and chief of Police here after September 15th, according to an announcement from the office of the Mayor here last week.

This announcement followed the action of the Mayor and City Councilmen at a special meeting held on Wednesday, September 2. A general shakeup has occurred in the police force of Clanton during recent weeks. C. A. "Red" Sherrod, who has been on duty here for some time as night police was succeeded by W. B. Foshee several weeks ago, at which time, it is stated, a change was contemplated in the day force.

Mr. Hardy who is well and favorably known throughout the county is a man who is fully capable of handling the responsibility of the place he is to fill. He has had quite a bit of experience in the law enforcing line while a resident of Coosa County, and at various times has served on the police force here. Mr. Hardy is a resident of Clanton. He will succeed John A. Boockholdt as Chief of Police, whose resignation will take effect Sept. 15, it was stated.

Mr. Boockholdt has served the town of Clanton for a number of years as policeman, serving under the administration of three mayors. During his time as chief he has made countless friends for his manner of reasoning with law breakers.

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Dr. Horace Franklin of Thorsby was in Clanton Tuesday on business.

Concord-Billingsley

Our singing was interfered with by the burial of Mr. Ernest Mill's little boy last Sunday afternoon, as some of our singers were called on to go and sing for the service. Everybody come back next first Sunday afternoon and we will have singing.

The Christian Endeavor program was very commendable Sunday night. Our lesson was on the subject of "Prayer: Jesus's Teaching and Example," that is one of the most interesting subjects we could study about many things were brought clear to our minds on this lesson.

We have reorganized our C. E. Society elected and re-elected officers. We are hoping and praying that we may reach a brighter goal in the future than ever before.

Mrs. Elsie Lee Turner and daughter, Ruth, spent a part of the past week in Birmingham with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Emma Williams and daughter were the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Williams Sunday.

Miss Gray of Enterprise community was the guest of Misses Jessie Mae and Jettie Pierce Sunday.

Mr. Olin Williams spent Sunday with his brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams.

Miss Myrl Buzbee of Clanton Route 3 spent the past week here visiting.

Mr. Hudson Williams spent Tuesday night of last week with his sister, Mrs. R. A. Hicks, of Billingsley.

Mr. Porter Williams of Shiloh is spending a few days with his uncle Mr. J. P. Williams, and family.

Mr. T. L. Williams of Shiloh community spent the past week end here.

As it was inconvenient for Bro. Headley to preach for us last preaching night. He will preach for us next Sunday night. Let's everyone come and bring someone with you

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The country may not be going "Red," but there is an increasing demand for red ink.

"Smile at the Ache"

Ordinary pains— headache and neuralgia, muscular pains, functional pains, the headache and congested feeling of a cold in the head—how quickly they disappear when you take a tablet or two of

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Dr. Miles' Aspir-Mint is the new, stable, mint-flavored tablet that is making people all over the country "Smile at the Ache" Your druggist has them.

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PAGE, LINE AND PARAGRAPH

Soybeans furnish good pasture in late summer and early fall when perennial pastures are short.

Hints on organizing, arranging, and judging exhibits and shows of fruits, vegetables, and flowers are given in Miscellaneous Publication 85-MP of the U. S. Department of Agriculture—Horticultural Exhibitions. This can be obtained from the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. It suggests different kinds of spring and fall shows and tells how to manage them.

Good pasture is more valuable than grain as extra feed for flushing ewes at breeding time, the U. S. Department of Agriculture has found. At the department's experiment farm at Beltsville, Md., this year, ewes on good pasture produced an average of 160 lambs per 100 eyts; ewes flushed with grain produced 141 lambs per 100 ewes, and those that were not flushed produced only 116 lambs per 100 ewes.

A modern little carrier is a paying investment for the dairy barn. It saves labor because it holds much more than a wheelbarrow, less effort is needed to move it, and its tight tub prevents the dripping of liquid. For a stable with a low ceiling, the dairyman can buy a carrier consisting of a tub mounted on wheels and arranged for attaching to a track conveyor and hoist at the door.

Many light-frame farm buildings develop sway-backed roofs, bulging walls, or sagging floors, or they may lean over or collapse completely because they are not properly built in the first place. Most failures of farm buildings are caused by improper foundations, insufficient anchorage of the frame to the foundations, or insufficient bracing of the frame. You can get a 6-page leaflet on Bracing Farm Buildings, Leaflet 77-L, from the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

The quantity of feed a laying hen eats varies widely. A hen will eat more of one kind of feed than of another. A big hen eats more than a little one. A layer has to eat more than a loafer. Hens will usually eat more of a mixed-grain ration than of a ration made up of only one grain. Leghorns and similar small breeds eat less than birds of the larger breeds. Usually birds bred for high egg production consume slightly less feed than birds of the same size of less productive strains. Records at agricultural experiment stations show that Leghorns laying an average of 150 eggs a year consume about 80 pounds of grain annually, and that general purpose breeds with the same production eat about 87 pounds. Hens usually eat more grain during seasons of heavy egg production.

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UNCLE SAM SAYS

Some big sequoia trees require a thousand years or more to reach maturity.

Every tenth load of hay produced in this country is lost through spontaneous combustion, according to chemists of Department of Agriculture.

A new method of planting rice is by submerging the land and broadcasting the seed on the water. Airplanes are sometimes used for broadcasting the seed.

The quality of tea going into America's teapot is good. Of about 87,000,000 pounds imported in the fiscal year 1931, only 49,253 pounds were rejected for failure to meet the standards of the Federal tea act.

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At Vandergrift, Pa., the Spaniel baseball team is made up of all members of the Spaniel family and one first cousin, also named Spaniel, is among the reserves.

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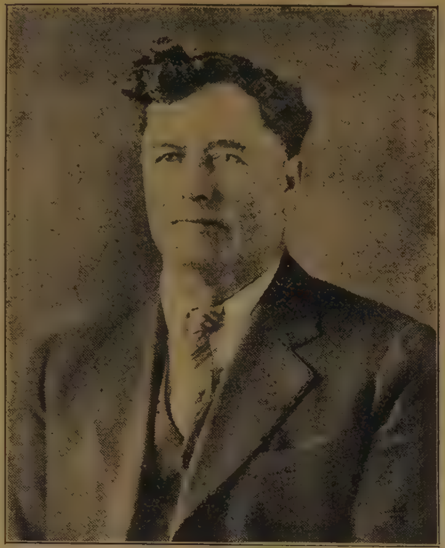

J. R. DARDY

Mr. Hardy, well known and prominent citizen of this county, will succeed J. A. Boockholdt as Chief of Police of Clanton, when the latter's resignation takes effect on the fifteenth of this month.

PUPILS PERFECT IN ATTENDANCE (WHITE) CO. SCHOOLS

1930-31

Adams School: Curtis Chambers, Robert Chambers, Louise Chambers.

Baker School: Catherine Coe, Maurice Thornton, Marjorie Aldridge, Pauline Sisk, Willis Baker, Merle Aldridge, Loyce Baker, Myrtle Powell.

Chestnut Grove: Audrey Sadie Denson, Linnie Joe Hall, Nannie George Hall.

Chilton County High School: Mabel Harris, Tina Hyman, Ethel Mae Jones, Maralyn Mattie Hardy, Grady Reynolds, Jr., Wade Alford, Roselle Gentry, Elizabeth Gragg, Alice Petty, Ethel Winkinson, Joe Hall Johnson, Mary Belle Bean, Martha Kennedy, Louise Mims, Gladys Martin, Jack Gillespie.

Clanton Grammar School: A. J. McKinnon, R. C. Smith, Lamurle DeLoach, Polly Clackley, Myrtle Lee Johnson, Carlie Wyatt, Mary Jo Foshee, Wilmer Gillespie, Mae Aniece Polk.

Collins Chapel School: Mary Sue Littleton, Louellen Zalia Hall, Mary Elizabeth Tracy, Elvie Lou Gore, Howard Johnnie Benson, Edna Gore, William Reynolds.

Concord School: Helen Faye Anderson, Dorothy Anderson, Margaret Nabors, Aaron Nabors.

Concord Jr. High School: Chrystal Kennedy, Pluma Brown, Acie Mims, Mary Kathleen Mims, Jim Moore, Marzelle McDowell, Vasker Powell, Louise Johnson, Rachael Lynch, Robert Lynch, Mary Lucy Parrish.

Cooper School: Eunice Grant, Louis Grant, Veston Jones, Mildred Driver, Crayton Taylor, Ennis Dupree, Clara Logan, Leslie Logan, Pauline Morris, Marzelle Driver, John D. Cooper, James Smith, Roland Minor, Flora Morris, Oscar Smith, Jr.

Corinth School: Jeff Jones, Edward Clayton Hunt.

County Line School: Walter Gandy, Carlos Smith, Jimmie King, Ada Smith, Quinton Gandy, Carol King, Irene Smith.

Culp School: Grace Lorene Headley.

Enterprise School: Eula Mae Boyd, Carl Strickland, Lillian DeVaughn, Emma Dean Gray, Gertie Mae Wilkins, George Bowles, J. C. Headley, Fannie Gray, Curtis Watts, Ada Lou Bowles, Edward Wilkins, Valera Stroud, Euell Vance.

Fairview School: Elsie Merle Griffin, Marietta Foshee.

Freeman School: Harry Tillman Cofer, Lee Noel Cofer, Howard Buford Warren, Willard Horace Hodgens.

Isabella School: Louise Groom Doinwood House, Allen House, Charles Griffin, Ethel Lee Griffin.

Jackson's Chapel School: Ellis Jones, Clarice Jones, Earl Traywick, Dorothy Jean Rush, Hilda Mae Smith, Willodean Smith, Clifford Traywick, Lloyd Traywick, Fonza Traywick, Louise Parker, Mary Will Smith, Irene Burnett.

Jemison School: Charles Edward Pierce, Edith Robinson, Frankie Earl Langston, Lera Dee Conway, Paralee Henson, J. D. Pierce, Mary Frank Wells, Lola Erwin, Reuben Gore, Evelyn Cooper, Floyd Edwards, Vonzelle Atkinson, J. C. Satterwhite, Douglas Martin, Melba Patton, Willard Cost, Lexie Splawn.

Lay Dam School: Searcy L. Martin, Julius P. Martin, Britt Deal Jr., Stuart Woodson, Frances Wood, Frank Marcus, Louise Bateman.

Maplesville School: Mabel Dennis, J. W. Glass, Sara Nell Perry, Gladys Oden, Perry Oden, Andrew Lloyd Dennis, Willard Hayes, Louise Johnson, Charles Shoults, Kathleen Perry, Vann Potts, Annie Laura Potts, Katherine Williams, Harvey M. Nix, Jr., Rozelle Chism, Geneva Shoults.

Mars Hill School: James Austin Foshee.

Mineral Springs School: Milton Retherford, Mozell Driver.

Mt. Pleasant School: Luther Chambers, Louie Crowe, Willie Merle Littlejohn, Marie Price, Frank Collins, Jr., W. B. Crowe, Jr., Annie Massey, Hubert Duke, Roddie Massey, Burene Edwards, Thelma Holley, James Price, Virginia Edwards, Maye Foshee, Lorene Price, Pauline Price, Wendall Massey, Gladys Bell, Millard Bell, Vernie Bell, Lawson Bell, Ilar Massey, Lucile Price.

New Harmony School: Lucile Williams, Myrtle Katherine Williams, Clyde Headley, Earl Headley, Orell Williams.

Oak Grove School: Louise Cobb, Virginia Glass, Labon Northcutt, Eason Little, Forrest Glass, Rascoe Cobb.

Pilgrim Rest School: Willie Clyde Hill, Andrew Hill.

Pinedale School: Catherine Thompson, Wallace Headley.

Popwell School: Pauline Jones, Thurl Patterson, Estha Owen, Rufus Jones.

Providence School (East) Agnes Bates, Pearl Bates.

Shoults School: Tulley George Jarrett, Thomas Jarrett.

Stanton School: Elaine McKinney, Gertrude Eaves, Maudine Roebuck, Lorene Walker, Warren Walker, Clara Lee Gragg, Vivian Davis, Edmund Davis, Vera Lue Jones, Eva Gay, Lucile Caddy, Mildred Claudine Gay, Sarah Nell Walker, C. A. Cook, Willard Huff, Clifford Davis, Edwin Lewis Golson, Viola Walker, Laverne Lenoir, Gracie McLean.

Thomas Jr. School: Herman Jones, Wynelle Jones, Vester Powell, Sybil Ray, Elizabeth Cathey, Joe Lansford, Mike Perkins, Charlie Mae Thornton.

Thorsby School: Lucile Each, Ilamae Bean, Mary Nell Pate, Inez Littleton, Garland Conway, Walter Earl Littleton.

Union Point School: Vera Nell Mims, Naomi Mims.

Union Grove School: Doris Martin, Bernice Williams, Floyd Gray, Johnnie Williams, Lorene Robinson, Erskine Martin, Arley Glasscock, Ruby Williams, Maxine Glasscock, Johnnie Ruth Faulkner, Cilla Robinson, Lefaye Dorminey, Carrie Lee Glasscock, Bessie Hilson.

Verbena Schools: Olivia Dansby, Frances Dansby, Roberta Howell, Paul Hughes, Pearl Hughes, Edith Louise Johnson, Eddie Lois Partridge, Andrew Pyron, Orvid Hughes, Marshall Williams, Lurla Mae Littleton, Celia Baker, Sarah Hollis.

Vermont School: Ishmael Ratliff, Louise Sansom.

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A milkman in Emporia, Kans., who happened along when Charles Bergerhouse's automobile caught fire used four quarts of milk to extinguish the blaze.

W. L. PARRISH
D. V. M.
CLANTON, ALA.
PHONE 4100

One Year Ago

Issue of September 11, 1930

The Clanton Grammar School and the Chilton County High School both began work here last Monday morning.

Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams, near Billingsley.

Will Helton, charged with the murder of Hubbard Glass of Jemison, Ala., was released under a $750.00 bond last Friday following a preliminary hearing.

Mr. J. D. Conaway of the Isabella community was in Clanton on business last Saturday.

Mrs. D. A. Wingard and son, Chester, are visiting friends and relatives in Columbiana this week.

Miss Mabel King of Billingsley was a visitor in Clanton last Saturday.

Aubrey Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Taylor, left Sunday for Auburn where he will enter the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, taking up a course in electrical engineering.

Now we need a can-opener to get at those cellophane-covered cigarettes.

Virginia man has a ham insured for $1,000. Some actors also carry heavy policies.

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Financial Statement Of Grammar School For The Past Year

Following is the statement of the financial condition of the Clanton Grammar School of its term of 1930-31, showing names of all pupils who paid incidental fees, and the amount paid, also the disbursements, including teacher's salaries, etc., which were apparently paid from incidental fees of the school. According to this statement, not all the pupils paid their incidental fees for last year:

Receipts of the Clanton Grammar School for the school year 1930-31:

Cash on hand Sept. 1, 1930 ____ $ 98.00

The following is a list of those paying incidental fees of $5.00:

Burnice Powell, Agnes Powell, Clara Parrish, Sarah Tyus, James Carl Martin, Ruth Frances Smith, Norman Harris, Eunice Thomas, Bill Hodges, Mary Jo Foshee, Francis Foshee, Louise Mae Cooper, James Duke Heflin, John P. Franklin, Nell Rockett, Ola Mae Headley, Olive Rainer Elmore, Willie Scroggins, Kennith Thompson, Helen Parrish, Morris Wyatt, Janet Smith, R. C. Smith, Jr., James W. Carrol, Wiladeen Teel, Jim Sanford, Billie Johnson, Sam Johnson, Wendell Parrish, Charles Mims, Sarah Nell Sessions, Woodrow Blalock, Laura Louise Poe, Donald Poe, Walter Mims, Jim Alex Wyatt, Theda Wyatt, Wilbur Prince, Grace Ezell, Callen Alred, Mary Armstrong, Harvey Armstrong, Elizabeth Armstrong, Catherine Armstrong, Earl D. Atchinson, Jessie E. Mims, Mildred Maddox, Billie Maddox Mary Nell Jones, Juanita Miller, Ray Miller, Francis Bean, Ed Minor Jr., Mildred Popwell, Erskine Popwell, Billie Callen, Sidney Nelson, Frank Cox, June Cox, Bernice Lowe, Juanita Miller, Mildred Easterling, Blanche Thomas, Demar McEathern, Kermit Jones, Lee Smith Jr., Lillian Smith, John W. Plyer, Barres Plyer, Paul Gowan, Annie Wilson, Nina Flo Headley, Peggie Page, Grady Jones, Brady Jones, Clyde Jones, Irene Culver, Guy Alred, Dan Alred, Ann Ross, Morrice Action, Jack Lawrence, Harold Lawrence, L. D. Easterling Jr., Melvin Easterling, Harry Sims, James Sims, Geraldine DeLoach, Doris DeLoach, Mildred Maddox, Elane Burdette, Marzelle Taylor, Martha Green, Joseph Green, Ed Goodgame, Jr., Jon Frank Goodgame, Tom Jeff Rasberry, Jane Neighbors, Jake Neighbors, Charles Neighbors, Mary Roberts, Francis Smith, Annie C. Smith, Lucile Powell, Cecil Powell, Henry Lawrence, Fred Lawrence, Quinton Boockholdt, Hazel Nivens, Carlos Wyatt, David Goff, Roland Teel, Aubrey Teel, Leon Gandy, Arthur Poole, Claude Reynolds, Joe Maddox, Mary Payton, Marshall Lee Ware, Joe Ware, Katherine Ware, Winston Calloway, Percy Pitts, Jr., Myrtle Pitts, Jane Pitts, Buddie Popwell, Annie B. Moates, Paul Moates, Wilton Gillespie, Wilma Gillespie, Norma Green Gillespie, Polly Clackler, William Lee Hayes, Mary Lou Frazier, Billie Wagner, Christine Richerson, George Popwell, Leon Richerson.

The following paid fees of $2.50:

Henry B. Esco, Vivian Lowery, Douglas Lowery, Curtis Wyatt, Homer Wyatt, Jack Davis Vines, Mary Wyatt, Evelyn Wyatt, Louise Popwell, Francis Popwell, Arlene Popwell, Raymond Popwell, Evelyn Williams, Jack Vines, Leonard Popwel, Oddis Jones, Hermon Jones.

The following paid $3.00: Mary Frances Atkinson, Paul Busby.

Earl Maddox	$1.25
James Smitherman	1.50
Kate Lawrence	3.50
James Donavan	1.50
I. J. Quinn, as per his rec.	3.50
W. A. Crowson, house	$ 50.00
I. J. Quinn, May Day	24.30
Bess Thomas, May Day	13.33
Lizzie Benaugh, May Day	14.25
Emma Sue Morris, May Day	12.50
Lucile Sherwood, May Day	7.60
Sarah Pollard, May Day	12.95
Jewel Vessels, May Day	10.65
Mrs. C. D. Thomas, May Day	11.30
M. L. Pack, May Day	4.00
I. J. Quinn, May Day	4.60
I. J. Quinn, May Day	25.00
I. J. Quinn, May Day	61.91
Mock Trial	47.35

Mr. Popwell brought kindling for fees, Mr. Rich worked out his fees.

Total Money Collected ____ $1587.14

DISBURSEMENTS

Joe Franklin, Freight & Dray.	$ 1.37
Alred Drug Co., Supplies	2.87
John Hughley, Janitor	316.30
Ala. School Supply Co.	16.90
The Selig Company	39.75
Standard Oil Company	6.60
Puritan Chemical Company	12.00
Evan Parrish	1.80
Farmers Hardware Company	58.25
Union - Banner	11.30
I. J. Quinn	3.68
J. M. Robinson	1.80
Clanton Building Supply Co.	26.85
Clifford Popwell, Coal	70.00
G.W. Moore, Rep. Talking Mch.	5.00
Southern Bell Tel. Co.	24.05
I. J. Quinn	1.00
J. S. Easterling, Pine	7.00
Ala. Educational Association	6.25
J. E. Gore, Plumbing Repairs	1.00
Farmers Hardware Co.	4.10
Ala. School Supply Co.	10.00
Union - Banner	4.50
Chilton County News	1.50
Frederick Dis. Company	3.10
Jones Hardware Co.	.75
U. S. Specialty Company	23.00
M. L. White, Coal	136.50
Bessie Thomas, Paper	2.10
Alred Drug Co., Fist Aid Sup.	4.95
C. R. Murray, Repairs on desks	24.70
Ala. School Supply Co.	17.50
I. J. Quinn	2.25
Clanton Building Supply Co.	5.75
I. J. Quinn	1.00
Sarah Pollard	.95
Standard Oil Company	5.53
Bessie Thomas, Salary	75.00
Mrs. Curry Thomas, Salary	60.00
Louise Pack, Salary	63.75
Avis Grantham, Salary	63.75
Jewel Vessels, Salary	63.75
Lucile Sherwood, Salary	63.75
Lizzie Benaugh, Salary	63.75
Sarah Pollard, Salary	63.75
Emma Sue Morris, Salary	63.75
I. J. Quinn, Salary	112.50
G. G. Williams, Diplomas	1.00
First Nat. Bank, int. on Warrant	30.00
Total	$1586.90
Balance in bank	.76

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Don't begrudge Germany her moratorium. Think what she would have gotten if she had won the war.

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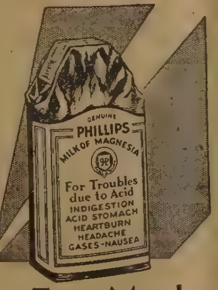
An English church court has decided that the serpent really spoke to Eve. Thank goodness, that's settled.



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Billingsley News

The revival services closed at the Baptist church Friday night. Splendid services were held, with an addition of twenty-nine members. Rev. Jones returned to his home at Dadeville Saturday.

Quarterly Conference was held at the Methodist church Sunday. Dr. McCloud, presiding elder, preached at the morning hour and the business was held in the afternoon. Lunch was served at the church.

A gloom of sadness was cast over the community Saturday afternoon by the death of little Carl Mills, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Mills. The child was seriously hurt in an accident on a truck. It was rushed to the hospital at Clanton, but lived only a few minutes after reaching the hospital. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. Rev. A. S. Bentley conducted the funeral, J. Mell Martin & Sons of Clanton in charge. Interment followed at the cemetery here.

Mr. Mack C. Marlar of Tuscaloosa was the guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar, for the week end.

Mr. A. G. Thompson of Bessemer and Mrs. B. W. Thompson are visiting relatives and friends in Chipley, Fla., and will visit other places of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Patrick of Montgomery are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Patrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Gresson and Mrs. Wimberly of Jones attended the Quarterly conference here Sunday.

Miss Edna Simpson of Autaugaville is visiting Miss Ethel Harrell.

Mrs. Abney, Mrs. Brown and Miss Shanks of Maplesville were here Sunday attending the quarterly meeting.

Mrs. Ida Clummeys and children of Atlanta, Ga., are the guests of her sister, Mrs. Hattie Dickinson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robertson of Tallassee were here Sunday to attend the funeral of Carl Mills. Mrs. Robertson remained for a while with her mother and sister, Mrs. J. F. Culp, and Mrs. E. B. Mills.

Miss Mabel and Bertram King were the week end guests of relatives in Birmingham.

Miss Claudia Taylor has returned to her home in Karnack, Texas, after a visit with Misses Nettie Mason and Lucille Pattillo.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Dopson and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas of Montgomery were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Marlar.

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Sunday School Lesson

SOME MISSIONARY EXPERIENCES

Acts 14:8-23

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

From Antioch in Pisidia Paul and Barnabas went to Iconium and the experiences at the previous station were repeated. At first there was marked interest on the part of both Jews and Greeks. All too soon jealiusy again led to serious persecutions and the evangelists were forced to go further in carrying on their work of evangelizing. Let it be noted that at no time did the troubles they met cause them to abandon their programs

Lystra was the next place for work. Here preaching seems to have been in the open and the usual crowd of cripples and beggars were part of the audience. Interest centers in a man who had been a cripple from birth. As Paul told of the power to heal on the part of this Messiah, who had been crucified and risen from the dead, the helpless man saw the first gleam of hope that had appeared thus far on his horizon of life. His eagerness and faith were evidenced in his face, which when Paul noted brought forth the amazing command "Stand upright on thy feet." Forthwith there was a leaping into fullness of physical strength and soundness of body.

The townspeople could explain the result only by thinking that their gods had come among them. They called Barnabas Jupiter, and Paul was named Mercury. Tradition says that Paul was baldheaded, short bowlegged and had bad eyes. It was Barnabas who must have been fine in stature to be taken for their chief god. At once the priests of these supposed gods planned to offer a sacrifice and oxen were brought for the purpose. Paul would not accept any false praise and it was only with difficulty that he made them accept the fact that he was just an ordinary man, but with a message that told about the only God, and His Son their Saviour.

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MOTHER OF MONARCHS

When in 1764 Lettitia Ramolino, a rather obscure Corsican girl, married Carlos Bonaparte, an assessor, at the age of 14, there was little in the occurrence to indicate the far-reaching influence that was to follow their union.

It was not particularly strange that 13 children were to be born to them, but it is remarkable that of the 13, four were destined to become emperors or kings and two to become queens.

The most famous, of course, was Napoleon Bonaparte, who became emperor of France, an whose name fills more pages of history than that of any other mortal who ever lived. He was the second child.

Joseph, the eldest, became king of Spain; Jerome was king of Westphalia, and Louis was king of Holland. Of the daughters, Maria became queen of of Naples, and Elisa bcame queen of Toscana.

Two other children held lesser rank, Lucien becoming prince of Canino, and Marie Pauline becoming duchess of Guastalla.

Thus Lettitia Ramolino has become known to the world as "the mother of monarchs." It might be imagined, therefore, that hers was a happy life—but not so. She was often poverty-stricken, and lived to see all her royal children shorn of their power. When she died at the age of 86, the great Napoleon had been dead 15 years; all her other children had lost their royal

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and heartfelt appreciation for the many deeds of kindness done and the words of condolence spoken by our friends during the recent illness and death of our sister and daughter

—Walter L. Sanford and Family.

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GINGER ALE, I. G. A. Pale Dry Large Bottle 10c

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CALIFORNIA GRAPES, Fancy Malagas 3 Lbs. 25c

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The Real Object

Today the average person pays $5.25 annually for domestic electricity. That same average person pays $16.00 annually for tobacco The composite figure for cost of living is still 50 per cent above 1913 figure. The average cost of domestic electricity is 31 per cent below the 1913 standard.

Electricity accounts for around 2 per cent of the average household budget, and if cost of service was reduced 10 per cent it would mean less than one cent a day to the average American household. It is such a fact as this that illustrates, better than any argument, the futility—not to say absurdity—of the current political attack on the electric industry's rates. It reminds one of the political statement that American families in a given year were overcharged many hundreds of millions of dollars for electric service—and then upon investigation it was found that the sum mentioned was about equal to the nation's total domestic electric bill!

It should be obvious by now that the harpooning of the electric industry has one real object—to put the government into business, to the destruction of our fundamental American principle of governing. The cost of power is really not an issue. Certain politicians want more authority, more bureaucracy, more political patronage to peddle—and the American people will have to decide whether they will curb private initiative and enterprise which has given this nation its outstanding development, in favor of political enterprise which in business has had a long record of failures and created staggering tax burdens.

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What's The Remedy

"Hoover Prosperity" has failed to prosper, and we are all agreed on the fact that the country is in a bad way. Everyone has ample opportunity to have his say about what the trouble is and what the remedy is. So, we take our pen in hand and cut loose—we don't know any more about what the trouble is nor the remedy than the average fellow, and since everybody else is busy putting over his own ideas, we're not likely to be taken seriously, if at all.

In our modest opinion, we're all expecting prosperity to come back to us, like the prodigal son. We're not sure just how it got away, but statisticians tell us that periods of prosperity last, on an average, so many months or years, we don't remember, so we look at the calendar and figure that prosperous times will be here in Juvember. Candidates promise us prosperity from a governmental source, and we expect them to live up to them all. Politicians politic and we wait for their plans to spread a great flood of prosperity over the land. Business leaders tell us that good times are just around the corner, and we wonder why they don't come on.

Well, we say, that prosperity got away from us like a scared rabbit, and it's not coming back till we go out, and by the use of all our skill and ingenuity, set a trap that will bind the wanderer hand and feet. Prosperity may be just around the corner, but it's up to us to go around that corner. We're looking for action in the wrong direction—it's our move—and if good times come silently in the night, it's up to us to be out in the field ready to lay hold of the vagabond—lest he vanish with the morning dew.

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A Bedtime Story

Once upon a time a great country, far across the seas, thought to abolish crime by providing the death penalty for a multiplicity of minor crimes. But juries and judges refused to find the guilty person guilty, because of the heaviness of the penalty. And once upon another time a great country, but not across the seas, sought to make all its people good, by passing many laws to that effect. All the wise men and women and all the reformers were called in, and for each form of misconduct a law was passed to stop it. But the policemen were too few, and the jails were too small, to handle all the criminals, and besides that, all the people closed up their mouths and refused to report evidence, because they were afraid that they had broken a law yesterday or the day before and might be put in jail, too. So, the villians grew rich and prosperous, for they knew the good people were criminals too, and there was great distress in the land, until a little mouse came along and gnawed up most of the law books, leaving only two or three, and made her a nice warm bed down under the coal pile, and then there was peace and happiness everywhere.

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

"Very awkward—for the coo," said the inventor of the locomotive to parliament, once.

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It is said to have happened back yonder in the year 1825 when George Stephenson, inventor of the locomotive was trying to get assistance in building the first railroad, and a cow stopped it. Can you imagine it? Here's the way it is said to have been: There was a bill in the House of Parliament allowing the construction of a railroad from Liverpool to Manchester, and a member of Parliament asked, "Suppose now, one of these engines to be going along a railroad at the rate of nine or ten miles an hour and a cow were to stray upon the line and get in the way of the engine; would not that be a very awkward circumstance " Stephenson, speaking as he did, replied, "Very awkward—for the coo." And fear that the machine could not be stopped caused the failure of the Bill to pass.

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I was just thinking the other day of the many advantages of reading the Chilton County News. I don't mind helping the boys out a bit by advertising them. Each week there are three invitations from the leading cafes on the following Sunday as guests. Now that simply means when you are invited, to either Matt's Place, The Dixie Cafe or DeWitt's Cafe, that you go there and a table has been reserved for you and you enjoy a wonderful meal and it don't cost you one cent. These invitations are always stuck off in some corner on some page of the News each week, and each invitation has the name of two people usually. Look them up, because you may be the fortunate ones.

If you pay, say, a dollar and a half for a year's subscription to the News, or even seventy-five cents, or if you are a reader of the News, you are liable to receive one of these invitations, which means you get a big, well prepared meal worth a dollar or more. These invitations are to dine at the lunch hour.

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What is the idea of the schools opening so early in the morning, I wonder. It may be a good idea and it may not, I'm not saying, but right now I can't see any advantage to it. They say it is to let the children go home so they can pick cotton. Well, that means they have to get up extremely early, check out hurriedly to school, by seven o'clock, get out in the heat of the afternoon during these hot days, and get out in the fields and pick cotton during the hottest time of day.

Now wouldn't it be better to open school, say about eight-thirty in the morning, or later, and turn out later? This would enable the children to get up early, get out in the fields and pick cotton while it is cool, aiding them to have a clear mind at school. Then when they get out later, they could also pick cotton after the sun had ceased casting its hottest rays. And besides, what child would like to study at home at night after picking cotton all the afternoon. And how many children in the grammar school, old enough to pick much cotton anyway? I may be all wet about this, and I might not be, I ain't saying which.

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Now here comes this long Long Cotton Plan off here in our county. That might be a good idea if all the big cotton producing states would adopt it. We'll see what the people of this county think about it next Saturday.

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I understand that a man here in town misunderstood one of my paragraphs the other week, when I was trying to help him out, he thought I was trying to help him in. But I realize now that he did not know that there was a third business of his kind contemplating opening in Clanton and I just don't think there was room for three of the same kind in Clanton. He didn't realize either that this other man even came here and tried to rent a building to go into business, the same kind he's in, and the fellow he tried to rent from, told him the situation.

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Gosh, but there's a lot of news circulating round this man's town that I would like to print if I was a newspaperman and didn't give a rap. I sympathize with these editors.

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Frank James was complaining Tuesday of a hurting in his left shoulder. He must have put too much emphasis on a word on a sign, or one of those camels he gets. camel hair from might have kicked him or bit him, or something, or there is a possibility that a golf bug bit him. I hear those bugs are getting bad around here. In fact I understand that Red Wagoner was severely bit not long ago by a golf bug. I've never seen one, but I just imagine they are ferocious.

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I notice that there is an insurance policy now available to newspapers against loss by libel suits. Maybe I better get one of these policies.

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Also note that Reed Mullins has been rather busy lately getting a concrete floor in a building on Main Street and fixing the place up for the new funeral establishment of Clanton, the Spigener Funeral Home. When finished, the new place for this business will be attractive. Mr. Mullins says it ought to be ready in a day or so.

Gotta get out now and look up some of our fair school teachers, cause I'm going to need a little material for various uses now and then, later on, or sooner, or something.

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I've got to ramble off down to South Clanton one day right away and see what's going on down there. Van Smith has been keeping quiet lately and there's Reuben Lowe down there, too. I'll just go down and see about those two fellows and what they been doing lately.

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Wonder if those naughty books have a bad effect on the morals of their censors.

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Somehow it seems that creditors have better memories than debtors.

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SITUATION

A survey shows that most happy people go to church. The unhappy ones, of course, go out to a golf course and stand around for hours waiting to drive off.—Judge.

Letters To The Editor

J. H. JACKSON GIVES SOME BIBLE FIGURES AND QUOTATIONS

Editor News:

Will you please permit me to say a few words through your good paper? What I say I want to say it for the comfort and consolation of the oppressed, and to the people who desire a righteous rule, and free from oppression. I, for one, am tired of Mrs. Babylon's rule. Our political and religious and commercial system has become a great city. It is called by John the City of Babylon. He says it is inhabited by devils. It is also a city of speculation and a house of merchandise. Now for fear I may hurt someone's feeling, in regard to the devil I find by reading the Bible that the devil is no larger than a man, and hell is no larger than man makes it, and the devil is a man who opposes justice.

We have been sacrificing to devils. We have been supporting divisions which are very expensive. Our religious and political and commercial is waxed old and is most ready to pass away. It has become too burdensome when the power of money becomes so great as to build a wall so high between the consumer and the producer that it causes want, hunger and nakedness, misery and distress, it is time for the people to wake up; many ways we sacrifice to devils.

Now, the people are tired of sacrificing to devils, and to Mrs. Babylon. I do believe God has got about enough of it. I do believe that He will bring it to a close the latter part of 1932. I will give my authority for saying this: see Matthew 1 and 17, so we find from Abraham to David are 14 generations, so I understand. When Christ was born that was David's day, that it has reference to. To prove this I will quote a few words, Matthew 1:1, Jesus Christ, the son of David; Matthew 9 and 27, Thou, the son of David, have mercy on us; Matthew 15 and 22, O, Lord, thou son of David, my daughter is greivously vexed with a devil; also 20 and 30; Mark 10 and 47; Luke 18 and 38; 20 and 41; Romans 1 and 3; Second Timothy 2 and 8; Hebrews 4 and 7; says He limiteth a certain day, saying in David today after so long a time as it is said today, if ye will hear His voice, harden not your hearts. Revelations 4 and 7, and to the angel of the church in Philadelphia write these things saith he that is holy, he that is true, he that hath the key of David. Revelations 5 and 5, and one of the elders saith unto me, weep not, behold the lion of the tribe of Judea; the root of David hath prevailed to open the book. Revelations 22 and 16 says I, Jesus, have sent mine angel to testify to you these things in the churches, I am the root and the offspring of David and the bright and morning star.

Luke 1 and 69 says, and hath raised up an horn of salutation for us in the house of His servant, David. Now I think the Scripture I have quoted is sufficient to prove that when Christ came it was the day of David, when Matthew said from Abraham to David were 14 generations, here is the part we want to get at. Now from David, as David's day which applies to the birth of Christ, from that time to the going into Babylon are 14 generations, and from the going into Babylon until Christ are 14 generations, so we see from David, or David's day, is 28 generations, when He is to come and set up His Kingdom here on earth. Now we find in Psalms 90 and 10, the days of our years are three score and ten, evidently 70 years make a generation. I also find that 360 days, a Hebrew year. Multiply 360 by 70, giving 25,200 then multiply that by 28, giving 705,600 days, which is the days from David's day, or the birth of Christ, to Christ's second coming, or Christ's day, or His rule or kingdom here on earth.

In other words, there will be 705,600 days from David to His second coming, then multiply 1932 by 365, we get 705,180, then add 483 for leap years, we have 705,663. So, we see these 28 generations expire about October 29, 1932. I have been told that we have an extra day every 100 years, then if so it will expire in November, 1932. However, it is drawing near, I don't understand that Christ will come in person, but in rule, and in power, and in glory, and will take from the hands of the oppressor, the kingdom and will establish His in righteousness, and, it will stand forever. With best respect to all.

J. H. JACKSON.

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WEST END COMMENTS

By W. B. C.

Wonder how long before "Kaiser Edmudnson," of Jefferson Empire, will declare war against the State. Already his "diplomatic" activities have resulted in decidedly lowering our standards of democracy quite a bit.

Why vote any more at all? The "Powers that be" make the ballots tell any kind of a story that suits their plans.

When they legislate what the farmer shall or shall not plant, it is only "asound the corner" when they will tell you how much sugar you can have in your coffee and how many biscuits you may eat.

Mr. Atkinson, the widely known gasoline distributor, has moved his family into the former W. A. Kemp home in West End Heights, and is now selling the Shell products.

Business in West End holds up to almost normal. None of the business houses seem to have ghosts in them so far.

I understand that a regular cafeteria and barbecue place i ssoon to open up in West End. People must eat, you know, and I hope this new place will succeed from the go.

Cotton at 5c per pound and picking at 25 cents per hundred does not seem to arouse much enthusiasm.

Mr. Sam Johnson has 5 or 6 acres of cotton out here that is simply fine. With not a boll picked yet it makes one almost shudder to think what a big rain would do in that snow bank.

The funeral Monday of Miss Arlene Sanford was very largely attended by the good people of West End.

Mr. W. D. Dunlap and wife are making an extended visit to their daughter, Mrs. Williams, of Selma. They are widely known throughout the western portion of the county and are universally loved by all who know them. The people of West End Heights certainly miss their cheerful presence and are hoping for their return.

Later: I learn that cotton picking out this way has advanced to 40 cents per hundred. We must be about to turn the "Hoover Corner" at last. I saw a check this morning for 49 cents. It represented the munificent balance a farmer received for the seed out of a bale of cotton after paying for the ginning. The farmer is happy because they did not take his cotton also.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hays and children, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Binford and a sister of Mrs. Binfords from Selam, made a most enjoyable trip to Mitchell Dam, Log Cabin Beach and Lay Dam Sunday. They were joined on the way by Mr. Zeb Mims and wife.

What did you all do Labor Day, rejoice or mourn?

Sorry to learn that several cases of typhoid fever have broken out in the Liberty Hill neighborhood.

Did you ever stop to think what a great blessing good neighbors are? You ought to move to West End Heights and find out just what they mean in life

Before prosperity smiles on us again the people have got to stop their mad race after the dollar, get down on their knees and ask God to take the lines and drive again. We have some mighty smart folks these days and any quantity of wonderful machines, but we can't make a success of operating the universe yet.

Watermelons are so plentiful that thousands are rotting in the patch while tens of thousands of people over the land long for them in vain. But look at wheat. Millions of bushels going to waste while people all over the land are starving for a loaf of bread. Better ask God to regulate these supply and demand questions. Evidently man can't handle the job.

You can get everything on credit except these: Free schools we hear so much squawking about. When you hit them it's spot cash—or go to jail for not sending your kids to school. How is that for a Democracy of freedom?

It is the duty of every county newspaper in Alabama to print each week plainly and truthfully the "frame ups" that go on at our capitol. Let the people all know the facts and they will promptly take care of them at the polls.

Here is hoping for happiness and good luck to everyone and an earnest admonition to talk over your trials and troubles with God, the only one who is able to knock out this depression and make times good again.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and assure you of our appreciation for your many kindnesses shown us in our recent bereavement and for the lovely floral designs.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Mills and Family.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity.
F. H. Brown, Complainant, vs. W. G. Hayes, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 7th day of August, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Tuesday, The 22, Day of September, 1931, the following described property, viz.: The Southwest-quarter of Northeast-quarter and the Southeast-quarter of the Northwest-quarter, of Section 23, Township 22, Range 12, in Chilton County, Alabama, which is the 80 acres known as the W. G. Hayes home place.

This the 1st day of September, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
Register

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News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

n and Hermon Harper are spend-
en' days with their parents, Mr.
Irs. G. F. Harper.

cle No. 1 met Tuesday afternoon
e home of Mrs. Jim Nix.

, and Mrs. McFarland of Talla-
spent last week with their par-
Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Harper.

Lester Pate returned from Mt
, Miss., Wednesday and spent a
days with his parents, Mr. and
Jim Pate. He left Monday for
th, Miss.

rge Nix, Ralph and Conradine
Frank Wood, Lois Thompson,
n and Wilma Goodgame and Con-
Thornburgh attended a party at
ome of Miss Mary Nell Jones of
on Saturday night.

s Eleanor Rowell and friend, Mrs.
t, of Birmingham spent the week
n Thorsby.

McDonald Pearson has moved his
store back to his old location in
Masonic Building.

and Mrs. Clarence Marcus re-
d last week from Eldon, Mo., and
t to leave Sunday for Pennsyl-

Thorsby baseball team will play
Grove Wednesday at Thorsby
Prattville Saturday at Thorsby.
Thorsby team played Randolph
day and won 7 to 5.

and Mrs. F. O. Higgins and chil-
spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.
Higgins.

and Mrs. Herbert Adams spent
k in Thorsby with her mother,
ela Martin.

and Mrs. L. F. Hester, daugh-
sie and Lila, and son, Lewis,
Sunday and Monday with Jim

Thorsby Public School will not
until next Monday on account of
ness of Prof. Bean.

George Piper and daughter, Lo-
nd Mr. McNalla of Birmingham
Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Piper Sun-

Horace Reinhardt returned from
g at Wilsonville last week.

and Mrs. Marion Smith of Clan-
visited her mother during the
end

Young Matrons Sunday school
had their quarterly birthday party at the home of Mrs. Marion Smith of Clanton Saturday night.

Mrs. Mixon and children returned from visiting her relatives at Union Springs Sunday.

Mrs. O'Barr and family moved to Gardendale, Ala., Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray spent Sunday in Prattville.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robinson spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Collins.

Mrs. Frank Thompson is spending a week in Dadeville with her parents.

Miss Lois Leech returned to Thorsby Friday from Minneapolis, Minn., where she spent the summer.

Miss Marion Fairbank returned on Thursday from visiting her brother in Nebraska.

Misses Naemi Turnquist and Christine Bosworth spent the week end in Thorsby.

Miss Kitty Rogers of Selma spent the week end with Miss Naemi Turnquist.

Mrs. T. A. Shannon of West Point, Ga., arrived Monday to be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. N. C. Peterson.

Miss Astrid Ekblad returned Saturday night after spending three weeks with her brother in Chicago and her sister in Rockford, Illinois.

Monday Mrs. Karl Ekblad left for Montgomery where she will have an operation performed.

Mrs. Gerald Smith left Thursday to visit her parents in Baker, Fla.

Miss Giula Williams visited friends in Thorsby Monday.

Miss Frances Wilson spent the week end in Thorsby with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

Mr. Rasco Maddox, Byron Bean, Hazel Maddox, and Eunice Williamson, left for Demorest, Ga., Tuesday where Hazel, Byron and Eunice will attend Piedmont College.

The Baptist Ladies Social will meet at the home of Mrs. C. M. Gray Thursday.

Three hundred quarts of canned fruits were found by Miss Leech at the Thorsby Institute Dormitory, that had been donated by friends of the school.

Mr. Fred Boyd, a former student of Thorsby Institute, has enlisted in the United States Army and is in the signal corps.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Each left Tuesday for West Florida and are expecting to bring some girls back with them to attend the Thorsby Institute.

Mr. Clevis Stiver of Guin, Ala., is the visitor of the Primms for a few days.

Mrs. T. W. Robinson spent Tuesday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Soberg returned Sunday night after a three weeks visit with their sons in Chicago, Ill., and Sheboygan, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howard and two daughters, Mabel and Lucile, motored to Orange Beach, Ala., where Mr. Howard will remain for two weeks fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Foss, daughter, Kathryn, Christine Bosworth, Doris Freeman, and Dera Rowell motored to Demorest, Ga., Sunday. Kathryn, Doris and Dera remained to attend school there.

Miss Mary Ella Gerald returned on Monday from Washington, where she has been working for the government.

Lester and Roma Lee Pate and Alta Each motored to Chelsea, Ala., Saturday.

Mrs. Ethel W. Loveland is spending a few days with friends in Thorsby, after which she will return to Piedmont College at Demorest, Ga., to take up her duties.

The agent of the L & N Railroad advises that in the future the depot will be closed on Sunday and requests anyone expecting to make a trip on Sunday to get their ticket the day before, thereby saving themselves the trouble of paying cash fare on trains and also receiving benefits of any excursion rates that might be in effect. This arrangement will help his business and will be appreciated by him.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Primm and baby spent the week end with Mrs. M. J. Primm.

Mr. Roy Raybon and little Dion Raybon with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson spent tht wtek end in Birmingham.

Mrs. M. J. Primm left Sunday for a two weeks visit with her son, Hugh, near Calera.

The United Singing society met at the Thorsby Baptist Church Sunday evening with many present. Mr. Arch Glass, Akins Collins, Jasper Oaks and Mr. Culp directing several songs each.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira E. Sarber and daughter, Hazel, spent Tuesday morning with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard.

Mrs. J. H. Goddard and Mrs. J. W. McCain spent last Friday in Clanton with Mrs. C. V. Heath.

The Thorsby Institute will open on Wednesday morning, September 16, at ten o'clock. Opening exercises will be held in the auditorium. All friends and patrons of the school are invited.

Mr. Maddox will be in the office at the Institute each day so that students who wish to register may do so. All students who can are urged to register before the opening day.

Miss Jennie May Thurman of Cincinnati who has taught in Thorsby Institute for two years will be at the head of the Music department this year. Miss Thurman is a teacher of wide experience and training. She has done a great deal of work at the Cincinnati Conservatory in the past, and this summer has done twelve weeks work there. She holds an Alabama state music certificate so students will receive credit for work done under her.

Tuesday morning Mrs. C. M. Williams left for Talladega with her small daughter, Charlene, to take Martha and Miss Smith, a teacher friend of Martha's, who has been visiting her for a few days, to the state school for the blind wehre Martha finishes her high school course.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mead and little Helen Louise spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mead in Calera.

Mr. German Bean of Atlanta spent Labor Day with his mother, Mrs. H. O. Bean, in Thorsby.

Miss Elizabeth Butler, who has been the charming guest of Miss Dorothy Butler, returned to her home in Montgomery Tuesday.

Circle No. 2 will meet Tuesday, September 15, with Mrs. H. L. Walker.

Miss Ruby Warlick and Miss Thelma Irby were visitors to Birmingham last Sunday and Monday.

Miss Julia Ruth Hester will leave the latter part of this week for Marion, where she will enter Judson College for her second year of studying there.

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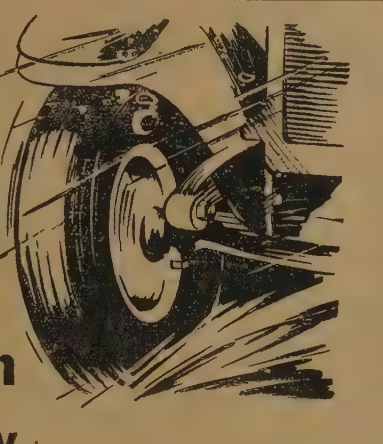

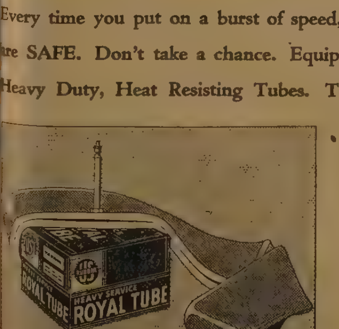

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Prop. No. 2.

State of Alabama

A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the second Tuesday in November after the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, as provided by Section 287 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Act proposing the amendment was not submitted for the aproval of the Governor but was valid upon its adoption by the Legislature without his approval, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 10th day of November, 1931, is the second Tuesday in November, such day being more than three months after the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday, the 10th day of November, 1931, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:—

"ARTICLE XXI. Section 219 of the present Constitution is hereby annulled and set aside and hereafter the Legislature of Alabama may provide for the assessment, levy and collection of a tax upon inheritances and for the levying of estate taxes not to exceed in the aggregate the amounts which may by any law of the United States be allowed to be credited against or deducted from any similar tax upon inheritances or taxes on estates assessed or levied by the United States on the same subject. The Legislature shall have the power to levy such inheritance or estate taxes in the State of Alabama only so long as and during the time an inheritance or estate tax is enforced by the United States against Alabama inheritances or estates, and shall only be exercised or enforced to the extent of absorbing the amount of any deduction or credit which may be permitted by the laws of the United States now existing or hereafter enacted to be claimed by reason thereof as deduction or credit against such similar tax of the United States applicable to Alabama inheritances or estates."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight successive weeks prior to the 10th day of November, 1931, in each county of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the great seal of the State to be affixed at the Captol, in the City of Montgomery, on this the 3rd day of September, 1931.

B. M. Miller,
Governor.

Attest:
P. B. Jarman, Jr.
Secretary of State.

Prop. No. 1.

State of Alabama

A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the Second Tuesday after the expiration of three months from and after the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, as provided by Section 287 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Act proposing the amendment was not submitted for the approval of the Governor but was valid upon its adoption by the Legislature without his approval, and

WHEREAS, the Legislat ure adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 3rd day of November, 1931, is the second Tuesday after the expiration of three months from and after the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 3rd day of November, 1931, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:—

"ARTICLE XX-B. Section 1. The State is authorized to engage in the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways and bridges in the State of Alabama. To this end and for these purposes, the State is authorized to appropriate funds and for constructional purposes only the State is authorized also to issue and sell interest-bearing negotiable State bonds in addition to those already authorized and sold under Article XX and XX-A, as amendments to the Constitution of 1901, in an amount not to exceed the sum of twenty-five million dollars ($25,000,000.00), to be issued under such denominations, numbers and series, maturing at such times as may be provided by law, and all such bonds shall bear a rate of interest not greater than six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and shall be sold at a price not less than par value thereof.

Section 2. The State Highway Commission or Highway Department shall locate, construct and maintain highways, bridges and State trunk roads so as to connect each county seat with the county seat of the adjoining county by the most direct or most feasible route by a permanent road, having due regard for the public welfare, and shall connect the county seats of the several border counties at or near the state line with a public highway in the border states. Provided, that in counties which are divided into two or more judicial divisions in each of which regular terms of the circuit court are held, the places where said terms of court are held, shall likewise be connected with each other.

Section 3. The proceeds of said bonds shall be used for constructing and/or surfacing of roads and constructing and/or repairing bridges, but not for maintenance or discharging of contract debts, liability or obligations existing prior to the adoption of this amendment.

Section 4. Eighteen million four hundred twenty-five thousand dollars ($18,425,000.00) of the proceeds of said bonds shall be set aside by the Governor and apportioned in amounts of Two Hundred seventy-five thousand dollars ($275,000.00) to each of the respective counties of the State which must be expended by the State Highway Commission or Highway Department in each of said counties for construction, which shall include hard surfacing, of existing and also new public roads and bridges therein. The remaining proceeds of said bonds shall be used for the construction, which shall include surfacing, of existing, or new highways and constructing or repairing bridges in the State.

Section 5. The proceeds of such bonds shall be kept separate and apart from all other funds and no part of the same shall ever be used in honoring a warrant not legally drawn against such proceeds.

Section 6. There is hereby levied and every distributor, re'ail dealer or storer shall pay an excise tax of one cent per gallon upon the selling, distributing or withdrawing from storage for any use gasoline, provided, however, that the excise tax is not levied upon the sale of gasoline in interstate commerce, and provided further that where this excise tax shall have been paid by a distributor or by a retail dealer or storer such payment shall be sufficient, the intention being that this tax shall not be paid but once. The terms 'distributor', 'retail dealer', 'storer', 'selling', 'distributing', 'withdrawing' and 'gasoline' are used as the same are used in existing gasoline excise tax laws of the State and shall be so construed, and all rights, duties, liabilities, penalties, powers and methods pertaining to the collection of gasoline excise taxes under such existing laws of the State shall apply to the collection, payment and accounting for the within excise tax, provided, the Legislature may limit, extend or further define the same. The excise tax of one cent herein levied shall be in addition to the excise gasoline taxes provided by existing laws of the State, but this section shall not be construed in any way as limiting the power of the Legislature to increase or decrease this or any other gasoline tax.

Section 7. The one cent excise tax hereinbefore levied shall be used first to create a sinking fund for the prompt and faithful payment of the principal and the interest on the bonds herein authorized, and, second, by the State for the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways and bridges of this State.

Section 8. The bonds herein authorized when issued shall be a direct obligation of the State, and for the prompt and faithful payment of the principal and interest thereon the full faith and credit of the State is hereby irrevocably pledged and such bonds shall be exempt forever from taxes of every kind.

Section 9. The bonds herein authorized shall be issued and sold in the same manner by a Bond Commission as set forth, defined and prescribed in Article 5 of Chapter 32, Code of Alabama, 1923.

Section 10. That House Bill No. 1204 by Mr. Tunstall, if and when passed by both houses of the Legislature of Alabama of 1931 and approved by the Governor and being, "A bill to be entitled an act to impose, for the use and purpose of surviving, preserving, maintaining, constructing and regulating the use of public roads and bridges in the State of Alabama, an excise tax on all persons, companies, agencies, corporations, and associations who sell, distribute, store or draw from storage for any purpose whatsoever, gasoline or any other liquid motor fuels or devices or any substitute therefor within the State of Alabama; providing for the collection of such excise tax and the payment of same into the State Treasury; providing for the enforcement of this act and fixing a penalty for the violation of the provisions hereof, providing that the said excise tax so imposed shall be in addition to all other excise tax now imposed by law; and, providing that freight agents or railroads and all agents of all transportation companies operating within the State of Alabama and who transport motor fuels shall report to the State Tax Commission all shipments of gasoline or any substitute therefor, received at any of their stations within the State", be and the same is hereby ratified, confirmed and validated and made constitutional as a law, and such ratification, confirmation, validation and constitutionally as a law, shall, according to the terms thereof when finally passed, in the manner aforesaid, take effect and be effective on the day of the passage of said bill by both houses of the Legislature of Alabama of 1931, and approved by the Governor, as fully as if said bill was set out in words and figures herein."

I further direct and proclaim that notices of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight consecutive weeks prior to the 3rd day of November, 1931, in each county of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

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Secretary of State.

My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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CHAPTER XLIII

The sixth session of the supreme war council was convened June 1, 1918. The important matter of further shipment of American troops was taken up.

As already indicated, it was my opinion that neither the character of the troops to be sent over nor their disposition was within the province of the council to decide, but that these questions should be determined according to circumstances and after discussion with the allies.

So I objected to their consideration by the council, as such, and suggested a meeting outside the council, which was approved.

Accordingly, in the late afternoon, General Foch, Lord Milner, British war minister, General Weygand and I, with Colonels Conner and Boyd, met in the premier's room. General Foch began by stating the serious condition of the allies and proposed the continued shipment from America of nothing but infantry and machine-gun units in June and July, in effect 250,000 in each month. Every one realized the gravity of the allied situation as strongly as he did, but, as previously and persistently contended by me, there were two sides to the question.

Foch Becomes Excited.

I was prepared to make some concessions and stated my views, but neither facts nor arguments seemed to make any impression. General Foch especially was very positive and earnest, and, in fact, became quite excited, waving his hands and repeating: "The battle, the battle; nothing else counts."

With equal emphasis I urged that we must build up our organization as fast as possible to carry on the battle to the end, and that our program had been seriously interrupted by concessions already made.

I called attention to the fact that the railways all over France were on the point of breaking down for lack of efficient operators and of skilled workmen to repair rolling stock; that our ports would be hopelessly blocked unless we could improve the railways; this his plan would leave us 200,000 men short to complete combat units and fill up special organizations that were absolutely necessary in the S. O. S., and, finally, that the restriction of our shipments to infantry and machine-gun units would be a very dangerous and short-sighted policy.

To much of this he paid little or no attention and replied that all these things could be postponed.

Wanted Wilson Informed.

Graeme Thompson, British expert on transportation and supply, came into the room at this point with Mr. Lloyd George and General Sir Henry Wilson, and took part in the discussion. Mr. Lloyd George said he thought President Wilson would be deeply interested to get General Foch's view of the situation, and added that as America had no prime minister present he thought it would be inconvenient for us to make a decision, but that this subject should be brought before the whole council.

I then called attention to a cable from Secretary of War Baker, already quoted, showing that the President had been much embarrassed by representations made to him personally by the French and British ambassadors, and had suggested that the matter might be settled by a conference between General Foch and myself. I pointed out that the cable did not mention the supreme war council, and I again stated my opposition to making the subject one of general discussion by all allied representatives and their staffs.

I did not fail to point out further that the President was trusting my judgment in this matter. As nothing was being accomplished and hoping the number of participants in the discussion might be limited, I proposed we adjourn until the following day.

Pershing Again Answers Foch.

The next afternoon when we assembled M. Clemenceau was waiting for the rest of us, and instead of there being fewer conferees the number had increased. Not unlike the situation at Abbeville a month before, everybody was keyed up, and, as we had expected, the question had to be fought all over again.

General Foch supported by M. Clemenceau and Lloyd George, wanted nothing but infantry and machine gunners in June and July, to which I was strongly opposed, again insisting that sufficient importance had not been attached to my reasons for the necessity of the auxiliary troops omitted in June.

Foch resorted to his often-repeated question whether I was willing to take the risk, to which I replied very positively that I was ready to assume any responsibility my proposal might entail, but that I must have a greater proportion of other troops to keep the American organization from going to smash.

Men Called in May Untrained.

Other objections, which the allies apparently overlooked, were that the untrained men called out in May could not possibly be ready for service until a considerable time after arrival, and that neither the French nor the British could provide all the equipment and land transportation they would need. In accordance with my program, I was willing to agree to the shipment of fully trained infantry not needed for the instruction of new drafts, but felt that this point should be left to the judgment of the secretary of war.

American Troops Moving to the Front.

Mr. Lloyd George then concluded that as a consequence July would be a blank, and in a rather dejected tone he said the allies were in a sense in the hands of the United States. He spoke of the generous and chivalrous attitude of President Wilson, and said all they could do was to acquaint him with their needs and call upon him to come to their aid, more particularly to the aid of France at the period of the most terrible extremity that she had yet encountered.

CHAPTER XLIV

Further conversation at the session of the supreme war council showed the uncertainty in the minds of the allies. Prime Minister Lloyd George, reverting to losses, said that before the great German attack in May he had been informed positively the Germans had only 400,000 replacements left, and that now, after the most violent fighting, in which it was reported the Germans had suffered very heavy losses, they still had more than 300,000 replacements.

The allies also had 300,000, but it was now contended, he said, that the British army was on the decline while that of the enemy was not.

Mr. Lloyd George asked if that could be cleared up, to which General Foch replied that it was because the enemy managed better, and he went on to say that Germany, with a population of 68,000,000 could maintain 204 divisions, while Great Britain, with 46,000,000 inhabitants, could keep up only 43. It had been stated that the British counted on keeping up 53 divisions, but that ten of them would be practically American.

Then, in response to a further question by Mr. Lloyd George, General Foch said he could not pretend to say where Germany procured her replacements; possibly it might be from prisoners returned from Russia.

Three Map Program.

After further argument on discrepancies of various figures, and insistence by General Foch that the number of divisions be maintained, the consideration of the transportation of American troops in June and July was resumed. The discussion having reached an impasse, it was suggested that Lord Milner, British war minister, General Foch and I should undertake to draw up a program.

In the consideration of the question by us the point of my contention was won when General Weygand, who was Foch's principal adviser, remarked that it would be as well to leave the new drafts to be trained at home a month or so longer.

Although my arguments had failed to make any impression on General Foch, he at once approved Weygand's suggestion.

Agreement on U. S. Troops.

With this out of the way we soon drew up the agreement embodied in the following cablegram sent to Washington June 2:

"(a) For June: First, absolute priority shall be given the transportation of 170,000 combatant troops (viz., six divisions without artillery, ammunition trains or supply trains, amounting to 126,000 men and 44,000 replacements for combat troops); second, 25,400 men for the service of railway, of which 13,400 have been asked by the French minister of transportation; third, the balance to be troops of categories to be determined by the commander in chief, American expeditionary forces.

"(b) For July: First, absolute priority for the shipment of 140,000 combatant troops of the nature defined above, four divisions minus artillery, etc., amounting to 84,000 men plus 56,000 replacements; second, the balance of the 250,000 to consist of troops to be designated by the commander in chief, American expeditionary forces.

"(c) It is agreed that if available tonnage in either month allows the transportation of a larger number of men than 250,000 the excess tonnage will be employed in the transportation of combat troops as defined above.

"(d) We recognize that the combatant troops to be dispatched in July may have to include troops with insufficient training, but we consider the present emergency to justify a temporary and exceptional departure by the United States from sound principles of training, especially as a similar course is being followed by France and Great Britain. (Signed)

"FOCH, MILNER, PERSHING."

The prime ministers cabled President Wilson expressing their thanks for the promptness of American aid in the present emergency.

Yanks at Chateau Thierry.

The Second and Third divisions, facing the Germans near Chateau Thierry, had made their places in line secure, giving heart to the French, who were trying to stabilize their own positions around the newly formed salient. We shall hear more of these two divisions later. Although fully taken for granted by all of us, it was none the less gratifying to see these divisions, for the first time in the line, acquit themselves so well.

En route to Chaumont we motored eastward through Montmirail, passing long columns of French refugees fleeing from their homes, many on foot, men and women with bundles on their backs, leading the smaller children, driving their stock before them and hauling in various types of conveyance the few remaining worldly goods they were able to take with them. Almost indescribable were many similar scenes as reported by our troops as they came up to reinforce the retiring French.

It seemed to me then that if this picture of civilization engaged in the persecution of innocent and unarmed noncombatants, mostly women and children, could be brought home to all peoples, reason would be forced upon rulers and governments where too often their passions and ambitions assume control.

As a result of the German successes against the French something akin to a panic prevailed in Paris. Probably a million people left during the spring and there was grave apprehension among the officials lest the city be taken. Plans were made to remove the government to Bordeaux and we ourselves were prepared to remove our offices.

(continued next week)

POOR RADIO PROGRAMS

It must be obvious to the most casual radio listener that the standard of programs, which has never been high, is steadily deteriorating. One recent writer declares, with rather convincing argument to back up his contention, that radio is committing suicide.

While it is true that there may still be heard a few high-class programs, if one will exercise due diligence in picking them out, for the most part the offerings on the air are not worth listening to by anyone possessing intelligence above that of a moron.

Regardless of individual tastes most persons buy radio sets for the purpose of entertainment. The form of entertainment most suitable for radio is music, especially instrumental music. Speeches, lectures and so-called educational features may appeal to some, but all these are available in unlimited quanity.

Another paradox is that when a thing is swallowed up it goes down.

Bare legs are disturbing to reformers and stockings manufacturers.

MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

I was riding along the road last week and passed two boys and one dog. Evidently the two boys were joint partners in the ownership of the dog. One was holding the head of the dog, and the other boy was swinging to his hind legs. They were seeing to it that their dog would not be crushed under the wheels of the automobile. Early one morning I passed a farm house, and about two hundred yards beyond I saw a little boy standing by the roadside with his dog. The little dog had his two front paws resting against the breast of the boy, and they were about the same height. The boy was looking straight into the eyes of the dog and the dog was looking straight into the eyes of the boy. Beyond them was the rising sun, and as I saw that picture of affection I was filled with admiration. I know no finer friendship and no more loyal devotion than is seen between a boy and his dog. If you want to get along well with a boy, you must not kick his dog around.

Many years ago, when I was a barefooted boy on the farm, I had me a little dog and we loved each other with unselfish devotion. It was our duty to go to the woods early every morning to find the calves. While I was dressing my little dog would be scratching on my door and telling me to hurry and let him look into my eyes. When the door was opened he would bounce into my bosom with his two front feet, and then run on ahead to show me the direction of the calf bell. When I went away to college my little dog had grown old for a dog but he loved me still. My first stay away from home the dog of my heart refused to eat. He would stay around the front gate and look and whine. When I came home at Christmas he had grown thin. He saw me get out of the buggy and it is needless to describe the antics of that little dog. If you have ever had a dog to love you, you already know what it is to be greeted by that dog. Day and night while I was at home that little pet stayed close by me. He followed me to the train when I was returning to college, and on seeing that I was leaving in the coach, he made a leap to get on the train with me. He fell down between the wheels and was crushed. I have never had another dog. Parents, do not object to your boys having and loving a dog. There is something noble growing in the soul of a boy when he is capable of loving a dog. You do well when you let your boy have a dog and send them to the woods together.

In Barbour county there was a little five-year-old child who had a little dog for its constant companion. One day the little girl was stricken with Typhoid fever. All during her sickness the little dog stayed under the bed, coming out every few moments and lifting its forefeet to the edge of the bed, it would stand there looking into the face of the suffering child. Finally the child died. The little dog watched the undertaker as he placed the little form in the casket, and then he lay down under where the form was resting. When the funeral was over the pallbearers carried the casket to the nearby cemetery, and the little dog walked along under the casket. One of the family had to hold the dog while the casket was being lowered into the grave and while the grave was being filled. They carried the dog back to the house, but it would not stay. They tried to induce it to eat, but it refused all food. For a month it remained at the grave of its little companion, and then it went on to be with her in that brighter world. It had lost its heart and it had nothing for which to live.

A fine car dashed up to the doctor's office and a man and his wife were seen to carry a dog on a stretcher into the office. The doctor came in and the man said to him, "Doctor, save my dog. It matters not about the cost, save his life." The doctor inquired why he was so anxious about a dog. He was told this story, "A few moments ago I was sitting on my porch watching the children play about a hundred yards from my gate. I saw a big mad dog make a dash for my children and this dog stepped in between. The bull dog was much stronger than my dog, and while I was making the distance to where I could shoot the mad dog, he had thrown my dog flat of his back and was cutting his throat with his fangs. When I did get close enough to take aim my dog was in a manner dead. Doctor, please save his life. He gave his life for my children and he must not die." It was only a matter of a few moments and the noble old dog was still in death. He was given an honorable burial and over his casket were these words, "Ponto was only a dog, but he gave his life for five children."

What fools some dogs can be. Not long since I had to listen to a dog bark from one thirty to three thirty A. M. He was pushing it out at the rate of 132 barks per minute. If my calculations are correct I had to listen to 15,880 explosions in two hours. That was pure dog in that brute. Fifteen years ago I drove the first automobile ever going into one section of Clarke county. A farm house on the top of a hill was guarded by one of these big mouthed dogs that thought he could bluff the world. He had never seen a car before, and he made it his business to catch my car. He buried his teeth into the tire, and it jerked his head down under the wheel and mashed his jaw. He let go the wheel and set up a yell. The last I saw of that dog he was going up the hill cursing like a sailor because he had caught more than he could handle. Wish that some wise guy would rise up and tell me why a fool dog will sit on his tail and bark for hours at the moon?

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity. No. 941.
Ada Maddox, Complainant, vs. Luther Maddox, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of G. C. Walker that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Luther Maddox to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 6th day of October, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 5th day of September, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
9-19-4tc. Register

If New York gunmen keep up their recent pace, Chicago will have to look to her laurels.

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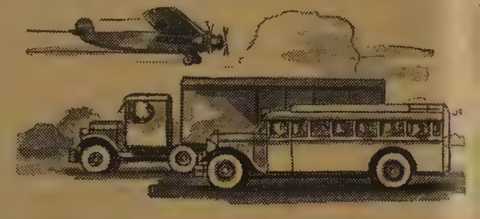

WITHOUT RAILROADS
What would these crops be worth!

At this harvest season, when American farmers have produced bumper crops which must be transported to markets, the readers of this newspaper should pause to consider the importance of American railroads to the progress of both rural and urban citizens.

If there were no railroads and the farmers were forced to use trucks or planes, how could these enormous crops be gotten to market?

With the disturbing conditions which exist in the transportation industry today, the highly regulated and over-taxed railroads are suffering such enormous losses in revenue that, though they are the most efficiently operated transportation system in all the world and afford the lowest cost to the shipper and traveler, the value of their properties is constantly being endangered by other forms of transportation which operate without adequate taxation or regulation.

The railroads deserve your patronage. They built this nation and must continue to be the backbone of its transportation system. The steam railroads are appealing to the fairness of the American people in the hope that an equalization of operating conditions may be brought about among all forms of transportation so that the railroads may earn a more nearly fair return on their investments.

The Railroads Must Earn To Spend

¶ The Transportation Act permits the railroads to earn 5¾% on the value of their properties, and yet since this law became effective in 1920 the roads did not earn in excess of 5.45% in the best year, and during the year 1930 earned 3.54%, though their taxes have increased $76,500,000 or 22% in this period of time. During the first four months of 1931 the rate of return has been only 2.23%.

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VERBENA, ITS HIGHLIGHTS OF ARISTOCRACY OF FORTY-ODD YEARS AGO

In the issue of the News of last week there was carried many interesting items about Verbena, Alabama, and its residents of forty-three years ago. These items were taken from The Verbena "High School Alpha," a small newspaper published and edited by the students of the Verbena High School and dated March 29, 1888. Following are more of these items which date back those forty-odd years ago, and will bring to mind of the older residents of the county the happenings in and around Verbena in 1888:

WORDS OF CHEER

Our "High School Paper," how pleasant and new,
Just what Verbena needed, with items so true,
To tell of its attractions it is just the thing,
For the dear little place is good enough for a King.

With air and water so pure, and so many nice folks,
On earth there are none better, indeed this is no hoax.
We have two nice churches and ministers four,
Who live in our midst, full of Christian lore.

We all are united, and constantly try,
For good in our village, to make the average high.
Some of the sermons are a blessed feast,
And do us good through the week to say the least.

One from the text "Through a glass darkly we now see,"
Was a comfort as precious as any could be.
Of our school we'll not say much for fear that some
May think it all talk to get other scholars to come.

We have capable teachers, and if scholars are enthused
With ambition, they can learn even problems abstruse.
All success to your paper, we approve your plan,
And you may know from this writing will do all we can.

A FRIEND.

Verbena, March 23rd.

AVARICE

Generally, the more people have the more they want. They ought not to be so hard to please; but I suppose it is human nature. Why, I have known men who never married because they knew that wives would spend their money.

An avaricious man is ever striving to lay up wealth and denies himself all the luxuries of life. He saves every dime that dollars may accumulate, and, after awhile, his eyes will behold no glory except in the glittering gold. When a person is so deeply engrossed in the love of gain his desire becomes a sin.

I don't suppose that any man intends to be a miser when he first starts out in the world; but he is so intent upon making a fortune that he does not know when he crosses over the boundary line and becomes a pilgrim in the land of misers. No man will admit that he is an avaricious man. We have often read stories of these miserable old misers who have spent their lives in accumulating wealth, refusing always to aid the poor or to use their riches in any way beneficial to mankind. We do not have in our country any of those fabled misers of old, but we sometimes meet with people who are so deeply imbued with the desire of gain that their spiritual life is dwarfed. Their social and religious duties are neglected. The Bible has reference to this kind of a man when it says: "It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God."

FANNIE M. DUDLEY.

"THE JUNCTION"

The most beautiful natural scenery in this section, excepting the "Turn Round," is located about one mile north-east of Verbena and is formed by the junction of three creeks—Chestnut, Sandy and Rocky. As you go down Chestnut, the largest of the three creeks, and approach the Junction, your eyes rest upon one of nature's most charming displays.

Sandy Creek, just above the Junction, flows over immense ledges of rock, and Rocky Creek has along its banks beautiful trees of almost every variety. On the right bank of Chestnut, immediately below the Junction, is a high mountain which comes down, almost perpendicular, to the water's edge. This mountain contains a large cave overshadowed by a huge rock. During "the late unpleasantness" this cave was noted as the hiding place of deserters.

In the union of streams, nature teaches us a lesson as pure and beautiful as their sparkling, crystal waters. As these streams, bringing with them their troubled waves, come together and form a peaceful and perfect union, so the voice of their commingling waters tells the nations of the world to go and do likewise. As the necessity of journeying together forced these streams to make peace, so the booming towns of Alabama, having to travel the same road to wealth, should cease their grumblings and unite their forces that they may be better prepared to make the race before them.

JNO. BROOKS.

HONOR ROLL FOR MARCH
High School

Males—F. B. Baldwin, O. J. Brooks, J. C. Parker, Hollis Strock, J. F. Holmes, Jno. Brooks, George Traywick, Otis Holmes, Claud Boyakin, Frank Meriwether, Jesse Traywick, Clarence Moody, Will Pitts, Joe Gibson, Joe Read, Taylor Thompson, Willie Patterson, Crawford Meriwether, Edwin McDuffie.

Females—Misses Mary C. Gibson, Fannie Pitts, Pearl Meyers, Fannie Dudley, Lucas Brooks, Annie Zimmerman, Bessie Curry, Mary Wingate, Maud Moody, Nora Claughton, Rebecca Holder, Sallie Mullens, Sallie Mitchell, Fannie Mitchell, Lila Williamson.

Primary Department

Lila McDonald, Sam Catts, Walter Claughton, Roland Hamlin, Mary Moody, John S. Williamson, Goodloe Butler, Lilian Butler, Guy Caffey, Jesse Traywick, Pleasant Green, Joe Hood, Bertha McDonald, Sallie Meriwether, Mary Mitchell, John Pitts, Laura Holder, Blocker Williamson.

E. D. ACKER, Principal.

SAUL'S LIFE COMPARED TO SINNERS OF TODAY

By Robert Lee Lester

Saul, Saul, thou heartless Saul,
Who persecuteth Christians,
Who consented to the death of Stephen
Who holy served the Master,
And yet his heart was hardened,
And Jerusalem could not be larger.
So to the field he went to find them who fled,
Wherever they maybe, sowing the blessed word of life.
He made his flight to Damascus.
The Christians to receive
To stone them, and to bind them, and send them to their death.
But the light shone around
And he fell to the ground.
"Saul, Saul, thou heartless Saul,
Why do this to me," said Jesus of Nazareth.
I died upon the Cross of Calvary
To save men from their sin.
Saul made a complete confession,
To preach the Gospel to the sinner,
Wherever it may be
To win the blessed victory
To wear a crown of life,
At the Cross of Calvary.
Oh! Sinner of today, your soul is just as precious as Saul of long ago
So why not turn to Christ today and be made complete—
That you may wear a crown of life
At the Cross of Calvary.

This was written by a young Christian who has just started into the new life. She was kindly like Saul. She never whipped them or stoned them, but was always consenting. But now she has turned right around and is working hard for the Master. May this poem help some who are out in darkness in this county to turn right around and serve the Master. Life is so short upon earth, so why throw it away with the pleasures of sin.

For the sweetest life is a Christian one, although temptations are many. And laborers are few, but it's sweet to know a crown of life waits for you and me at the Cross of Calvary.

Now, let every Christian worker in this county get busy. For there is so much to be done, and such a short time to do it in. Although we live a hundred years, our life is only a few hours compared with our life we are to spend after we cross the river to our home of love and joy in the mansions of rest, or to our home of pain and sorrow in the dungeons of sinners. Which home do you choose? You had better make your confession today for tomorrow is not promised. Prepare for we know not when the Son of Man shall come or send his death angel, to bear us away to one of the two homes that are prepared for us.

A NEW FRIEND.

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

We are pleased with the way our Sunday school is growing. We are making next Sunday "Rally Day" in our Sunday school, and we want you present. Come and bring someone with you. The day schools are now in progress, and you should line up with your church.

At 11 A. M. we have a special subject, "The Power of Music." If you are a lover of music we urge that you hear this message. At 7:30 Sunday night we have a special subject for young people, "If I Were a Youth Again." We are making this service one of special honor for the High school students and the faculty of the school. We will reserve seats of honor for them, and we urge the attendance of every student and teacher. Let the parents come and bring the children.

All officers and teachers in the Sunday school are requested to be present at the church next Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. Matters of importance will be discussed.

Line up with your church at once and lets put new life into our churches.

WHY NOT USE THEM?

From time to time we see accounts of various new mechanical inventions which appear to fill a real need, but those who might profit by them seem slow to put them to use.

For example, we have been reading for a long time about a new automobile jack attached to the car, whereby any wheel may be lifted by manipulating a gadget from the driver's seat. But we have never seen one on any car.

Again, we know that there has been invented a device which prevents stalling of an automobile—certainly a most desirable invention. Many lives have been lost by the stalling of an automobile engine while crossing a railroad tracks or under other emergency conditions.

Many engines have the disconcerting habit of dying when slowed down or stopped in traffic, and this habit often has the most serious consequences.

It looks as if enterprising manufacturers would eagerly adopt a device which could be depended upon to avoid this danger. Car owners would certainly be glad to have this protection.

What is the good of useful inventions unless we use them?

Fox—I notice that since Doggett got married he doesn't go round so much.

Hunt—No, since the knot was tied he hasn't had so much rope!

Business Man—Hun, I've tried to write with that kind for years.

We Cordially
Invite
Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Evans
To Dine With Us
As Our Guests,
Sunday, Sept. 13, 1931

THE DIXIE CAFE

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When you've a sick headache, can't eat, are bilious or sluggish; and at the times when you are most apt to be constipated, take a little of this famous prescription (all drug stores keep it ready in big bottles), and you'll know why Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is the favorite laxative of over a million women!

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Children's $1.95 Dresses

We have made one of the best buys ever made on high grade printed and broadcloth dresses, some short and some long sleeves. All fast colors; in sizes from 7 to 14. Limit 4 to a customer. Special for Friday and Saturday

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Young Mens' Cotton Pants

We have a large stock of young men's and boys' school pants, in dark patterns, solids and stripes. All with buckle back slash pockets and 22-inch bottoms. Sizes 29 to 42 waist and long lengths

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Tax Notice

Collector's and Assessors Round

WE WILL ATTEND AT THE FOLLOWING TIMES AND PLACES FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING THE STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR CHILTON COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1931 AND ASSESSING TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1932:

Mullins Academy, Beat 1	Oct. 5	Thorsby, Beat 9	Oct. 19
Jemison, Beat 2	Oct. 6	Coopers, Beat 10	Oct. 20
Mars Hill, Beat 2	Oct. 7	Cane Creek, Beat 11	Oct. 21
Benson, Beat 3	Oct. 8	Mineral Springs, Beat 12	Oct. 22
Verbena, Beat 5	Oct. 9	Robinson's Store, Beat 12	Oct. 23
Mountain Creek, Beat 5	Oct. 10	Providence, Beat 13	Oct. 26
Enterprise, Beat 6	Oct. 12	Macedonia, Beat 14	Oct. 27
Kincheon, Beat 6	Oct. 13	Pletcher, Beat 15	Oct. 28
Maplesville, Beat 7	Oct. 14	Culp Schoolhouse, Beat 15	Oct. 29
Shoults, Beat 7	Oct. 15	Providence, Beat 16	Oct. 30
Stanton, Beat 8	Oct. 16	Clanton, Beat 4	Oct. 31
Riderville, Beat 8	Oct. 17		

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct to attend in Person on the day of the appointment in your Precinct and then and there render to the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the 1st day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31st, 1931.

W. G. CULP, Tax Collector.

AKINS I. COLLINS, Tax Assessor.

PRICES
THAT ARE RIGHT

We always try to give the best for less. A few specials for this week:

8-oz. Overalls
One Lot of Men's 8-Ounce Overalls All Sizes for
95 cents

Mens Work Shirts
Heavy Blue Work Shirts for only 48c

BLANKETS
66 x 80 Double Plaid Blankets for 98c

Blue Cheviots
Heavy Weight Blue Cheviots
10 cents

PRINTS
36-Inch Fast Color Prints at 10c

GINGHAMS
Fast Color Ginghams for only 5c

CRETONNES
36-Inch Cretonnes at 10c

BROADCLOTH
Yard Wide Solid Color Broadcloth at
10 cents

BOYS' CAPS
Regular 75-Cent Boys' Caps for 48c

Fall Silk Dresses
New Fall Silk Dresses Arriving every Day. Dresses that sold for $9.95, Now
$5.95

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FREE DRESS PATTERNS
Your Choice of Any Pattern in our Store with every $2.50 worth of Dress Goods.

CENTRAL SINGING SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICERS FOR YEAR

The Central Singing Society launched out on its second year last Sunday when new officers were elected and forthwith took charge and conducted the singing at Concord church, two miles east of Clanton. The society was organized at that place on the first Sunday in September, 1930, and since that time has failed to meet only one time—being rained out one Sunday that it was supposed to meet at Walnut Creek. Of course, the society called in its regular meeting several times in order for its members to go to all-day singings. There has not been a single Sunday afternoon that the society met when there was a lack of interest; there were good singings every single time.

The new officers elected were: Chairman, L. T. Grant; 1st and 2nd vice Chairmen, O. L. Devaughn and Archie Devaughn; secretary-treasurer, T. E. Wyatt; chaplain, R. M. Robinson. The committee for arranging the programs and attending to other business for the society was appointed by the new chairman as follows: Willie L. Mims, W. M. Devaughn and J. R. Robinson. If the readers of this paper will allow the secretary to ignore himself, we will state that the above list of officers are competent and trustworthy in every respect. They are heartily interested in the advancement of singing and will do their best to make this year's work the best success possible, and will accomplish such success with the proper support from the members of the society.

It was decided by the society to purchase two dozen Stamps-Baxter books to have on hand for visiting singers; all members were urged to purchase books of their own. It was also decided that arrangements be made by next Sunday afternoon to purchase the same number of the Morris-Henson books. So all members please come prepared next Sunday afternoon to raise a small collection for this purpose.

Those directing in the singing last Sunday afternoon at Concord were J. W. Clackler, T. E. Wyatt, Lee J. Grant, Chester Wyatt, O. L. Devaughn, J. R. Robinson and Jesse Jones. Three quartets were sung by W. M. Devaughn, Jesse Jones, Archie Devaughn and Elbert Hall.

The society will meet next Sunday afternoon at Providence. Singers and lovers of music in this part of the county have a cordial invitation to attend this as well as all subsequent meetings of the society.

T. E. WYATT, Secretary.

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PURE HOG
LARD per lb. 10c
BEST QUALITY
White meat lb. 9½c
GROUND
Coffee 7 lbs. $1.00
GUARANTEED TO PLEASE OR MONEY BACK
SPLIT SILK
FLOUR PLAIN- 24 lb. bag. 49c
Selfrising- 24 lb. bag. 52c
GRANDMA'S WONDER
Flour 24 lb. bag 73c
EAGLE BRAND
Flour 24 lb. bag 59c
PALMOLIVE
SOAP 3 bars 19c
Sugar 20 lbs. $1.00
EXPORT
SOAP 8 bars 25c
ALL BRANDS
Milk 2 large cans 15c
BEST GRADE
SHORTS 100 lbs. $1.25
Chicken Feed 100 lbs. $1.85
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Miss Helen Diefenderfer Entertains In Honor Of Guests.

Last Tuesday afternoon Miss Helen Diefenderfer entertained her guests, Miss Louise and Marian Fay Bailey, at her home on 10th Street. After a series of bridge games were played, delicious refreshments were served. High [illegible] prize was won by Miss Mary Goodwin Jones. Those present were Mary Foshee, Vivian Gray, Gertie Fiquett, Pauline Plyler, Grace Plyler, Elizabeth McSwain, Alice Polk, Corinne Polk, Julia Ruth Hester, Mary Robinson, Elizabeth Johnson, Clyde Jones, Mary Goodwyn Jones, Maralyn Hardy, Louise Bailey, Marian Fay Bailey. Tea guests were Ethel Mae Jones and Frances Maddox.

Messrs. J. D. Conway and J. L. Conway of the Mulberry Community were visitors to friends and relatives in Coosa County last Saturday afternoon. Coosa County is the former home of the Conway family, who now reside in this county.

Last Friday Misses Louise and Marion Fay Bailey and Helen Diefenderfer spent the day in Thorsby with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Laurell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus, daughter, Billie Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Kimbrough, and son, Duke, Jr., of Birmingham, came down Sunday and Mr. A. J. Tyus and family, all were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus.

Miss Anita Cranford returned to her home in Birmingham Monday afternoon after spending sometime with Miss Helen Diefenderfer.

We Extend A Cordial
Invitation To
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McEathern
To Dine With Us As Our
Guests
Sunday, Spet. 13, 1931
DeWITT'S CAFE

Epworth League Banquet.

Last Thursday night the Senior Epworth League of the Clanton Methodist Church gave their annual banquet in the basement of the Methodist Church. The room was beautifully decorated, using the color scheme, yellow and white. Beautiful cut flowers added very much to beauty of the room. During the banquet songs and cheers were enjoyed by all. Helen Diefenderfer played several popular pieces on the piano. Mr. Teel gave a toast on the work of the league. This was enjoyed by all. After the banquet about 35 young folks returned home saying that they had had a wonderful time.

Miss Lettie Snider, teacher in the Maplesville High School, was a visitor to Clanton last Monday.

J. H. Jackson of near Lomax was a visitor to Clanton last Monday.

Alec Hayes left Tuesday for Gulfport, Miss., where he will enter the Gulf Coast Military Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade have as their guests Mrs. Jack Wade and daughter, of Russellville, Ala.

Mrs. Annie L. Cannon and daughter, Miss Kathryn Killebrew, and Miss Mary Deason, of Northport, spent Sunday in Clanton with Mrs. Mamie Smith. Mrs. Cannon will remain in Clanton for several days as the guest of Hon. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson, while Miss Killebrew and Miss Deason returned to Northport.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Watson and son, Donald, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sheppard and daughter, Eleanor Louise, motored to Birmingham last Sunday and spent the day.

New Thursday Sewing Club Met With Mrs. Gore.

The recently organized Thursday Sewing Club was delightfully entertained on last Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Herschel Gore at her home here.

Following several hours spent pleasantly sewing, ice cream and cake were served to the following: Mesdames Joe Mims, Eugene Gore, George Wyatt, Webb Parrish and Albert Davis.

Messrs. J. E. Sims, and Ernest Weathers of Birmingham were among the visitors to Clanton last Friday. While in town they were callers at the News office, Mr. Weathers having his name added to our subscription list.

Misses Louise and Marion Fay Bailey, who have been visiting with Miss Helen Diefenderfer the past week, returned to their home in Jacksonville, Alabama Sunday afternoon.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas J. M. Rowell and wife Annie Rowell did on May 21, 1927 execute that certain mortgage payable to Scott Lumber Company, which said mortgage is of record in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama in Volume 221 Record of Mortgages at page 207; and

Whereas, heretofore, for value received the said Scott Lumber Company did transfer, sell and assign all its right, title, claim and interest in and to said mortgage, the debt secured thereby and the real estate described therein to the undersigned N. W. Scott; and

Whereas, default has heretofore been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, so that said mortgage, by its terms is now subject to foreclosure;

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as transferee of said mortgage, will sell the real estate described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to the highest bidder for cash said sale to be held in front of the courthouse door of Chilton County, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on October 9, 1931. The real estate described in and conveyed by said mortgage is described as follows: The West half of the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter; also the East half of the East half of the Northwest quarter of the Northeast quarter, in Section 7, Township 22, Range 14, containing 30 acres, more or less. Situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

The proceeds of said sale will be applied in strict accordance with the terms of said mortgage relating thereto.

N. W. SCOTT,
9-3-4tcB. Transferee.

Clubs for women may be all right, but we should hesitate to recommend them except where kindness fails.

Hearing his name read in court as being charged with overtime parking, Judge Windberg of El Paso, Tex., pleaded guilty and sentenced himself.

Last Rites For Allie C. Smith Held Here Yesterday, 9th

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his partner, his son, Raymond C. Smith.

Mr. Smith was born on the family homestead in Clay County, Alabama, January 2, 1862, the son of Miles L., and Martha Brassell Smith. He taught in the schools of Alabama for approximately ten years, paying close attention to his law study at the same time. In 1890 he was admitted to the Alabama Bar, and for three years maintained a law office in Prattville, Ala.

In the year 1893 Mr. Smith moved to Clanton where he continued in the practice of law. He was a member of the Chilton County and the Alabama Bar Associations, the Baptist church of Clanton, the Masonic Lodge and the Chapter of Royal Arch Masons.

He was united in marriage to Miss Linnie Calloway on December 24, 1890. Mr. Smith, through his years of struggle which brought him to the top and won the love and esteem of all those who came in contact with him, holding a place of honor in this county, with people of all walks of life seeking his advice.

Funeral services were held yesterday morning, Wednesday, September 9th, at the Baptist church here, at ten o'clock, with the pastor, Dr. S. J. Ezell, conducting the impressive services. As evidence of the love and esteem held for this man, his last rites were attended by a large number of people, and large, numerous and beautiful floral offerings from individuals and firms made it more impressive.

Active pallbearers were J. R. Mullins, C. Fenn Jones, J. Hance Alred, Frank J. Callen, Dr. E. G. Hyman, Guy Higgins. Honorary pallbearers were members of the Clanton Bar.

Surviving are the widow, and six children, Mrs. Bertha Roper of Louisville; Mrs. Mae Dennis of Clanton; Mrs. Loucile Downs of Birmingham; Cecil B. Smith, of Lakeland, Fla., Raymond C. Smith and Mary Frank Smith of Clanton.

Interment took place in the Clanton cemetery, with Martin & Sons in charge.

The world's wealthiest man is said to be the Indian prince, Nizam of Hyderabad, who is reported to keep gold worth $500,000,000 in his palace.

A total of 1,524 new laws were enacted by the last U. S. Congress.

TAKES MOTOR TRIP INTO FLORIDA LAST SUNDAY

A party of Thorsby people composed of Misses Mabel Howard, Lucile Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howard and Edgar Simms, left Thorsby early last Sunday morning for a motor trip into Florida. They visited Orange Beach, Bon Secours Bay on the Gulf, returning by way of Pensacola, Fla., and Mobile. Mr. Howard remained in Florida to spend a while fishing.

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ON-JURY TERM OURT TO MEET ERE ON SEPT. 28

arge Number of Prohibition Cases To Confront Judge Smoot

The Non-Jury Term of Criminal urt of Chilton County is to convene re beginning on Monday, September h, with over one hundred cases shown the docket, according to J. Z. Mims, erk of The Circuit Court, many of ich are for violating the prohibition

Judge George F. Smoot of Wetumpwill preside at this term, with Hon. inston Huddleston, of Wetumpka, rcuit Solicitor prosecuting. Followare cases on docket for trial:

C. C. Simmons, P. L.; Walter Kelley, with W.; Joe Farmer, D. M. V. hile In.; Clyde Matthews, V. P. L.; ill Bohannon, V. P. L.; Bessie Bonnon, V. P. L.; Dan Jackson, V.P.L.; illie Pilgreen, Fraudulent Check; hn Kelley, V. P. L.; Homer Ratliff, R. W.; Jim Gennings Alias., V.P.L.; ijah Thomas, V. P. L.; Richard Paler, Reckless Driving; Harry Weissck, Reckless Driving; Namon Oden, P. L.; G. W. Cobern, Maintain Ins. ; Gordeon Howard, D. Auto. Intox.; bert Rucker, V. P. L.; S. D. McCary, M. V. W. L. Tag; John Mims, A. I.

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OME MAKERS CLASS ON PICNIC FOR NEXT FRIDAY

The Home Makers Class of the Bapt Sunday School will assemble next iday afternoon late to go in a group Gore's Pond where they will have a

Members of the Class will invite their sbands, or other guests, and each ember will bring a picnic lunch. Mrs. J. Ezell is teacher of this fine Suny School Class.

OCKFORD ORGANIZES CIVIC CLUB WITH MANY MEMBERS

Rockford, Alabama is moving along ward the top, as shown by the large ount of interest taken by its citizens the organization of a Civitan Club. The club received its charter last ek. and with a large membership apars to be on its way to greater things r Rockford.

FREEMAN VINES DIED AT HOME LAST MONDAY

Funeral services for J. Freeman nes, prominent farmer of the county, re held last Tuesday. Mr. Vines s called by death at his home folwing a short illness. He was 32 years . Interment took place in the Mulcemetery west of Clanton. He is rvived by his widow, Myrtle, and her relatives.

LA MERCHANTS LOSE MEETING N MAGIC CITY

om Kemp Placed On One Of Committees At Meeting Held Recently

An organization, functioning twelve onths in the year, with a full time ecutive secretary and a manifold proam of activities are some of the aims ing considered for the Alabama Merants Association by Irby Hall, of Colsville, newly elected president.

There is a decided need for a strong ate wide organization of retail merants in Alabama, in the opinion of aders, and it is felt that the time is pe for perfecting such an organization. Such a body would be potent in beniting the individual members and it believed legislative matters of vital portance to them could be worked t expediently should the occasion for ch action arise.

Mr. Hall was elected to this office the fifteenth annual convention of e association in Birmingham recent. By the united effort on the part Alabama retail merchants, working r the good of all, it is believed that uch can be accomplished toward imoving business in this field. The conntion this year was one of the most ccessful in the history of the organation and delegates who attended de-

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KIWANIS CLUB AIDS BLIND BOY

Continuing the fine and worthwhile work being done in this county, the Kiwanis Club of Clanton aided materially in sending Barney Abbott, age 19, blind, of near Billingsley, to Talladega to enter school for his fourth year. Abbott appeared to be a worthy young fellow and the Kiwanians and others responded wonderfully to a request for clothes for him, and for transportation to school.

He left Monday well clothed, and stated, "I'm going to work hard this time for you fine fellows. You all have helped me, and I'm going to work hard. I'm anxious to study this year."

LIGHTNING SETS FIRE TO HOME AND BARN SAT.

Buildings of L.O. Zimmerman Completely Destroyed On Saturday Afternoon

During an electrical storm about four miles east of Clanton on last Saturday afternoon, lightning brought misfortune to the family of Lucien O. Zimmerman by striking his barn, causing it to burn, as well as destroying his home.

There was no one at home when the bolt struck the barn, as Mrs. Zimmerman was in Birmingham, and Mr. Zimmerman had only left his home a few minutes on his way to Birmingham to get his wife. Shortly after the lightning hit the building it was enveloped in flames, and a neighbor sitting on his porch saw the fire, and summoning aid, managed to save all the household furnishings in the home before that building was destroyed. The flames fed fast on the feed stuffs in the barn and spread to a small outhouse between the barn and the home, then on to the home.

Mr. Zimmerman is a prominent farmer of that part of the county, out near the Lay Dam Road. All the feed stuff and implements in his barn fell prey to the flames, and much credit is due to neighbors and passers-by for working swiftly and saving the household goods.

Worth Reading

Turn the pages of this issue of the News, look at the timely news stories, containing advice, information and news from over the county, saying nothing of the advertisements from your local merchants. Read these ads, in many of them you will find savings really worthwhile, enabling you to save neat amounts on purchases needed almost every day, dry goods, groceries, shoe repairs, automobile tires, telephone service, etc.

ANNIE MAE BAKER, AGE 12, DIED AT HOSPITAL HERE

Annie Mae Baker, age 12, died at the Central Alabama Hospital in Clanton last Monday from effects of bloodpoisoning. She was rushed to the hospital Sunday night.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, with Martin in charge. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Lee Edwards, and other relatives.

CULP INFANT DIED LAST SUNDAY MORNING

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Culp of the Fairview Community died last Sunday morning at the home on Route Seven. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at Pleasant Grove.

A CORRECTION

In the list of those pupils of the Grammar School who were perfect in Attendance last year, the name of little Miss Frances Bean was omitted, and should have been among those listed.

Miss Edna Cofield of Birmingham spent the past week end as the guest of Miss Ruth Sesisons.

Miss Feryl Martin of Cullman arrived in Clanton Monday to spend several days with Miss Kathryn Hayes.

Truck, Flat Go To River Bottom

A queer case for a good detective faced Ed Mims and others last Thursday when Ed's flat on Coosa River was found nose down in the river. The case became more complicated when it was discovered that a Ford truck was in the river also, holding the flat down.

The truck was soon raised by several men with the aid of motor boats and another flat. It had been stripped of wheels, battery and other parts, and apparently driven into the river. It is said the truck belonged to Emmett Singleton, who stated the truck was stolen from his yard. The wheels, tires battery, etc., of the truck were found further down the river on the bank, and Ed says he is still missing a good small paddle boat. No solution has been found as reported, to this strange occurence.

EVANS J. HARRELL DIED AT AT BILLINGSLEY, SEPT. 12TH

Evans J. Harrell, age 79, died at his home in Billingsley last Saturday, September 12th. Funeral services were held on the following Sunday at Billingsley, with Masonic honors.

The deceased was the father of one of this county's prominent citizens and a man well known in the western part of the county, N. H. Harrell, of Billingsley. Martin & Sons were in charge.

TRUCK CLAIMS LIFE OF ONE IN ACCIDENT

"Bill" Chancellor Almost Instantly Killed By A Transfer Truck

William Ocie Chancellor, 22, known to his many friends as "Bill," was almost instantly killed last Friday when he was struck by a transfer truck while walking along the Birmingham-Montgomery highway just south of Clanton.

According to the story told the News, Chancellor and a friend were walking along the highway, going north on the left side of the road, when they were approached by the truck, from the rear. Orvel Popwell who was with Chancellor, glanced backward just in time to see the truck swerving from the right of the road, and before he

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ARRESTS ON MINOR CHARGES REPORTED BY SHERIFF

Seven arrests were reported to the News this week from the office of the Sheriff. Two of these were for assault and battery, one person was being held in Montgomery jail in connection with the death of Bill Chancellor, but made bond Monday. One is held in jail on a charge of using abusive language while there are three others on different charges. This report covers all up to Tuesday noon.

J. R. HARDY ASSUMES HIS DUTIES AS POLICE HERE

Tuesday saw a new policeman on the streets in Clanton in the person of J. R. Hardy, a citizen of this county who is well and favorably known. Mr. Hardy succeeded John A. Boockholdt, whose resignation took effect Sept. 15.

Jersey Cattle Show Here On Sept. 19th

According to an announcement from C. E. Stapp, county agent, a Jersey Cattle Show will take place in Clanton on September 19th. The cattle shown will be those of members of the Jersey Calf Club. Owners of purebred cattle in Chilton County are invited to take part in the show.

The cattle are to be brought to town on Sept. 18th, and will be paraded on the streets on the following day. Ten of the best animals will be carried to Anniston on October 12 to take part in a district show, Mr. Stapp stated.

GOVERNMENT SEED LOAN REPRESENTATIVE HERE

The News received a pleasant visit Tuesday afternoon from James D. Draper, Assistant Seed Loan Agent of the United States Department of Agriculture. Mr. Draper has been in this county for the past two days, attending to matters pertaining to his office, and was very complimentary in his remarks about the county.

He stated that Chilton County was second in the lowest amount of money loaned to farmers, in his district of nine counties, with Coosa ranking first, with only $2066.75 loaned by the government for seed and feed. Chilton farmers borrowed $4,509.85, Autauga County $70,323.13.

WOODMEN TO GATHER IN MAPLESVILLE

Fine Program Scheduled For Choppers On Friday, September 25

The Central Alabama Log Rolling Association of the Woodmen of The World will hold one of their most interesting meetings in Maplesville, on Friday, September 25th, according to E. C. Evans, district manager, of Clanton.

The program will begin at one-thirty Friday afternoon in the high school auditorium in Maplesville, and consists of music by the Monroe County High School Band, addresses and initiation of one hundred candidates.

Congressman Lister Hill will be present to address the assembly and State Manager L. D. Holiway will also speak. There will be five drill teams present, and the ladies drill team from Birmingham will give a demonstration of their work in the afternoon.

The night sessions will be consumed mostly with the initiating of the new candidates with Col. L. A. Ellington of Montgomery, presiding, with other officers selected throughout the district.

H. A. HARRIS BACK AT HOME FROM HOSPITAL

The friends of Prof. H. A. Harris will be glad to learn that he is back in Clanton at his home following an operation in a Birmingham hospital. Although Mr. Harris is not yet able to be up and is confined to his bed, his condition is said to be improving and it is expected and hoped he will be able to be out within a few days. Mr. Harris will be principal at the Enterprise school this year.

Activities Of Clanton Boy Scouts For Past Year Are Reviewed In Article

The boy scouts of this district have been very active during their first year of the present organization as will be remembered when we note the various activities in which they have been engaged since last October.

A good representation of the Clanton and Lay Dam troops attended the Scout Jamboree at Auburn May 1. Our boys did outstanding work at the Old Soldiers' Reunion in Montgomery and were highly praised for same. A good per cent of them attended summer camp at Spring Villa near Opelika. John Ezell and Sidney Reynolds made highest record at camp on merit badge work.

Civic service in which the boys have taken part are as follows: Directing traffic, aiding with school field day program; distributed Christmas packages; put up Community Chest posters; aided in clean-up campaign.

At the last meeting of the Clanton troop the scouts were asked to state what rank in scouting they expect to advance to by Christmas. Their re- Hal Broadhead, Life; Joe Moore, Life; plies were as follows: John Ezell, Life; Sidney Reynolds, Life; Wesley Danforth, Star; Phillip Nelson, Star; Carl Jones, Star; Herbert Neighbors, First Class; Dan Smith, First Class; U. L. Baker, First Class; Joe Hall Johnson, First Class; John McNair, First Class; Milton Diefenderfer, Second Class; Jeff Miller, Second Class.

To obtain these various ranks the boys will have to appear before a committee of adult citizens of the community and prove their knowledge pertaining to scouting required for the various ranks in scouting.

Next week there will be published a list of merit badge examiners before whom the boys will have to appear and stand examination for their various merit badges.

SINGING CONVENTION VERBENA SUNDAY

The Chilton County Singing Convention will meet in regular fall session at the Verbena High School building next Sunday. The meeting will be called to order at ten o'clock by the chairman, Prof. W. M. Devaughn. A short business session will be held for the election of officers, and the rest of the day will be consumed in singing.

Everybody has an invitation to attend and bring your 1932 song books. Both the Stamps-Baxter and Morris-Henson books will be used. Bring dinner and be prepared to spend the day.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION AT NEWSALEM SOON

Chilton County Association Will Gather For All-Day Meeting

The executive committee of the Chilton County Associational Sunday school convention announces that an all-day meeting will be held at New Salem Baptist church near Thorsby the first Sunday in October, which will be the 4th of that month. As yet no program has been arranged, but this preliminary announcement is made in order that all Sunday schools in the Chilton County Association may arrange to send delegates. However, the committee is in position to state that the program will be one out of the ordinary and will be of particular interest to all. It will not be dry, commonplace and uninteresting as is usual with such gatherings, but something will be happening all the time that will command the rapt attention of those in attendance.

The good people of New Salem have very graciously accepted the task of caring for the convention, and now it behooves the other churches of the association to do their part. Dinner is promised all delegates and others actually interested in Sunday school work of course, the old time free-for-all dinner on the ground is no longer expected of any community. All superintendents please keep this in mind and don't fail to have as many from your school as possible present.

Watch For It

It's coming because the Big Chief of the department said it was, and it's worthwhile watching and waiting for Soon there will be announced in the News one of the most attractive subscription offers made in sometime by a big daily newspaper. The offer will be open on October first and continue for only one month. Further information in regard to this can be had on application at the News office in Clanton.

J. J. STANLEY MAKING HIS HEADQUARTERS IN CLANTON

The News office received a pleasant visit last week from J. J. Stanley of Birmingham. Mr. Stanley is a cotton buyer of note and is well known thruout this county especially in this section, having been a resident of Thorsby for a number of years where he became widely known as a cotton buyer and grader.

Mr. Stanley has been purchasing cotton in Clanton for several days and states he will make this town his headquarters for sometime. He is located at the **Farmers Gin & Whse. Co.,** near West End.

THE LEADER TO BE CLOSED ALL DAY NEXT MONDAY

Announcement was made this week by M. Lande, proprietor of The Leader, that they will be closed all day next Monday. This is in observance of a religious day, the Day of Atonement, and Yum Kippur, the most sacred day observed by the Jewish race. See the ad in this issue from The Leader for bargains for this week end.

THORSBY JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL OPENED MONDAY

Due to the illness of Prof. W. T. Bean, principal of the Thorsby Junior High School, that school postponed its opening for one week and opened last Monday morning with a fine enrollment.

LONG PLAN IS FAVORED HERE LAST SATURDAY

Resolution Endorsing Cotton Ban Plan Is Adopted At Farmers Meeting

At a mass meeting of farmers, bankers, merchants and others held at the courthouse here last Saturday afternoon, Governor Huey P. Long's plan to prohibit the planting of cotton in 1932 was discussed.

There were something like five hundred people present, men and women, and several spoke in regard to the plan. Judge L. H. Reynolds, spoke in favor of the plan, telling the audience of Chilton citizens, that one trouble with the country now is that there are too many politicians trying to politic, and went on to state some of the things the Commissioners Court of the county had been trying to do in this county, and what they expected to do.

Following this address the meeting was opened for discussion in which several took part. John Smith of Route Two rose and suggested a resolution that the Long Plan be approved of in this county, and also that debts covered by cotton in the county this year be stayed until 1932, and that the Governor of Alabama be asked to call the Legislature in special session to enact such a law as might be in favor of aiding the cotton growers of the state. Charlie Duke seconded this motion. A vote was immediately taken and the resolution unanimously adopted.

FRED HOWARD DOING BIG FISHING DOWN ON GULF

A card received by the News from our friend Fred Howard of Thorsby, this week stated that he had just returned from a fishing trip in the Gulf with a fine string of fish, mostly white trout. The card was written on Saturday, and he stated he was going out in the bay and try his luck for tarpon. Mr. Howard has been down at Bon Secours Bay for several days and will return shortly to his home in Thorsby.

For the past several days the building adjoining The Fair, on Main Street has been undergoing some remodeling inside. This building is being occupied by the newly established Spigener Funeral Home, formerly located in the Hugh Jones old place.

CLANTON PLAYS ISABELLA IN FIRST FOOTBALL GAME

The first football game of the season for Clanton will be played on the local field, according to Horton Walker, coach. The high school team of Clanton will play the Isabella team here tomorrow afternoon at three-thirty o'clock. See this game, the first this season, and get a line on your local team.

GOLFERS TO OPEN FIRST TOURNAMENT

Local Club Will Soon Have Champion; Qualifying Starts Saturday

Who is the champion golfer in the Clanton Golf Club? That is a question to be soon answered, if plans for a tournament among the members of the local club, mature, according to R. J Sumner, president of the club.

It is planned to open the qualifying rounds for the members on next Saturday afternoon, to run through next Tuesday. Following these plays, the match plays will start on next Wednesday and continue for several days, Mr. Sumner stated.

Much interest and talk is being put forth in regard to this proposed tournament, not only among the club members but among others in Clanton. There will be prizes of various classes, including a consolation prize. Already some are stating their opinion of who will be the champion of the club, but time will tell, and within the next several days, local golfers will be practicing up on how it's done, and maybe be calling on some Bobby Jones' idea to aid them.

The tournament is expected to last for about ten days after opening. The latest addition to the club is Eunice "Sunshine" Chism.

Billingsley News

Miss Thelma Baxter spent last week in Verbena as the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Powell.

Misses Inez and Maude Lee Patrick left Thursday for Tuscaloosa where they will attend the University of Alabama for this year.

Prof. and Mrs. Ralph E. Upton and baby, Ralph, returned Saturday for this scholastic year where Prof. Upton will superintend both schools here.

Mr. P. I. Washington with his family have moved from Wedowee and will reside here in the future. Mr. Washington is one of the high school faculty.

Bertram King left Sunday for Iowa City, Iowa, where he has accepted a position and will also do post graduate work at the University there.

Mrs. A. J. Marlar is visiting relatives in Birmingham this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carter and baby, Virginia Ruth, are visiting Mrs. Minnie Carter.

Mr. Barney Culp of Little Rock, Ark., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Culp.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Golson of Prattville were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baxter.

The many friends of Mr. E. J. Harrell will regret to learn of his death. He died Saturday afternoon. Rev. A. S. Bentley conducted the funeral at the home. The Masonic Order had their service at the grave. Interment was at the cemetery here Snuday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Harrell of Rayburn Gap, Ga., were called home Saturday by the illness and death of Mr. Harrell.

Prof. Hicks of Centerville, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Colley and children of Birmingham, Dr. T. J. Marcus and son, Clay, of Clanton, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Spigener, of Selma, Mrs. T. W. Willis of Jones, were among those who attended the funeral of Mr. E. J. Harrell Sunday afternoon.

Monday morning, September 21, will mark the opening of both the Elementary and High schools here.

There will be services at the Baptist church morning and evening the pastor, A. S. Bentley, will preach. The Baptismal service will be held in the afternoon. All are cordially invited to each service.

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Correcting Children

The old idea that to spare the rod will spoil the child dates back to Proverbs, and it has been re-echoed down through the centuries by authors like John Skelton who lived a thousand years ago, and by every class and breed of re-write artists who have used quills, pens and typewriters, during all the intervening space of time.

But civilization has improved and corporal punishment of children is now condemed by leaders in the educational professions.

Old notions of threatening the child are tabooed by the United States Children's Bureau.

"A child who fights with his playmates should be removed from them. His inability to associate with them is ample punishment," says the Bureau. "One who refuses to eat food set before him may be punished by being denied dessert or some dish he especially likes. When the child gets into a tantrum and smashes his toy, he is sufficiently punished by not getting one to replace it.

"Physical punishment such as slapping and spanking should be used rarely, and if at all never in anger. The only justification for striking a child is when he has done something which if repeated might endanger his life, such as running into the street or playing with matches. The punishment for misdeeds of this kind should be prompt.

"The value of punishment is often exaggerated. A child should never be threatened. It is harmful to threaten him with punishment or hold over his head a penalty like being shut in a dark room."

Don't lose your head when correcting a child. Use the brains in your head, and be kind.

Mlle. Lorette Delvoir of Paris, who has had her head shaved for the summer, wears a wig at evening social functions.

Applying for a divorce, which was granted, Mrs. Elizabeth C. Narton of Chicago, said her husband beat her in a row over the radio set.

Jim Owens of Blytheville, Ark., was unhurt except for a slight burn when lightening struck and knocked his pipe from his mouth.

Letters To The Editor

These letters were handed in last week for publication, but due to a lack of space, the News regrets it was unable to publish them.

A. A. JACKSON WRITES ON SALARY CUTTING

Editor Chilton County News:

Here I am again as it were, standing on the bank of the Red Sea with thousands of other farmers and laborers, without a Moses to lead us to deliverance from the thousands of Pharachs that are causing millions of people to suffer for want of bread and clothing here in a land that God has blessed with more bread and clothing than the people of the world can possibly consume. Such conditions have never been before in this world.

Our Federal Farm Board has told us that we can't get any relief from them. Our national and local government officials have told us by their actions that they can't give any relief, but have the audacity to amend the constitution of our state for the purpose of heaping more bonds and taxes on a people that cannot carry the burdens that they now have on them. Shame, Shame, on Such Statesmanship.

Our commissioners have cut out the child welfare department of Chilton County. Our Board of Education has a ruling that discriminates against the little school child in favor of the larger school children in transporting the large school children to and from school and denying the little child transportation; I am afraid that during the coming winter there will be hundreds of little children in Chilton County who will suffer and become offended.

Read Matthew 18 and 6th verse which says: "But whoso shall offend one of these little ones which believe in me, it were better for him that a millstone were hanged about his neck; and that he were drowned in the depth of the sea."

Our commissioners also cut Mr. Stapp's salary to $100.00 per month. If Mr. Stapp can make out on $100.00 per month why can't the other county officials make out on that amount. If Mr. Pitts wants to serve his Masters, the people who elected him, let him introduce a bill when the Legislature meets in extra session, and get a law passed putting all of Chilton County's officials on $100.00 salary per month.

And also put the same cut to our state officials. By so doing don't you think the state could pay our school teachers, and then have plenty of money to meet all present obligations of the state, and would put us farmers, laborers and officials nearer on an equality, which would make us think more of each other, and would be in line with the epistle 1 Paul's command, that we should not esteem one above the other.

Mr. Voter, what are you going to do? Are you going to vote to amend the constitution of your state in order to give the Pharaohs and Ceasars of Alabama a constitutional right to levy and collect more taxes from the already crushed taxpayers of Alabama? If there is a single farmer or laboring man in the State of Alabama that is in favor of any of the proposed amendments that are to be voted on in the next few months, will you please give your reasons for being in favor of any one of them.

In conclusion I want to challenge any farmer or laborer to show where he would get any benefit whatever to vote for the proposed amendments. But to the contrary, to vote for them will add to your present poverty, more nakedness, depression, and hunger.

But the Caesars and Pharaohs of Alabama would get the benefit.

Respectfully,
A. A. JACKSON,
Lomax, Ala.

JUDSON STROCK WRITES OF VISIT TO JUDGE ADAMS

"Perhaps a goodly number of our Chilton County folks would like to hear from Judge Adams. I visited him at the Masonic Home a few days ago, and he asked me to write the folks through the paper for him.

"First, I will say it's a mighty good home. There are over 400 men, women and children there. I ate with them. They had a good dinner and everything looked nice.

Judge Adams is in a building where some others are who need special attention. The nurse who has charge of the building impressed me as a splendid lady and sympathetic, sensible and up on her job. But, Brother Adams says it is lonely there. He told me he was very lonely. He wished to see more of his old friends up here. The nurse informed me that the folks were not visiting there as much as they had. She said, "It might be it makes them feel bad." The Master once said, "I was sick and in prison and ye visited me not."

He asked about a good many of his old friends and said he wished he could get back up here and see them all.

I found Bro. Adams the same man as of old except he is sick. He has the same aspirations and it hurts him that he cannot be out in life and at work. He spoke to me about his preaching and regrets he can not be in active church work. Let his old friends go to see him. Write him if you can't go. A few words of cheer might make a whole day brighter. Address him c|o Masonic Home.

JUDSON STROCK.

Sunday School Lesson

for September 20
THE COUNCIL IN JERUSALEM
Acts 15:22-19 ,
Galatians 2:1,2,9,10
Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

Spiritual growth of converts was always in Paul's thinking. Derbe was visited after the stoning at Lystra. Without hesitation return was made through all the cities where awful persecutions had befallen Paul and Barnnabas on the outward journey. The purpose was to strengthen the brethren in their new-found and most precious faith. Return was made from Pamphylia direct to Antioch in Syria where full report was made to the leaders who had sent them forth.

Problems of procedure arose as full account of this first missionary journey was narrated. The older Jewish Christians insisted that in order to be a convert the rite of circumcision must be administered to a Gentile. The returned missionaries and many others insisted that this form was not necessary and the outward act was not essential to inward fanth. When agreement could not be obtained after long and even heated discussion it was decided to lay the whole matter before the mother church in Jerusalem.

It is interesting to note that as Paul and Barnabas advanced to Jerusalem they evangelized all the way. They were out to win souls for Christ and argument about procedure was only incidental.

Follow the debate in the Council at Jerusalem as you read chapter 15. Though circumcision is not mentioned the Paul party won. Findings were prepared which were taken to the church at large. There were concessions on both sides. Manner of life was to be taken into account rather than any mere form. Some of the details are rehearsed when Paul wrote the special letter to the Galatians. Read the entire epistle and note the Golden text in Galatians 5: 13. Councils have their place but real value is in the constructive work that follows.

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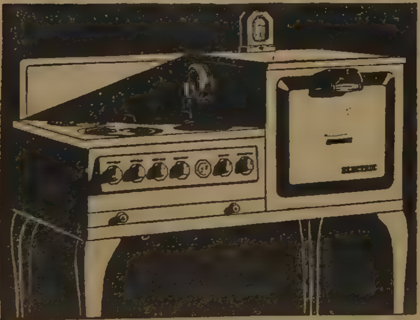

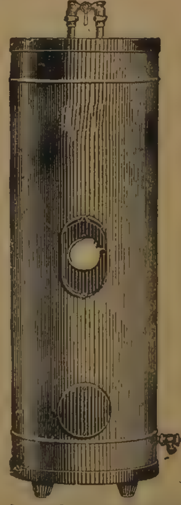

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ALABAMA HAS 1,525 GINS AND 308 WAREHOUSES OPEN

S. A. Burns, chief of the division of markets, gins and warehouses of the state department of agriculture, reports that 1,525 gins and 308 warehouses are prepared to receive Alabama's cotton crop this fall.

All ginners were required to obtain their permits by July 1st and the department has set October 1st as the deadline for warehousemen to comply with state requirements.

Collecting eggs in her henhouse, Mrs. John Kulbacki of Hillsborough, N. H., found one with a marble in place of the conventional yolk.

Forgetting to lock up one night, Patrocinio Ruiz of Jarez, Mex., awoke the next morning to find the doors and windows missing from his house.

A razor bought 200 years ago is still being used by Oliver Bollard of Ionia, N. Y.

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Liberty Hill Singing Society

The Liberty Hill-Pleasant Grove Singing Society met at Liberty Hill last Sunday afternoon and had a good singing. We had several visitors with us, and we invite them to come again.

Directors for the afternoon were J. W. Lowery, George Chambers, Hiram Littlejohn, Mac Durbin, Zackie Lowery, Cecil Wilson, S. A. Henley, T. J. Popwell, Dr. Williams, D. T. Melton and Earl Williams. Several quartets were sung by Hiram Littlejohn, Earl Williams, Herschel Lowery, and Zackie Lowery.

Pianists were Misses Gertie Lee Lowery, Mrs. Gussie Williams, Mrs. Zella Scott and Mrs. Emmett Wilson.

Our singing society will meet with Pleasant Grove the Fourth Sunday afternoon. Singers and lovers of music are invited.

THE GREATEST DIRIGIBLE

Soon the largest dirigible ever built, the U. S. Navy's Akron, will take to the air for a series of test flights, the result of which will be keenly interesting to the aeronautical world. This monster of the air has a gas capacity of six and a half million cubic feet, nearly twice that of the Graf Zeppelin.

The Akron is 785 feet long, with a greatest diameter of 133 feet. Eight engines will develop 4,480 horse power, and a maximum speed of 84 miles an hour. At ordinary crusing speed the ship will be able to travel 10,000 miles without refueling. It will exert a gross lift of about 200 tons, and carry a useful load of about 90 tons. Equipment will include a number of small airplanes and several rapid-fire guns.

In view of the disasters which have attended the operation of dirigibles in the past, it is natural to speculate on the Akron's fate. One has only to recall the destruction of the American ZR-2, Roma and Shenandoah; the British R-101 and six other large dirigibles, the French Dixmude, the Italian Italia, and many others, to realize how few dirigibles, even those of the improved types of recent years, have survived for any great length of time.

The first dirigible diaster in the United States, by the way, was the explosion of one named the Akron, in 1912. Let us hope that the new Akron may have better luck.

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Little Miss Parrish Honored On Birthday.

Billie Ann Parrish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Webb Parrish, celebrated her 2nd birthday anniversary on Wednesday afternoon from 4 to 5:30 o'clock. Pretty colored balloons were given as favors, and ice cream and cake served to the following: Mariland Bean, Joyce Marcus, Doris Gore, Mildred Thompson, Elizabeth Easterling, Sara Dean Smith, Mildred Gore, Helen Parrish, Betty Jean Armstrong, Annie Kate Gore, Edith Parrish, Sara Nell Wyatt, Dick Thompson, Erskine Wyatt, Luther Teel, Jr., Milton Mims, Wendell Parrish, Jack Thompson, Bryant Gore.

Mrs. Mamie C. Smith and son, Dan, motored to Prattville Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Smith and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Higgins and children, Mr. and Mrs. Flem Higgins and son, Maury Higgins and Miss Florence Cofer, enjoyed a delightful outing at the Higgins Camp on Coosa river last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Langston and Robert B. Johnson of Jemison were visitors to Clanton Monday.

James Wade motored to Montgomery on business last Monday.

Miss Gwendolyn McGee of El Reno, Okla., is the guest of Mrs. Hance Alred and Mr. Alred.

Mrs. Cannon Honored By Mrs. Higgins Last Saturday.

Mrs. Flem Higgins delightfully entertained at her home last Saturday afternoon with a bridge party, honoring her aunt, Mrs. Annie L. Cannon, of Vance, who has been spending several days in Clanton visiting friends and relatives.

After a series of enjoyable games a delicious and well prepared salad plate with lemonade was served to the following: Mesdames Hugh Simpson, John Armstrong, P. D. Wilson, John VanDerveer, H. C. Falkenberry, J. B. Atkinson, Spurgeon Calloway, the honoree and hostess. High score prize was awarded to Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry. Mrs. Cannon was given a beautiful handkerchief case as guest prize.

Mrs. Jack Wade and daughter of Russellville, Ala., after a short visit to Mrs. J. Q. Wade, returned Saturday.

Mrs. Larry Farrior and son, Billy, of Birmingham are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Spigener.

Mrs. Phillip Horn of Birmingham who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. L. F. Gerald, has returned to her home.

Mesdames J. C. Page, J. H. Alred, John Deramus, F. J. Callen and Miss Gwendolyn McGee motored to Birmingham Saturday.

O'Dell Headley and Courtland Retherford motored to Birmingham Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Headley and son, O'Dell, motored to Montgomery last Sunday and spent the day.

Mrs. John VanDerveer Hostess To Thursday Afternoon Sewing Club.

The Thursday afternoon sewing club met at the home of Mrs. John M. VanDerveer, on last Thursday afternoon. Refreshments served to the members were delicious salad plates and iced tea. Those sharing in Mrs. VanDerveer's hospitality were, Mesdames J. Watts Moore, Hugh Simpson, John Browder, P. T. Hinkle, L. E. Diefenderfer and John Armstrong. Invited guest was Mrs. Arthur Taylor.

After spending several days visiting in the home of Mrs. J. B. Atkinson, Mrs. Annie L. Cannon returned to her home in Vance last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hance Alred and guest, Miss Gwendolyn McGee, motored to Selma last Sunday.

Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club Met With Mrs. Alred.

Mrs. J. Hance Alred delightfully entertained the Wednesday afternoon bridge club at her home on Wednesday afternoon of last week. For refreshments a delicious and well prepared salad plate was served to the following: Mesdames John Browder, Frank Callen, Lawrence F. Gerald, Arthur Johnson, N. S. Johnson, J. Watts Moore, John Deramus, Hugh Simpson, Grady Reynolds, Mrs. Alred. Invited guests were Mrs. Phillip Horn and Miss Gwendolyn McGee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade have been spending several days this week in Wetumpka.

Mr. and Mrs. Roche and daughter, Grace, of Montgomery were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade last Sunday afternoon.

Oliver Cromwell and his mother, of Macon, Ga., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade Thursday of last week. Mrs. Cromwell remained here to spend several days with the Wades.

The many friends of Mrs. Haynes, resident of West End, will regret to learn of her illness. She is confined in the Central Alabama Hospital.

Judge and Mrs. L. H. Reynolds, accompanied by Julian Evans, spent Monday in Montgomery.

Miss Irene Jones, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Andy Jones, left Thursday for Birmingham where Miss Jones teaches school.

Lawrence F. Gerald, Jr., was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Phillip Horn, in Birmingham last Friday.

Miss Alice Eelamn, and Miss Flora Selman, and Will Selman of Goodwater were guests of Miss Bessie Thomas last Sunday afternoon. Mr. Selman has recently returned from an extended trip into Alaska.

Arthur Johnson, Jr., of the University spent the past week end with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. Johnson.

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Pow and daughters, Mary Evelyn and Josephine, of Bessemer, and Miss Bess McCary of Montevallo, were guests of Mrs. J. P. VanDerveer and Mr. and Mrs. John VanDerveer last Sunday.

Mrs. A. C. Smith has returned to her home in Clanton after spending several days with her daughter in Cooper.

Round Dozen Sewing Club Met With Mrs. Davis.

The Round Dozen Sewing Club met with Mrs. Albert Davis last Thursday afternoon. After spending the afternoon in sewing a delicious salad plate was served to the following: Mesdames Herschel Gore, Joe Mims, Webb Parrish, George Wyatt, Eugene Gore, Marvin Retherford and the hostess.

Mrs. Neighbors Entertains "As You Like It Club."

The "As You Like It Club," of Clanton was most delightfully entertained on last Thursday afternoon by Mrs. T. H. Neighbors. Sewing was enjoyed during the afternoon, followed by a delicious salad course.

Those present were Mesdames D. W. Haskew, V. J. Gragg, Grover Walker, M. A. Gore, J. B. Atkinson, Flem Higgins, T. R. Burdette, W. E Martin.

SEEKS THE LIFE SPARK

Studies in biology and bio-chemistry have developed many astounding facts, many of which have been of inestimable value to mankind but the ultimate goal of such research is to find the secret of the life spark itself, and produce it from inert matter.

That this will some day be accomplished is the belief of many distinguished scientists, although this idea is flouted by those who hold to the traditional belief in the creation of all life by special acts of a Supreme Being

Prof. William Lash Miller, internationally known bio-chemist of the University of Toronto, has produced in his laboratory a component part of living matter, and his accomplishment is hailed as one of epochal importance by many fellow-scientists.

Just what significance may be attached to Prof. Miller's latest discovery is somewhat dificult for a layman to judge, but it appears that it may mark a most important step toward the solution of the age-old question What is life?

CONSTITUTION DAY

September 17 marks the144th anniversary of the adoption of the Constitution of the United States by the constitutional convention in Philadelphia after nearly four months of deliberations.

In recent years Constitution Day has been widely observer through suitable exercises by schools, clubs and patriotic societies. It is only the truth to say that the average American is by no means as familiar with this great document as he ought to be. The wisdom and foresight of its authors have been amply vindicated throughout the life of the nation.

One of the highest tributes ever paid the Constitution was by the emient British statesman, Viscount James Bryce, who in his American Commonwealth said:

"The Constitution deserves the veneration with which Americans have been accustomed to regard it. It ranks above every other written constitution for the intrinsic excelence of its scheme, its adaptation to the circumstances of the people, the simplicity, brevity and precision of its language, its judicious mixture of definiteness in principle with elasticity in details."

Every citizen should read the Constitution at least once a year, and Constitution Dayy is an appropriate time to do it.

Some political prophets are taking Mr. Coolidge's recent silence seriously.

Youngsters also might be urged to plow under every third row of their wild oats.

The Nye committee may finally get around to an investigation of the Hayes-Tilden campaign.

"All should learn to drive a car." says an advertisement. Especially a lot of ginks who are driving now.

Russia will now pay workers according to their ability. Some of us should be thankful we're not Russians.

Washington's 200th anniversary will be celebrated next year by people who voted away the liberty he gave us.

A score of plans have been proposed for raising the price of cotton. Farmers would be satisfied with one that would work.

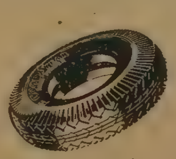
Why risk your neck for $4.98*

SOONER or later worn tires are going to let go. That may be dangerous.

Honestly now, is it worth taking the chance of going into a ditch or having a smash-up due to a blowout, when you can get fine new Goodyears like these for so little money?

If you have any doubts about the condition of your tires, drive in. We will look them over and give you the low-down. You can believe what we say — we couldn't afford to be anything but on the level. We know that as well as you do.

*Cheaper than accidents — look at these low prices on all sizes:
GOODYEAR PATHFINDER



Size	Each	Pair
30 x 3½	$4.39	$ 8.54
4.40-21	4.98	9.60
4.50-20	5.60	10.90
4.50-21	5.69	11.10
4.75-19	6.65	12.90
5.00-19	6.98	13.60
5.25-21	8.57	16.70
5.50-19	8.90	17.30

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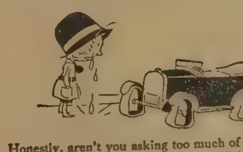
CAN YOUR WIFE CHANGE A TIRE?



Honestly, aren't you asking too much of Fate to trust those old tires when your wife drives? Hailing strangers for help, if she has a puncture, is often disagreeable. You'd feel a lot better if you knew she were protected also against possible accident. It will ease your mind and be easy on your purse to have us put on some new Goodyears now.

GOODYEAR ALL-WEATHER
Other sizes equally low

Size	Each
4.40-21 (29x4.40)	$ 7.05
4.50-20 (29x4.50)	7.45
5.00-19 (29x5.00)	9.15
6.00-20 (32x6.00)	13.50

Tubes also low priced

For example, a big, husky, full-oversized tire now costs only
$7.05
in the 4.40-21 size

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Science And Honor

According to Maxwell Halsey, Traffic Engineer of the National Bureau of Casualty and Surety Underwriters, science, by producing the modern high speed automobile and smooth highways, has contributed to the accident situation. Therefore, Mr. Halsey reasons, it is up to science to tender first aid in remedying the situation. Among his suggestions to reduce the casualty list, which this year may total 35,000 deaths and 1,000,000 injuries, are:

1. Improvement in street and highway design. The highway of the future must make it difficult for the motorist to have an accident.
2. State and local traffic ordinances must be coordinated so that there will be full cooperation and fixed responsibility.
3. Correct utilization of signs, markings, beacons, signals, etc., can do much to increase safety.
4. Motor laws must be enforced to the maximum possible degree
5. The public must change its present attitude of indifference toward automobile accidents. If it looked upon the reckless driver as an outlaw, our streets and highways would immediately become safer.

These are sound suggestions that states and municipalities would do well to follow. It is their duty to do the material things necessary to reduce accidents, exactly as it is the duty of the individual driver to operate his car in a careful and prudent manner. Safer highways, better enforcement of modern laws and a new public attitude toward recklessness—an "honor code" among drivers—these are strong weapons with which to fight the automobile accident menace.

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Faith In Advertising

Too many advertisers are no-believers. They like seeing their names and their goods in print, they feel that "maybe" it helps, certainly it doesn't hurt. They are glad to advertise when times are good and a little extravagance and display seem justified.

But do they believe that their advertising is an essential part of their business, as essential as the machines that make their product or the salesmen who call on customers? Not a bit. Advertising is the first thing to go overboard, followed perhaps by the last new "vice president in charge of this-and-that."

What advertising needs is more converts to the faith who feel that their advertising is not an emotional outburst, but part of their long time plans to grow through better selling of better goods—not a thing lightly to be discarded or interrupted.

But if advertising needs more converts, perhaps it needs also more evangelists to preach the true faith.

Said an able manufacturer:

"The hardest thing to do with an advertising manager is to keep him from spending all his money when times are good and make him save it for bad times when it's really needed."

Times are bad, but already they show signs of becoming better. When they are really good, can advertising men direct some of their great abilities to making true believers of those in the pews who are enjoying the music and displaying their new clothes?—Nation's Business.

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The Greatest Man of His Time

Sixty years ago a young telegraph operator named Thomas A. Edison invented a method of sending messages in both directions at once on a telegraph wire. It was the most marvelous human invention up to that time. The young man got $100,000 for his patent, which was a fortune in those days.

He began experimenting with other electrical inventions, and before the Centennial of 1876 his name was a household word all over the world. He invented, among other things, the waxed paper in which the package groceries you buy are wrapped. He invented the mimeograph, the first successful duplicating process. Sholes, first inventor of the typewriter, came to Edison with his crude model and Edison taught him how to make it work. Professor Bell had the idea of talking over a wire; Edison's invention of the carbon transmitter made the telephone a success. Dr. Brush invented the electric arc light; Edison conceived the idea of putting electric lights in small units into bottles, and invented the incandescent lamp. In the course of his telephone experiments he invented the phonograph. A little later he invented the movies. In between he invented new and economical methods of producing cement and developed the electric storage battery.

It is not too much to say of Edison that his inventions have revolutionized the world. They have changed our manner of living, our habits of thought, our whole scheme of things within one man's lifetime. His active brain never stopped working.

The great electrical wizard's serious illness at 84 has again focused the eyes of the world upon him. We hope that he will recover his health and keep on working until he is a hundred. The world cannot afford to lose Thomas A. Edison.

"ROUND TOWN"

---*by Doug*

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

As a matter of expectations from my readers, I am disposed to comment this week on several acquaintances of mine, some of whom I will name, while in order to protect the peace and dignity of this column and to preserve my hide, I will omit the names of others. That is merely showing an amount of discretion, or horse sense, or something on my part.

Clanton's J. Lee Smith, the Mayor of preserved dignity in our midst, and a man of extreme modesty has something about that friendly smile of his that causes one to think for a moment just what he means by it. Perhaps it is nothing more than natural, but it's a good smile and he should display it more generously.

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Bob Sumner, elder, has shown some real executive ability in his manipulations of the workings of the Clanton Golf Club, and of course with his two charming daughters and handsome son, show that Bob can be other things as well as play golf and sell Woco-Pep.

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The rather striking young lady, a brunette, I have in mind seems to have forgotten a promise she made me about a year ago. I somewhat regret to have to remind her of it. Maybe she will be sport enough to "cough up."

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You could have knocked me over with a horse feather one afternoon recently when one of our charming school teachers accosted me downtown to say she was glad to see me, and to give me some advice. She didn't realize that she stirred within me a desire that had been quiet since school was out last year.

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Mon Wyatt, whose name goes hand in hand with the name Firestone in this section, has been "along the road" so far as credits and collections are concerned, and it is interesting to hear of some business experiences he has gone through.

There's nothing like being a good sport even tho one is hard boiled and dignified in business. Clanton has several men of this type and I admire them for it.

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I understand that Judge Reynolds says there are too many politicians trying to politic in things, and yet he seemed to be politicing at the cotton meeting last Saturday. You ought not to get off the given subject so much Judge, it makes it difficult to understand just what you are really trying to talk about. For awhile it must have been difficult for the people to determine whether you were making a political speech or explaining the cotton plan.

And something else, you spoke of how broke the schools of the county are. Well, as a civil question, didn't the educational system of the county lose a neat amount of money from the State by the action of the Commissioners Court in cutting out the Welfare Dept. here Oh well, you be the Judge.

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Clanton's postmaster, W. M. Bean, and his assistants, Jack Bean and Sutley, are three of those unusually accomodating fellows. Of course they don't line up with me politically, but nevertheless they are fine fellows.

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The recently discovered fascinating blonde young lady of a couple of months ago is almost becoming a disappointment to me. Being, at times, that strictly feminine type with long hair, beautiful eyes and charming ways, I was about to become entangled in her web. Why is it that the,—thought to be somewhat old-fashioned, turns out to be ultra-modern? The type I don't care for so much. There I was so thoroughly contented with her presence, the moon throwing its soft rays through the branches of the tall oaks, the picturesque bird house and landscaping out front—everything so quiet. Then she turns out so differently. But as the Raven quoteth, "Nevermore," and so it goes.

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I wonder if I could persuade that gallant Mitchell Dam Club to recognize me. I like their entertainments.

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Hoyt Brown Reynolds has been adding to his gasoline city down near South Clanton. There's a nice little dwelling there now. It has a tin roof and Brown says he can sure sleep when the rain drops on that roof. I wonder if he is kidding.

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A fellow told me the other day that if I would get married, he would lend me some money. I told him I'd need it if I did do such a thing.

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Now, it looks as if I am in for a hot time now, from what the Great Dooker Pooker is writing about—but don't fear dear readers, I'm going to see this Maud Lynn and use the Pucker on her—watch her fall.

Dear Mr. Doug:

The great Dooker Pooker visited me today, and ordered me to mail the enclosed to you. As is fitting and proper, I hasten to obey His Majesty.

MAUD LYNN.

"Dear Doug:

"I recently referred to you, as Chilton County's Certified Critter-sizer, a young lady by the name of Mattie Gascar, of Clanton, who, unable to herself win the heart and hand of Dick Taitor, also of Clanton, sought my aid.

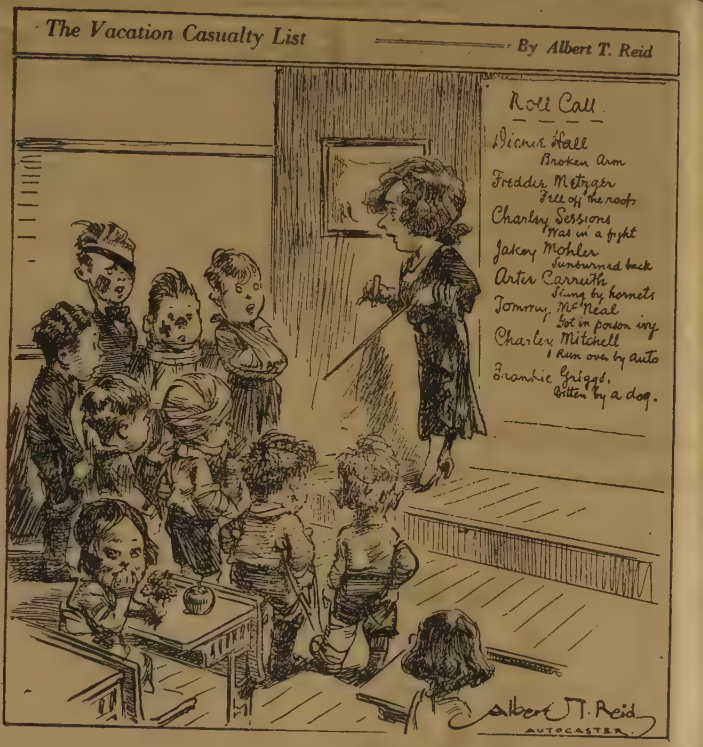
"Well, Doug, I have just received notice of suit brought by said Taitor versus you and me, for alienatin' the affections of said Gascar. It seems that when you sprung the Dooker Pooker Pucker on Miss Gascar, she fell in love with you and lost further interest in Mr. Taitor, altho she did proceed to use the Pucker on him and of course he fell for her.

"Now Doug, a kitty-kat will catch little mouses all day long just for the fun of it, not ceasin' her slaughter when her tummy gets filled up; and while I dislike to liken kitty-kats to wimmin, or vice worser or something, it is plain that Miss Gascar's action here was deliberately premediated for no other purpose than the fun of killin', because she has since denied victim Taitor her company.

"As the matter now stands, Dick's heart is bleedin' because of his hopeless love for Mattie and Mattie is weepin' because she wants you. Dick has hired Maud Lynn to sue us and Maudy seems to think we have damaged said Taitor to the extent of One Hundred Thousand Dollars altho I'll bet we could settle for one dollar cash.

"I think our defense should be vigorous. As for me one dollar for defense but not one penny for tribute. Let's get together and make said Lynn trimble in her boot."

DOOKER POOKER.



TODAY AND TOMORROW

BY FRANK PARKER STOCKBRIDGE

FOOD

Henery Ford's order that every married man employed in his Iron Mountain plant must plant a vegetable garden next year is an interesting experiment which will be critized by several different kinds of people. Commission men and dealers in garden produce will see in it a possible loss of good markets. And the people who think that an employer has no right to dictate to his employees about anything except their actual work in the factory will regard this order as an invasion of the individual worker's rights.

My own view is that the results of the Iron Mountain experiment, if records are carefully kept, as I assume they will be, may prove to be the most powerful stimulus to the general movement away from the cities and back to the economic independence of the small landholder who raises most of what he and his family consume.

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WORK

In my home county, Berkshire, Massachusetts, there are three important industries. One of the General Electric's manufacturing plants is at Pittsfield, the county seat—or as the oldtimers call it, the "shire town." Nearly all the writing paper used in America is made in the mills along the Housatonic river, including the paper on which the Federal Government prints money and bonds. And the limestone quarries of Lee, Adams and West Stockbridge in good years pay the New Haven railroad a quarter of a million dollars in freight charges on building and agricultural lime.

None of these industries is running on full time these days, but we see and hear little evidence of anything approaching real distress. One of my nearest neighbors has eleven children at home, three more married. He works in a paper mill when it is running, sells the milk from ten cows through the local branch of the Dairymen's League, grows feed for the cows and a pen of pigs on his hundred acres, besides cutting enough cordwood every winter to keep his house warm. He is a lot better off than the city worker who has nothing to fall back on.

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ENGLAND

The fall of the Labor Government in England and the desertion of the Labor Party by Ramsay McDonald and other leaders does not necessarily mean the end of the Socialist movement in Great Britain, but it does mean that the effort to force social and economic changes faster than they can be paid for has failed. The trouble with almost every movement for social reform is that its proponents want to change everything instantly.

Great Britain's new Government is pledged to balance the budget—that is, to cut down governmental expenses to a point where the income from all forms of taxation will meet them. That will slow up such reforms as employment insurance and the national housing program, but it will keep England out of bankruptcy and help restore world trade, which in the long run probably will be just as beneficial for the workers. It takes more than one generation to change the course of social progress.

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THRIFT

The president of the largest savings bank in America is advising his 240,000 depositors to stop hoarding up their money, to draw it out and spend it for things which they will need later and which they can buy cheaper now than at any time since the war. That is good advice. True thrift consists not in hoarding cash but in spending wisely. There never was, and probably will not again be for a long time, a better opportunity to buy a home, for example, or the equipment and furnishings of a home, or any of the other necessary things which do not lose their value with the passage of time. And every dollar spent now hastens the day when the dollars will again circulate freely.

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AGE

The average American is older than he used to be. Twenty years ago our average national age was about twenty-three; now it is about twenty-seven. Not so many children, grown-ups living longer.

This change is bound to be refleced in every phase of life. We will tend to take a more reasoned, less emotional view of social, political and economic matters, for example. We probably will lose as a nation some of the pioneering, adventurous spirit of youth. We will grow to value security more than excitement. There were boys of twenty-one among the leaders of our Revolution, the signers of our Declaration of Independence, the drafters of our Constitution. Today we look on a man of thirty as rather too young for the serious responsibilities of government. We are in danger of becoming stodgy and conservative, as a nation, unless more young men forge their way to the front as political leaders.

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CHINA'S AWFUL FLOOD

After being ravaged for years by brigandage and revolution, unhappy China is now suffering from the most devastating flood in all history. We in America can not begin to grasp the horror of the situation, where literally millions are dead already from drowning, starvation and exposure, while other millions are doomed beyond the possibility of aid.

Even when the floods subside those who survive the initial disaster will be faced by the horrors of famine. The President of China estimates that fifty million will perish from starvation and disease in spite of anything that may possibly be done to save them.

The fall crops, never sufficient for the people's needs, have been destroyed, as well as nearly all the livestock. With winter coming on there is no chance for raising new crops this year. Even where late sowing might be possible the people have no seed, nor farm animals with which to till the soil.

It has been suggested that some small measure of relief might be afforded these stricken people by selling surplus American wheat to China on liberal credit terms. It seems that this should be done by all means. It would not only aid China but would relieve our own situation without disturbing our regular markets. The Farm Board should act on this suggestion and act quickly.

Concord-Billingsley

We met Sunday morning and reorganized our Sunday school, elected and re-elected officers and teachers. We are glad to say that both Sunday school and Christian Endeavor are growing in attendance and interest and we hope they will continue to grow each Sunday.

Bro. Headley brought to us a wonderful gospel message Sunday night. He had as a subject, "The Need of Prayer." The service was well attended and I'm sure enjoyed by everyone present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams visited Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hicks of Billingsley Sunday afternoon and attended the funeral of Mr. Bud Harrell.

Misses Virginia Little and Allie Williams dined at the home of Misses Bessie and Jettie Williams Sunday.

Mr. W. A. Kynard and children and Mr. Lace Kynard of Selma spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williams.

Miss Clara Dell Sims and little sister, Louise, visited at the home of Mrs. J. P. Williams Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Carson Williams spent the past week end with home folks.

We are very sorry to know that Mrs. Emma Williams is on the sick list this week. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Rother Chadwick is visiting at the Little's home this week.

Miss Louise Kynard of Selma is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. W. A. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. William Hill and Mrs. Askins of Shiloh visited Mr. Jim Williams who is very ill, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. R. A. Hicks and children spent Thursday of the past week with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. W. W. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Williams visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cox, during the past week end.

Remember, next Sunday is our preaching day. Let's everybody come for Sunday school and preaching service.

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HUMORETTES

Mr. Littleton—What's the idea? These shirts are three sizes too big for me. You know my size.

Mrs. Littleton—Well, the big sizes don't cost any more than the little ones, and I'm not going to have any store clerk know what a shrimp I'm married to.

Bonetwister—Dr. Jaremup's success seems to be firmly established.

Neckbreaker—Yes, he's had "Out to Lunch" painted permanently on his door now.

Nolle—How did you get out of admitting that your father was electrocuted?

Prosse—I said he occupied the chair of applied electricity at one of our public institutions.

DRESS THEM UP FOR SCHOOL AT SAVINGS---

Boys All-Wool Suits

That are positively outstanding values. We have them in colors; sizes 7 years to 18 years for

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Young Mens Suits

Sizes from 33 to 40, in all-wool material, positively values up to $17.50

for $7.50

MEN'S PANTS

You can hardly believe your eyes when you see such remarkable values in pants for

98c --- $1.35 --- $1.95

Coats and Dresses

We are receiving new fall and winter coats and dresses every day. We say they are beautiful and are so reasonably priced. Coats priced from

$5.95 to $24.95

Here Are A Few

of the values we are offering Special for Friday and Saturday — 1 Lot of Childrens shoes, sizes from 7 to 2

98 cents

Girls Oxfords

Positively the greatest values in Walking Low Heel oxfords ever put on sale in any store in Clanton; all sizes, from 2½ to 8 for

$1.50 and $1.98

We Will Be Closed All Day Monday on Account of A Religious Holiday.

The LEADER

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Wash Dresses

We give you guaranteed fast color wash dresses in all sizes and well made, new styles, priced from

48c to 98c

SHOES

If your purse is limited and you want a good pair of mens oxfords, see what we are offering for

$1.98, $2.25 and $2.95

BLANKETS—Heavy weight plaid blankets Sizes 64x74, Per Pair 98c

Good grade of dress goods Per Yard Only 5c

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News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

We are informed by Mayor Petersen that several people around the business section of Thorsby have complained that mosquitoes have been more troublesome recently than for some years past. He advises that all those who are troubled—in fact all the people should investigate the matter—should examine the sanitary toilets installed about a year ago. Read your printed instructions—if water is standing in any pits, they are very apt to become breeding places for mosquitoes. A free and proper use of kerosene will rid us of the pest very soon. Also, are there any weeds around your lot, and any old cans thrown away? Clean up without waiting for official orders.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Peterson entertained at dinner Sunday their daughter, Rachel, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Cox, and Misses Ellen and Lettie Martin who drove down from Birmingham.

The general opinion is that the depression is now over. It was noted by many that Ernie Hanson and Bob Davenport were at work one day last week making repairs in Dr. Pearson's new location. This will come as good news to everyone feeling the pressure of the times.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pate, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Walker, and H. L. Collins spent Sunday with relatives at Deatsville.

Mr. Nels Nelson returned to Philadelphia Friday after spending his vacation here with his parents.

Mrs. Lloyd Belter spent last week end with relatives in Deatsville.

Miss Annie Lou Arthur is stopping over a few days in Thorsby with her sister, Miss Odie Lee Arthur en route to Piedmont College, Demorest, Ga.

BILIOUS

"I have used Black-Draught . . . and have not found anything that could take its place. I take Black-Draught for biliousness. When I get bilious, I have a nervous headache and a nervous, trembling feeling that unfits me for my work. After I take a few doses of Black-Draught, I get all right. When I begin to get bilious, I feel tired and run-down, and then the headache and trembling. But Black-Draught relieves all this."—*H. O. Hendrix, Homerville, Ga.*

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Mr. Henry Robinson visited in Thorsby Sunday.

Miss Jennie Robinson returned from Florida Monday after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Bice. She has been appointed teacher in the Thorsby Public School to take the place of Mrs. Lillian Deason, who has resigned on account of the condition of her father. Miss Robinson will assume her duties immediately.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Villadsen spent the week end in Thorsby with relatives.

Mrs. Fred Howard, her daughter, Mabel, Mrs. Louise Howard and Mr. Ed Sims motored to Tuscaloosa Sunday to see Mrs. Anna Phalin.

Mr. Kenneth O'Barr spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lucas, Mrs. W. W. Perry and son, Glenn, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Piper.

Charles Croker of Birmingham arrived Sunday to stay at the Piper home while going to Thorsby Institute this winter.

Mr. Cecil Each spent Sunday with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Each.

Miss Lois Primm left Monday to attend school at Queens Chicora College in Charlotte, North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson and son, Albert, of Birmingham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hanson.

Mrs. Lee Pate entertained Mrs. Grover Bice, Mrs. Relious Franklin, Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway of Clanton, Mrs. W. J. Blood, Mrs. Flem Higgins of Clanton, Mrs. Clarence Horton, Mrs. M. C. Gray, Dorothy Butler, Edith Johnson, Ella Howard and Marie Powers Friday afternoon at a bridge party Frozen refreshments were enjoyed by all.

Relious Franklin, Sam Pate and Kendell Franklin spent a few days last week fishing on the Gulf.

Mrs. Willis is visiting at Indian Grave and Haynes, Ala., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Higgins spent Sunday in Deatsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis and Mrs. Sidney Davenport were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Higgins Wednesday.

Miss Dessie Robinson spent Thursday and Friday with her mother, Mrs. A. T. Robinson.

Miss Sadie Shannon of Montgomery spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. N. C. Petersen.

Misses Naemi Turnquist and Christine Bosworth spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Merchant spent Sunday in Centerville.

Mrs. Donald Merchant spent Monday with her father in Clanton.

The Thorsby baseball team played a double header last Saturday with Prattville at Thorsby. The scores were 5 to 1 and 6 to 3, both in favor of Prattville. The score Wednesday with Union Grove was 14 to 4 in favor of Thorsby.

Mr. Earl Leary left Sunday night to attend Federal Court this week in the matter of Morgan Hill Paving Co. and Dr. Fonvil.

Miss Floy Anderson stopped by Wednesday to see Mrs. C. C. Horton.

Mrs. Evelin W. Christ and family were the dinner guests of Mrs. Anna Villadsen Sunday.

Misses Ramona and Frances Duffy of Bessemer spent Saturday with Mrs. C. M. Gray.

Mrs. M. E. Mendenhall of Prattville spent a few days this week with her niece, Mrs. N. C. Peterson.

The younger set gave a surprise party for Miss Dorothy Von Franklin last week.

Miss Lauteshia Bean and Miss Ward of Tallassee went to Birmingham Friday.

Circle No. 1 met at Mrs. H. L. Walker's Monday.

The Y. W. A. had a Tacky Party last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Sidney Davenport. Ollis Littleton and Mrs. Eugene Davenport received the prizes for being the tackiest. Several contests were held in which the winners received a sucker. A cracker relay was one of the many amusing games and Ralph Pate received a baked sweet potato for winning that. Cookies and stick candy were passed round to everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Garthright and daughter, Elizabeth of Prattville visited Mrs. N. C. Peterson Saturday.

Miss Letha May Martin spent Sunday in Clanton with realtives.

Mrs. J. F. Peterson and daughter, Ruth, Mrs. Carl Peterson and two daughters, Dorothy and Norma, spent Friday with friends and relatives in Thorsby.

Miss Edith Foss is visiting her cousin, Dorothy Peterson, of Fairfield this week.

Mr. C. R. Foss and Mr. A. E. Reagan made a business trip to Birmingham Friday.

Miss Effie Lou Nugent, Mrs. Morgan and two nieces, and Mrs. Johnson of Birmingham visited their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Stange, Sunday.

Mr. Sam Bailey of Birmingham spent Sunday in Thorsby at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson.

Miss Ruth Peterson of Birmingham is spending her vacation in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Bice gave a Farewell Bridge Party Monday night for Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pate, Mr. and Mrs. Relious Franklin, Dr. and Mrs. Joe Edgar, Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood, Mrs. Clarence Horton. Miss Marie Powers, Miss Ella Howard, and Mr. Lloyd Howard. Mrs. Joe Edgar and Mr. Lloyd Howard won high scores.

Miss Lucile Howard spent Sunday with Miss Mary Ruth Nix.

Miss Sallye Thompson spent last week with Miss Lois Thompson.

Mrs. Theron South returned to her home in Birmingham after spending two weeks in Thorsby with her mother, Mrs. G. W. Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Langston were in Thorsby Monday enrolling his sister, who is going to attend Thorsby Institute this year. Mr. Langston was a graduate of Thorsby Institute in 1922.

Mr. Schive has had word from Mrs. Sorensen saying she is very happy in her new home in Chicago.

Ralph and Conradine Pate gave a farewell party in honor of Frank Wood last Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jasperson were week end visitors of Mrs. Thornburgh and Mrs. Harry Thompson.

Mrs. Harry Thompson is spending her vacation in Thorsby this week.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Nelson this week on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bosworth and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Reagan motored to Birmingham Tuesday.

Miss Nettie Littlejohn returned from the hospital last week and is improving rapidly.

The Ladies Guild will meet September 24 at the home of Mrs. Wilder. Mrs. Wilder and Mrs. Bob Davenport being joint hostesses.

Mr. Jim Collins made a trip to Birmingham Saturday.

Mr. E. N. Bentley developed fish fever and left Monday morning to attend the fishing rodeo being held at Foley.

Mrs. Relious Franklin entertained in honor of Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood Tuesday.

Miss Agnes Leary is spending two weeks in Prattville with Mrs. Adams.

Judge and Mrs. O. B. Street and Mrs. Curd of Birmingham were Monday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Piper.

Master Leonard Bosworth entertained some little boys September 10. Those present were Keno Villadson, Clarence Horton, Horace Bean, Calvin Pate, H. L. Collins, Carl and John Foss, Arthur Nelson. Several games were played and ice cream and cake were served for refreshments.

Thorsby Institute Boarding Department wishes to thank most heartily the ladies of the town and community who have so generously given canned fruit and vegetables and jellies for our use this winter. We certainly have appreciated all the good things you have done for us in the past and this surprise we found waiting for us on our return reminds us again of your interest in us. We shall enjoy so much the home canned foods because they are better than the commercially canned and also because they will remind us of your interest in us. We thank you!

Miss Esther Johnson returned Sunday after a two months visit in Illinois, Indiana and Michigan. In Cary, Ind., she visited her sister, Mrs. Emil Peterson and her brother, Maynard and family, and was the guest at times of the Andrew Johnson's, former residents of Thorsby. In Chicago she was the guest of her cousin, Miss Emmie Nelson of the Chicago Daily News, Miss Pearl Carlson, Mr. John Carlson and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Carlson. She also visited Mrs. Harold Olson (nee Ena Grenn), Mrs. Charles Swanson, and Gust Berlin. From Chicago she took a week end trip with cousins and friends to Kewanee, Ill., to visit her aunt, Mrs. John Nelson and several cousins. After returning to Chicago Miss Pearl Carlson and Esther motored to Gary, Ind., Saugatuck, Mich. a beautiful summer resort and Grand Rapids, Mich. Esther also took a boat trip from Chicago to Benton Harbor, Mich., with a group of friends from Gary. She reports having visited many points of interest in Chicago. Among them are Fields Museum, Shedd Aquarium, Adler Planetarium, Buckingham Fountain, Trianon, Aragon Ballrooms, Lincoln Park, White City, Ravinia Opera, Radio Station WMAQ, where she saw Amos 'n' Andy, and radio station WLS, where she was guest for the Barn Dance. Esther spent last week end in Thorsby and has returned to Birmingham to resume her teaching there.

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THORSBY INSTITUTE NEWS

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Rev. and Mrs. Joseph E. Each returned from a trip to West Florida last Friday bringing with them Misses Elizabeth Wells, Camilla McCallum and Mabel McCallum, and Messrs. J. T. Faircloth and T. A. McCallum who are students in Thorsby Institute for this year.

Students are coming in for the opening of Thorsby Institute. The following have come in with the last few days Janie Kelley, Andalusia, Odell and Evie Lee Rowe, Camp Hugh, Olean Hybert and Elma Roof Pitts, Pigeon Creek, Nelle and Katholene McLendon, Milford, Ga., Winnie Boring, Demorest, Ga., and Donald Long, Midland City.

Miss Lillian McKee of Lineville, Ala. Miss Onita Klingelhoefer of Beaver, Pa., Miss Jennie Mae Thoroman of Cincinnati, and Mr. Clyde B. King of Greenwood, Ohio, all teachers in Thorsby Institute, have returned to begin their work for the year.

Miss Helen C. Jenkins, Principal of the Institute returned Sunday. She was accompanied by her father, Dr. F. E. Jenkins of LaGrange, Ga. Miss Jenkins has been abroad this summer. Her friends welcome her back to Thorsby.

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Messrs. George Dickinson and E. B. Mills of Billingsley were in Clanton last Monday attending to business.

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Mrs. J. P. Hayes is spending several days in Washington, with her son, Jack Hayes, who is playing ball there with the Washington Senators.

The friends of the C. M. Busby family will regret their moving to Birmingham where they will make their home in the future

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Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Porter and children and Mrs. M. J. Porter of Snowdon, Ala., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Reynolds Sunday.

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FOR SALE

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One house and lot on 1st Avenue, two blocks southeast of court house, three blocks west of high school. Will sell reasonable. If interested, see Jesse C. Jones, Service Barber Shop, Clanton. 9-17-1tpd.

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DEPARTMENT SUSPENDS GASOLINE FROM SALE

The Alabama Department of Agriculture in one day last week suspended 14,500 gallons of gasoline from sale because the test showed it to be low grade, and did not measure up to the State standards. This was reported by H. S. Holloway, Chief of the Weights and Measure Division, who stated that over 7,000 inspections of gasoline and over 4,00 inspections of kerosene are made annually by this division.

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CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Chancellor extends its loving thanks to all their friends for the kindness and sympathy shown during the death of their son, Bill, also for the beautiful floral offerings and the kind words extended. We especially wish to thank Samuel for his kindness.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Chancellor and Family.

Chestnut Creek Church Cooper

Our B. Y. P. U. met with fine spirit last Sunday night and carried out in effective manner the program, the subject of which was, "Training for World Leadership." We urge all who have been absent to come back and do their part toward reaching the Standard of Excellence.

Rev. J. S. Hand, our pastor, conducted, some weeks past, a revival in which the spirit was the leader. There were twenty-two additions to the church—of these we are very proud.

Only those who attend Sunday school know the good of it. Come and bring your children to learn of the Lord and His teachings. On next Sunday at ten o'clock we hope to have you present to help exceed our past record.

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Mrs. Clifton Steel of Macomb, Ill., testified in her divorce suit that her husband made their two-year-old daughter drunk.

A Clanton Sunset

By Mary Lou Tiffin

The sun slowly sinking below the western horizon drags behind it its coat of many colors. The train of its spectacular garment trails majestically across the sky. It seems that the Creator has whimsically symbolized life itself in the slowly fading colors. The gold suggests the fame, glory and the pomp of life lingering, reluctant to leave. The rose and violet modestly proclaim the humbler, yet perhaps the happier side of that thing called life. And over all, tinting all the grayish blue casts its sombre note.

The trees standing against the wondrous heaven, seem fairly to glitter with the intense beauty of nature. Around each tiny branch nestles a halo, the crowning touch of the Master Painter. As our side of the earth follows its course slowly and reluctantly, the majestic beauty of the sun is hidden from view. With the departure of the radiant light, "The world is left to darkness and to me."

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UNCLE SAM SAYS

Thirty-five States are now quarantined because of black stem rust of grain.

The beet leaf hopper takes liquid nourishment only. It must have succulent plants to feed on.

Less than half of the American farmers carry life insurance. Those who do have it carry less than the average urban family.

Speaking of the weather, some brick tablets of ancient Babylon contain weather proverbs 3,000 or 4,000 years old. They were written in cuneiform characters baked in the clay.

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Maplesville News

(To late for last week)

The Senior High School opening was attended by a large crowd. The opening song, America, by Audience; Miss Susie Mae Hayes at the piano Rev. Paul Oden conducted the devotional. Supt. Lawrence of Clanton made a wonderful speech followed by the Trustees.; Messers Jessie Hayes, J. P. Payne and Dr. Nix, all giving great encouragement for the first term of school hoping for better times.

Next: Introduction of teachers; Mr. Carlton E. White-Science and Mathematics, from Jacksonville, Ala. Miss Lettie Snider, of Rockford ,Ala., Junior High School teacher; Miss Faye Coates, Fort Payne, Ala.-English; Miss Dorthy Reynolds, of Plantersville, Ala.-Home Economics; Prof. J. E. Daniel Lomax, Ala., History and Principal;

Miss Ethel Mize left Sunday for Lay Dam to open school Monday morning.

Mrs. H. M. Nix motored to Selma Monday where she entered her daughter, Margaret in High School.

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TWENTY-FIVE ROAD DELEGATES NAMED BY BROWN

Montgomery, Ala., Sept. 15.—Twenty-five delegates from Montgomery County to the United States Good Roads Association convention to be held in Birmingham, October 12-15 were appointed yesterday by Cyrus Brown, president of the County Commission.

Invitations have been extended to members of the County Commission to attend the meeting by Asa Rountree, Jr., director general of the organization. Governors, congressmen, senators and civic leaders of several states are expected to attend the meeting.

Among issues to be discussed will be a $25,000,000 bond issue and problems of road and highway maintenance.

Delegates named by Commissioner Brown are Ed Pettus, W. A. McCulla, J. A. Peterson, Bob Kenan, Richard B. Carroll, Col. Welden W. Doe, Col. Leo Strassburger, Z. C. Lewis, Eugene Ballard, W. C. Hill, Jr., Thomas E. Edwards, J. M. Garrett, John D. Roquemore, J. M. Hobbie, S. E. Elmore, J. M. Jenkins, Dr. George E. Blue, W. H. Joseph, T. W. Oliver, N. J. Bell, and Norman Drum, Montgomery; E. O. Hall, Cecil; T. F. Reynolds, Pike Road; J. A. Stowers, Matthews; C. W. Collier, Grady; Dr. A. D. Coles, M. B. Rushton, Ramer; Dr. J. S. Naftel; Cleveland Sellers and S. J. Guy, Sellers; T. L. McCullough, Pinedale; G. C. Gilder, Mt. Meigs; and W. Gray Henderson and Henry C. Evans, Montgomery.

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COTTON CROP FORECAST AT 15,685,000 BALES FOR 1931

The United States Department of Agriculture on September 1, forecast the present cotton crop at 15,685,000 bales. This was the highest September forecast since 1915.

The estimate for each state follows: Virginia 41,000; North Carolina 715,000; South Carolina 929,000; Georgia 1,311,000; Florida 36,000; Missouri 239,000; Tennessee 501,000; Alabama 1,288,000; Mississippi 1,500,000; Louisiana 860,000; Texas 5,094,000; Oklahoma 1,254,000; Arkansas 1,513,000; Colorado 176,000; New Mexico 95,000; Arizona 127,000; Others 6,000.

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Miss Mary Lennis, aged 60, of London, was summoned for annoying C. J. Horne with her attentions and the judge warned her to behave herself.

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Alabama Cotton Has Bigger Value

Auburn, Ala.,—Through the county agents of the state the warning is being sent from Auburn to Alabama farmers about the sale of cotton this fall. Certain varieties have produced a staple which brings a preminum and sales should be made on this basis.

Last spring the D. P. L. variety was planted in north and central Alabama. With favorable weather it has produced a staple of 1 inch to 1 1-16 inches in length. One-inch staple, early in September, was worth 3.50 per bale more than 7-8 - inch staple; and 1 1-16-inch staple was worth $5.25 per bale more than 7-8 inch staple.

These facts were gathered by district agent J. T. High and distributed by county agents to farmers who grew this variety this year. At the same time they were able to keep their seed pure this fall for planting next spring.

In order to keep them pure, gin days were being observed in a large number of communities. The goal in many counties is to be free of inferior staple or low-yielding varieties by 1933. County agents are leading movements with this as their goal.

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STAR ROUTE WANTED FROM MONTEVALLO TO CALERA

At a meeting of the Montevallo Exchange Club held recently, the body went on record as favoring an effort to obtain a star mail delivery route to and from Calera for the town of Montevallo twice daily.

The establishment of such a route is being sought in view of a reduction of trains passing Montevallo, and a change in schedules which makes morning and afternoon mail arrive almost simultaneously.

The secretary of the club was instructed to take the matter of a star route from Calera up with the proper authorities.

President C. T. Acker and Exchangeites J. I. Reid and C. B. Richmond are expected to represent the club at the annual convention in Memphis September 20-24.

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Automobiles crashed into a store at the end of a bridge in Portland, Me., so many times in foggy weather that concrete bumpers were placed in front of it.

Jersey Cattle Show Here On Sept. 19th

According to an announcement from C. E. Stapp, county agent, a Jersey Cattle Show will take place in Clanton on September 19th. The cattle shown will be those of members of the Jersey Calf Club. Owners of purebred cattle in Chilton County are invited to take part in the show.

The cattle are to be brought to town on Sept. 18th, and will be paraded on the streets on the following day. Ten of the best animals will be carried to Anniston on October 12 to take part in a district show, Mr. Stapp stated.

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Wonder if Henry Ford managed to corral a Wall Street bull for his famous museum.

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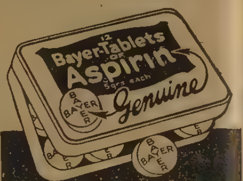

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CHAPTER XLV

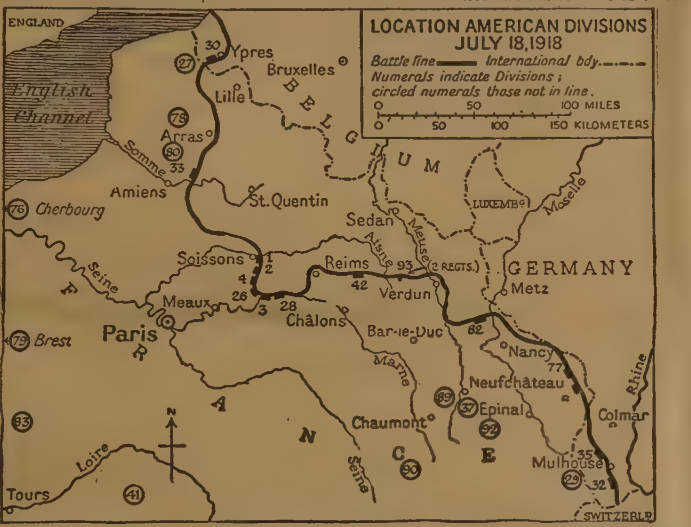
The Second division assumed the offensive June 6, 1918, and began a series of attacks which culminated some three weeks later in the capture of the last German positions in the Bois de Belleau by its marine brigade and of Vaux by its regular brigade.

The fighting during most of this period was of peculiar intensity. The German lines were favorably located on commanding ground and were made more formidable by the extensive use of machine guns, especially in Belleau wood.

In the initial advance Harbord's marine brigade captured Bouresches, and Lewis' regular brigade took Triangle farm and Bois de la Barette. During the next few days our troops progressed piecemeal. June 15 the Seventh infantry, Third division, arrived to reinforce the marine brigade engaged in the wood. This regiment relieved the brigade on that date and the marines were rested for a week, when they again entered the line. Against stubborn resistance, they drove the enemy from the wood June 25.

Regulars Capture Vaux.

Meanwhile the regular brigade continued its attacks intermittently, and July 1, with great dash, captured Vaux and the Bois de la Roche. The operations of the division in this vicinity were practically at an end when the new lines were stabilized on the high ground captured from the enemy.



The casualties in the division were about 9,500. More than 1,000 prisoners were captured from the enemy.

The gains by the Second division were won with little aid on either flank by the French units, which were still in poor shape, and were made against an enemy determined to crush this early American effort. The success of this division and of the First at Cantigny and the Third on the Marne, following as they did the crisis of May 27, were loudly acclaimed by the French, and for the time being had a very stimulating effect upon French morale.

With the transfer of activities to the French front northeast of Paris, our plan to build up an American corps near Amiens had become impracticable, and as I had offered General Petain the services of our divisions wherever they might be needed it now appeared possible to form at least a corps and possibly an army somewhere along the Marne salient.

U. S. Divisions Relieve French.

I had suggested that we should bring other divisions to join the Second and Third for that purpose, and accordingly the Twenty-Sixth and Forty-second were relieved from the inactive Vosges front, and five American divisions from the British area were designated to be sent to that quiet sector to relieve French divisions. The assembly of four American divisions in aid of the French on that front would more than offset their recent losses.

General Petain, in his letter accepting my offer, said in part:

"I must express my deep gratitude for the prompt and very important aid you are bringing in the present crisis. The American troops already engaged in the battle are the unanimous admiration of the whole French army. The power of the effort which your country is at present showing, as well as the resolute and generous spirit with which you enter the struggle, is for the allies—and above all for France—a comfort in the grave times through which we are passing, and a pledge of hope for the future."

What if Paris Should Fall?

Leaving the suggestion with General Petain, without further discussion, I returned to Paris, arriving June 8. The next morning I called on Premier Clemenceau, and on that morning the fourth phase of the great German offensive started between Montdidier and the Oise. Reports indicated that it was meeting considerable success.

Mentioning this to M. Clemenceau, I asked him what he thought would be the result if Paris should fall.

M. Clemenceau replied that he and Mr. Lloyd George had considered that possibility, and had reached the conclusion they would do everything in their power to save Paris, but if it should be lost they would go on fighting.

"Above Paris is France," he added, "and above France is civilization."

As I was leaving he came to the door with me, and I said: "It may not look encouraging just now, but we are certain to win in the end." He clung to my hand and in a tone that showed the utmost solicitude he replied: "Do you really think that? I am glad to hear you say it."

This was the first and only time that I ever sensed any misgiving in the mind of this resolute man. Notwithstanding our occasional rather heated discussions on the use to be made of American troops, I admired him greatly. It always seemed to me he represented the true spirit of confidence and courage of the French people.

I then motored to General Foch's headquarters at Bombon. We considered my proposal to form an American corps near Chateau Thierry, to which he readily agreed. He spoke especially of the fine work of our troops.

I asked how a German drive which threatened or perhaps captured Paris would affect the armies and the people. His reply was almost word for word like M. Clemenceau's. They had evidently discussed the possibility of losing Paris. He, too, was certain the armies would go on with the war. Foch spoke so positively and with such evident feeling that I was moved to get up and shake his hand.

Concentrate West of Marne.

Meanwhile the Fourth and Twenty-eighth divisions, en route from the British front to the northeast of France were stopped at General Foch's request in the vicinity of Villers Cotterets, the object being to concentrate several of our divisions on the west of the Marne salient, primarily as a precaution against another German offensive there, but ultimately for possible use on the offensive. The Second, Third, Twenty-sixth and Forty-second were in that area and with the Fourth and Twenty-eighth there was a force equivalent to twelve French divisions, although some of these units were without artillery.

An encouraging circumstance at the moment was the success of the French in holding Von Hutier's attack on the Montdidier-Noyon front. This fourth phase of the German offensive was an effort not only to widen the vulnerable Marne pocket but to secure the railway between Compeigne and Soissons and open the way to Paris.

The anniversary of the arrival of our advance contingent in France was the occasion of many congratulations on the part of the French.

CHAPTER XLVI

The demands for American divisions were pressing. The First, second and Third had already become actively engaged, the First being slated to go to the reserve near the Chateau Thierry salient when relieved from Cantigny. The Second was still in line at Belleau wood, and the Third south of the Marne.

General Foch had asked for five of the divisions recently arrived that were training with the British. Of these the Fourth and Twenty-eighth, while en route to the quiet Vosges sector to relieve French divisions, had been diverted to the reserve near the western face of the Marne salient.

The Thirty-fifth moved to the vicinity of Epinal and the Seventy-seventh was about to enter the trenches in the Baccarat sector to replace the Forty-second, which was to reinforce Gouraud's army east of Rheims. The Eighty-second had started for the Toul sector to relieve the Twenty-sixth, which in turn was soon to relieve the Second.

Thus there were three American divisions in quiet sectors and seven either in the battle line or held in readiness to meet any eventuality which might result from further activity of the Germans in the great wedge they had driven toward Paris.

British Displeased.

The British were displeased at the transfer of our divisions from their area, claiming priority to retain them by reason of having brought them over. When General Foch inquired of the conditions under which these troops were serving with the British, my reply made it clear that he had entire authority to direct where they should go in the emergency, as without it the theory of a supreme command would fail.

The rapid succession of German offensives had seriously crippled the allies, and not only materially reduced their powers of resistance but had depressed their morale and caused the darkest misgivings among them. They grew more and more fearful lest the enemy might still have untold reserves ready to swell his forces. That the morale of the allies was low was shown by the conclusions of many of their soldiers returning from the front to the rest areas.

Reports from the British front were no better. Their troops continuously told our men who were with them for training that we had come too late and that our entry into the battle would only postpone allied defeat. This attitude seemed so alarming that I took steps to prevent such a spirit from affecting our army by promptly reporting the facts to allied authorities. The presence of such sentiments was another important reason for opposing any form of amalgamation.

Vastness of Request Unrealized.

Far short had we fallen of the expectations of the preceding November, when Foch, General Robertson of the British, and I had joined in an urgent appeal for twenty-four trained American divisions by the following June. It is small wonder that the allies were now so insistent in urging increased and continuous shipments of men, trained or untrained.

So serious was the situation regarded that it was no longer a demand for twenty-four divisions but for one hundred. It is probable that the vastness of this request was not fully realized, or else the allies had greatly exaggerated ideas of our power of accomplishment, surprising as it actually proved to be.

A brief calculation of these demands of the prime ministers showed that they were asking more than 2,500,000 combatant troops by the following spring, which, augmented by those required for the services of supply, conservatively calculated for a well-balanced force situated in a foreign country under the circumstances that surrounded us, would amount at least to 4,000,000 men.

The American combatant force would thus have equaled 200 divisions of the allies, and their apprehension may be imagined when we realize that this was greater by one-fourth than the combined allied armies of 162 divisions then on the western front.

Saw 3,000,000 as Limit.

Although no such number as this could have been considered feasible, as it is unlikely that it could have been either transported, equipped or supplied, it was necessary, in view of the situation, to lay plans for bringing over all we could. After giving the question careful study, it seemed to me that 3,000,000 men would be the limit we could hope to reach by the spring of 1919.

This, roughly, would provide at least sixty-six or possibly over seventy combatant divisions, the rest being necessary for the noncombatant service. As we had hitherto made estimates based upon a total force of 2,000,000 men, it was quite imperative that calculations should be made on the increased basis and that work everywhere in the A. E. F. should now have that end in view.

A cable I sent June 21 set forth the reasons for fixing the program for the future definitely at 3,000,000 men as a minimum, and urged upon the War department the utmost effort to meet our immediate requirements for the expansion of port facilities and railroads. A detailed study of the troop shipments and tonnage required was included. My cable closed:

"There is nothing so dreadfully important as winning this war, and every possible resource should be made immediately available. Mr. Secretary, the question is so vital to our country and the necessity of winning the war is so great that there is no limit to which we should not go to carry out the plan I have outlined for the next ten months, and we must be prepared to carry it on still further after that at the same rate or maybe faster."

CHAPTER XLVII

The Thirty-second, Thirty-fifth, Forty-second and Seventy-seventh divisions were now in training under the recently organized Third corps. Especial effort was being made to hasten their preparation in both staff and line in anticipation of an early call for more serious service.

I inspected these troops June 19-22, 1918, and my impressions were favorable, although a number of officers were found unfamiliar with the principles of tactical leadership. In such hastily trained units this was hardly surprising, especially in view of the known defects of the instruction at home.

Many were found with but slight appreciation of the natural defensive possibilities of a given position. Some battalion and even regimental commanders had not thought to ascertain the exact location of their front lines, and of course had failed to work out the details of preparation against a possible attack.

My predilection for detailed instruction in minor tactics, growing out of my personal supervision of training in both small and large units, led me quickly to discover deficiencies.

My diary notes the establishment of the military board of allied supply at this time, June 22, 1918. It was expected to study questions of supply and adopt proper measures for the co-ordination of allied resources and utilities.

Col. Charles G. Dawes, who had charge in a more limited sphere of the co-ordination of our own supply departments, was detailed as the American member of the board.

Lauds Courage of Negro Troops.

Cables from the War department June 22 stated that the colored people at home were being told that negro soldiers in France were always placed in the most dangerous positions, being sacrificed to save white troops, and were often left on the field to die without medical attention. It was not difficult to guess the origin of this sort of propaganda. As a matter of fact, none of these troops had been in line except in quiet sectors. Those I had recently seen were in fine spirits and seemed keen for active service.

The only colored combat troops in France were those of the Ninety-second division, then in a quiet sector in the Vosges, and the four infantry regiments of the Ninety-third, each attached to a French division. Several individuals serving with the French had already received the croix de guerre for conduct in raids.

Clemenceau at Chaumont.

Prime Minister Clemenceau, General Foch and M. Andre Tardieu, with Generals Weygand and Mordacq, came to Chaumont June 23, 1918, for a conference on the increase of American man power.

M. Clemenceau's popularity in France was probably at its height. As this was his first visit to Chaumont the people turned out en masse, crowded into the plaza and gave him a rousing welcome. His reception within the hotel de ville by the officials, civil and military, was marked by eloquent speeches. In his remarks M. Clemenceau gave the people every encouragement, making special reference to the increasing forces the Americans were sending over.

As we were leaving the widowed mother of a missing soldier, her only son, came up in great distress and told M. Clemenceau of her sorrow. He spoke tenderly of her patriotic sacrifice, put his arm gently around her and kissed her cheeks, mingling his tears with hers. The pathos of this touched every heart.

As General Foch and the others were not arriving until later, M. Clemenceau and I, driving together, accompanied by Generals Wirbel and Ragueneau in a separate automobile, went to the headquarters of the Eighty-third division, Major General Glenn commanding, which was billeted at Montigny, not far from Chaumont. We fell to discussing the probable situation of the various allied countries and their relative standing after the war. M. Clemenceau went to some length in his conjectures.

Thought Britain Finished.

"Great Britain is finished and in my opinion she has seen the zenith of her glory," he said.

"What makes you think so, Mr. Prime Minister?" I asked.

"First of all," he replied, "the immense drain of the war will make it impossible for her to retain commercial supremacy, and, second, the experience of her colonial troops in this war will make their people more independent and she will lose her control over them."

I could not agree with M. Clemenceau's view and said: "Mr. Prime Minister, I think you are mistaken about the British, and I believe we shall see her fully recover from the effects of the war."

Continuing, I asked: "What about France's future?"

"Ah! She will once more be the dominant power in Europe," he replied.

"But you do not mention Germany," I reminded him.

He replied: "The Germans are a great people, but Germany will not regain her prestige and her influence for generations."

Discuss Troop Shipments.

Shortly after our return to Chaumont, Generals Foch and Weygand arrived and after lunch we all went into conference. The continuation of shipments up to one hundred divisions, as already recommended by the prime ministers, Lloyd George, Clemenceau, and Orlando, formed the basis of French argument.

The whole subject was thoroughly discussed, and, considering the then shortage of man power claimed by the French and British, to say nothing of the possible increase of the German armies from Russian sources, the main question was to get over as many Americans as possible. It was finally agreed that we should propose an eighty-division program to be completed by April, 1919, and add to it the larger program of one hundred divisions to be completed by July, 1919.

(continued next week)

ALABAMA FARM CROPS ARE WORTH $131,500,000

Alabama farmers are this year producing approximately $131,500,000 worth of field crops, according to the September crop report released yesterday by F. W. Gist, agricultural statistician for the Department of Agriculture, who reported this value to be "approximately $20,000,000 less than the harvest of 1930." The total of farm crops in Alabama last year was $151,519,000.

"At present prices the cotton crop in sight will be worth about $33,000,000 less than the crop of last year, while other field crops promise an increase in value of about $13,000,000," he said.

"This increase is based on somewhat lower unit prices for all commodities, and hence means that the volume of production this year is considerably greater than last year."

Indications on September 1st were that Alabama farmers will this year produce 1,288,000 bales of cotton; 40,724,000 bushels of corn; 583,000 tons of hay; 6,072,000 bushels of peanuts; 9,360,000 of sweet potatoes; 4,202,000 bushels of oats; 4,389,000 bushels of Irish potatoes; 5,310,000 gallons of syrup; 3,400,000 pounds of pecans and 1,530,000 bushels of peaches. This is an increase in all these crops.

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S. N. Lumback, a grocer of Oquawko, Ill., has saved $700 worth of pennies this year.

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CONTROL OF INSECTS IN DRIED FRUITS

Fruits of all kinds have been produced in abundance this year. Every effort should be made to save all of these food materials in some way. A very easy and popular method of keeping apples and peaches, at least, is to dry them. There is one disadvantage to curing fruits in this way. Quite often the dried fruit becomes infested with worms. These worms are most likely to be the larvae of the Indian meal moth or one of the dried fruit beetles. We are not so much concerned with what the insect is as we are about the methods of control. Suffice it to say that any pest found in dried fruits can be controlled by heat or by fumigating with carbon disulphie.

In the use of heat for the control of worms in dried fruit it is impossible to give very definite instructions. It is the opinion of the writer, however, that fruit spread in a thin layer on a piece of metal roofing and covered with a second piece of metal or glass and kept in the sun for several hours will result in the death of any insects present. Fruit spread out in thin layers and placed in the over of the stove for three or four hours should give good control. The temperature in the oven should be kept at 150 degrees Fahrenheit.

Carbon disulphide (high life) is an inexpensive fumigant that will give good control of insects in any kind of dried food. Altho it has a very pungent odor it can be used without injury to the food materials treated. Carbon disulphide gives off a gas that is heavier than air. For that reason the fruit or other materials to be fumigated should be placed in cans, boxes, or barrels that are tight enough to hold water. Otherwise, the gas will leak out before the insects are killed. Place the desired amount of high life in a shallow container, such as a tin plate, and place it on top of the fruit. Close the container and leave it undisturbed for thirty-six hours.

For one peck of dried fruit use 3 tablespoonfuls of high life. For one-half bushel, use one-half teacup of high life. For one bushel, use one teacup full of high life. For larger quantities, use eight to ten pounds of high life per 1000 cubic feet of air space. Treat when the air temperature is 70 degrees Fahrenheit or above.

W. A. RUFFIN,
Collaborator—Extension Service.

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FERTILIZER FACTS ISSUED BY AUBURN

Auburn, Ala.—As a result of experiments conducted, the Experiment Station of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, is now recommending that farmers use either basic slag or superphosphate in fertilizing either winter legumes or summer legumes. Basic slag is preferable to superphosphate, and more of it is being used each year in this way. It is a by-product of the steel industry of Birmingham.

Either 600 ounds of basic slag or 400 pounds of superphosphate is the Alabama recommendation for hairy vetch, Austrian peas, and other winter legumes; and also such summer legumes as soygeans and cowpeas.

For winter legumes basic slag has two advantages. They are: (1) The lime content, and (2) the fact that basic slag is not injurious to inoculation, as is true of superphosphate. In using superphosphate the seed must be kept away from the fertilizer. If allowed to come in contact the inoculation will be killed.

The time may come when basic slag will be used as a fertilizer for crops other than legume. The Alabama Experiment Station has obtained good results with it as a fertilizer for cotton when cotton was produced as a part of a rotation in which legumes were used. As yet these experiments are not considered conclusive and are being continued.

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For more than nine months I have called upon the people in Clanton, thru the columns of your paper to worship every Sunday. I do not see that the appeals have done much good, but still I am using every means within my reach to create a church loyalty. There is coming a day when the sorrow of your life will be that you did not do as I have begged you. Will you not attend church next Sunday, morning and night? Why not? Will your answer stand the test of the Judgment?

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We are delighted to welcome Miss Margarette Kendrick into our church. She comes to us from the Methodist church in Luverne. Welcome, thrice welcome.

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BRIEF NEWS NOTES

Cigar and tobacco factories in Cuba have notified their employees tht unless they are willing to accept a wage scale which will reduce their wages to the level prior to 1918 increases the factories will be forced to close, thereby adding many thousands to the list of unemployed.

The Bureau of the Census reports that 43,374 bales of cotton were consumed in Alabama mills during July. This was 10.4 per cent in excess of consumption in July,1930, but it was 7.4 per centbelow consumption in June, 1931, says the Ayabama Economic Review of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute.

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Harold Quinn of Muscatine, Ia., was tossed in the air, turned a somersault and landed unhurt in the automobile that hit his bicycle.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas J. M. Rowell and wife Annie Rowell did on May 21, 1927 execute that certain mortgage payable to Scott Lumber Company, which said mortgage is of record in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama in Volume 221 Record of Mortgages at page 207; and

Whereas, heretofore, for value received the said Scott Lumber Company did transfer, sell and assign all its right, title, claim and interest in and to said mortgage, the debt secured thereby and the real estate described therein to the undersigned N. W. Scott; and

Whereas, default has heretofore been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, so that said mortgage, by its terms is now subject to foreclosure;

Now Therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as transferee of said mortgage, will sell the real estate described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to the highest bidder for cash said sale to be held in front of the courthouse door of Chilton County, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on October 9, 1931. The real estate described in and conveyed by said mortgage is described as follows: The West half of the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter; also the East half of the East half of the Northwest quarter of the Northeast quarter, in Section 7, Township 22, Range 14, containing 30 acres, more or less. Situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

The proceeds of said sale will be applied in strict accordance with the terms of said mortgage relating thereto.

N. W. SCOTT,
9-3-4tcB. Transferee.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity.
F. H. Brown, Complainant, vs. W. G. Hayes, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 7th day of August, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Tuesday, The 22, Day of September, 1931, the following described property, viz.: The Southwest-quarter of Northeast-quarter and the Southeast-quarter of the Northwest-quarter, of Section 23, Township 22, Range 12, in Chilton County, Alabama, which is the 80 acres known as the W. G. Hayes home place.

This the 1st day of September, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
9-3-3tcS. Register.

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NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity. No. 941.
Ada Maddox, Complainant, vs. Luther Maddox, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of G. C. Walker that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Luther Maddox to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 6th day of October, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 5th day of September, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
9-10-4tc Register.

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WE WILL ATTEND AT THE FOLLOWING TIMES AND PLACES FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING THE STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR CHILTON COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1931 AND ASSESSING TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1932:

Mullins Academy, Beat 1	Oct. 5
Jemison, Beat 2	Oct. 6
Mars Hill, Beat 2	Oct. 7
Benson, Beat 3	Oct. 8
Verbena, Beat 5	Oct. 9
Mountain Creek, Beat 5	Oct. 10
Enterprise, Beat 6	Oct. 12
Kincheon, Beat 6	Oct. 13
Maplesville, Beat 7	Oct. 14
Shoults, Beat 7	Oct. 15
Stanton, Beat 8	Oct. 16
Riderville, Beat 8	Oct. 17
Thorsby, Beat 9	Oct. 19
Coopers, Beat 10	Oct. 20
Cane Creek, Beat 11	Oct. 21
Mineral Springs, Beat 12	Oct. 22
Robinson's Store, Beat 12	Oct. 23
Providence, Beat 13	Oct. 26
Macedonia, Beat 14	Oct. 27
Pletcher, Beat 15	Oct. 28
Culp Schoolhouse, Beat 15	Oct. 29
Providence, Beat 16	Oct. 30
Clanton, Beat 4	Oct. 31

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct to attend in Person on the day of the appointment in your Precinct and then and there render to the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the 1st day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31st, 1931.

W. G. CULP, Tax Collector.
AKINS I. COLLINS, Tax Assessor.

Prop. No. 2.

State of Alabama
A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the second Tuesday in November after the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, as provided by Section 287 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Act proposing the amendment was not submitted for the aproval of the Governor but was valid upon its adoption by the Legislature without his approval, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 10th day of November, 1931, is the second Tuesday in November, such day being more than three months after the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday, the 10th day of November, 1931, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:—

"ARTICLE XXI. Section 219 of the present Constitution is hereby annulled and set aside and hereafter the Legislature of Alabama may provide for the assessment, levy and collection of a tax upon inheritances and for the levying of estate taxes not to exceed in the aggregate the amounts which may by any law of the United States be allowed to be credited against or deducted from any similar tax upon inheritances or taxes on estates assessed or levied by the United States on the same subject. The Legislature shall have the power to levy such inheritance or estate taxes in the State of Alabama only so long as and during the time an inheritance or estate tax is enforced by the United States against Alabama inheritances or estates, and shall only be exercised or enforced to the extent of absorbing the amount of any deduction or credit which may be permitted by the laws of the United States now existing or hereafter enacted to be claimed by reason thereof as deduction or credit against such similar tax of the United States applicable to Alabama inheritances or estates."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight successive weeks prior to the 10th day of November, 1931, in each county of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the great seal of the State to be affixed at the Captol, in the City of Montgomery, on this the 3rd day of September, 1931.

B. M. Miller,
Governor.

Attest:
P. B. Jarman, Jr.
Secretary of State.

Prop. No. 1.

State of Alabama
A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the Second Tuesday after the expiration of three months from and after the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, as provided by Section 287 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Act proposing the amendment was not submitted for the approval of the Governor but was valid upon its adoption by the Legislature without his approval, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 3rd day of November, 1931, is the second Tuesday after the expiration of three months from and after the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 3rd day of November, 1931, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:—

"ARTICLE XX-B. Section 1. The State is authorized to engage in the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways and bridges in the State of Alabama. To this end and for these purposes, the State is authorizzed to appropriate funds and for constructional purposes only the State is authorized also to issue and sell interest-bearing negotiable State bonds in addition to those already authorized and sold under Article XX and XX-A, as amendments to the Constitution of 1901, in an amount not to exceed the sum of twenty-five million dollars ($25,000,000.00), to be issued under such denominations, numbers and series, maturing at such times as may be provided by law, and all such bonds shall bear a rate of interest not greater than six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and shall be sold at a price not less than par value thereof.

Section 2. The State Highway Commission or Highway Department shall locate, construct and maintain highways, bridges and State trunk roads so as to connect each county seat with the county seat of the adjoining county by the most direct or most feasible route by a permanent road, having due regard for the public welfare, and shall connect the county seats of the several border counties at or near the state line with a public highway in the border states, Provided, that in counties which are divided into two or more judicial divisions in each of which regular terms of the circuit court are held, the places where said terms of court are held, shall likewise be connected with each other.

Section 3. The proceeds of said bonds shall be used for constructing and/or surfacing of roads and constructing and/or repairing bridges, but not for maintenance or discharging of contract debts, liability or obligations existing prior to the adoption of this amendment.

Section 4. Eighteen million four hundred twenty-five thousand dollars ($18,425,000.00) of the proceeds of said bonds shall be set aside by the Governor and apportioned in amounts of Two Hundred seventy-five thousand dollars ($275,000.00) to each of the respective counties of the State which must be expended by the State Highway Commission or Highway Department in each of said counties for construction, which shall include hard surfacing, of existing and also new public roads and bridges therein. The remaining proceeds of said bonds shall be used for the construction, which shall include surfacing, of existing, or new highways and constructing or repairing bridges in the State.

Section 5. The proceeds of such bonds shall be kept separate and apart from all other funds and no part of the same shall ever be used in honoring a warrant not legally drawn against such proceeds.

Section 6. There is hereby levied and every distributor, retail dealer or storer shall pay an excise tax of one cent per gallon upon the selling, distributing or withdrawing from storage for any use gasoline, provided, however, that the excise tax is not levied upon the sale of gasoline in interstate commerce, and provided further that where this excise tax shall have been paid by a distributor or by a retail dealer or storer such payment shall be sufficient, the intention being that this tax shall not be paid but once. The terms 'distributor', 'retail dealer', 'storer', 'selling', 'distributing', 'withdrawing' and 'gasoline' are used as the same are used in existing gasoline excise tax laws of the State and shall be so construed, and all rights, duties, liabilities, penalties, powers and methods pertaining to the collection of gasoline excise taxes under such existing laws of the State shall apply to the collection, payment and accounting for the within excise tax, provided, the Legislature may limit, extend or further define the same. The excise tax of one cent herein levied shall be in addition to the excise gasoline taxes provided by existing laws of the State, but this section shall not be construed in any way as limiting the power of the Legislature to increase or decrease this or any other gasoline tax.

Section 7. The one cent excise tax hereinbefore levied shall be used first to create a sinking fund for the prompt and faithful payment of the principal and the interest on the bonds herein authorized, and, second, by the State for the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways and bridges of this State.

Section 8. The bonds herein authorized when issued shall be a direct obligation of the State, and for the prompt and faithful payment of the principal and interest thereon the full faith and credit of the State is hereby irrevocably pledged and such bonds shall be exempt forever from taxes of every kind.

Section 9. The bonds herein authorized shall be issued and sold in the same manner by a Bond Commission as set forth, defined and prescribed in Article 5 of Chapter 32, Code of Alabama, 1923.

Section 10. That House Bill No. 1204 by Mr. Tunstall, if and when passed by both houses of the Legislature of Alabama of 1931 and approved by the Governor and being, "A bill to be entitled an act to impose, for the use and purpose of surviving, preserving, maintaining, constructing and regulating the use of public roads and bridges in the State of Alabama, an excise tax on all persons, companies, agencies corporations, and associations who sell, distribute, store or draw from storage for any purpose whatsoever gasoline or any other liquid motor fuels or devices or any substitute therefor within the State of Alabama; providing for the collection of such excise tax and the payment of same into the State Treasury; providing for the enforcement of this act and fixing a penalty for the violation of the provisions hereof; providing that the said excise tax so imposed shall be in addition to all other excise tax now imposed by law; and, providing that freight agents or railroads and all agents of all transportation companies operating within the State of Alabama and who transport motor fuels shall report to the State Tax Commission all shipments of gasoline or any substitute therefor, received at any of their stations within the State", be and the same is hereby ratified, confirmed and validated and made constitutional as a law, and such ratification, confirmation, validation and constitutionally as a law, shall, according to the terms thereof when finally passed, in the manner aforesaid, take effect and be effective on the day of the passage of said bill by both houses of the Legislature of Alabama of 1931, and approved by the Governor, as fully as if said bill was set out in words and figures herein."

I further direct and proclaim that notices of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight consecutive weeks prior to the 3rd day of November, 1931, in each county of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the great seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the city of Montgomery, on this the 3rd day of September, 1931.

B. M. Miller,
Governor.

Attest:
P. B. Jarman, Jr.
Secretary of State.

A burglar stole a watch belonging to C. S. Boston, a grocer, of Pampa, Tex., also turned off the switch on an alarm clock set for 3 a. m. which caused the grocer to miss his train.

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GINNER'S COTTON LIEN LOST IF IT LEAVES HIS POS. WITH OKEH

Answering a letter from Commissioner of Agriculture Storrs, the office of Atty. Gen. Knight, has ruled that a ginner's lien on cotton is lost when the cotton leaves his possession with his consent; and is not preserved by the placing of a notation that the ginning fee is due and unpaid, on the warehouseman's receipt for the cotton.

As between a cotton warehouseman and a landlord, the landlord's lien is superior, it is stated, unless the warehouseman is a purchaser for value and without notice. The bond of a warehouseman would not be liable for payment of a ginner's lien, it is held.

The Commissioner, in his letter, said that in the past, it has been the general custom for ginning charges to be paid either in cash or deducted from the seed. At the present time, however, he continued, seed are so cheap they are bringing an average of about $1.50 a bale in excess of the charge for ginning.

"In many sections of the State," the Commissioner said, "farmers have adopted the plan of taking all of the cottonseed money to live on and allowing the ginning charges to follow the bale of cotton into the warehouse, and setting out on the warehouse receipt the amount of ginning charges against the bale." Mr. Storrs said there has been considerable inquiry concerning the details of this.

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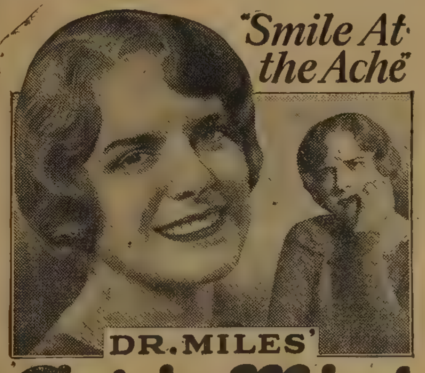
A CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our many thanks to our neighbors and friends who were so kind to us and showed us their sympathy at the death of our husband, father, son and brother, Mr. Jim Rushing. We also thank Mr. Martin of Clanton for his kindness.

Respectfully,
—Mrs. Clara Rushing and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rushing, Mrs. Sallie Strength.

J. B. ATKINSON
Attorney-At-Law
Office Over Robinson Department Store
Clanton, Alabama



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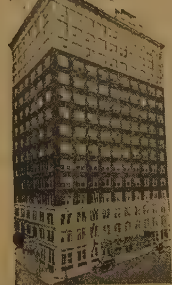

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Eastview News

Our church held its annual business meeting last Saturday and unanimously re-elected the pastor, Rev. A. C. Nelson. All the officers of the church were re-elected.

The Sunday school held its annual business meeting Sunday and elected teachers and officers.

The Christian Endeavor elected officers and committees Sunday night to serve for one year.

There will be a meeting at the church next Friday evening for the purpose of picking the cotton patch cultivated by the church. Everybody invited to help.

Rev. A. C. Nelson and family were dinner guests of Mrs. Sallie Strength Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mims were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Bowles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rushing were the dinner guests of Mrs. Sallie Strength.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coggins of Mt. Springs.

Mr. Bee Connell of Pinedale was in our burg on business Monday.

Mr. O. P. Henson and family and Miss Mae Lizzie Milom were the Sunday dinner guests of Rev. A. C. Nelson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Strength were the dinner guests of Mrs. Clara Rushing and family Saturday.

Messrs. J. W. and Royal Coggins visited Rev. A. C. Nelson Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Culpepper visited Mrs. Emma Campbell Sunday.

Let's come to Sunday school and to Christian Endeavor regularly and make these services among the best.

Several from Clanton attended church here Sunday.

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SAVE THESE FALL PIGS

With an abundant feed crop in prospect all over the county it is up to us to save every pig farrowed this fall to help consume it. Hogs are our best market for much of our feedstuff and surplus pigs will be in demand all over the State.

The following suggestions are simply to remind you of the things you should do with your sow that should farrow in the near future.

1. Fix up an individual farrowing house with guard rails and place it in a pasture away from other hogs. Clean surroundings will prevent pigs from becoming infested with worms.

2. See that your sow is free of lice before farrowing and keep her that way. Old crank case oil will do the job and can be secured at any filling station.

3. Just prior to farrowing feed the sow lightly on some laxative feed such as a wheat bran mash. A feverish condition and a lack of protein in the diet causes sows to eat pigs.

4. Clip off any "wolf or needle teeth" from new-born pigs. Sows will frequently kill pigs if this is neglected.

5. Any of the following rations will be satisfactory for the sow during the suckling period:

Ration 1. Corn (shelled or ground) 75 lbs.; wheat shorts, 13 lbs.; cottonseed meal, 7 lbs.; tankage 60%, 5 lbs.

Ration 2. Corn (shelled or ground) 1 part; skim or butter milk, 3 parts.

Ration 3. 18% Pig meal.

6. Keep a mineral mixture of charcoal, slaked lime, and salt (equal parts by weight) before the sow at all times.

7. The best way to feed young pigs is to feed the sow well. Gradually increase the sow's feed after farrowing so that by the end of ten days she is eating 3-4 per cent of her live weight of any of the above rations.

8. Plenty of fresh, clean water is just as important as feed. Be sure to water the sow three times daily if water is not available in the pasture.

9. Do not breed your sow until after the litter is weaned at eight weeks of age.

10. Be sure to plant oats and either vetch or peas for winter and early spring grazing for these pigs. Green feed will reduce the feed cost as much as 15-20 per cent.

Trusting that these suggestions will be helpful and that you will call on me if you desire additional information on hogs, I remain

Very truly yours,
C. E. STAPP, County Agent.

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Mrs. Alfred Moody of Brooklyn, N. Y., slapped a mosquito while she was on a pier in Atlantic city, and lost a sapphire ring overboard.

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Ford Chevrolet	4.40-21	$4.98	$4.98	$9.60	$4.35	$4.35	$8.50
Chevrolet	4.50-20	5.60	5.60	10.90	4.78	4.78	9.26
Ford	4.50-21	5.69	5.69	11.10	4.85	4.85	9.40
Ford Chevrolet Whippet	4.75-19	6.65	6.65	12.90	5.68	5.68	11.14
Erskine Plymouth	4.75-20	6.75	6.75	13.14	5.75	5.75	11.26
Chandler DeSoto Dodge Durant Graham-Paige Pontiac Roosevelt Willys-Knight	5.00-19	6.98	6.98	13.60	5.99	5.99	11.66
Essex Nash	5.00-20	7.10	7.10	13.80	6.10	6.10	11.90
Essex Nash Oldsmobile	5.00-21	7.35	7.35	14.30	6.35	6.35	12.40
Buick	5.25-21	8.57	8.57	16.70	7.37	7.37	14.52

MAKE OF CAR	TIRE SIZE	Firestone Oldfield Type Cash Price Each	★Special Brand Mail Order Tire	Firestone Oldfield Type Cash Price Per Pair
B'k-Mq. Oldsm.	5.25-18	$7.90	$7.90	15.30
Auburn Jordan Reo	5.50-18	8.75	8.75	17.00
Gardner Marm'n Oakland Peerless Stu'b'kr	5.50-19	8.90	8.90	17.30
Chrysler Viking	6.00-18	11.20	11.20	21.70
Frank'n Hudson Hupm.	6.00-19	11.45	11.45	22.20
LaSalle Pack'rd	6.00-20	11.47	11.47	22.30

MAKE OF CAR	TIRE SIZE	Firestone Oldfield Type Cash Price Each	★Special Brand Mail Order Tire	Firestone Oldfield Type Cash Price Per Pair
P'ce-A.	6.00-21	11.65	11.65	22.60
Stutz	6.50-20	13.45	13.45	25.40
Cadillac Lincoln Pack'rd	7.00-20	15.35	15.35	29.80

TRUCK and BUS TIRES

SIZE H. D.	Firestone Oldfield Type Cash Price Each	★Special Brand Mail Order Tire	Firestone Oldfield Type Cash Price Per Pair
30x5	$17.95	$17.95	$34.90
32x6	29.75	29.75	57.90
36x6	32.95	32.95	63.70
6.00-20	15.25	15.25	29.90

4.75-19 TIRE	Firestone Oldfield Type	★A Special Brand Mail Order Tire
More Weight, pounds	18.00	17.80
More Thickness, inches	.658	.605
More Non-Skid Depth, inches	.281	.250
More Plies Under Tread	6	5
Same Width, inches	5.20	5.20
Same Price	$6.65	$6.65

4.50-21 TIRE	Firestone Sentinel Type	★A Special Brand Mail Order Tire
More Weight, pounds	17.02	16.10
More Thickness, inches	.598	.561
More Non-Skid Depth, inches	.250	.234
More Plies Under Tread	6	5
Same Width, inches	4.75	4.75
Same Price	$4.85	$4.85

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When motorists stopped to find out why L. C. Johnson of Kansas City was standing by his car frantically waving his trousers, they were told that a hornet had crawled up his leg.

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FIDELIS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS ELECTS OFFICERS

The Fidelis Sunday School Class of the Baptist church met last Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Renfroe Mullins for a social gathering and for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. Following the devotional read by Miss Mary Lee Pyron, and prayer by the class, the following officers were elected:

Miss Mary Lee Pyron, president; Miss Frances Moore, 1st vice-pres.; Miss Bonnie Clyde Griffin, 2nd vice-pres.; Miss Charlsie Pyron, secretary-treasurer; Miss Mary Frank Smith, assistant secretary. Miss Zora Guy, reporter.

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Maplesville News

The Senior High opened September 7, with a big enrollment. The faculty is giving splendid service with Prof. J. E. Daniel of Lomax, Ala., history.

Mr. Carlton E. White of Jacksonville, Ala., science and mathematics; Miss Lettie Snider, of Rockford, Ala., junior high school teacher; Miss Faye Coates of Fort Payne, Ala., English; Miss Dorothy Reynolds of Plantersville, Ala. home economics.

Messrs. Jno. Alvin Foshee and Kermit Cobern left for the University at Tuscaloosa last week.

Charlie Haggard left Monday for Livingston and Abney Brown for Jacksonville, Ala.

Miss Lucy Parnell entered Alabama College, Montevallo.

Miss Ethel Mize is delighted with her school at Lay Dam.

Miss Johnson of Rockford was the guest of Mrs. C. N. Parnell last week.

Miss Elizabeth Parnell, some friends of Guntersville were week end guests of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. N. Parnell.

Rev. Stafford of Plantersville, Ala., filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church.

Rev. Paul Oden will meet his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 7:30. Everybody invited.

Mrs. Sallie Shanks is visiting relatives and friends in Selma, Ala.

Miss Bessie Murle Radreard of Beuna Vista, Ala., has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Northrup. She has accepted a position with the Alabama Powery Company.

The many friends of Mr. Jack Northrup will be pleased to know he stood his trip to Kerrville, Texas fine. He spent nearly five months with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Northrup His wife came for him.

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WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY — SEPT. 16 and 17
Betty Compson - Gilbert Emery In
"THE LADY REFUSES"

FRIDAY and SATURDAY — SEPT. 18 and 19
Tom Tyler In
"WEST OF CHEYENNE"
Serial: "Spell of the Circus"

MONDAY and TUESDAY — SEPT 21 and 22
Bert Lytell and Patsy Ruth Miller
"LAST OF THE LONE WOLF"
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Miss Margaret Hester Weds In New York

News was received in Clanton this week announcing the marriage of Miss Margaret Hester of Clanton and New York City, to Mr. Austin Claire McCreary, of New York.

The ceremony was performed in The Little Church Around The Corner, in New York, last Monday night.

Mrs. McCreary is the charming and talented daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Allen Hester of Clanton and one of the young ladies of this place who have ranked among the most popular, not only at home but in New York among her many friends.

Mr. McCreary is connected with the American Telephone and Telegraph Company in New York, and holds a responsible position in the broadcasting department of that company.

They will arrive in Clanton to spend several days next Saturday, making the trip to Jacksonville by boat, and awaiting this couple are hearty congratulations and best wishes from the people of Clanton.

Mrs. T. H. Neighbors Hostess To "As You Like It Club."

Mrs. T. H. Neighbors was hostess to members of the "As You Like It Club" at her home Thursday afternoon. The living room was beautifully decorated with dahlias and roses. Later in the afternoon the hostess served a delicious salad plate to the following: Mesdames V. J. Gragg, D. W. Haskew, G. C. Walker, J. B. Atkinson, T. R. Burdette, M. A. Gore, Flem Higgins, W. E. Marton, H. C. Falkenberry. Invited guest for the afternoon was Mrs. Annie Cannon of Tuscaloosa. Mrs. W. M. Polk will have the next meeting.

Miss Beverly Hester arrived in Clanton yesterday to spend a while with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hester, before leaving with her sister, Miss Julia Ruth Hester for Judson College, where she will teach music.

Catches A Fine Canary Marked With Leg Band

J. L. B. Long, a farmer residing on Verbena, Route 2, was in Clanton Wednesday and visited the News office, bringing with him a celluloid band which he states came from the leg of a fine canary bird, caught at his home about August 10th.

Mr. Long stated that he had been informed that several of these birds had been loosed at Washington for experimental purposes and was seeking information concerning this. He has the bird at his home in a cage and says he is certainly a fine singer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry and children motored to Selma Sunday and spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fox and Mrs. Irene Rasberry spent Monday in Centerville.

Mrs. Annie Cannon returned to her home in Tuscaloosa after a weeks visit with friends and relatives.

INFANT DAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. W. M. COX DIES

Myrtle Belle Cox, the five months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cox, died last Sunday morning, September 13th, at the home two miles northeast of Coopers.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at Chestnut Creek, Martin & Sons in charge.

"Some say love is a chemicial reaction."

"Well, we can all conduct our own laboratory experiments."

During the month of July building permits valued at $508,759 were issued in 17 Alabama cities, according to the Alabama Economic Revoew published at Auburn.

Non-Jury Term Court To Meet Here Sept. 28

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O. L.; Henry Wilson, V. P. L.; Gordon Hudson, V. P. L.; C. E. Faulkner, V. P. L.; Jack Dickerson, A & B; Robert E. Waites, D. M. V. W. Intox.; Jim Dykes, A & B; Robert E. Waites, A. I. O. L.; Buster Roebuck, A.I.O.L.; Otto Roebuck, A. I. O. L.; Garner Smith, A & B; Perry Johnson, A & B; Barney Littlefied et al, Defaulting Bond; Elijah Thomas et al, Defaulting Bond; Vernon Clark, V. P. L.; Albert Rucker, V. P. L.

Arthur Gibson, Issuing Bad Ch.; Jackson Cleckler, V. P. L.; James Gennings alias et al., Defaulting Bond; Lum Gill, V. P. L.; Jack Tyus, V. P. L.; Willie Pilgreen et al, Defaulting Bond; Joe Cooper, A & B; Charlie Henry, D. M. V. W. Intox.

September The 29th, 1931

John Henry, V. P. L.; Will Giles, V. P. L.; Aline Hurt, A. I. O. L.; Lee Simpson, V. P. L.; Herman Stone, V. P. L.; Quinton W. Branton, V. P. L.; Clarence Hawkins, A & B.; Tom Hughes, V. P. L.; Brack Pearson, V. P. L.; Jim Caton, V. P. L.; Retherford Varner, V. P. L.; James Chisholm, V. P. L.; Annie M. Chisholm, V. P. L.; Arnold Dooley, A & B.; Norman Roberts, A & B.; Norman Roberts, Defacing P. P.; F. D. Long, Reckless Driving; Meadie Bohannon, A & B.; Curtis Giles, V. P. L.; Ellis Foshee, V. P. L.; Flora Thornton, A. & B.; S. D. McCary, V. P. L.; Jim Varner, V. P. L.; Tom Boyd, V. P. L.; Wallace Jackson, A. & B.; Thomas Lewis, V. P. L.; Herbert Lucas, V. P. L.; Mack Neighbors, V. P. L.; Hasteen Lucas, V. P. L.; Jasper Lucas, V. P. L.

J. C. Jones, V. P. L.; P. D. Williams, V. P. L.; Powell Sullivan, V. P. L.; Earnest Baker, V. P. L.; Horace Mims, D. M. V. W. L. T.; Dennis Williams, S. Mortg. P.; Lude Williams, Reckless D.; James Evans, Reckless D.; William King, Reckless D.; Carl Sammons, D. R. W.; John Norred, Petit Larceny; Grady Taylor, Trading W. L.; Grady Taylor, Trading W. L.; Lois Winston, V. P. L.; Willie Vinson, V. P. L.; Jim M. McCormick, V. P. L.; Marcus Bert, V. P. L.; Robert Zeigler, A & B.; Wilbur F. White, P. L.; Bennie Connell, G. L.; Tearse Killingsworth, A. I. O. L.

Truck Claims Life Of One In Accident

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could warn Chancellor, the truck struck the latter with the stake body.

A Martin & Sons ambulance answered the call and rushed the injured man to the Central Alabama Hospital here but he died while en route. His body was brought to the Martin Funeral Parlors where it was prepared for burial.

The truck, said to be the property of the Brown Transfer Company of Birmingham was driven by a youth giving his name as Wyatt Robinson of Birmingham. He immediately came to Clanton and surrendered to Sheriff W. H. Gillespie, following the accident, and stated that he went to sleep, and that when he struck Chancellor, he woke up and was on the opposite side of the road. Robinson was lodged in the Montgomery jail and later made bond, the information stated.

Funeral services were held for Chancellor last Saturday afternoon at Mt. Pisgah, with the Rev. Perry Mims officiating. Interment followed in the Mt. Pisgah cemetery with Martin & Sons in charge. The deceased is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Chancellor, and other relatives, and was widely known in this section, as was shown by the large number of people present to pay their last respects.

REPORT OF ENROLLMENT OF ISABELLA HIGH SCHOOL

The following report from the Isabella High School was intended for last week's publication but was received too late:

High school opened Monday morning, Sept. 7. Dr. Haskew, pastor of the Methodist church, delivered a most inspiring address to the students and patrons of the school. His theme, "What I Should Do If I Were A Youth Again." He developed with enthusiasm which touched not only youth, but everyone present.

Plans for student government, club organizations, and athletic activities were laid out by Mr. J. D. Griffin, principal.

Mr. Howard Oden, chairman of the board of trustees, pledged their hearty support to the faculty and student body.

Miss Mary Ellis of Clanton, music teacher, rendered a beautiful piano solo. She also accompanied Mr. Ralph Grant, instructor of English, in a vocal solo.

A letter in the Cincinnati Enquirer suggesting that charitable organizations supply electric fans to poor people in summer is signed B. B. Fann.

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Ala. Merchants Close Meeting In Birmingham

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clared they went away with many helpful ideas, as well as the memory of a good time.

Other officers elected for the ensuing year include: Jeff Beeland, Greenville, First Vice President; J. W. Carlisle, Wedowee, Second Vice President; W. T. Wells and M. R. Norton, both of Birmingham, Secretary and treasurer, respectively. The committees follow: Advisory, U. G. White, Athens, Chairman, S. T. Palmer, Northport, T. E. Moody, Springville, J. Lee Hicks, Dadeville, W. O. Kelly, Cullman, E. I. Crandall, Bradford, and Sam Leeth, Boaz. Legislative, J. F. MtGraw, Vincent, Chairman, Frank Holcomb, Oneonta, R. W. Martin, Athens, D. O. Stokes, Reform, and G. W. Ponder, Cullman. Resolution: L. S. Hunter, Alexander City, Chairman, Robert Holcomb, Calera, G. T. Walker, Kennedy, H. H. Mathews, Camden, John Orman Russellville. Nominating: T. E. Moody, Springville Chairman, L. E. Price, Garden City, Tom Kemp, Clanton, H. C. Barwick, Alabama City. Membership: T. S. Sanford, Wetumpkia, Chairman, J. R. Waldrop, Goodwater, Harris Baxter, Clio, H. A. Taylor, Greensboro and R. E. Cospor, Sterret.

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NORTHINGTONS TO ATLANTA PEN FOR FOUR YEARS

Sentenced In U.S. Court After Pleading Guilty To Violating Banking Law

Allen Northington, former president of the First National Bank of Prattville and manager of the Alabama Farm Bureau Cotton Association, and his brother, Edward Northington, former vice-president and cashier of the bank, Saturday were taken to Atlanta where they are to serve sentences of four years for violation of the National Banking Act in connection with the bank's failure.

The brothers were sentenced Saturday by Judge Charles B. Kennamer, of the United States District Court, after they had entered pleas of guilty to charges of misapplication of the bank's funds and the making of false entries to cover the misapplications.

The sentence was pronounced after Judge Kennamer had heard a brief summary of the major items misapplied given by Alfred E. Sweeney, agent of the Department of Justice, who stated that while some of the funds were used to pay personal checks of Edward Northington "that there is nothing to indicate that they, (the defendants) are in possession of the money now."

The defendants and their attorneys, Wiley C. Hill, Former Gov. Bibb Graves, and Lawrence Lee, did not make any statement to the court.

"It is not for me to say how much criminal intent there was on the part of the defendants," Judge Kennamer said, "but it appears that they have very flagrantly violated the law and it is the sentence of the court that each shall serve a term of four years in the penitentiary."

The defendants were jointly indicted on 25 counts instead of 85 which was erroneously reported. Twelve of the counts alleged misapplication of funds and 13 alleged making of false entries. Each count constitutes a separate offense under the law and the maximum sentence that could have been given was five years on each count or a total of 125 years, it was said.

The sentence of the court, however,

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Miss Jewel Minor Weds Leonard Gentry Sun.

A marriage uniting two popular people of this county took place last Sunday afternoon at four-thirty o'clock, when Miss Jewel Minor became the bride of Mr. Leonard Gentry of Clanton. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a few intimate friends by the Rev. J. A. Lynch, at his home near Clanton.

Mrs. Gentry is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Minor of Montgomery, former residents of Clanton. She is a graduate of the local high school and during her residence in Clanton was popular among the younger set here, and has taught in this county.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gentry, of near Clanton and is well known over the entire county, holding a responsible position with the Clanton Laundry & Cleaning Company, with whom he has been for sometime. Mr. and Mrs. Gentry will make their home near Clanton. The News joins the many friends of this couple in offering heartiest congratulations.

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BORROWERS ON GOVERNMENT SEED LOAN ARE TO MEET

Those farmers of Chilton County who borrowed money from the Government on seed and feed loans, have been requested to meet the assistant agent, Mr. Draper at the office of the County Agent in Clanton on next Friday afternoon during the hours of one to four o'clock.

STILL THEY DO IT

Almost every week the News receives communications from various places and persons in the county, giving interesting news items in their letters, but come unsigned. We know they are intended for publication, but the News cannot use such news items unless the writer's name is signed or we know where it came from. This week a write-up on a wedding came in, with no name signed and is not being used. The name of the writer is not published unless requested.

“His Majesty--- The Devil”

The above subject will be discussed at the Methodist church next Sunday at 11 A. M. Dr. Haskew announced last Sunday that he had heard many sermons on different subjects, but he never heard a minister venture to preach a sermon on the devil. He said that he was going to make that venture, and invited the people of Clanton to hear him.

We are sure that there are quite a few people in Clanton and Chilton county who should be anxious to hear about their master. If you want to hear the truth about the Old Boy, be at the Methodist church next Sunday. The devil has a past, a present and a future, but all the time and everywhere he is just the devil.

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REAL ESTATE OFFICE OPENS IN CLANTON

J. E. Popwell Opens Branch Of Birmingham Office In Hayes Bldg.

Believing in the bright future of Clanton and Chilton County, J. E. Popwell of Birmingham, has recently opened an office in the Hayes Building, over Matt's Lunch Shoppe, going into the real estate business in Clanton.

Mr. Popwell spends sometime in Clanton, and at present is called away a day or so to Birmingham where he also has business connections. While in town the other day he called at the News office and spoke of his opinions concerning the prospects of bringing to this county many more residents who are seeking small and large farms and other places.

He stated that in his viewing of Chilton County he believes that this county has many places that would come up to the requirements of several of the persons in cities who are looking for country locations. Mr. Popwell is a native of Chilton County, born and reared here, receiving his education in the local schools. He has been in the real estate business in Birmingham for a number of years and has a splendid reputation there.

Along with his real estate business, Mr. Popwell has purchased several acres of land in this county from which he will cut small trees for the manufacture of children's playhouses in log cabin fashion, selling them to the market, as well as handling a large amount of rustic furniture. See the ad from the Popwell Realty Company, in this issue.

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BROTHER-IN-LAW OF T. W. BRYAN DIED THURSDAY

The Times-Journal, Eastman, Ga., reported the death last week of Hon. E. D. Griffin, justice of the peace of Lees District, and for many years tax receiver of Dodge County, Ga. Mr. Griffin died on the morning of Sept. 17th following a stroke of paralysis. He is a brother-in-law of T. W. Bryan, of Clanton. Funeral services were conducted last Friday. He was eighty years old and a prominent citizen of Dodge County, Ga.

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MR. AND MRS. SPAIN ARE PROUD PARENTS OF GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Spain, who reside at Log Cabin Beach, have announced the arrival of a fine baby girl at their home on Saturday, September 5th. The new arrival has been named Doris Marie, and is doing fine. Mr. Spain is well known as the operator of the ferry connecting the Chilton and Coosa sides of the new Rockford road. This newspaper joins the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Spain in congratulations.

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MISS DOLLIE MAE HARRIS BREAKS LEG FRIDAY NIGHT

Miss Dollie Mae Harris is confined to her bed at her home here suffering with a broken left leg as the result of an accident at her home last Friday night. Miss Harris with her sister, Miss Ressie Harris, were alone at home when they state they heard someone prowling in the house. In attempting to escape from the room through a window, she fell, breaking both bones just above the ankle.

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The friends of A. L. Taylor will be glad to learn that he is much improved after having been confined to his home here with a severe cold.

MAN SHOT IN RAID ON STILL IN COOSA CO.

200 Gallon Outfit Captured With Two Men; Four Arrests Here

During a raid on a still in Coosa County last Monday night, Frank Calloway was shot, another man arrested, one escaping, and a two-hundred gallon still captured along with approximately 1200 gallons of beer and several gallons of whiskey, according to reports from Federal officers and from the office of the sheriff here.

The information given a representative of the News stated that two officers from Chilton County, Sheriff W. H. Gillespie and Deputy Louis Gillespie were aiding a Federal Officer, Charlie Fridge, of Montgomery in making the raid, which took place just across the river on the Coosa County side, at Hatchett Creek. The still was said to not have been in operation at the time, but it was stated that Calloway and the other man caught, Oscar

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As'cn Clerks Asked For Careful Study

The clerks of the Chilton County Baptist associations will soon be filling out their form blanks in preparing for the meetings of the associations in the county, according to W. J. Billingsley, who is ever working in this item.

The Chilton County Baptist Association meets on Wednesday and Thursday after the second Sunday in October in Thorsby, and all clerks who have not received their blanks are asked to write Mr. Billingsley who has some on hand. The clerks are also asked to please study these letters carefully and fill them in correctly.

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SINGING AT VERBENA IS BIG SUCCESS

Regular Fall Session Held At High School Last Sunday, All Day

Verbena has always been a great place for the singers of the county to gather, for there are a few ardent supporters there who, regardless of the lukewarmness of others, always make the singers feel welcome and make the singing a real go and an inspiration to all who attend. The Chilton County Singing Convention which met in regular fall session there last Sunday, was the best county convention that has been held in recent years. Besides lots of singers from all adjoining counties as well as Jefferson County, Prof. J. M. Henson and Mr. F. W. Tarrant of Atlanta, Ga., were there. These gentlemen are connected with the Morris-Henson Music Company of Atlanta. Also the local quartet furnished the spice to go along with the fine class singing all during the day.

The meeting was presided over by

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SPIGENER FUNERAL HOME MOVES TO NEW LOCATION

The building which has been remodeled inside for the Spigener Funeral Homes has been completed and they have moved in. This new place is nicely suited for the new addition of business to Clanton, and is located next door to The Fair Store. Mr. Brand, manager, invites the public's inspection of their new home.

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THOMAS JUNIOR HIGH TO OPEN ON OCTOBER 7TH

Announcement was made this week that the Thomas Junior High School will open on Wednesday, October 7th, in the morning. All pupils are asked to bring as many of their old school books as possible, as they may be able to exchange with other pupils. Prof. G. C. Weldon will be principal of the school this year, and all patrons are invited to attend the opening exercises of the school.

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Miss Hattie Mae Tillery of Birmingham is spending several days with Mrs. C. E. Stapp and Mrs. J. Q. Wade.

JERSEY CATTLE SHOW DISPLAYS FINE ANIMALS

Specialist Claims Best Display Seen In Many Alabama Counties

The Calf Club boys and other breeders of pure bred Jerseys showed about 30 head of nice registered Jerseys in Clanton last Saturday. The judging was done by Mr. Ling, livestock specialist from Auburn. The judging started at 9:30 Saturday morning. This was followed in the afternoon with a parade through the business section of town Mr. Ling stated that this was the best display of Jersey bulls he had seen in many of the counties with exception of two counties where there were large breeders of purebred Jerseys. There were eleven good bulls in the show.

The ribbons were awarded as follows: (Females) Junior Calf, First prize to James Dennis; Second, to Ned Dennis; Senior Calf, First, O. R. Robinson; Second, O. R. Robinson. Junior

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License Inspector Says “Get Ready”

Automobile license are due on October 1st, and will become delinquent on November 15th, according to H. M. Simpson, License Inspector here, who stated that unless a person intends to purchase a tag for 1932 for their car, do not drive it after Sept. 30.

Business, or privilege license will become due October 1st and delinquent on November 1st. Mr. Simpson asks that all who are concerned, please be governed according to these dates.

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Mrs. J. Q. Wade will leave this week for Stafford Springs, Miss., where she will remain for about two weeks.

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ROAD MEETING SCHEDULED IN BIRMINGHAM

Nineteenth Annual Meeting Of Good Roads As'cn. Meets October 12

Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 19, 1931.—(Special)—Nationwide interest is now being manifested in the 19th Annual Convention of the United States Good Roads Association, and the 16th Annual Convention of the Bankhead National Highway Association, that meets in Birmingham October 12th to 15th.

It is an event of national significance that means the campaign for Federal Aid will be continued for increased appropriations for state and national highways which has been successfully fought for and advocated by the United States Good Roads Association, the first organization in the United States to advocate the same.

The outstanding aim of the coming meeting is to advocate an increase of Federal Aid to $300,000,000 annually; to secure the adoption of a system of national and state highways. At this

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ISABELLA F. F. A. MET AND ELECTED OFFICERS

The Isabella Chapter of the F. F. A. met Wednesday, September 16. New officers were elected as follows:

Marvin Durbin, president; Luther Mims, vice president; Homer Morgan, secretary; Morris Keen, treasurer; S. L. Broadhead, reporter.

The dues for this year are seventy-five cents.

It was decided that a meeting would be held each Wednesday. Three new members were received last week. All members are urged to be present next meeting.

S. L. BROADHEAD, Reporter.

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Among the visitors to Clanton Monday were G. W. Sansom, Miss Melda Sansom, Louise Sansom, Frances Sansom and J. P. Adams, all residents of the fine Sardis community near here. While in town they called at the News office.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Davenport, of Thorsby spent the past week end in Collinsville, Ala., visiting friends and relatives.

“Ugh, You Think I'm Drunk”

"If I laid down on that table, you'd think I was drunk, wouldn't you, huh? I can't walk down the street with you, let's get a taxi." "Is that the evidence, that's rotten, let's get some good stuff It'll all come out all right in the morning. It's just too serious now."

Those are some of the remarks shot at Deputy Norris last Friday after the arrest of the Rev. Father Richard I Barry, Catholic Priest of Montgomery, on a charge of violating the prohibition law and driving a car while intoxicated, according to information. Barry is said to have been headed for Montgomery, when he struck a car belonging to a negro at South Clanton, and was later arrested here while in a drunken and humorous condition.

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MAN COMMITS SUICIDE IN MAPLESVILLE

Moody Rucker Age 30 Hangs Self From Limb of Tree Near His Home

Bringing death almost instantly from a broken neck, Moody Rucker, age 30, hanged himself last Saturday morning about daylight near his home in Adams, which is near Maplesville in the western part of the county.

Rucker, who is unmarried and lives with his mother at Adams, is said to have recently made some remarks that he would probably end his life by hanging, having given quite a bit of thought to the suicide of another man near there, who hanged himself sometime ago.

According to information given a representative of the News, Rucker left his home early Saturday morning, going to a small branch near his home, tied a rope to the limb of a tree just above a small elevation and swung off, breaking his neck almost instantly, and was found in a sitting position. Funeral services were held last Sunday at the home in Adams. The deceased is survived by his mother, Mrs. Emma Rucker, three brothers, John Rucker of Gadsden, Coy Rucker of Maplesville, and one residing in Selma.

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MUSIC APPRECIATION CLUB WILL MEET ON SEPT. 29TH

The Music Appreciation Club of Clanton will meet on next Tuesday afternoon, September 29th, with Mesdames John Mullins, L. C. Warr and Arthur Willis as hostesses. New members will be elected at this meeting.

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CLANTON YOUTH INJURED AS AUTO LEAVES ROAD

Jim Burnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Burnett, prominent family of the Isabella community near here, was seriously injured Friday night on the highway when he drove his car into a ditch in attempting to avoid striking another auto.

Luther Mims and B. L. Vance, all of near Clanton, were badly shaken up in the wreck.

Hospital authorities said that Burnett received a broken rib and possibly internal injuries.

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STRICT WATCH ORDERED ON AGRICULTURAL SEED

Seth P. Storrs, commissioner of agriculture and industries has ordered strict and thorough inspection of all agricultural seed sold in Alabama and insist that inspectors suspend from sale all seed which are not properly tagged and labelled.

L. N. Allen, seed analyst, has advised all seed dealers in the state that "all seeds not bearing an analysis label as required by law will be removed from sale subject to confiscation when found by the seed inspectors."

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TACKY PARTY AT HOME OF SAM WOODLEY, 26TH

There will be a tacky party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Woodley, Jemison, Ala., September 26, 1931. The admission is fifteen cents for those who come tacky and twenty-five cents for those who don't come tacky. The proceeds will go to the Pleasant Grove church. Everybody be sure and come.

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Among those in Clanton receiving invitations to Erskine Ramsey's birthday party in Birmingham Thursday night were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stapp.

STATE GARNERS BEST OAT CROP IN EIGHT YEARS

Alabama's Harvest This Year Is 4,202,000 Bushels From 191,000 Acres

By L. O. Brackeen

By harvesting 4,202,000 bushels of oats from 191,000 acres of land, Alabama farmers this year harvested the largest acreage planted to oats since 1923 when 5,541,000 bushels were harvested from 277,000 acres. The acre production of 22 bushels this year was also the highest since 1926 when the 107,000 acres planted to oats produced an average of 22 bushels an acre

Statistics compiled by the State Department of Agriculture show that the acreage and production in oats each year for the past eight years are as follows: 1931, 191,000 acres, 4,202,000 bushels; 1930, 109,000 acres, 1,908,000 bushels; 1929, 119,000 acres, 2,320,000 bushels; 1928, 70,000 acres, 1,225,000 bushels; 1927, 101,000 acres, 1,768,000 bushels; 1926, 107,000 acres, 2,354,000 bushels; 1925, 131,000 acres, 2,227,000 bushels, and 1924, 125,000 acres, 1,375,000 bushels.

That Alabama farmers can well afford to increase their oat crop this Fall is indicated by statistics showing that Alabama needs about 30,000,000 bushels each year, depending very much upon the size of the corn crop produced in the State. Oats serve as a supplement to corn for feeding livestock, therefore the larger the corn crop the less amount of oats will be needed, however, it is pointed out by agricultural leaders farmers may well afford to grow three or four times as many oats as they are at present growing.

P. O. Davis, editor, Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, this week points out that "big yields of feed crops in Alabama this year do not guarantee either an abundance of feed or big yields next year." Farmers are being reminded of this by county agents who are urging farmers to plant oats and other Winter cover crops to make more feed next year.

"Oats should be planted between September 15 and October 15 to make feed next year," said J. C. Lowery, extension agronomist of Auburn. "In

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Prizes Coming For Football Players

Several treats are in store for the best players in the game Chilton High plays against Selma Friday. Following are the prizes

The Dixie Cafe extends a cordial invitation to the football player who makes the most yardage in the Selma game Friday, to accompany his girl friend as dinner guests Sunday, September 27, 1931; Yea, Chilton!! Let's Go.

L. P. EASTERLING, Prop.

Notice, Boys of Chilton County High School. The Sanitary Barber Shop will give a shave, tonic and hair cut to the boy who makes the first touchdown against Selma Friday. Clean 'em up boys and then we will shine you up to receive the congratulations of that certain party.

Yours for C-l-e-a-n athletics and shaves.

"RED" WAGONER & CO.

The Chicago Sales Co., will present the lineman who gets the most tackles in the Selma game Friday with a choice neck-tie. Yea! Chilton! On to victory and then see Reedie Taylor, manager of Chicago Sales Company

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Joe Mims and Dave Mims of Clanton have been spending several days at Foley, Ala., where they are doing some real deep water fishing. They are expected to return the middle of the week—with maybe, some fish tales, or something.

HERE'S GOOD NEWS

In this issue of the News there appears an ad telling of a special bargain offer being made by The Birmingham News and Age-Herald on subscriptions for subscribers residing or receiving their mail on a rural or Star route. This is a most attractive offer and will be good only through the coming month of October. Read this fine subscription offer and mail your subscription or bring it to the News office in Clanton.

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Brief News Notes

On August 1 storage holdings of case eggs were 15 per cent less than holdings on the same date in 1930.

It is officially reported that one New York manufacturer is using one million bushels of white soft wheat annually.

Several gin days have been planned in Calhoun County this fall for saving pure D.P.L. 4-8 seed to eliminate the short staple problem according to County Agent S. R. Doughty. More than 12,000 bushels will be saved.

Lyle Brown, extension forester of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, is cautioning everyone to be careful about forest fires this fall. Such fires cause needless, useless, and wasteful destruction and losses of property, he said.

Randolph County placed 3,500 bushels of D.P.L.4-8 last spring. Gin days have already been arranged for saving pure seed of this variety, says L. M. Hollingsworth, county agent. This is another step in the cotton improvement program being sponsored to eliminate inferior staples.

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Thorsby Gin

We have procured the services of Mr. Andrew Davis to operate our gin this season, who is well known in this section as a good ginner. Mr. Davis will do his best to please each and every customer.

Our machinery has been thoroughly gone over, and is in the best of shape for doing satisfactory work. Your business will be appreciated.

Thompson Brothers
Gin & Warehouse. Co.
THORSBY, ALABAMA

ACTIVE AT 88 YEARS

Local newspapers and a wide circle of friends and neighbors recently congratulated Samuel B. Smith of Titusville, Pa., on his 88th birthday, and many asked the inevitable question as to the secret of his long and active life.

The answer would indicate that his life has been long because it has been active. At any rate he still works 10 or 11 hours a day in the acre garden adjoining his home. He eats only green vegetables from his own garden; does not eat sweets or desserts of any kind, and never used tea, coffee or other stimulants, except for a short time when he was in the army during the Civil War.

Mr. Smith takes considerable pride in the fact that he was one of those who 72 years ago this month drilled the famous Drake well, the first oil well drilled in any part of the world. The monument to this achievement, of which he is the sole survivor, stands less than two miles away from his present home.

Around it 11 wells are actively contributing their quota of Pennsylvania grade crude oil, the product of the original well and still universally rated as the worlds' premier crude. In four states, Pennsylvania, New York, West Virginia and Ohio, this same crude is being steadily produced in large quantities from thousands of wells.

This pioneer achievement of Sam Smith and his father pointed the way for the establishment of one of the world's greatest and most vital industries. He richly deserves the many messages of congratulation which came to him on his 88th birthday.

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Billingsley News

The services at the Baptist church, both morning and evening were well attended. Pastor Bentley delivered two exceedingly helpful sermons. The baptismal service in the afternoon was impressive, there being twenty-five for immersion.

The opening exercises for the high and elementary schools were held jointly at the elementary building Monday morning at nine o'clock.

Rev. A. S. Bentley conducted the devotional using as his thought, "We Pass This Way But Once." Miss Zula Parnell rendered special music. The faculty were introduced by Prof. Upton as follows: Miss Lila Green, principal of the elementary school, with Misses Anne Turk of Autaugaville, Ethel Ruth and Mry Lou Gines of Haynes and Mabel King of Billingsley as assistants. Those for high school were Misses Mary Collier of Prattville, Louise Conner of Selma, Bettye Jane Gregory of Tuscaloosa and Mr. P. I. Washington of Wedowee. All except three, Misses Gregory, Mary Lou Gaines and Mr. Washington, were here last year. Short talks were heard from many of the patrons.

The first unit of the Vocational Agricultural school building is now under construction, with the auditorium in view for the very near future.

Miss Zula Parnell is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Minnie Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Washington had as their guest for the week end Mr. Washington, brother of Marion.

Mr. L. C. Lewis of Montgomery was the guest of Miss Willie Jean Patrick Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Simpson of Birmingham spent the week end with Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar and Mrs. Mary Lou Wonder.

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PAGE, LINE, AND PARAGRAPH

Ticks are long-lived creatures, and some individuals may live for as long as two or three years without food.

A lime-sulphur or nicotine-sulphur dip will cure mange, or common scab, on cattle and sheep. At least two dippings are necessary, from 10 to 14 days apart.

The exhaust gas from an automobile will "gas" rats in their burrows. Attach a hose to the exhaust pipe and hold it in the burrow, letting the engine run at moderate speed for about ten minutes.

It's a good plan to dispose of hens at the end of their first laying year. This improves the average production of the flock. It also helps to keep the flock free from tuberculosis, which usually affects fowls more than 1½ years old.

Sometimes a few feet of fall in even a small stream of water can be made to operate a hydraulic ram and thus furnish an inexpensive supply of water for home, garden, and stock purposes. Information on rams appears in Farmers' Bulletin 1448-F, Farmstead Water Supply, mailed free by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C.

The open-furrow method of sowing winter oats may reduce injury from winter killing, except in very cold seasons. Several years ago the Georgia Agricultural Experiment Station devised an open-furrow drill especially for fall seeding of oats, and farm-implement manufacturers have improved types of this drill and put it on the market. The drill sows the seed in rows from 16 to 24 inches apart. An ordinary single-row planter may also be used for this purpose. Furrow drills may be obtained with a fertilizer attachment, which distributes the fertilizer in the furrows with the seed.

Southern forests cover approximately one-fourth of the total forest area of the United States. When the uniformity of type and fast rate of growth of trees in the southern "piney woods" also is considered, they are unrivalled in their total productive capacity by any other forest type in the country. U.S. Forest Service investigators estimate the second-growth pine woods of the South, under adequate protection and systematic forestry management, can be made to produce at least one-fourth of the total timber requirements of the country and practically all the naval stores needed for domestic consumption.

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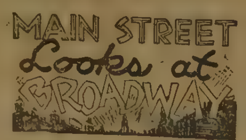

ART—

Unlike the artisan, the artist can keep on working long after his physical powers have waned. My neighbor, Daniel Chester French, the famous sculptor, is past 81, but this year he is exhibiting one of the finest pieces of stautary he has ever conceived. It represents a young mother holding her infant son aloft and if ever cold bronze held the spirit of life and youth it is in this piece.

Mr. French may live to a hundred, and I hope he does, but when the end comes he will be found still beautiful piece which stands in the Metropolitan Museum, called working, like the artist in his own "Death and the Sculptor," in which the angel of death is staying the hand of the young artist.

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ALCOHOL—

Pure alcohol is a natural element in the human brain, according to a scientist who presented proof his statement before a meeting of medical men in Buffalo the other day.

That is certain to be taken up by the enemies of prohibition as an argument in favor of the repeal of the Volstead act. Of course, it will be an absurd argument, but it will have weight with many.

There is no question in my mind, on the other hand, that a great deal of the argument against drinking, on which the prohibition movement gained its strength, was based on equally absurd allegations.

The fact is that there are no facts about the use of alcoholic beverages which apply equally to all people, or to any individual person all the time.

Some day the general public will be well enough informed to discount the "bunk" of both sides in the prohibition argument.

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ROADS—

Who is watching the road contractors in your town and county? There are many fine-looking concrete roads being built which will not stand up under heavy traffic, especially in regions where frost can upset their foundations.

The city of White Plains, New York, sent an engineer out to make borings in the pavement of a road which cost around $100.000 a mile, and discovered that the contractor had put in a foundation only half as deep as the contract called for.

Concrete roads, when properly built, have proved by far the most satisfactory so far. But when improperly built they can give more trouble and cost more for repairs than any other type of highway.

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FOOD—

The experimental work of the company which is starting up the business of freezing fresh foods by means of "dry ice" so that they will keep indefinitely and can be merchandised like stockings or hardware, has progressed so far and so well that the largest New York department store is now selling "frosted" oysters, fish, meats of many kinds, fruits and vegetables just as they sell shoes or shirts or any other "dry" goods.

Several small cities have responded well to the experimental sales efforts, and with the big stores in the large cities taking up this new line of goods, it seems as if the day was not far off when the local butcher and green grocer might be wise to look for something else to do, or else to get into line with the new method.

We shall have to make new definitions of "perishable" foodstuffs.

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FORD—

Improvements in the Model A are to be followed if rumor is correct, with a new type of Ford car in the Spring. I know no more about it than anyone else does, but my guess is that the new Ford, when it comes out, will be as surprising as was the present Model A.

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UNCLE SAM SAYS

The 1930 drought helped corn breeders by proving which of several new strains of corn had also high resistance to drought damage.

Locomotives cause too many forest fires. Railroads are testing a centrifugal spark arrester which catches sparks in the stack and whirls them until they have time to cool.

Found guilty on a charge of swindling $1 from an unemployed man by promising him a job, Martin Waldoch of Buffalo, was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary.

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NEEDS OF RURAL SCHOOLS

In a recent report of his studies of rural schools and the children attending them, Prof. Thomas D. Wood of Columbia University paints a gloomy picture of the conditions surrounding the country child.

He declares that the average rural school house is the worst type of building that could be imagined and "less fit for its use than prisons, asylums, almshouses, stables, chicken houses and dog kennels are for their uses."

In other words, he makes the charges that better provision is made for criminals, paupers and animals than is made for the school children of the rural districts.

While this is a very strong statement, and may not hold true in the better communities, the fact remains the rural schools are not what they ought to be and in many cases are a disgrace to a civilized nation.

Progress is being made in nearly all the backward states, but it is pitifully slow, as greater numbers of children must be provided for each year and school revenues must be continually increased to keep pace with this normal growth.

If conditions are one-half as bad as Prof. Wood declares them to be, parents should take a more serious interest in the situation and put forth still greater efforts to provide proper school facilities for their children.

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Letters To The Editor

Editor Chilton County News:

It is a fact that cotton for two years or more in this section has been raised at a loss—a majority of the farmers use all the commercial fertilizer they can buy, fight the weevil and other pests, pray for favorable weather conditions and when a big crop is gathered and sold find that instead of a profit the debts have grown larger.

Now then, to continue this sort of thing means extreme poverty for our people.

If the farmers could agree on a reduction of 25%, or 50% or even more for the 1932 cotton crop and faithfully abide the agreement it would be better than legislation.

But if the farmers want legislation to cut out entirely the 1932 cotton crop let them have it.

We can produce anything that can a majority of the states, and can produce enough to feed our people and clothe them as well.

It would be an ungrateful landlord who is financially able to refuse to help tenants who have been faithful to him.

Merchants, bankers and professional men who are able financially should, and I believe, will do all in their power to assist those who have been loyal patrons.

All of our people who are fortunately situated should do all in their power to help the farmer through the year, 1932.

So let the farmers take his choice on the cotton question and back him up to the extent of our resources.

Yours very truly,
H. B. OLIVER.

Verbena, Ala., Sept. 17, 1931.

Dear Editor Chilton County News:

Please permit me to say a few words to the cotton growers of Chilton County in regard to the resolution they adopted on Saturday, September the 12th, 1931, which provides for a special session of the legislature for the purpose of passing a law prohibiting the planting of cotton in the year, 1932.

Now, Mr. Cotton Farmer, let us cut right square to the line, regardless of where the chips may fly. Such a proposition as passing a law to prohibit the cotton farmers from planting cotton should be an insult to every cotton farmer in the cotton growing states. Why? Because we should have sense enough to quit the cotton business without being so foolish as to ask a special session of the legislature to pass a law prohibiting us from planting it.

Just think of this great Southland, where we cotton farmers have paid out millions of dollars of tax money for educational purposes and we get an over production of cotton. We are so narrow as to ask our law making body to come together in special session and pass a law to stop us, when we know that it costs us more to produce it than we can get out of it, but just can't quit. But are willing to pay for a special session of the Legislature to pass a law to make us quit. Lord, pity and have mercy on us old cotton farmers, for we know not what manner of men we are.

Mr. Farmers, let us go back to the year 1928, and come on down the line to the present moment and consider just a few things that have happened to the farmer. Did both Hoover and Smith have a farm relief plank in their platforms which stated that the farmer must have relief. After Mr. Hoover was elected and organized the federal farm board and they began buying wheat and cotton, wasn't the farmers getting about $1.40 per bushel for wheat and 17 to 18 cents per pound for cotton. And the more wheat and cotton the board bought the more it declined in price. What is Mr. Hoover's board doing today to relieve the depressed farmers? Mr. Farmers, what can you expect of a Governor and Legislature that have betrayed your trust.

Has there been anything done for the farmer since 1928 that was constructive to him? No. But to the contrary everything has been destructive. Mr. Farmers, we are right square up against the wall. We need not look to any official for relief. Neither to any lawmaking body.

The farmers will have to seek relief through themselves, by having just as little business as possible with the merchants, lawyers, doctors and not too much with the preachers. But look to God and trust in Him alone and relief will surely come.

In conclusion, I want to tell you just a little about how I have run my business this year. I bought no fertilizer, planted no cotton, have made plenty of corn, peas, peanuts, potatoes, and filled all my outhouses with hay, and had to build a crib for my corn. I have the fattest cows and mules that I have ever had in my life. I haven't looked for relief from any farm board, county agent, nor any lawmaking body, but asked God to direct my business for me both farm and store, and I am perfectly satisfied with the results I have received.

Dear old farmer, don't look to man for relief any longer, you ought to know by this time you can never get it that way.

Yours respectfully,
A. A. JACKSON.

TODAY
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New York Steamboats

More excursion boats operate out of New York City than any other port in the whole world. There must be at least fifty lines running daily to nearby resorts not to mention the palatial steamers which ply between here and New England points.

The favorite trip is the one up the Hudson River, either to Albany, 142 miles, or forty miles to West Point. The latter trip, which ends in the famed Highlands where Rip Van Winkle held forth 200 years ago, and which enables one to see the cadets on parade, is a never failing pleasure.

Inexpensive Pleasures

Nowhere can one get as much for one's money as one can on the steamboats. For between $1 and $2 one can sail in comfort all day past the most beautifuy scenery enriched by historical associations, in perfect comfort and safety. One of the few objections is that the passageways on all boats are crowded and it takes a long time to get off at the pier.

This has been arranged purposely. Narrow entrances have been found to break up incipient panics better than anything else. In a theater the reverse is the case, but on a boat the plan is to break the crowd up into small units which can be handled by the crew.

A Terrible Memory—

Those whose memories run back thirty years will recall the most disastrous happening that ever took place on an excursion boat—the time when the Gen. Slocum went down in the East River with a loss of more than a thousand lives, nearly all women and children.

The terrible accident eclipses in pathos anything of its kind in history, because it was easily preventible. Even when the Eastland turned turtle in Chicago a few years ago, the loss was much smaller and was not confined entirely to women and little children. The Gen. Slocum caught fire and before her captain could beach her the frenzied passengers died in the panic. For years the excursion business was at a low ebb but since then has picked up. Actually, one is as safe on such a steamboat as anywhere in the world.

Long Island Sound—

Sailing up Long Island Sound the other day one passed through simply hundreds of small boats of all kinds, from millionaires' craft, including famous racing yachts with masts ninety feet high, to little rowboats with a "kicker," otherwise a small gasoline motor.

Everybody on the water appeared to be enjoying themselves hugely. The waves were too small to endanger the little craft and whenever one headed for shore, a beautiful sight greeted one. One could see Theodore Roosevelt's country mansion at Oyster Bay at one time, while on the opposite mainland were the small villages where millionaires, artists and others who commute into the big city have formed happy colonies.

Other Cheap Trips—

Aside from the day-long excursions, there are numerous other trips to be had for little money. The sail to Staten Island by ferry boat costs five cents only and takes twenty minutes. Many visitors spend whole mornings riding back and forth on this line.

Then there is the trip to the Statue of Liberty which costs only 25 cents; the trip to Ellis Island, where all emigrants from Europe land and which costs nothing, while other ferries will carry you on rides of ten or fifteen minutes for sums ranging from three to five cents only.

New York's marine playground is one of its best points and should not be missed by any visitor. While the big excursion lines stop running on Labor Day, many of the trips continue all winter and if one is clad warmly, the trip is even more enjoyable then than in summer, as the crowds are not there to bother.

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2nd Stude—Financially, and there are two R's in "embarrassed."

"So Mrs. Riggs started going to church again. Change of heart?"

"No, hat."

Two Men Held For Gin Burning

Aaron Cochran, farmer, and Arnce Crumbley, cotton gine operator, were jailed at Cullman Friday afternoon on charges of second degree arson, for the burning last Sunday night of a gin owned by J. B. Elrod, which Cochran, it is alleged, confessed to firing, claiming he did so at the instance of Crumbley.

Elrod and Crumbley operated the only cotton gins in the community in which both resided, which is some 15 miles from the City of Cullman. Motive for the burning is alleged to have been the removal by Crumbley from the cotton-ginning business of his only competitor.

Under the direction of State Fire Marshal R. C. Searcy, an investigation conducted by Deputy Marshall J. C. Crews, was begun last Tuesday, of the Sunday night's fire. As the result of this inquiry, Cochran was arrested.

Following his arrest, it was stated, he made a full confession to burning Elrod's gin, and in this confession implicated Crumbley, declaring Crumbley hired him to do it on a promise of $10 in cash, and free ginning of Cochran's cotton for two years: Crumbley furnishing two gallons of kerosene to start the fire with.

At the conclusion of the confession, Crumbley was also arrested and committed to jail

VALUE OF GOOD WILL

One of the striking developments of recent years in the business world is the increased value which individuals and corporations place upon the good will of the public they serve

Good will is really only another name for confidence, for if a business concern has the confidence of the community it has its good will. It often takes years of fair dealing to build up the great asset of public good will, yet it may be lost by a few careless transactions.

For this reason, everlasting vigilance is required on the part of owners of a business, to see that not only are their own principles and policies sound, but that the spirit of the establishment is carried out by every person connected with it, even to the lowest salaried employee.

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Hoover's Time Shortens

Chairman Fess, of the Republican National Committee, after luncheoning at the White House, told the Washington correspondents that the President was making a thorough study of the unemployment situation and would have a comprehensive program to take care of the matter within a month. The unemployment situation has existed for about two years and steadily has become more acute. During this period we have been advised from time to time that the President was bending all his great powers to remedy the situation.

The question naturally arises, why the comprehensive program so confidently announced by Chairman Fess was not reached months ago. It appears rather obvious that President Hoover either has been completely as sea as to the problem or that he has been indulging in his unfortunate habit of guessing and that he again guessed wrong.

That he should have delayed until this time in making preparations to take care of the distress next winter suggests that through all the era of unemployment he has assumed that the situation would right itself—by what miracle is not indicated—and therefore let the whole business slide. This is a form of optimism that has characterized the administration ever since the Hoover panic came upon us, and which has, incidentally, contributed to its acuteness and duration. Foreboding of the extreme distress that must ensue unless adequate measures are provided to meet the emergency of the coming winter have been voiced by practically every authority on industry, labor and political economy throughout the land. Naturally there is no exhibition of relief at the tidings that the President, two years after the advent of the trouble, is to begin a thorough investigation and no great confidence that he has any more definite program in view than he had when it was announced that he had a complete formula for the correction of the farmer's ills and the farmer's plight, back in the halcyon days when he was assuring the nation that a millenium of prosperity would be the inevitable sequence of his election.

There was a program developed and enacted by Congress which he threw away. The Wagner employment bills were designed to avert just such situations as are threatening to come with the bad weather. The President vetoed the most important of these although as Secretary of Commerce he had endorsed an identical program. Ostensibly, the President feared that the cooperation of the federal and state agencies to find jobs for men out of work would complicate the matter with local politics. Actually, what he avoided was that the selection of administrative agents would be made by Democratic governors in Democratic states. He offered no substitute measure when he vetoed the Wagner bill, with the result that the uncertain, indefinite expedient resorted to by Secretary of Labor Doak provided jobs for scores of Republican political hacks.

Recently Secretary Doak announced triumphantly that his agency had found places for 281,000 of the unemployed. The Department of Labor refused information as to the whereabouts and character of these jobs, but it was finally unearthed that Mr. Doak was claiming credit for the harvest hands who for a month or two are gathering the ntion's crops. This purely seasonal employment occurs every year, in panic as in boom times, and must follow as inevitably as the ripening of the grain.

Another indication of the administration's tendency to let things drift and trust in luck was afforded by Senator Hebert of Rhode Island, who on his return from Europe pontifically announced that the establishment of a Government unemployment insurance system would eventually lead to the adoption of the dole principle in the United States. This utterance also followed his being a guest of President Hoover. It may be recalled that at the recent session of Congress the Senate appointed a committee to study all systems of unemployment insurance, governmental and private, with a view to recommending legislation on the subject. As originally constituted, this committee consisted of Senator Wagner of New York, chairman Senator Hebert of Rhode Island, and Senator Glenn of Illinois. At the first and only session held by this committee the two Republicans deposed Wagner and made Hebert chairman, on the frank ground that the Republican administration insisted on the change. The substitution of Hebert, who was a regularly registered insurance lobbyist before the Rhode Island legislature, for the New York Senator, a recognized authority on matters appertaining to unemployment, was the only thing transacted at this session. Now we have the chairman of the committee created to make an investigation of the whole subject giving an advance verdict. This course—regardless of the merits of the verdict announced by the Rhode Island Senator after his conference with President Hoover—is thoroughly insulting to the legislative branch of the Government which delegated the committee to study the question.

Inevitably the results of these happenings must be a still greater distrust of the administration's ability to meet the situation and will carry to many minds the implication that politics will continue to be the guiding principle in the disposition of the problem.

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Gay Nineties Make a "Comeback"

With a French Empress of bygone days influencing the name of a currently popular hat, the constant revival of historic events and persons to positions atop our heads and all around us is worthy a look. Empire green is a very far distant revival. Almost any day now we may have Queen Elizabeth ruffs. The gay nineties have "comeback" with a rush and rustle. In the world of furniture, it is not possible to converse without mentioning an empire or a period of the past. Perhaps the most consistent revival has been in the rejuvenation of fine cottons as diaphaneous and dainty materials offering appeal to the queens of any day whether crowned or uncrowned.

The Empress Josephine conquered Napoleon in a cotton frock. And so in 1931 the conquering belles of every gay country club event throughout the United States have been more than apt to be gowned in sheer and softly sparkling cottons.

After all, it's not bad fun to have revivals; only the question does arise why we ever let go of things combining the merits of both beauty and usefulness.

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Electric Power In Alabama

Last winter a joint committee of the Alabama Legislature was appointed to investigate "various phases of rates, tax values, services, etc.," of the electrical utilities in that state.

The report has just been published. It is concurred in by seven of the eight committeemen, with the eighth dissenting. The findings should be of national interest, in view of the present-day political attack on the power industry.

It was found that the Alabama Power Company—the principal utility in this state—was earning 6 per cent on its value for rate-making purposes—one per cent less than the legal fair return. It was also found that this company was assessed 46.81 per cent of the market value of its properties as compared with an average of 45 per cent for all other utilities in the state. The Tax Commissioner testified that the average assessment on taxable property in Alabama was 33 per cent of its fair market value.

In the matter of rates, the findings are especially important. A comparison of the private company's rates with those of thirteen municipal utilities showed that the former were well below the latter in every instance.

Finally, it was stated that during the days the committee held sessions, not a single individual appeared before it to complain about any of the utility companies.

All in all, the report shows that private power companies in Alabama—as in practically every state—are rendering good service at low rates, in the public interest. This again illustrates that when the facts are disclosed, the political opponents of the electric industry have little ground on which to stand.

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Opinions expressed in this column by this writer have no connection with the general policies of this paper, being wholly those of the writer, in the manner they are written.

> "The man who foolishly does me wrong, I will return to him the protection of my most ungrudging love; and the more evil comes from him, the more good shall go from me."
> —Buddha.

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"Farewell To Thee," is the song I will be singing to you folks this week. Why? Because I am writing my last "Round Town" column for this newspaper right now, that having been the verdict of the ed last week.

Just what to say when I know this is my last chance to say it with my "Round Town" manners carried in this newspaper for over a year, every week, never missing, rain or shine. It seems like I am being given my last chance to say something here. To say or not to say, that is the question. I'd like to go on and tell the ed just what I think of him, and write to you folks straight from the heart. But that would not be any different from other weeks, as I quite often wrote straight from the heart.

As to where I'm going is nobody's business—yet. Maybe I have heard the call of the wild, or maybe I'm following Greeley's advice and have gone West, by the time you read this. Nevertheless, this is all, I'm signing off, to be cast into that chasm of forgotten things, but memories of the pleasant hours writing this column will linger on. Memories of the predicaments I have gotten the ed into, and the blame he has carried for me, will not be forgotten. I regret I will not be able to select my "Who's Who" this time, but if the ed has a successor in view for this column, maybe he can be persuaded to select a "Who's Who" for you.

Perhaps you will wonder why this "Round Town" column will be no more. I can't just explain that myself right now, but I'll probably pay the News office a visit now and then, and will give you readers a word or too, when I drop around.

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Have just been talking to the ed, who says he kind of regrets my leaving. I knew he would. He says, however, that he has made arrangements to fill this column with views, opinions, etc., by an author who is well in touch with things. That's fine, because I'm sure the ed made a good selection for my successor. Maybe it is an O. O. McIntyre, the second.

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Maybe the next column here will not be adverse to dancing, and will look at it in a broader manner than I did.

Maybe he will be a married man, if it is a he. And he won't be talking so much about the ladies and putting his foot in his mouth, like I've done at times.

Maybe he will write about roses, moonlight, fishes, cats, dogs, flowers, tin cans, etc.

Maybe he won't think humans are so funny, as I do.

Maybe he will be a dignified gentleman, who speaks of aristocracy at every sweep of his pen, and will teach you folks to fear his pen, or typewriter, or something. Whatever he uses.

Maybe he is a woman-hater and won't even mention them, not even so much as to term them as necessary evils.

Or maybe he won't even write about Clanton. I really don't know.

The Chilton County News, the paper I have caused to be so widely known by writing this column, will always occupy a warm spot in my heart, and maybe the ed can be convinced to let me come back and write this column, provided my successor don't make a hit with him.

In closing, I take my pen in hand to offer apologies to a certain young lady friend of a friend of mine.

Road Meeting Will Be Held In Birmingham

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meeting plans will be inaugurated and recommended to President Hoover and his Unemployment Board to put several millions of workers on roads and in the allied industries, for the relief of the country.

Already delegates have been appointed from 15 different states to come to this Convention and Governors from a majority of the states have written Director General J. A. Rountree, that they will appoint delegates. It is expected that every state will have a representative at this meeting and much constructive work will be accomplished.

Acceptances to deliver addresses at this meeting have been received from some of the most distinguished men in the nation, according to Director General Rountree. The following have accepted and written that they will positively attend.

Governors

Gov. B. M. Miller of Alabama, Montgomery, Ala.; Gov.Elect Mike Sennet Connor of Mississippi, Jackson, Miss.; Gov. Harvey Parnell of Arkansas, Little Rock, Ark.; Lieut-Gov. Hugh D. Merrill of Alabama, Anniston, Ala.

U. S. Senators

Sen. W. F. George of Georgia, Vienna, Ga.; Sen. Herbert Stephens of Mississippi, New Albany, Miss.; Sen. Kenneth McKeller of Tennessee, Memphis, Tenn.; Sen. Hugo L. Black of Alabama, Birmingham, Ala.; Sen. J. H. Bankhead of Alabama, Jasper, Ala.

Congressmen

Hon. R. A. Geen, Starke, Fla.; Hon. R. H. Hall, Hattiesburg, Miss.; Hon. M. C. Ramspeck, Atlanta, Ga.; Hon. Lister Hill, Montgomery, Ala.; Hon. W. B. Oliver, Tuscaloosa, Ala.; Hon. W. B. Bankhead, Jasper, Ala.; Hon. Ed B. Almon, Tuscumbia, Ala.; Hon. John McDuffie, Washington, D. C.

State Highway Officials

L. G. Smith, State Highway Director of Alabama, Montgomery, Ala.; Capt. J. M. Barnett, State Highway Commissioner of Georgia, Atlanta, Ga.; Dwight B. Blackwood, State Highway Commissioner of Arkansas, Little Rock, Ark.; B. C. Milner, Asst. State Highway Engineer of Georgia, Atlanta, Ga.; R. N. Baker, State Highway Director of Tennessee, Nashville, Tenn.

Senator John Craft, Box A, Coden, Ala.; Col. T. L. Kirkpatrick, President, U. S. Good Roads Ass'n, Charlotte, N. C.; Ex-Governor W. W. Brandon, Tuscaloosa, Ala.; J. R. Fairman, Engineer, Portland Cement Association, New York City; Geo. C. Warren, National Engineer, Boston, Mass.; Hon. Max B. Harlin, President, Mammoth Cave National Highway Ass'n, Bowling Green, Ky.; Hon. W. A. Boone, Pres. Bankhead H'way National Association, Pontotoc, Miss.; Hon. R. E. Sparkman, Member of Texas Legislature, Italy, Tex.; Hon. L. U. Babin, President, Police Jury Commission of Louisiana, Baton Rouge.

Several other Governors, United States Senators and Congressmen and road engineers have tentatively accepted invitations to this meeting.

The railroads, the bus and airship lines have all made reduced rates and are advertising the Convention. Motorcades are being organized from Louisville, Memphis, Chattanooga, Atlanta, Mobile and Montgomery to come to the Convention. Kentucky will be well represented at this Convention. The outlook is most promising for a great Convention.

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Northingtons Sent To Atlanta Pen

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is to operate concurrently in all counts.

Made Detailed Confession

While the defendants made no statement to the court, Agent Sweeney told the court that the brothers had made a confession which detailed the amounts misapplied, the source of the misappropriated funds and the disposition of the money. The confession, however, was not read to the court, and while it is in possession of Arthur B. Chilton, district attorney, Mr. Chilton declined to release the confession to the public.

In the confession, Mr. Sweeney told the court, the brothers fixed the amount of the shortage in the bank's accounts at about $290,000.

The Specific Charges

Following are the counts in the indictment to which the defendants pleaded guilty:

1. Nov. 5, 1921, falsely entered $12,000 to the credit of the Farm Bureau Cotton Association.

2. Same date, falsely credited Narramore and Cloud with $12,000.

3. July 20, 1929, charged $5,000 to the account of the cotton association.

4. Credited this amount to Narramore and Cloud.

5. July 20, 1929; made false entry to show that Narramore and Cloud had drawn out $3,924.

6. Dec. 21, 1929, falsely charged $25,000 to the account of the cotton association.

7. Same date, set up credit to the accounts of the Duroc Breeders Farm Corporation of $25,000.

8. July 20, 1929, falsely charged $15,000 to the cotton association.

9. Jan. 3, 1931, falsely charged $3,500 to the account of George W. Manning without Manning's knowledge.

10. Feb. 4, 1931, falsely charged $1,000 to the account of George W. Manning.

11. Feb. 4, 1931, falsely charged $4,000 to the account of S. M. Manning.

12. May 1, 1931, $5,573.98 falsely charged to a draft in favor of the Alabama National Bank, Montgomery, when no such draft existed.

13. Nov. 25, 1928, misapplied $1,179.21 of the funds of the bank to the account of Narramore and Cloud.

14. July 20, 1929, misapplied $1,495.76 to the account of Mrs. G. C. Speigner without her knowledge.

15. Oct. 7, 1929, misapplied $1,250 to the account of the Duroc Breeder's Corporation.

16. Oct. 15, 1929, misapplied $1,000 to the same corporation.

17. Nov. 1, 1929, misapplied $340 to the same corporation.

18. Nov. 12, 1929, misapplied $1,000 to the same corporation.

19. Dec. 31, 1929, misapplied $1,000 to the same corporation.

20. Jan. 29, 1930, misapplied $3,344.07 to the account of the firm of Hudson and Thompson.

21. April 9, 1930, falsely credited the account of Edward Northington with $365.10.

22. Nov. 8, 1930, misapplied $1,0 to the account of Edward Northington

23. Nov. 2, 1929, misapplied $1,082.2 to the account of Edward Northington

24. July 9, 1929, falsely credited $25 to the account of Allen Northington.

25. Dec. 11, 1929, falsely credited 080 to the account of Edward Nort ington.

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News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Miss Mabel Howard and Mr. Sam Edgar Sims motored to Pensacola, Fla. and on down the Gulf to Bon Secours Bay Sunday. They drove down to get Mr. Howard, who has been fishing there for the past two weeks.

Mr. J. B. Marlar, Mrs. Annie Thacker of Clanton, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bilas and sons, Bobbie and Howard, of Birmingham spent Friday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard.

Miss Dorothy Butler left Monday for Birmingham to spend a few days with her sister after which she will leave for Atlanta, Ga., to take a library course at Emory University.

Miss Agnes Leary returned Sunday after spending two weeks with Mrs. Adams in Prattville.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Bentley and Miss Mary Sue Robinson spent Thursday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bosworth and family of Birmingham spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. James Bosworth, and family of Thorsby.

Misses Christine Bosworth and Theresa Bosworth of Selma spent the week end in Thorsby. Mr. and Mrs. James Bosworth motored to Selma Sunday evening taking Christine and Theresa back.

Mr. Walter Parnell spent Sunday in Selma.

Sept. 17, Rev. J. W. Jones performed at his home the marriage of Mr. T. I. Ward and Irene Atkinson of Jemison.

There will be no services at the Thorsby Baptist church next Sunday morning and night.

The Y. W. A. met at the home of Miss Myradine Martin last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Laurell spent Sunday in Birmingham to attend the fortieth anniversary of the 76th Street Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Love and Mrs. J. L. Moore of Birmingham and Mr. George Laurell of Alcoa, Tenn., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. Laurell Sunday.

Mr. N. Laurell, who is teaching at the Phillips High School of Birmingham spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Townsend spent Sunday in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Relious Franklin entertained in honor of Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood last Tuesday night. Those present were Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood, Dr. and Mrs. Joe Edgar, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pate, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray, Mrs. Grover Bice and Miss Edith Johnson.

Mrs. T. C. Sims of DeQuincy, La., is spending three weeks in Thorsby with her mother, Mrs. English.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Raybon, Edna Pharis and Ruby, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Raybon and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Peterson and daughter, Ruth, Mrs. M. J. Primm, and Miss Kathryn Lenoir spent Saturday at Log Cabin Beach.

Mrs. M. J. Primm returned Friday after a two weeks visit with her son, Mr. Hugh Primm, near Calera.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson motored to Birmingham Sunday to take their daughter, Ruth, back after spending a week in Thorsby with her parents.

Mrs. C. M. Williams is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Thomason of Lock 12.

Mr. L. E. Little, who is teaching at Stanton spent Monday with Mr. Vincent Sutlive.

Mrs. J. E. Each entertained the boarding department Saturday night. Several games were enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray spent Sunday at Wadsworth, Ala., with his parents.

Mr. Mack Gray has purchased the Wood bungalow and moved in there last Thursday.

Mrs. Lefstead stopped over in Thorsby Saturday on her way to Birmingham.

Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood and son, Frank, left last Thursday for their new home in Uvalde, Texas, where it is understood Dr. Wood will work with his brother in a hospital owned by them.

The following rabid baseball fans attended the opening game of the Dixie Series played at Birmingham last Wednesday: Walter Parnell, C. C. Horton, Mack Gray, Relious Franklin, Astro Wright, Sam Pate, Frank Wood and Ralph Pate.

Last Thursday Mrs. Ben Franklin entertained Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Wood, Mrs. Relious Franklin, Mrs. C. C. Horton, Mrs. Raspberry of Clanton and Mrs. Norman Wood.

Mrs. R. R. Franklin and Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway motored to Montgomery Sunday.

Mr. Jerome Wilson will be in Thorsby for a few days until his school starts.

Mrs. N. C. Peterson and son, Norman, spent Saturday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sheehan of Birmingham and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Craig of Birmingham were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Piper Sunday.

Mrs. W. L. Leary is spending the week in Prattville.

Mr. Fred Howard returned Sunday night from a two weeks fishing trip at Orange Beach. Fred reports wonderful luck and has a very sore thumb to show for it.

It seems that Fred saw a BIG fish and in his excitement during the cast, he was waving his arms and hooked himself and thumb. At any rate, we hope that the infection will soon go down.

A large group of friends surprised Rev. Joseph E. Each at his home Monday night in honor of his birthday. Games were played on the lawn and delicious refreshments were served.

Mrs. J. E. Each has been confined to her bed for a few days because of a sprained ankle sustained when she fell off the back steps at their home Saturday. She is improving nicely at the present time.

Miss Frances Wilson spent the week end in Thorsby.

The Thorsby Baptist officers of the Sunday school met Tuesday night for the purpose of promotion and discussing the election of new officers for the ensuing year.

Mr. J. W. Littleton of Selma spent Monday in Thorsby.

Mr. Eugene Parnell spent Sunday in Thorsby.

Miss Margaret Butler spent the week end in Thorsby with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Butler.

Mrs. Lloyd Belter returned Thursday to her home in Newark, O., after spending several weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Higgins.

The Ladies Guild will be held at the home of Mrs. Wilder this Thursday, Mrs. Wilder and Mrs. Bob Davenport being joint hostesses.

The regular annual reception given by the Ladies Guild for the students of the Thorsby Institute will be held in the Institute auditorium next Friday night. All members of families of the guild and patrons of the school are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Mastin spent last week in Mobile, Gulfport, and other coast points.

Mrs. K. A. Ekblad returned Monday from St. Margaret's Hospital in Montgomery where she spent two weeks following an operation. Her condition is much improved.

Thorsby Institue News

Thorsby Institute opened Wednesday, September 16, with an enrollment of ninety. This is the largest enrollment the school has had on the opening day for several years.

The opening exercises were held in the auditorium of Helen Jenkins Hall with Miss Jenkins presiding. Rev. J. E. Each, vice president of the Board of Trustees, gave the address of welcome. Rev. E. W. Butler, treasurer of the Institute, spoke briefly to the school and visitors. Mr. H. R. Maddox, registrar, made a very interesting talk and made announcements for the day. Mr. Clyde B. King, teacher of history and science, gave an interesting account of a Historical Tour which he made this past summer. Lois Thompson and Edna Lee Wilder sang a duet, "My Task." The members of the faculty were introduced by Miss Helen C. Jenkins, principal.

Several alumni visited chapel at the Institute on Thursday morning: Dorothy Butler, a recent graduate of Oberlin College, Annie Lou Arthur, a Junior in Piedmont College, and Marcelle Wilder of Thorsby. Each one was asked to say something to the student body.

Rev. and Mrs. James Pate of Calera visited their sister, Ida Lou, who is a boarding student at Thorsby Institue.

Mrs. Price of Birmingham was a visitor to her daughter, Anna Fae, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Robinson of Lay Dam called at Thorsby Intsitute Saturday to see his daughter, Elwyn, who is a student in the boarding department.

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Liberty Hill News

Mr. Marvin Lowery, who has resumed his former position with the Alabama School Supply Company, was home this week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. L. Lowery.

Mrs. C. E. Stapp, Miss Madge Scarborough and Mr. and Mrs. M. Smith were visitors of Miss Olene Mims last Tuesday afternoon.

The Woman's Missionary Union met with Miss Olene Mims last Thursday afternoon. Program in Royal Service was carried out. Those present were Mesdames Maggie Foshee, E. P. Littlejohn, D. C. Mims, Oliver Duke, Emma Foshee, Misses Eula Foshee and Olene Mims. Several members were absent, but hope to have them at next meeting, which will be held with Mrs. Maggie Foshee Thursday afternoon after second Sunday in October. The W. M. U. members of each circle, One and Two will meet at the church on Thursday afternoon at one o'clock, this week, to observe the Week of Prayer.

Mrs. Eula Butler of Monticello, Fla., visited her brothers, Mr. J. U. Best and Jeff Best, last week.

After several days visiting Mr. N. G Ward and other relatives of this community, Mr. Walter Auonger and brother returned to their home in Louisiana last Friday.

Mrs. Maggie Foshee, Mrs. Samuel Goddard and Miss Olene Mims spent Tuesday with friends in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Sessions and family of Clanton were visitors to Mrs. Session's brother, Mr. E. P. Littlejohn, Sunday evening.

Friends of Sam Chambers regret to know of his afflictions, but hope for him a speedy recovery.

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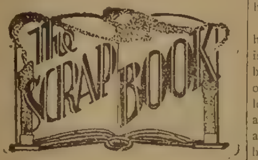

"DO YOU REMEMBER"

By Thomas Haynes Bayly

Do you remember when you heard
My lips breathe love's first faltering word?
You do, sweet—don't you?
When, having wandered all the day,
Linked arm in arm, I dared to say,
"You'll love me—won't you?"

And when you blushed and could not speak,
I fondly kissed your glowing cheek,
Did that affront you?
Oh, surely not—your eye expressed
No wrath—but said, perhaps in jest,
"You'll love me—won't you?"

I'm sure my eyes replied, "I will."
And you believe that promise still,
You do, sweet—don't you?
Yes, yes! when age has made our eyes
Unfit for questions or replies,
You'll love me—won't you?

Court Of Honor For Boy Scouts To Be Held At Baptist Church Saturday, September 26, 7 A.M.

Boys expecting to advance in scouting will have to appear before Court of Honor meetings from time to time and stand examinations as well as to present certificates showing that they qualify for the different ranks in scouting.

Following is list of merit badge examiners before whom the scouts must appear for their certificates in merit badge work:

Swimming, Sam Powers, Lay Dam.
Life Saving, Life Saving Team, Lay Dam.
Camping, John Hollis, Mitchell Dam
Civics, Grady Reynolds.
Bird Study, L. C. Warr.
Path Finding, Chief of Police.
Athletic and Physical Development, H. T. Walker.
Farm Subjects, including Agriculture, Animal Industry, Beef Production, Beekeeping, Farm Mechanics, Farm Records, Fruit Culture, Gardening, Dairying, Hog Production, Poultry, and Soil Management, County Agent Stapp
Textile, Cotton Mill Superintendent.
Woodwork and Carving, J. B. Varnell.
Journalism, Billy Smith
Marksmanship, John VanDerveer.
Leathercraft, Jesse Teel.
Plumbing, M. F. Jones
Printing, W. M. Wyatt
Radio, Hubert Farley.
Reading, L. C. Warr
Safety, Chief of Police
Carpentry and Handicraft, J. B. Varnell
Chemistry and Cement work, J. B. Varnell
Conservation, Percy Pitts
Electricity, Leonard Williams
Firemanship, Chief of Fire Department

The boys who receive certificates in the above mentioned work during their work in scouting will accomplish a great deal. Recently this paper carried an article on the activities of the boy scouts during the past year. The people of the community are urged to co-operate with the boys in their scout program.

LOCAL SENIOR CLASS SHOWS FINE SPIRIT

At a recent class meeting of the Senior Class of the Chilton County High School, officers as follows were elected: Joe VanDerveer, president; Herman Harris, vice-president; Leroy Martin, secretary-treasurer.

This class appears to be one of the most active Senior Classes ever at the high school. The class has had undertaken one of the largest projects ever on record for any one class. They have purchased an automatic, electric clock for use in class program timing, which will be installed about October 1. This clock will be the gift of the class to the school, as it is the custom for the Senior Class of each year to leave a marker. The clock will cost something over $200.

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Special Features For Women's Dist. Conv.

LaFayette, Ala., Sept. 21.—Under the direction of the LaFayette Study Club two especially interesting numbers are being prepared for the Fifth District Convention of the A. F. W. C. to be in LaFayette October 8 and 9.

At 6:45 Thursday evening, October 8, there will be presented at the Baptist church a cantata, Eliland by Fielitz. The story of the cantata is about a monk who falls in love with a nun, Irmingard. Upon appearing before the priest he is reproved for his love and commanded to renounce it and Irmingard. This he does and resigns himself to his fate. These ten short numbers compose the cantata: Silent Grief: Frauenworth, Roses, Secret Greetings, On the Shore of the Lake, Child Voices, Moonlight Night, Dreams, Anathema, Resignation.

Miss Miriam Siler of LaFayette, music chairman of Fifth District, is in charge of the cantata and is being assisted by Mrs. Frank Barrow. Those taking part are Mrs. Frank Barrow, Mrs. J. F. Jones, Mrs. G. R. Bowling, and Miss Sara Frazer as first sopranos; Mrs. C. W. Lowe and Mrs. Myrtis Jenkins as second sopranos; Mrs. Rea Schuessler and Miss Kathleen Cumbee as altos; and Miss Miriam Siler, accompanist.

Just preceding the reception Thursday evening O Joy San, a one act Japanese play, will be given. The characters are O Joy San; Otaka, maid to O Joy; Yushi, a servant; Steven Shaw, a wealthy young American, husband of O Joy; Mrs. Shaw, mother of Steven; and Helen Reese, a former sweetheart of Steven.

The play is characterized by its light humor and pathos. Steven Shaw who is in Japan as manager of a branch bank of a large one in the United States of which his father is president, falls in love with and marries O Joy. They are most happy until Steven's mother and the girl to whom he was engaged before he left the States, Helen Reese, come over with the intention of breaking up the marriage. O Joy refuses the demand of Mrs. Shaw that she release Steven but finally upon being persuaded by the mother and Miss Reese that Steven wishes to leave gives her permission. In the end everything is all right for O Joy and Steven.

The players are Mrs. R. S. Willingham as O Joy; Mrs. Harold Huguley, Otaka; Gene Fuller, Yushi; William Huie, Steven; Ada Causey, Mrs. Shaw; and Miriam Siler as Helen Reese.

All convention visitors will be honor guests at these two entertainments. And an invitation is extended the public to attend either or both of them.

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An investigating committee declares there is "widespread corruption" in New York City. Those investigators are simply finding out everything.

The Rev. Walter Cairns of Glasgow declared in a lecture that the modern flappers needed spanking.

Concord-Billingsley

Bro. Headley filled his appointment and brought to us a wonderful message both unday morning and Sunday night. The service was well attended Sunday morning, but Sunday night some were hindered on account of the rain.

We are proud of the interest that is being shown in Sunday school and C.E.

Miss Louise Kynard returned to her home in Selma Sunday after spending the past week with her sister, Mrs. W. A. Williams.

Mrs. J. F. Sheppard and little daughter of Clanton spent the latter part of the past week with parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Little and family had as their guests Sunday Bro. Headley, Mr. T. L. Williams, Grandmother Lawrence, Misses Bessie and Jettie Williams and Clara Dell Sims

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams and family attended the singing at Big Springs church Sunday afternoon

Mrs. C. A. Surles' nieces from Selma spent the day with her Sunday.

We are glad that Mrs. Emma Williams who has been sick is greatly improved at this writing

Grandmother Lawrence spent Monday at the home of Mrs. W W Williams.

DeBate At Billingsley: "Cotton or No Cotton."

There will be a debate given in the Billingsley Elementary school auditorium next Saturday night, September 26th. The subject, which is under consideration is, Resolved "That Farmers Should Plant No Cotton in 1932." Every farmer in Autauga county and elsewhere should be interested in this vital subject.

The debate will begin sharply at 8:00 o'clock. Everybody is invited to be present with your head full of ideas and ideals. The debate is sponsored by the C. E. Society of Concord church. Admission will be 5c and 10c.

Refreshments will be sold. The proceeds will go for the benefit of Concord church.

When a pretty girl of Hollywood Calif., was asked her name by a filling station attendant, she replied, "I'm Miss Wienie Hottdoeg and I feel like a cannibal whenever I eat a frankfurter"

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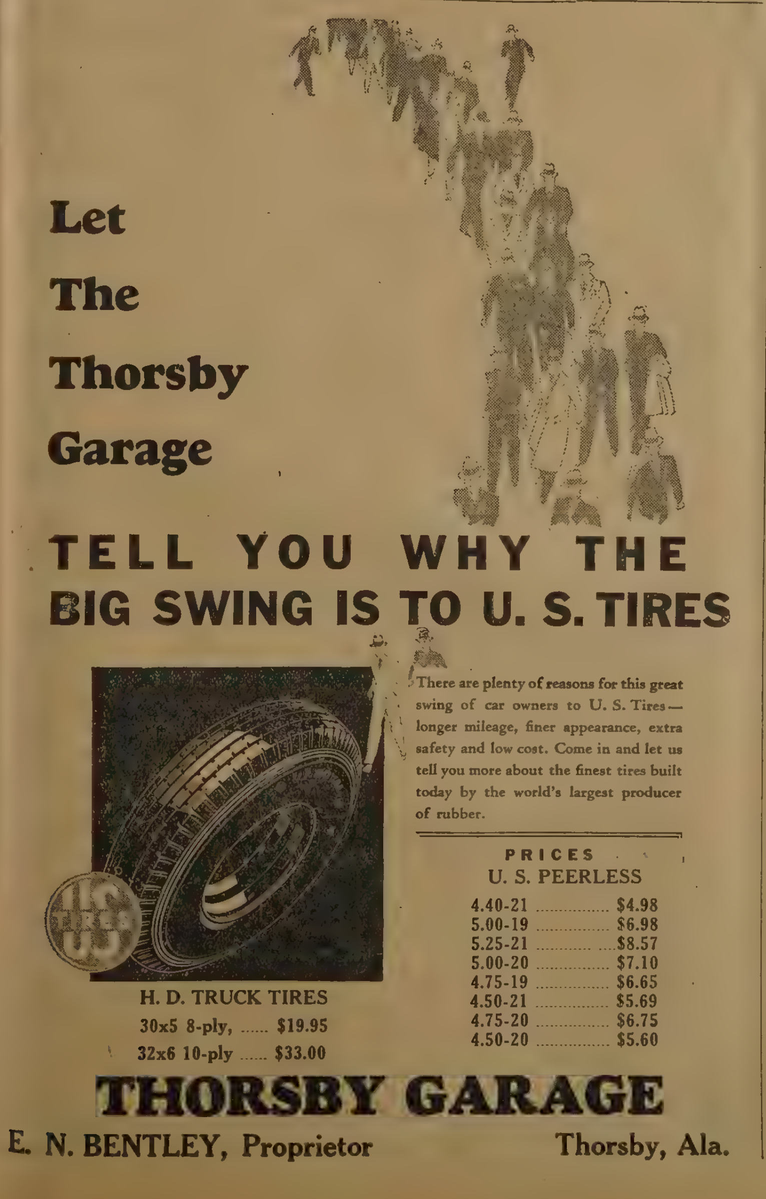
In the midst of the titters of the congregation a proud hen marched sedately up the aisle of a church at Mt. Sterling, O., into the choir loft and laid an egg

For 22 years Richard W. Oldfield of Haverstraw, N. Y., lived near a railroad and listened to the shrieking of the whistles and deep-throated puffing, but not until recently did he complain of the annoyance.

Three marriages with three different men find Mrs. Rosa Moorehead of El Dara, Ill., still with the same name as she married three brothers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The Fall Dress

Straighter, Less Fullness Is Mode

By Inez Holland

Fall dress silhouettes vary with the clock. The morning or street dresses have straighter lines and whenever pleats and godets are used they start low and finish soon, due partly to the shortness of the skirt. Dresses are often as much as fourteen inches from the ground.

The new afternoon dress silhouette features a moulded hip line and a high placed flare. Through circular shaping, fulness accumulates on the way to the hem, and the longer dresses for formal afternoon wear show very full flares. The length of these skirts are from six to ten inches from the ground.

Evening dresses have higher flares, accentuated by vertical trimmings and seamings. They may be shorter in front than in back, coming as high as the ankle. However, the instep is average and an even all around skirt is, just at present, the best mode.

Black an Early Favorite

The black daytime dress persists, despite the fresh appealing browns, vivid greens, bold reds and all the warm Colonial colors inspired by the French Exposition. Quite often, however, the black dress is touched with a brilliant barbaric color or combination of contrasting colors.

Diagonal lines in fabric weaves are carried out in the seaming and trimmings of dresses as well as coats. Great variety is achieved with pin tucking, box pleats and bias folds.

The two-piece dress is in favor, the blouse, coat or upper part of the ensemble often contrasting in color and pattern with that of the skirt. The blouse is usually a patterned fabric while the skirt is preferable in a monotone. The jacket or coat influence is seen everywhere and many two-piece models are belted, with the blouse continuing to hip-length in simulation of a jacket suit.

Coat dresses are being shown and are most attractive.

Necklines Receive Attention

Necklines frequently attract much attention. There are scarf treatments of various kinds—the scarfs usually being long. A combination of brilliant, Colonial colored fabrics used at the neckline of some of the dress models is repeated in some cases at the beltline. One model from Bruyer shows a generous lapel of bright colored material on one side with the bright color theme being carried out in the neckline at the other side. This was shown on a black woolen costume.

Sleeves show interesting variety. They generally have a fulness at the elbow and wrist, but some models have the raglan cut front with kimono cut back and are tight from the elbow down.

Fabrics, collar and color treatments are the most important details of the Fall dress. So far, woolens are the favorite, the only silk dresses being shown in small patterned travel silks. Lustreless silk is smart for trimming, especially on knitted frocks.

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An apple tree planted 65 years ago by the late Dr. W. E. Dawson of El Dorado Springs, Mo., is still bearing fruit.

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CLANTON, ALA.
PHONE 4100

Principles Of Rate Making For Electric Service

Explained By Legislative Investigating Committee On Public Utilities In Alabama

IN its report to the Alabama Legislature, July, 1931, the Joint Committee, appointed under House Resolution No. 80 for the purpose of investigating various phases of rates, tax values, service, etc., of electric utilities in Alabama, gives a clear cut explanation of the underlying principles involved in making rates for electric service in Alabama. Believing this explanation will be of interest to our customers, we quote the following from the Committee's report:

"The principles involved in a system of rates for the various kinds of consumers of electricity, including industry, power and the various forms of domestic uses, are probably as little understood by the public as any question of equal importance.

It is not practicable for us to undertake a lengthy discussion of these principles, but we will do so briefly.

The first duty of the rate maker is to ascertain what amount of income will be necessary for the utility to procure to enable it to pay its expenses of operation maintenance, depreciation, taxes, etc., and leave enough to pay a reasonable return on the fair value of the property used and useful in the public service. When this has been ascertained the big problem of distributing this charge equitably among the various classes of users is faced. This problem presents many angles that must needs have material consideration; but we will not undertake to set them out. Suffice to say that our Public Service Commission devotes much time and investigation to these various angles, takes testimony of the utilities and the consumers and reaches its conclusions after full investigation and consideration, and after having heard the viewpoint of all interests involved.

The conclusions of the Public Service Commission are always subject to be appealed to the Courts by either the utility affected, or any citizen interested.

In this connection will say that the work of our Public Service Commission in this respect seems to be thorough and efficient and its findings fair to the public and the utility."

We shall be glad to furnish any customer of Alabama Power Company more detailed information as to its rates for electricity.

ALABAMA POWER COMPANY

FALL OATS WILL MAKE FEED FOR NEXT YEAR

Auburn, Ala.,—Big yields of feed crops in Alabama this year do not guarantee either an abundance of feed or big yields next year. Farmers are being reminded of this by county agents when it is time to plant oats and other winter cover crops to make more feed next year.

"And oats should be planted between September 15 and October 15 to make feed next year," said J. C. Lowery, extension agronomist of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn. "In experiments at Auburn the yield of fall-sown oats was double that of spring-sown oats over a period of twenty years.

"Drill oats in cotton middles soon after the cotton has been picked. Planting early—even if the oats have to be planted in the middle of a summer-growing crop before it is harvested—is of much greater importance in securing a good yield than delaying planting to plow the land and prepare it thoroughly.

"Oats should be seeded at the rate of two to three bushels per acre. Sow red rustproof, Appler, or Fulghum varieties. The Fulghum is earlier than the rustproof.

"North of Birmingham where oats are sometimes lost from freezes the Norton oat is promising, having stood 8 degrees above zero in January, 1928, when other varieties were almost completely killed. In three years tests it made about as large yields as other varieties. The winter turf oat is popular with many farmers in the Tennesse Valley.

"It pays to treat oats for smut. Every farmer can secure a cheap and practical formula for treating oats for smut from his county agent."

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A kitten with seven claws on each front paw is owned by Mrs. Charles E. Kent of Portland, Me.

Prop. No. 2.

State of Alabama

A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the second Tuesday in November after the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, as provided by Section 287 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Act proposing the amendment was not submitted for the aproval of the Governor but was valid upon its adoption by the Legislature without his approval, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 10th day of November, 1931, is the second Tuesday in November, such day being more than three months after the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday, the 10th day of November, 1931, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:—

"ARTICLE XXI. Section 219 of the present Constitution is hereby annulled and set aside and hereafter the Legislature of Alabama may provide for the assessment, levy and collection of a tax upon inheritances and for the levying of estate taxes not to exceed in the aggregate the amounts which may by any law of the United States be allowed to be credited against or deducted from any similar tax upon inheritances or taxes on estates assessed or levied by the United States on the same subject. The Legislature shall have the power to levy such inheritance or estate taxes in the State of Alabama only so long as and during the time an inheritance or estate tax is enforced by the United States against Alabama inheritances or estates, and shall only be exercised or enforced to the extent of absorbing the amount of any deduction or credit which may be permitted by the laws of the United States now existing or hereafter enacted to be claimed by reason thereof as deduction or credit against such similar tax of the United States applicable to Alabama inheritances or estates."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight successive weeks prior to the 10th day of November, 1931, in each county of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the great seal of the State to be affixed at the Captol, in the City of Montgomery, on this the 3rd day of September, 1931.

B. M. Miller,
Governor.

Attest:
P. B. Jarman, Jr.
Secretary of State.

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To List for Sale, All Desirable farm property in Chilton County --- Have Several Buyers with Cash --- Ready to Buy.

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Prop. No. 1.

State of Alabama

A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the Second Tuesday after the expiration of three months from and after the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said amendment was proposed, and,

WHEREAS, as provided by Section 287 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Act proposing the amendment was not submitted for the approval of the Governor but was valid upon its adoption by the Legislature without his approval, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 3rd day of November, 1931, is the second Tuesday after the expiration of three months from and after the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 3rd day of November, 1931, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:—

"ARTICLE XX-B. Section 1. The State is authorized to engage in the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways and bridges in the State of Alabama. To this end and for these purposes, the State is authorizzed to appropriate funds and for constructional purposes only the State is authorized also to issue and sell interest-bearing negotiable State bonds in addition to those already authorized and sold under Article XX and XX-A, as amendments to the Constitution of 1901, in an amount not to exceed the sum of twenty-five million dollars ($25,000,000.00), to be issued under such denominations, numbers and series, maturing at such times as may be provided by law, and all such bonds shall bear a rate of interest not greater than six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and shall be sold at a price not less than par value thereof.

Section 2. The State Highway Commission or Highway Department shall locate, construct and maintain highways, bridges and State trunk roads so as to connect each county seat with the county seat of the adjoining county by the most direct or most feasible route by a permanent road, having due regard for the public welfare, and shall connect the county seats of the several border counties at or near the state line with a public highway in the border states. Provided, that in counties which are divided into two or more judicial divisions in each of which regular terms of the circuit court are held, the places where said terms of court are held, shall likewise be connected with each other.

Section 3. The proceeds of said bonds shall be used for constructing and/or surfacing of roads and constructing and/or repairing bridges, but not for maintenance or discharging of contract debts, liability or obligations existing prior to the adoption of this amendment.

Section 4. Eighteen million four hundred twenty-five thousand dollars ($18,425,000.00) of the proceeds of said bonds shall be set aside by the Governor and apportioned in amounts of Two Hundred seventy-five thousand dollars ($275,000.00) to each of the respective counties of the State which must be expended by the State Highway Commission or Highway Department in each of said counties for construction, which shall include hard surfacing, of existing and also new public roads and bridges therein. The remaining proceeds of said bonds shall be used for the construction, which shall include surfacing, of existing, or new highways and constructing or repairing bridges in the State.

Section 5. The proceeds of such bonds shall be kept separate and apart from all other funds and no part of the same shall ever be used in honoring a warrant not legally drawn against such proceeds.

Section 6. There is hereby levied and every distributor, retail dealer or storer shall pay an excise tax of one cent per gallon upon the selling, distributing or withdrawing from storage for any use gasoline, provided, however, that the excise tax is not levied upon the sale of gasoline in interstate commerce, and provided further that where this excise tax shall have been paid by a distributor or by a retail dealer or storer such payment shall be sufficient, the intention being that this tax shall not be paid but once. The terms 'distributor', 'retail dealer', 'storer', 'selling', 'distributing', 'withdrawing' and 'gasoline' are used as the same are used in existing gasoline excise tax laws of the State and shall be so construed, and all rights, duties, liabilities, penalties, powers and methods pertaining to the collection of gasoline excise taxes under such existing laws of the State shall apply to the collection, payment and accounting for the within excise tax, provided, the Legislature may limit, extend or further define the same. The excise tax of one cent herein levied shall be in addition to the excise gasoline taxes provided by existing laws of the State, but this section shall not be construed in any way as limiting the power of the Legislature to increase or decrease this or any other gasoline tax.

Section 7. The one cent excise tax hereinbefore levied shall be used first to create a sinking fund for the prompt and faithful payment of the principal and the interest on the bonds herein authorized, and, second, by the State for the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways and bridges of this State.

Section 8. The bonds herein authorized when issued shall be a direct obligation of the State, and for the prompt and faithful payment of the principal and interest thereon the full faith and credit of the State is hereby irrevocably pledged and such bonds shall be exempt forever from taxes of every kind.

Section 9. The bonds herein authorized shall be issued and sold in the same manner by a Bond Commission as set forth, defined and prescribed in Article 5 of Chapter 32, Code of Alabama, 1923.

Section 10. That House Bill No. 1204 by Mr. Tunstall, if and when passed by both houses of the Legislature of Alabama of 1931 and approved by the Governor and being, "A bill to be entitled an act to impose, for the use and purpose of surviving, preserving, maintaining, constructing and regulating the use of public roads and bridges in the State of Alabama, an excise tax on all persons, companies, agencies, corporations, and associations who sell, distribute, store or draw from storage for any purpose whatsoever, gasoline or any other liquid motor fuels or devices or any substitute therefor within the State of Alabama; providing for the collection of such excise tax and the payment of same into the State Treasury; providing for the enforcement of this act and fixing a penalty for the violation of the provisions hereof; providing that the said excise tax so imposed shall be in addition to all other excise tax now imposed by law; and, providing that freight agents or railroads and all agents of all transportation companies operating within the State of Alabama and who transport motor fuels shall report to the State Tax Commission all shipments of gasoline or any substitute therefor, received at any of their stations within the State", be and the same is hereby ratified, confirmed and validated and made constitutional as a law, and such ratification, confirmation, validation and constitutionally as a law, shall, according to the terms thereof when finally passed, in the manner aforesaid, take effect and be effective on the day of the passage of said bill by both houses of the Legislature of Alabama of 1931, and approved by the Governor, as fully as if said bill was set out in words and figures herein."

I further direct and proclaim that notices of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight consecutive weeks prior to the 3rd day of November, 1931, in each county of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the great seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the city of Montgomery, on this the 3rd day of September, 1931.

B. M. Miller,
Governor.

Attest:
P. B. Jarman, Jr.
Secretary of State.

My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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CHAPTER XLVIII

Hospitalization and completion of three corps headquarters and staff organizations occupied my attention the last week of June, 1918.

Twelve of our divisions were then either in line or in reserve behind the French, five were in training in rear of the British army. Of those with the French, seven were concentrated in the vicinity of Villers-Cotterets and Chateau-Thierry, between the French front and Paris.

The British seemed to think the French unduly nervous about the safety of Paris, and that Foch was holding a greater proportion of American troops behind the French lines than necessary. They believed there was a strong probability of another attack against their front, and felt General Foch was not paying enough attention to their situation. However, they probably did not realize that a counteroffensive was contemplated on this front should the occasion present itself.

Corps Headquarters Organized.

The First corps headquarters, organized in January under Maj. Gen. Hunter Liggett, with Col. Malin Craig as chief of staff, had become a smoothly working machine ready for active service anywhere, but events had moved so swiftly there had been no opportunity for the assembly of divisions. With the increasing size of our army it was evident that a greater number of divisions would be able to take part in operations at earlier dates than we had thought possible. Consequently, the organization of the Second, Third and Fourth corps headquarters was at once completed.

The Second corps, Maj. Gen. George Read commanding, with Col. George Simonds as chief of staff, and a limited number of staff officers, was charged with matters of administration and command pertaining to the divisions behind the British front. The Third corps, temporarily under Maj. Gen. William M. Wright, Col. Alfred Bjornstad, chief of staff, continued to supervise training of divisions serving in the Vosges area. The Fourth corps was temporarily under the corps chief of staff, Col. Stuart Heintzelman, with headquarters at Toul. By the actual constitution of these corps they were expected soon to become efficient enough to handle units in operations.

French Hospitals Deficient.

As to hospitals, when our troops became suddenly engaged in the Chateau-Thierry region we had to rely largely upon the assistance of the French to care for our wounded. Although they had given us every assurance that hospital arrangements for those operations would be complete, and without question did their best, it was only through the mobile hospitals we had organized that we were able to give our casualties proper attention.

In extenuation of the French failure to take care of our casualties properly it must be said that when the Germans swept over the Chemin des Dames to Chateau-Thierry the French lost 45,000 beds, included in some of their best equipped hospitals. We had no hospitals on that front and with limited transportation found it difficult to supplement the scant French facilities. In fact, the situation as to hospital accommodations for our troops was about to reach a critical stage.

In this connection a cable was actually submitted by Mr. Casper Whitney from the New York Tribune which was scathing in its denunciation of our medical department. The censor immediately informed the medical representatives at my headquarters, and General Ireland, the chief surgeon, requested an investigation, which was at once carried out by the chief of the inspector general's corps, General Brewster. Mr. Whitney was asked to be present at all the hearings, and when the actual facts were brought out, showing the efficiency of the medical department, he was most apologetic and thereafter was an enthusiastic supporter of the wisdom of the censorship.

Fourth of July Observance.

The Fourth of July found me in Chaumont. The French people there never missed an opportunity to show their pleasure at having us in their midst and their appreciation of our aid to the cause. The principal ceremony of the day was a reception to the officers of my headquarters by the local French officials, both civic and military, and the prominent citizens at the Hotel de Ville. This was an altogether delightful social gathering, including a series of suitable speeches.

The spirit of fraternity that prevailed made it easy to respond. In fact, on this, as often on similar occasions, I found myself almost as enthusiastic as the French speaker, though perhaps less content with my effort.

The allies elsewhere did not forget that it was our Independence day, and messages came from Clemenceau, Foch and Haig and many others from all over France.

Yanks in Hamel Attack.

Regardless of the distinct understanding that our troops behind the British front were there for training and were not to be used except in an emergency, the British made continuous effort to get them into their lines.

They planned an attack by the Australians for the Fourth of July and requested Maj. Gen. George Read, commander of the Second corps then still in training, to permit some of the troops of the Thirty-third division to take part.

At first the British suggested four companies, but later they wanted the number increased to ten. As the use of Americans at this time was directly contrary to the arrangement, naturally it did not meet with my approval.

Having learned that such a combined attack was planned, I spoke to Marshal Haig about it when I saw him in Paris July 3, and he entirely agreed with my point of view. It seems that General Read, afterward, in accordance with my instructions, told General Rawlinson that I did not want partly trained troops to participate. However, our troops had by this time become fully committed to it. Although the British chief of staff had consented to leave our troops out, when he learned from Rawlinson that it would compel them to defer the operation, he informed Read that no change could be made without orders from Field Marshal Haig, who, he said, could not be reached, and so the attack was carried out, as I learned the next day.

The fact that General Read and his officers and men were keen to get into the battle went far to excuse him. It seems needless to add also that the splendid behavior of the troops in the operation was a decided argument in favor of leniency. This division also afterward displayed the same eagerness to get at the enemy in several hard-fought engagements during the trying days of the Meuse-Argonne.

CHAPTER XLIX

A number of our divisions were quite prepared to engage in any contemplated offensive and their location at the moment lent hope for the early formation of one and probably two entire corps of Americans.

Liggett's First corps had taken its place in line July 4, with the Second division (Harbord), relieved on the 10th by the Twenty-sixth (Edwards), and a French division under its direction. The corps staff had been shaken down to the routine of its work and had become in every respect an efficient group, performing its functions with the confidence and precision worthy of the more experienced staffs of the allied armies.

During an inspection trip July 12 to the headquarters of the First corps I had lunch with General Harbord at Nanteuil-sur-Marne, where his division was resting. He told of a marine in his division who had captured seventy-five German prisoners single-handed.

Germans Attack Again.

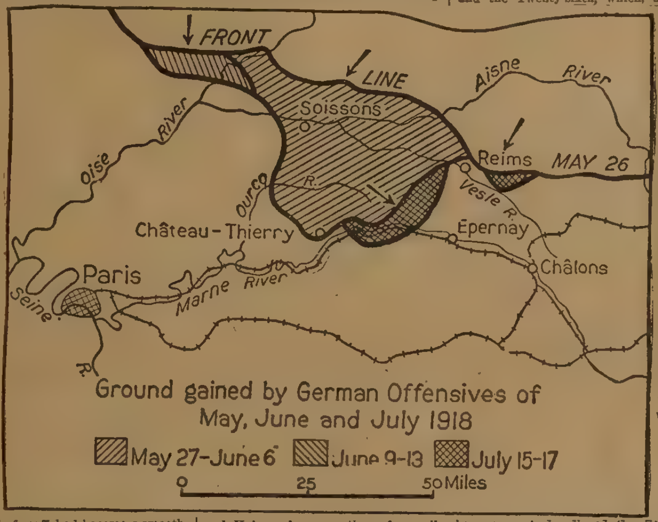
Referring again to my diary:

Chaumont, Wednesday, July 17, 1918.—Another German attack broke Monday. Our Forty-second, part of the Twenty-eighth and the Third, became engaged. The latter counterattacked and captured 600 prisoners. Advised Foch that the Thirty-second and Twenty-ninth divisions are available at once.

Five other divisions have been placed at his disposal. Situation yesterday more favorable for allies. General Bullard assigned to Third corps and General Wright to Fifth.

The intelligence services of all the allied armies had been exerting every endeavor to discover the enemy's plans, with the result that for some days it appeared almost certain that his next move would be directed toward the southeast, on the right and left of Rheims. On the evening of July 14 a French raiding party from General Gouraud's Fourth army, then holding that part of the line including Rheims, luckily captured prisoners who confirmed this belief and who gave the exact hour fixed for the attack, which they said was to take place the following morning.

Our Third division, still in line south of the Marne, faced the enemy between Jaulgonne and Chateau Thierry, and the Twenty-sixth, which, as we have seen, had relieved the Second, held a sector between Torcy and Vaux. Infantry elements of the Twenty-eighth were south of the Marne, serving with the two French divisions on either side of the Third; the entire Forty-second occupied a support position behind Gouraud's front; the First division was north of Meaux, and the Second and Fourth were in reserve near Chateau Thierry.



Ground gained by German Offensives of May, June and July 1918

Surprise for the Enemy.

The German offensive was launched on the early morning of July 15, as expected, but it was met with a surprise barrage put down by General Gouraud's artillery half an hour before the start. The Germans' attack formations were thrown into confusion and their force seriously weakened to begin with. By evening, thanks to the strong resistance they encountered, the situation in that immediate sector was not unfavorable.

Our Forty-second division became engaged and sustained relatively heavy losses. Its conduct on the first and succeeding days brought high praise from the French army commander. Farther west the enemy crossed the Marne, penetrating in one place as far as five miles. He struck our Third division, which was posted along the river, in a determined attempt to force a crossing between Mezy and Varennes, and the fighting became intense, some units of the Thirtieth and Thirty-eighth regiments holding this front being forced back. The stubbornness of their resistance, however, broke up the attack as a whole, and the Germans retired to the north bank.

Thirty-eighth Distinguishes Itself.

On this occasion a single regiment of the Third division (Col. U. G. McAlexander's Thirty-eighth) wrote one of the most brilliant pages in our military annals. It prevented the crossing at certain points on its front, while on either flank the Germans who had gained a footing pressed forward. Our men, firing in three directions, met the German attack with counterattacks at critical points, and succeeded in throwing two German divisions into complete confusion.

Men from three different enemy divisions were captured by the Third in the fighting of this day. By noon of the sixteenth the attacks against its line came to a halt.

The Germans were stopped to the east of Rheims by Gouraud's Fourth army with but slight gains, while to the southwest they got across the Marne and made some progress toward Epernay. The failure of the attack in Champagne and the relatively slight gains to which the Germans were held to the west of Rheims on the first day materially heartened the allies.

Although there were some ten divisions of the enemy remaining south of the Marne, the very evident conclusion, judging from the results of the following two days and the losses he had suffered, was that he would be unable to continue the offensive.

Now that the allied armies were no longer in jeopardy it seemed opportune to push the formation of our own army near Chateau Thierry for use against the Marne salient in the counteroffensive I had frequently urged. The outlook for the allies had changed materially since the crisis of early June. The enemy had been held in his most recent attacks and his losses were presumably very great.

He was losing the advantage of numbers and his superiority was passing.

(continued next week)

Pleasant Valley News

Our Sunday School at this place is progressing nicely. We have a very large attendance. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Misses Elizabeth Griffin and Catherine Ware of Clanton spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Griffin.

Mr. Jimmie Cummings of Lanet, Ala. is visiting relatives and friends of this community.

Mr. G. L. Griffin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Pierce, Misses Mildred and Marie Neeley and Mr. Joe Martin spent a very enjoyable day at Log Cabin Beach Sunday picnicking.

A very large crowd from this place attended the singing at Verbena Sunday.

Miss Lillian Devaughn was the dinner guest of Frances Lee Silas Sunday.

Mrs. J. I. Williams of this community is spending this week at New Cedron with her daughter, Mrs. A. J. Culver.

Rev. J. A. Raines and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Bishop of Clanton were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Keel Sunday.

Next Sunday is our regular preaching day. Everybody is invited.

IN MEMORY OF LITTLE CARL MILLS, BILLINGSLEY

One of the most beautiful scenes as laid in the life of Christ on earth was the calling of the children to Him. His disciples sought to have them put away and the Christ said, "Suffer little children to come unto me, forbid them not: for of such is the Kinkdom of God."

Late in the afternoon of September 5th, 1931, God gathered unto Himself little Carl Mills, aged 10, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Mills of Billingsley.

He was fatally hurt in an automobile accident, living only a few minutes after reaching the hospital in Clanton. "A human flower untouched by the finger of care."

We never see a child die, but we think of cut flowers. The gardener has need of flowers, but he takes them before they are full blooms. Maybe it is that the Gardener has need of some cut flowers. Bereaved one, maybe it is that He went out and cut the one that you concluded belonged to you. Maybe it is today that your heart aches, you feel that you must grieve, and that you have been wronged. Lift up your face and listen. Your cut flower has gone to the end, that you might cast out selfishness and burn to the gray the ashes of discontent. As you think of your cut flower so white and peaceful and still may that precious little face be the guiding star that will lead you and guide you on to a better life, remembering—

"'Twas an angel visited the green
earth,
And carried the flower away."

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PAROLE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, who was convicted at Chilton County Court on the second day of April, 1931, for the offense of manufacturing liquor and possession of still and sentenced to from 14 to 15 months in State penintentiary, will make application to the Pardon Board of Alabama for parole.

This the 19th day of September, 1931.

9-24-31-2tpd. DOC HORTON.

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Wilson Bldg. Clanton, Ala.

5-7-tf.

Jackson Chapel News

Dear Editor:

A little space in your paper if you please.

Everybody is very busy in this section of the county gathering their crops. Health is very good at present.

Mrs. R. R. Thompson and children, Marshall and Gladys, of Jackson, Miss., have returned home after an extended visit with relatives and friends in Alabama. While she was visiting her sister, Mrs. W. T. Robinson, of Randolph Route 1, they motored to South Alabama and to parts on the Gulf Coast, spent a week visiting friends and their sister, Mrs. A. W. Harrell, fishing, boating on the Gulf, and report that they had a wonderful time while down there. After their return back to Mrs. Robinson's they spent the week going to protracted meeting of this vicinity, and at Randolph, Ala. Then she went from here to Birmingham to visit her brother, G. W. Honeycutt.

The singing here at Union Springs church Sunday was a grand success. Everybody seemed to enjoy themselves. We were sure glad to have the singing classes from Mars Hill, Center Hill, Oak Grove and Providence churches. These classes sure did some good singing. The directors for the morning were Messrs. C. W. Scott, Lloyd Edwards, Claude Scott, Leo Cobb, Russell Scott and Green Cofer. Organists were Mrs. Howard Roper, Miss Ruby Smith, Miss Jewel Cofer and Mrs. B. L. Cobb. Then we adjourned for dinner, which was a bountiful one and with plenty for everybody. There was plenty to have fed another such crowd. We sure do thank the ladies for their good help in preparing such a wonderful dinner for us, also want to thank the visiting ones for their hearty support in the singing and feed. Then we met back at one-thirty for the afternoon. The leaders were Messrs. C. W. Scott, Ellis Martin, W. J. Northcutt of Jemison, Rossie Scott. Organists were Mrs. Howard Roper, Miss Ruby Smith The closing song was led by Mr. C. W. Scott. We were dismissed by W. J. Northcutt.

Owing to a get-together meeting of the members of Shady Grove church next Sunday we will not have any preaching service Sunday at eleven o'clock, but will have service in the afternoon at three, also night service. We will have Sunday school at 2:00 P. M. Everybody is invited to come and worship with us.

A WORKER.

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MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

I was in a grocery store and on a shelf I saw a can that carried this label, "Devil's Lye." This is a concotion of high powered chemicals that carry the power to kill should it be taken into human vitals. When it is first taken it burns like fire and then it sets up an eating process that will soon produce death. The last moments of life where Devil's Lye is getting in its deadly work, are horrible beyond measure. The government forces the producers of Devil's Lye to label it as poisonous and dangerous. This is done because it is dangerous to the physical. The devil has another concoction that he puts out, and this goes without the label indicating danger. The devil puts this concoction in attractive cans and he sweetens the taste so that it becomes very attractive to human hearts. Not one person in Clanton, but many have been drinking down the Devil's Lye. The concoction of iniquity has set up its eating process in the soul, and the end is not yet. I want to warn you that the Devil's Lye is dangerous for body and soul.

I preached at Clanton Sunday morning at 11 A. M. and that afternoon I preached at Isabella at three o'clock. I am telling you an honest fact, I had more people to hear me at Isabella at three o'clock than I had in Clanton at 11 A. M. I am leaving you to be the judge as to which church and which hour should have presented the larger crowd. There are a few in Clanton—in all churches—who are dependable on the question of church going, but the vast majority have about as much use for a church on Sunday as a legless man has for shoes. Why does a legless man care nothing for shoes? It is because he has no place where he can wear them. Why is it that people care nothing for the church? It is because there is no place in their life where the church can serve them. Mark what I say—there is something radically wrong in your life when you are not stirred with a strong passion on every Sunday to worship in God's house. We are talking about a "Financial Depression" but it is time for us to hush on that question, and get down to talking about the "Spiritual Depression" that is on us. If we will remove the spiritual depression by coming up to the help of the Lord, then the Good Spirit will lift the financial depression.

The other day I saw two young ladies walking down the side walk together. They were in close conversation and did not seem to be conscious that they were passing other people along the way. I observed that they were keeping step, and that in their bodily movements they were in perfect harmony. They were the closest friends and their walk and their talk together broght real joy into each heart. It is blessed to walk and talk with those whom you love. I am wondering how many are walking and talking with Jesus Christ. There is no other friend or brother who is closer and dearer than the Christ, and you should make room for him to walk with him. When he comes to join you along this journey of life, give him a once over, and then catch his step. Put yourself into harmony with him and walk and talk to him. There is wonderful fascination in the friendship and the fellowship of the Man of Galilee. If you will make it a rule to walk and talk with Christ, you will stop going to some places where you have been going.

I have just read where two men who defaulted in a trust, to the amount of about four hundred thousand dollars, have been given four years in the pen in Atlanta. We are living in strange days. An honest man can work hard for a small sum per month. A trusted man can work at his place and then steal out the honest savings of those who trust him, and besides being paid a fat salary, he scoops up around fifty thousand dollars per year of the trusted fund. As long as two men can scoop up four hundred thousand dollars, and then draw a sentence of four years, we are going to have stealing, not in banks only, but in every walk of life. In a certain high school where I was last year, the teacher asked each pupil what he expected to do when he was grown. Among the answers given was one that is worthy of note. A handsome boy of seventeen made this reply, "I am going into the banking business, and I am going to steal it out and have plenty." What cares the average boy for the shame of the penitentiary, when money is the thnig that talks, and he can steal out and draw a salary of twenty-five thousnd dollars per year while in the gang? Over in China, when a man defaults in a bank, or trust, he is marched to the wall and shot dead. I would that we could create a consciousness on the value of honesty in American life.

And it came to pass that a certain lady rode up to a public building. She carried the key to the building in her purse, and knowing that no one should be on the inside, she was astonished to see a light in one of the rooms. She slipped to a window and looking in she saw a young fellow on the inside snooping around. He knew that cakes and cream were on the inside, and he had slipped in at a window to see what he could see and find what he could find. Take it from me, when you see a fellow snooping around your home, around in your town, you can be sure that he is not after any good. Go after the "Snooper!" He is dangerous.

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Tax Notice

Collector's and Assessors Round

WE WILL ATTEND AT THE FOLLOWING TIMES AND PLACES FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING THE STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR CHILTON COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1931 AND ASSESSING TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1932:

Mullins Academy, Beat 1	Oct. 5	Thorsby, Beat 9	Oct. 19
Jemison, Beat 2	Oct. 6	Coopers, Beat 10	Oct. 20
Mars Hill, Beat 2	Oct. 7	Cane Creek, Beat 11	Oct. 21
Benson, Beat 3	Oct. 8	Mineral Springs, Beat 12	Oct. 22
Verbena, Beat 5	Oct. 9	Robinson's Store, Beat 12	Oct. 23
Mountain Creek, Beat 5	Oct. 10	Providence, Beat 13	Oct. 26
Enterprise, Beat 6	Oct. 12	Macedonia, Beat 14	Oct. 27
Kincheon, Beat 6	Oct. 13	Pletcher, Beat 15	Oct. 28
Maplesville, Beat 7	Oct. 14	Culp Schoolhouse, Beat 15	Oct. 29
Shoults, Beat 7	Oct. 15	Providence, Beat 16	Oct. 30
Stanton, Beat 8	Oct. 16	Clanton, Beat 4	Oct. 31
Riderville, Beat 8	Oct. 17		

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct to attend in Person on the day of the appointment in your Precinct and then and there render to the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the 1st day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31st, 1931.

W. G. CULP, Tax Collector.
AKINS I. COLLINS, Tax Assessor.

HERE'S GOOD NEWS

THE BIRMINGHAM NEWS, AGE-HERALD are again this year making a very low price bargain offer during the month of October. During next month you can get either of these daily papers for the following prices:

$2.19 For The Birmingham News or The Birmingham Age-Herald, one year, daily only. This applies to subscribers actually living or receiving their mail on a rural or Star route.

$3.19 For The Birmingham News or The Birmingham Age-Herald, one year, daily and Sunday. This applies to subscribers actually living or receiving their mail on a rural or Star route.

This offer is good only during the month of October, for new or renewal subscriptions. The regular price to rural box holders is much higher. Start in now and receive

The Birmingham News
The Birmingham Age-Herald
AT THIS BARGAIN OFFER

You may mail your remittance in to The Birmingham News, Birmingham, or call at the office of The Chilton County News and your subscription or renewal will be promptly attended to.

Fairview News

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Durbin and son, Mr. Rasco Durbin, motored down from Birmingham Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Ola Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Cox and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cox Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Giles spent the week end with Mrs. Emma Ratliff of the Antioch community.

Misses Lloyd and Edith Culp, Myrle Buzbee dined with Miss Willie Nell Owen Sunday.

Mrs. Eliza Headley was the guest of Mrs. W. L. Henley Sunday.

Mr. Clyde Foshee was the dinner guest of Mr. Harvey Mims Sunday.

Misses Mildred and Edna Durbin spent a while with Inez McKee Saturday night.

Mrs. Jerome Henley, Mrs. Beulah Hosey and little daughter, Pauline, were the guests of Mrs. E.H. Devaughn Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Keen and daughter, Louise, Mrs. Harvey and Mr. Manning of the Shiloh community spent a while with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billingsley Sunday afternoon.

Inez McKee dined with Miss Jewel Foshee Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Robinson and Mr. Vernon Robinson of the Collins Chapel community spent the day with Mrs. J. N. McKee Friday.

Miss Myrtle Henley was the guest of Inez Mckee for a while Sunday evening.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas J. M. Rowell and wife Annie Rowell did on May 21, 1927 execute that certain mortgage payable to Scott Lumber Company, which said mortgage is of record in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama in Volume 221 Record of Mortgages at page 207; and

Whereas, heretofore, for value received the said Scott Lumber Company did transfer, sell and assign all its right, title, claim and interest in and to said mortgage, the debt secured thereby and the real estate described therein to the undersigned N. W. Scott; and

Whereas, default has heretofore been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, so that said mortgage, by its terms is now subject to foreclosure;

Now Theretore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as transferee of said mortgage, will sell the real estate described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to the highest bidder for cash said sale to be held in front of the courthouse door of Chilton County, Alabama, during the legal hours of sale on October 9, 1931. The real estate described in and conveyed by said mortgage is described as follows: The West half of the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter; also the East half of the East half of the Northwest quarter of the Northeast quarter, in Section 7, Township 22, Range 14, containing 30 acres, more or less. Situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

The proceeds of said sale will be applied in strict accordance with the terms of said mortgage relating thereto.

N. W. SCOTT,
Transferee.
9-3-4tcB.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BY ADMINISTRATOR

The State of Alabama, Chilton County, Probate Court.
Estate of A. C. Smith, Deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 19 day of September, 1931 by the Hon. L. H. Reynolds, Judge of the Probate Court of Chilton County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

RAYMOND C. SMITH.

CONSTABLE'S SALE

Geneva C. Johnson, Plaintiff, vs. J. C. Hill, Defendant.
Before T. W. Bryan, Justice of the Peace Beat Four.

To satisfy a writ of Venditioni Exponas issued and placed in my hands by T. W. Bryan, Justice of Peace, I will proceed to sell, between the legal hours, on the 3rd day of October, 1931, at Building formerly occupied by Robinson Department Store in Clanton to the highest bidder for Cash, the following described property, to-wit:

Two Rockers, One Library Table, One Parlor Suite consisting of three pieces, One clock, One Sewing Machine, One Small Rug, One Dining Table, One Electric Stove, One Buffet, Three Bed Steads, Three Mattress One Dresser, Four Chairs, One Pia which was duly levied upon, under a by virtue of said writ.

J. A. NIVENS,
Constabl
9-24-1tc

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton Count
Circuit Court in Equity. No. 941.
Ada Maddox, Complainant, vs. Luther Maddox, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear the Register by the affidavit of G. C. Walker that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of s affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Luther Maddox to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 6th day of October, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 5th day of September, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
Register.
9-10-4tc

"Nerves"

A night of broken rest followed by hours of mental or physical strain; nerves tensed almost to the breaking point; irritable; unable to concentrate—another hectic night and miserable day ahead of you.

Why endure it? Dr. Miles' Nervine quiets the nerves, brings calm and poise, and permits refreshing sleep.

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Fifty Lose State Posts At Once

Approximately 50 employes of the State Highway Department will be dropped from the rolls within the next 30 days, it was learned Saturday. Some will terminate their services for the State on October 1, others on October 15. All have been notified.

A majority of the employes whose services are to be dispensed with are engineers, inspectors, and rodmen. One laboratory worker is included.

The reduction in personnel is necessary, it is understood, since the road building program financed by Alabama's share of the emergency highway construction appropriation, provided by Congress, has been completed, and in view of the fact that there are no further State road construction funds available at the present time for continuation of development of the State's highway system.

Layoffs already ordered will wind up the trimming of the Highway Department's forces for the time being.

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THE NEW FABRICS

The finely woven woolen fabrics that made their appearance at early Paris showings of advance Fall fashions, are now lunched upon a definite career. They have been chosen by many of the leading couturiers as the most important material for the daytime street dress and suit. Black and brown are the popular monotones.

The new woolens also come in a variety of patterned fabrics. There are lined checks of white on a solid color, shaded, large block checks, large plaids stripes and a flecked effect material.

Velvet is generally conceded the best all-round fabric for fall. It is being used profusedly in dresses, coats, suits, and seems to be the favorite material for hats among most of the Paris milliners.

Jersey is a good fabric for Fall wear. It is being woven in a number of contrasting colors in stripes, novelty knots, and flecked effects. In some cases the monotone patterns, usually black or brown, are being used for daytime coats.

Silks are seen in all the displays of fall dresses. They have taken on a woolen aspect due to their heavy, ribbed construction of soft quality material.

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Crotalaria, one of the best of the winter legumes, takes its name from Crotalus, the rattlesnake. Crotalaria seeds rattle in the pods.

J. B. ATKINSON
Attorney-At-Law
Office Over Robinson Department Store
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Buck Jones In
"THE AVENGER" --- All Talking Western
Serial: "Spell of the Circus" --- All Talking

MONDAY and TUESDAY — SEPT. 27 and 28
Dorothy Mackaill In
"THe LOVE RACKET" --- All Talking
Comedy: All Talking

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Wednesday Afternoon Card Club Entertained By Mrs. Alred.

Mrs. J. Hance Alred was hostess on Wednesday afternoon of last week to the Wednesday Afternoon Card Club, at her attractive home. Following a series of games during the afternoon, a delicious and well prepared salad plate was served as refreshments to the following: Mesdames Lawrence Gerald, Frank Callen, Hugh Simpson, Arthur Johnson, N. S. Johnson, J. Watts Moore, Grady Reynolds, and the hostess. High score prize was awarded to Mrs. Hugh Simpson.

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Mrs. J. P. VanDerveer is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Pow, in Woodward.

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Among those witnessing the ball game in Montgomery last Friday night, from Clanton were Joe VanDerveer, Carl Jones, Carl Fallin, Clarence Fiquette.

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Miss Elizabeth Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Stewart and daughter, Meriam, and Mr. and Mrs. Arden Allen of Birmingham were guests of Mrs. Agnes McNair last Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Riley of Birmingham and Mrs. Beatrice Norton and daughter, Carolyn, of Attalla, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Danforth.

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Miss Annie Freeman of Wetumpka was in Clanton recently to visit Mrs. Kate Haynes who is ill.

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Wallace Jones of Montgomery was in Clanton visiting his mother, Mrs. Willie Jones, recently.

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Miss Margaret Jones of Haynes was a recent visitor to Clanton.

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Fred and Pratt Busby of Birmingham spent the past week end in Clanton with their sister, Mrs. Earl Gore.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Scott and daughter of Huntsville returned Friday to their home after visiting in Clanton.

Mrs. J. R. Mullins spent Wednesday of last week in Birmingham.

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Ice Cream Supper Enjoyed At M. E. Church Saturday.

The Senior Sunday School Class of girls of the Clanton Methodist church entertained the members of the boys class on last Saturday night at an ice cream supper at the church. Those enjoying this entertainment were Misses Helen Diefenderfer, Grace Plyler, Pauline Plyler, Elizabeth McSwain, Ethel Mae Jones, Mary Robinson, Alice Polk, Frances Maddox. Messrs. Julian Evans, Dick Arnold, James Arnold, Fred Busby, Pratt Busby, Grady Carter, Lester Carter, Curtis Carter, Raymond Taylor, Frank McMurray, Wilson Maddox, Stanley Nivens and Herbert Neighbors.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rother Harris of Birmingham spent Sunday in Clanton as guests of Prof. and Mrs. H. A. Harris.

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Miss Delilah Kelly spent the past week end as the guest of Miss Zora Guy at her home near Mt. Creek.

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Thursday Afternoon Sewing Club Met With Mrs. White.

Mrs. M. L. White was hostess on last Thursday afternoon to the Thursday afternoon Sewing Club at her home on West Second Avenue. Those present, to whom was served a delicious salad plate, were Mesdames P. T. Hinkle, John Armstrong, L. E. Diefenderfer, T. C. McSwain, H. T. Pipes, H. M. Simpson and the hostess.

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Mrs. J. G. Wade and Miss Kathryn Hayes motored to Montgomery last Monday.

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Dr. and Mrs. Edwin Ween of Talladega visited the latter's sister, Mrs Kate Haynes who is confined in the Central Alabama Hospital. Mrs. Haynes shows a slight improvement, is the latest report.

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Mrs. Arthur Johnson, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Willie Jones, Mrs. Glennie Phillips and Mrs. Grady Reynolds spent the day in Birmingham last Sunday.

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Mrs. E. J. Brand and little daughter, are spending sometime with her mother in Birmingham.

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Mrs. H. J. Tessire of Selma arrived Tuesday to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Callen.

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Miss Margaret Brown spent the past week end in Birmingham.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Browder and daughter, Elizabeth, of Montgomery, spent Sunday in Clanton as guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Browder.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Claire McCreary (Margaret Hester) of New York are spending several days in Clanton as the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hester.

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Miss Mary Pow of Woodward was a recent guest of Mrs. J. P. VanDerveer who returned with Miss Pow to spend a few days in Woodward.

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Mrs. Reedie Taylor Hostess To Sewing Club.

Mrs. Reedie Taylor was hostess on last Thursday afternoon to her sewing club, at her attractive home here. Following a pleasant afternoon in sewing, refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Horsley White, Horace Jones, Jimmie Taylor, Spurgeon Calloway, Dewey Rockett and John Durwood Mullins.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fox and Mrs. Irene Rasberry spent Friday in Montgomery.

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Mr. and Mrs. Newton and children of Mitchell Dam spent Sunday in Clanton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Brown and Bill Brown of Birmingham were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mims.

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Miss Elizabeth Griffin spent Friday at her home in the Enterprise Community.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chester Mims spent Sunday in Birmingham.

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Mrs. Anna Jones spent last Sunday in Montgomery as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Jones.

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70th Anniversay Of Transcontinental Tel.

Observance throughout the United States October 24th of the 70th anniversary of the first transcontinental telegraph service, which linked the isolated Golden West of frontier days with the East, will recall vividly the thrilling periods of American history typified by the Covered Wagon, the Pony Express and the Transcontinental Telegraph.

Covered Wagon days have received nationwide attention since April 10, 1930, on which date was celebrated the 100th anniversary of the departure of the first covered wagon party for the Rocky Mountains and beyond. Remnants of the fast-vanishing history of that period have been compiled, markers placed to preserve historic spots on the Oregon Trail and Pony Express routes, and celebrations held by the Oregon Trail Memorial Association.

The Association this year is marking stations of the Pony Express. It is also cooperating with Western Union, which established the transcontinental telegraph, in observing that event which as much as any other, brought an end to the reckless adventure and Indian fighting of the Golden West and the isolation of great plain, mountain and forest regions then out of touch with civilization.

Civic organizations and schools thruout the nation are invited to observe this anniversary during the week ending October 24th. Many schools will present costume plays based on historic episodes, also classroom or auditorium programs, the material for which will be sent in answer to requests mailed to Western Union Telegraph Company, 60 Hudson Street, New York City.

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ARE YOU A PROUD PERSON?

By Dr. Christmas Seal

"Oh, why should the spirit of mortal be proud?" asked William Knox generations ago. The Alabama Tuberculosis Association knows only one good "Why" and that is the pride of being fit for one's job in life.

To be more fit, it is necessary to know how sound your health is and how it can be preserved and improved. This knowledge can be gained from a Health Examination. Go to your family physician for your Health examination.

Many people, though not sick, may not be enjoying the fullness of health and vigor. Some diseases in their early stages give you no warning of their existence. A disease discovered early is the more likely to be cured quickly.

The Alabama Tuberculosis Association recommends that you go to your family physician for your examination because he knows you and your family, he is interested in your physical welfare, he has your confidence, he knows your mental and physical "peculiarities," he can "follow you up" from year to year, and last, because he lives along with you. Take our advice and "Go to your Doctor before he has to come to you."

DON'T BRAG

---tomorrow you may wish you'd changed to Goodyears today

Those old tires may have gone farther than you have any right to expect, but don't trust them too far. And you know your next puncture will wipe out all you're "saving." Better change to new Goodyears, THE leading make, today. That's safer, wiser. Let us show you the big value we're offering for little money.

Latest Lifetime Guaranteed
GOODYEAR PATHFINDER

Size	Each
4.50 20 (29x4.50)	$ 5.60
5.25 21 (31x5.25)	8.57
30 x 3½ Reg Cl.	4.39
30 x 5 H. D. Truck	17.95

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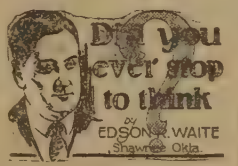

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The community booster spirit of the business men of the home city has not only done the most to build up the city, but does the most to keep it growing.

All business men owe an obligation to the city that supports them. Most of them realize this fact; a few don't.

Most business men boost the home city and are intensely loyal to it.

They have prospered with it as it has prospered.

They have given unstinted service to the home city and put back in it such profits as they have made.

Most local business men realize that they are in the public service and are always ready to do more than their share in its development.

Local citizens should support local business men to the limit.

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1—1928 ESSEX Coupe	$75
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1—1927 FORD Touring	$35
1—'26 CHEVROLET Tudor Sedan	$40
1—1927 CHRYSLER Tudor Sedan	$80

These cars are all in good running condition and they can be seen at our place.

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Clanton, Ala.

Mrs. Bertha Lesh of Chicago charged in her divorce suit that her husband liked corn on the cob so well that he made her get up in the middle of the night to boil some for him.

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Isabella School News

The student body of the Isabella high school seems to be very much enthused over the student government. The Senior High division of the student government met and organized at the opening of the 1931-32 session. The officers elected were as follows: Marvin Durbin, president; Luther Mims, vice-president; Bazolean Williams, secretary and treasurer, and Morris Keen, reporter.

This is the first attempt to have student government at Isabella. It looks as if they are going to make a success with it. The Senior department assemble every Monday. They have given two splendid programs. Mr. Griffin and Mr. G. G. Williams have made some splendid talks to the students. Everyone realizes that the student government is one more step toward a larger and better school. It trains the morals of every student and reminds him of his responsibility, and makes him more loyal to his school. If students are kept under hard-boiled teachers and their ruler, they soon despise their work and their teacher. The desire to leave soon overcomes them and outside things attract their attention. The student loses interest and says, "I just can't learn, I'm going to quit school," and that's the end of their school career. While if they have something like self government, where everyone has a chance to make or redeem the rules wants or doesn't want school will be much more interesting to them. We hope Isabella will make a success. The students are making a pretty good out at it anyway. Everything is running smoothly so far and expected to continue in this manner.

The Seniors of Isabella for 1931-32 met September the seventh and organized the class. The officers were elected as follows: President, Marvin Durbin: Vice-President, Luther Mims; Secretary and Treasurer; Bazalene Williams; Reporter, Morris Keen.

The Seniors have entered into their work with much enthusiasm and determination to make this the best year ever.

There are ten Seniors enrolled this year. There isn't so many of us but we have the right school spirit and class loyalty.

Much excitement was created last week when the ring man came. The class assembled in the office to select the ring. After much discussion and debating the ring was decided upon. The rings are very beautiful and anyone would consider it an honor to wear one, not for its beauty, but for the place from which it came.

The Seniors are Marvin Durbin, Luther Mims, Morris Keen, Tommy Rucker, Hannon Owen, James Deason, Ruth Oden, Mildred Durbin, Gertie Mae Owen, and Bazolene Williams.

REPORTER.

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Verbena Schools Reorganize P. T. A.

The Parent-Teachers Association of Verbena schools held their first meeting of this school year at the high school Thursday, September 10th. The following officers were elected:

Mrs. D. I. Deramus, President; Mrs. Will Strock, vice president; Miss Elizabet Hubbard, secretary; Mr. C. L. Hughes, treasurer.

The president appointed committees to arrange programs and put on a membership drive. The program committee has arranged an unusually interesting program for the next meeting, which is to be held Thursday evening, September 24, at 7:30 o'clock in the school auditorium. The program is as follows:

Devotional, Mr. C. L. Hughes.

Song by Chorus.

Play "Defeat (De Feet)"

Characters: Nell Patillo, reader; Sarah Hollis, a country maiden; Aubrey Boone, a country swain; Evelyn Barrett, a flapper; Aubrey Robinson, a city fop; Charles Meroney, his father.

Music, Mrs. Will Gulledge, Mr. Frank Gulledge.

Solo, Mrs. W. C. DuBose, obligato, Mr. S. L. Gibson, accompanist, Mrs. Will Gulledge.

No admission or fees will be charged at this meeting. Every mother, father and friend is urged to attend.

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NOTICE OF DAY SET FOR HEARING PROBATE OF WILL

The State of Alabama, Chilton County. Probate Court.

To Mrs. George Kimball, Lieth, North Dakota.

You will please take notice, that on the 23rd day of September, 1931, a certain paper in writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of E. F. Mead, deceased was filed in my office for Probate, by Clyde Mead and the 14th day of October, 1931, was appointed a day for the hearing thereof, at which time you can appear and contest the same if you see proper.

Given under my hand this 23rd day of September, 1931.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.

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THE LEADER

Clanton, Alabama

Chilton Man Is Shot In Raid On Coosa Still

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Mims, of the Providence Community, Chilton County, were in the vicinity of the still at the time. One man is said to have escaped from the scene.

Statements Conflict

The information given the representative of the News Tuesday stated that Calloway gave the officers quite a scrap before they were able to subdue him and bring him in. The report stated that Calloway grappled with two of the officers several times and fought them sometime after they had caught him.

A representative of the News was allowed to see Calloway, who is confined in the Central Alabama Hospital in Clanton, and secured a statement from him, which he says is a fact and was willing to sign the statement, which is as follows:

"About nine o'clock Monday night, I went from my camp on the Chilton side in my boat to the Coosa side at Hatchett Creek. I got out and walked about forty yards and discovered some barrels, and stopped, and about the time I stopped, they began hollering, 'Halt.'

"I realized I had no business there and made a break to get back to my boat. A gun fired, I was shot in the back, and I fell. When I rose, he—(a stranger to me) a Federal man, hit me over the head with breech of a shot gun, and knocked me down. I rose again and he grabbed me and I outmanned him and reached my boat. Then he hit my left shoulder and knocked me down again in the water. Then the Federal officer and Sheriff Gillespie and Louis Gillespie handcuffed me, and put me in a boat, bringing me to the Chilton side. We then drove in a car from there to the hospital.

"I kept asking who shot me and why they shot me. Walter Gillespie said he didn't shoot me. I kept trying to get them to tell me who shot me while we were on the way to town. I asked the Federal officer, didn't he shoot me and he said, 'No.' I asked him his name and he refused to tell me, until we reached the hospital, then he told me. I asked him again in the hospital, "Ain't you the man who shot me?" and he said, 'No.' After I kept asking him about it, he finally told me he did shoot me."

Information received Tuesday afternoon stated that a warrant had been sworn out for Fridge, the Federal officer, in Coosa County, in connection with the raid and shooting. Calloway stated late Tuesday afternoon that he was not armed at the time of the shooting. Mims was being held in jail in Montgomery Tuesday.

Calloway's condition was not considered very serious Tuesday afternoon, although the full charge of the load went into his back about the belt line and was confined to a space that could be covered by the hand, hospital authorities stated. There is also a deep cut on his head, apparently inflicted by the stock of a gun, it was stated, and Calloway has been complaining of a terrible pain in his shoulder, where he said the officer struck him with the gun.

Among arrests reported by the Sheriff's office in this county during the past few days include one for driving a car while intoxicated and violating the prohibition law, one for public drunkenness, one for non-support and one for petty larceny.

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Singing At Verbena Proves Big Success

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the chairman, Prof. W. M. Devaughn, and was opened with prayer by Judge J. F. Posey of Autauga County. At the beginning of the singing only two members of the executive committe were present—A. H. Glasscock and J. R. Robinson, so these gentlemen retired and arranged the program. Those singing in the morning were: Everett Devaughn, P. B. Shaw, C. F. Hull, L. T. Grant, A. H. Glasscock, J. M. Henson and F. W. Tarrant. Two or three quartets were sung before noon. In the afternoon the singers were J. B. Hammonds, W. R. Adams, W. G. Culp, Ammie Boswell, O. L. Devaughn, J. M. Henson, Marion Easterling, F. W. Tarrant and Lee J. Grant. The lessons sung in the afternoon by Prof. Henson and Mr. Tarrant were especially enjoyed by the audience.

The first thing after noon, a short business session was held, and the election of officers was entered into. The election resulted as follows: President, W. G. Culp; Vice-President, O. L. Devaughn; Secretary, T. E. Wyatt. It was decided that the executive committee be selected some time later.

After a few announcements, the benediction was invoked by Judge Posey, and the book owners gathered up the fragments of their books that were not taken away, and everyone departed for their homes rejoicing over a day well spent at Verbena in singing praises to Almighty God.—T. E. Wyatt, Sec'y.

UNITED VETS WILL GATHER NEXT MONTH

Ala. Division Of U. C. V. To Meet In Magic City Three Days

The Alabama Division of the United Confederate Veterans will hold its 31st Annual Reunion in Birmingham, October 7, 8 and 9. Headquarters will be at the Tutwiler Hotel where all sessions, meetings and entertainments will be held. The veterans will be given free rooms and meals at the Tutwiler, not being required to leave the hotel for anything unless they so desire.

All veterans or adjutants for all camps are urged by General Chairman Felix Best to send in their reservations at once, stating when and how they will arrive in Birmingham, so they can be assigned a room and met at the train or bus station. Address him care of the Chamber of Commerce. Many forms of entertainment have been prepared and there will not be a dull moment for the remnant of the "thin gray line." A grand ball will be given "the boys," a monster parade, theater parties, a tea, bands will play continuously, special acts and entertainers will be on the job all the time in the lobby of the hotel.

The Tutwiler is making attractive rates to visitors accompanying the veterans and an attendance of 400 to 600 is expected. The grand parade will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock, concluding the reunion.

General C. A. DeSasessure, of Memphis, Commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans; Gen. Harry Rene Lee, of Nashville, Adjutant-General and Chief of Staff and General L. W. Stephens, of Coushatta, La., will attend as distinguished guests.

All railroads are granting one fare for the round trip for all Veterans and members of their families accompanying them, and one and one half fare for members of affiliated organizations, tickets sold October 5-9 inclusive, with final limit October 15.

The Boys Industrial School Band, Police Band, Fireman's Band, American Legion Drum Corps, High School Bands and others will furnish the music. Nothing is being left undone to make the Veterans' stay in Birmingham the most pleasant they have ever spent at a State Reunion.

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Y. W. A. HAS INTERESTING PROGRAM AT CHURCH

The Y. W. A. of the First Baptist church met Thursday, September 17, at the church. An interesting program on "Alabama" was given by the members and was followed by a business meeting. The Y. W. A. is now having two meetings a month and much interest is being shown by the girls. Refreshments were served by Circle No. 6. Members present were Mrs. J. R. Mullins, Mary Foshee, Alma Allen, Frances Moore, Mary Lee Pyron, Carrie Foshee, Melna Dial, Gladys Williams, Charlsie Pyron, Ruth Sessions, Bonnie Clyde Griffin, Zora Guy and Mary Frank Smith. New members were Frances Moore, Bonnie Clyde Griffin and Mary Frank Smith.

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FRED HOWARD RETURNS TO THORSBY FROM FISHING TRIP

Tuesday, the News office received a pleasant call from Fred Howard, of Thorsby. Mr. Howard has been down on Bon Secours Bay for two weeks where he says he has certainly been doing some real fishing. Judging from the way he treated one of his thumbs with a fish hook, shows that the fish must have been biting nicely, he being anxious to catch one every time he threw his hook in the water, which he says is about true.

Another thing Mr. Howard is good at is the raising of fine fruit. He don't need any pictures to prove that because it can readily be seen at his large orchard in Thorsby.

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JAMES W. LUTHER,
Robertsdale, Ala.

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LOST

One pair of shell rimmed nose glasses. Lost somewhere on the streets of Clanton last Saturday night. Will finder please return to News office or to J. M. VanDerveer.

WANTED—Experienced stenographer wishes full or part time work in Clanton. Call 101-M.

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Kiwanis and Pilot Clubs of Clanton Sponsor Clean-Up Campaign

The town has been divided into equal parts and the High School and Public School will direct the Clean-up. The High School is taking the east side of town and the Public School will be responsible for the west side being cleaned up. The street cleaners and the boys who operate the trash wagon will make the record of the loads of trash moved from each side of town from September 28 to October 3rd. Substantial prizes have been offered to the school that gets the largest number of loads of trash moved during the week of clean-up.

It is hoped that everybody will cooperate in the Clean-up Campaign and help make Clanton more beautiful as well as sanitary.

State Garners Best Oat Crop In Years

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experiments at Auburn the yield of Fall-sown oats was double that of Spring-sown oats over a period of 20 years.

"Drill oats in cotton middles soon after the cotton has been picked. Plant early—even if the oats have to be planted in the middle of a Summer-growing crop before it is harvested—is of much greater importance in securing a good yield than delaying planting to plow the land and prepare it thoroughly.

"Oats should be seeded at the rate of two to three bushels to the acre. Sow red rustproof, Appler, or Fulghum varieties. The Fulghum is earlier than the rustproof.

"North of Birmingham where oats are sometimes lost from freezes the Norton oat is promising, having stood eight degrees above zero in January, 1928, when other varieties were almost completely killed. In three years' tests it made about as large yield as other varieties. The Winter Turf oat is popular with many farmers in the Tennessee Valley.

"It pays to treat oats for smut. Every farmer can secure a cheap and practical formula for treating oats for smut from his county agent."

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Jersey Cattle Show Displays Fine Animals

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Yearling, First and Second, Clyde Popwell; Senior yearling, First to J. P. Culp; Second, Chester Messer, Third Melton Hughes, Fourth, Odean Deloach. Senior yearlings in milk, First, Howard Martin; Second, Ralph Mims. Cows two years and under three, First, James Dennis, Second, Osmond Glenn. Cows three years and over: First, Clyde Popwell, econd, Quentin Kelly.

Bulls: Junior Bull Calf, First, Clyde Popwell, Second, R. M. Foshee, Senior Bull calf, First James Dennis, Second, Arthur Maddox, Third, Houston Lawrence. Senior yearling bull: First, Ralph Mims, Second, W. H. Rasco, Third, Lawton McDowell, Fourth, J. W. Mims. Bulls two years and over: First, Lum Wilson, Second, R. M. Foshee. The champion bull of the show was shown by Ralph Mims. The champion female was shown by J. P. Culp.

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Miss Maggie Rollins wishes her friends to know she is doing sewing at the store of Tom Kemp in Clanton, and would be glad for them to call to see her there.

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Significant Honor Given Mrs. Curry

Many friends will be interested to know that Mrs. Clara B. Curry is now a member of the Janalene, Five Year club.

For five years, Mrs. Curry has represented the Janalene (dress and underwear) factory of Indianapolis. On the fifteenth inst., a modest but artistis gold pin was forwarded to Mrs. Curry, accompanied by the following letter:

"Dear Mrs. Curry:

"It is with real pleasure that I tell you of the news that you have been accepted for membership in the Janalene Five Year Club. I am sending you herewith a little colored Honor Pin which I wish you to accept with my compliments.

"Janalene is proud of you and the many other Janalene representatives scattered all over the country who have remained loyal members of our happy family year after year.

"The Five Year Honor Pin that I am sending you is a beautiful piece of jewelry, as you can see, and one I am sure you will receive with a great deal of pleasure in wearing not only because of its artistic and intrinsic value but because of the honor that it signifies.

"With the assurance of my continued cooperation at all times, I am

Cordially yours,
JANALENE, Incorporated.
S. J. STERNBERGER."

MOONLIGHT PICNIC GIVEN NEAR MAPLESVILLE

On Thursday evening, September 17, a most enjoyable moonlight picnic was given at the Walker Spring, five miles from Maplesville on the Birmingham-Selma highway, in honor of Mrs. Ann Kanipe of Rome, Ga., and Mrs. Monroe Ramsey, Sr. A most delicious basket lunch was served, supplemented by chicken and weiners, which were fried over an open fire nearby. The spirit of good cheer which pervaded, added much to the enjoyment of the occasion and voted to have the same repeated sometime in the near future. Those who attended were Mrs. Ann Kanipe, Mrs. Monroe Ramsey, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Clint Cobern, Miss Catherine Deramus, Mrs. Sallie M. Puy and son, Melvin, Mrs. Rufus Seales, Mr. Kelly Seales, Mrs. Wheeler Walker, and sons, Hubert and Harold, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hampton and sons, Bill and Bobbie, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Kanipe, Mr. Theron Watson, Mr. Odie Kelly, Mr. N. A. Saportas and Mrs. George Fox.

—One of the Party.

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OVER $1,000,000 SPENT FOR INSANE IN ONE YEAR

It has cost the State of Alabama well over $1,000,000 to care for the insane and feeble minded confined in State institutions, during the past 12 months.

Remittances made yesterday from the office of State Auditor John Brandon to the hospitals for the insane at Tuscaloosa and Mt. Vernon, respectively, covering maintenance, brought the total for the fiscal year ending the last day of the present month, that has been disbursed by the State for this purpose, up to $996,404.23.

In addition, the State has expended for maintenance of the Home for the Feeble Minded, at Tuscaloosa, a total of $136,461.38, for the fiscal year now drawing to a close.

Figures quoted were obtained from the records of Warrant Clerk Roy Parker, of the Auditor's Department.

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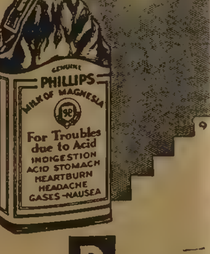

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LACK OF FUNDS SHUTS DOORS OF COOSA SCHOOLS

Coffee County In Serious Straits; Schools There May Not Open At All

Rumblings of a collapse of Alabama's public school system which have been heard for several weeks as schools throughout the State continued to operate without anticipated State revenue, struck a threatening note Saturday when Superintendent of Education J. G. Pinson, of Coosa County, announced the schools in that county would close tomorrow.

Following this announcement came he report from Coffee County that he opening date of the elementary chools in that county had been postoned from Oct. 5 to Oct. 12 by the 'offee Board of Education, in the hope hat "something will be done" by that ime to enable the schools to operate.

In the event no State aid is availble, Superintendent Rowe Watson aid, the opening of the schools would e up to the teachers who had been old that no definite date for payment or their services could be promised. f the teachers desire to teach without ny hope of reward in the immediate uture the schools will open Oct. 12, he aid. Superintendent Watson recomended to the Board that opening of e schools be deferred until some tate money was available.

. W. A. OF BAPTIST CHURCH TO HOLD INITIATION TONIGHT

The Y. W. A. of the Clanton Bapst church will hold a very important eeting tonight at 6:15 at the church. n initiation program will be conduct- and all new members will be initiat-. All girls over seventeen wishing join this organization with the high eals of Y. W. A., please be at the urch tonight, and they will receive a arty welcome and initiation into the ganization.

Mrs. Mary Lou Childress, age 68, d at her home in Thorsby last Tues-y. She was the widow of the late F. Childress, well known farmer of s county, and was born in Talladega unty.

uneral services were held on Wedsday, and interment took place at Salem, with Martin & Sons in rge.

AN ENDS LIFE BY SHOOTING SELF TUESDAY

rry Franklin, 31, Victim Of Self - Inflicted Shot From Pistol

arry Franklin, age 31, shot and d himself Tuesday night near the e of J. E. Kelly, on the north wes- part of Clanton. A 38-calibre reer was used by Franklin, who out any remark, walked a short nce from the home where he was g and committed this act.

e story given this newspaper states Franklin was residing at the Kelly e, farming on the Henry Burnett near Clanton. He is said to have ed out into the pasture back of the e, and those in the house heard a and then groans from Franklin. investigating immediately, they d him. A physician was summoned Martin & Sons ambulance called but Franklin died almost instantly, s stated, shot through the heart. was not married. Relatives and ds of Franklin state that they of no reason why he shot himas he has never been involved in trouble and has never made any ment that would lead one to be- he contemplated ending his life. eral services were held yesterday noon at Shiloh, with Rev. B. Law- conducting the services. Interfollowed in the Shiloh cemetery, Martin & Sons in charge. He is ed by one sister, Amy Franklin, brothers, Walter, Andy and Henanklin.

DUATING EXERCISES TO BE HELD FOR HOSPITAL

graduating exercises of the Cenlabama Hospital of Clanton will eld at the Clanton Methodist h on next Wednesday night, Oc-7th, at eight o'clock.

GLEE CLUB ORGANIZED AT CHILTON CO. HIGH SCHOOL

A Glee Club for the Chilton County High School has been organized under the direction of Miss Mary Ellis of Clanton. The club has held two meetings, and plans are now underway for the arranging of a program to be given by the club, according to a news item in the high school news this week.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION AT NEW SALEM 4TH

Convention Is Sponsored By Chilton County Baptist Association

A Sunday School convention, sponsored by the Chilton County Baptist Association, will be held at New Salem church, four miles north of Clanton and about one mile off the cement highway to the east, on next Sunday, October 4th. This will be the first convention held since the division of the Chilton County Association from the Unity. All churches in the Chilton County Association are asked to send delegates and as many of their officers and teachers as possible. The program follows:

10:00 Devotional, Mr. T. J. Maddox.

10:15 Introductory Remarks, Purpose of the Convention, etc., by Mr. Howard R. Oden.

10:30 Quartet, arranged by Prof. W. M. Devaughn.

10:40 Speech by State Worker.

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TWO SERVICE CLUBS SPONSOR CLEAN-UP WEEK

City Is Cooperating With Local Kiwanis Club And Pilot Club

A Clean-Up Campaign started in Clanton last Monday, sponsored by the Clanton Kiwanis Club and the Clanton Pilot Club, for the purpose of ridding the streets, yards, vacant lots and alleys of all unnecessary trash and rubbish.

The town has been divided into two parts in this campaign with the grammar school and the high school as participants in the contest for prizes being offered for the largest amount of rubbish removed. Each will conduct the campaign on their respective sides of the town.

Officials of the town are cooperating in this movement and furnishing men and trucks to carry the rubbish away. The school sending away the largest number of truck loads will be awarded the prize, given by the clubs. The campaign will continue until next Saturday, October 3rd. Everyone in town is asked to cooperate with the service clubs and schools of Clanton in this movement.

A doctor says a cold bath in the morning is the best way to health. And a humorist yawns and asks what's the next best way.

County Registrars Have Been Named

The recent announcement from the State Board for the appointment of Registrars states that they have appointed B. M. Killingsworth, Montevallo, R. F. D.; O. O. Roper, Clanton and A. B. Martin, Maplesville, as Registrars for Chilton County. These men, well known over the county, will have charge of registering voters here for the next four years.

According to the law of the state, a board of three members is allowed each county, causing the appointment of 201 registrars to begin duties on October 1.

The official notice of registration from the local Board, of which B. M. Killingsworth is chairman, is being published in this issue.

J. D. Collins, former sheriff of this county, was in town Monday and he brought with him some apples of the Delicious variety, which he grew on his fine farm near Clanton. This is the first season this variety of apples have been grown in this county and Mr. Collins states he is having wonderful success with his trees now.

Young Man Killed In Car Accident

Donald Long, 22, of Woodward, Ala., was instantly killed and a companion, Charlie Densmore, also of Woodward, was slightly injured last Friday night when the small car in which they were riding overturned on the Montgomery highway south of Clanton.

The injured men were brought to Clanton in a Martin's ambulance, and Long's body was prepared for burial by Martin & Sons of Clanton, and carried to Birmingham by Johns ambulance Friday night. Long, who was the son of J. A. Long, general manager of the Woodward Iron Company, with Densmore, was enroute to the football game in Montgomery.

THIRD MAN IS ARRESTED IN COOSA RAID

Frank Calloway, Shot By Officer, Improving At Hospital In Clanton

William Baker, one of three men surprised at a still in Coosa county Monday night of last week, during a raid in which Frank Calloway was shot, was held in the Montgomery county jail Thursday and federal authorities said they had obtained a statement from him regarding the shooting.

Calloway was shot during what was described by Sheriff Walter Gillespie, of Chilton county, as a "desperate struggle" with Charles Fridge, a federal prohibition agent working out of the office of Deputy Administrator Victor J. Buthod. Baker escaped, but was taken into custody Wednesday and placed in jail along with Oscar

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Mass Meeting Has Been Called Here

The Commissioners Court of this county have ordered a mass meeting called, to be held at the courthouse in Clanton next Saturday afternoon at two o'clock. This meeting is called, it was stated, in regard to the reduction in assessment of Alabama Power Company taxes in this county. The notice of this meeting appears elsewhere in this issue.

CLANTON TO PLAY MARBURY HERE FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The fighting football lads of the local high school will play the Marbury school team on the local field tomorrow afternoon. Everyone who can is urged to see this game.

Clanton lost last Friday afternoon to Selma, but put up a fine fight for the victory, spurred on by the fine spirit of cooperation of The Dixie Cafe, Red Wagoner, and the Chicago Sales-Company, those who offered prizes to the local players for outstanding plays made in the Selma game. This act on the part of these places of business is to be commended as a splendid spirit of cooperation and backing of the local team.

HOME OF BEN CLARK BURNED LAST TUESDAY AFTERNOON

The home of Ben Clark was a total loss from fire late Tuesday afternoon, according to information received Wednesday morning. Clark resided just north of Clanton, and is said to have stated that one of the children had just made a fire in the grate at home, and that the house apparently caught from sparks. Very little of the household furnishings, if any, were saved. A smoke house and chicken house were also destroyed.

Miss Ruth Sessions spent the past week end in Tuscaloosa with friends at the University, attending the Alabama-Howard game.

Mt. Pleasant Jr. High Will Open

The Mount Pleasant Junior High School will open on Wednesday morning, October 7, at eight o'clock according to R. B. Johnson, principal. All patrons and friends are invited to attend opening.

The faculty for this term will consist of R. B. Johnson, principal; Mrs. M. A. Wright, Thorsby; Miss Celia Baldwin, Mt. Creek; Miss Lera Bean, Clanton.

A school meeting will be held at the school building Friday night, October 2, and all patrons are urged to attend as several matters of importance will be discussed.

CO. SCHOOLS WILL CLOSE ON JANUARY 15TH

This Action To Be Taken If No State Aid Received By That Time

At the opening of the schools in Chilton County this term, a program for only one half year was mapped out. At the expiration of this time, which will be on January 15th, all schools in Chilton County will close, unless financial aid is received from the state, as has heretofore been the custom, according to a statement from the office of the Superintendent here this week.

This condition is not confined to Chilton County, however, as schools in other counties are planning to close soon. Schools in Coffee County are reported as not having opened at all this year, while schools in Coosa County have been ordered closed tomorrow.

Chilton County is able to carry on

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Enterprise School To Open On Oct. 7

The Enterprise Jr., High School will open next Wednesday morning, October 7, at eight o'clock a.m., according to Prof. H. A. Harris, principal. All parents and pupils of this school are requested to be present and help give the school a fine start.

Pupils are asked to bring all books that are now used in schools, as there might be a possibility of exchanging them, or someone may wish to buy them.

NEGRO FALLS IN DITCH AND BREAKS NECK GOING TO FIRE

Bill Atchison, negro, well known to many farmers over the county, fell into a ditch Tuesday afternoon, breaking his neck. Atchison is said to have seen his barn burning, and in rushing toward the fire, or to his home nearby, he stumbled and fell into the ditch, dying soon after.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL PUPILS GETTING DIPTHERIA TOXOIDE

Children who are attending the Clanton Grammar School have been receiving diptheria toxoide during this week, according to Prof. I. J. Quinn, principal of the school. This precaution for the children is being given without cost to them and is a fine step, guarding against the dreaded disease.

Prof. Quinn stated that those children who are about five years of age now, and intend to enter grammar school here next year, may come to the school this week and receive this treatment, in preparation for next year.

UNITY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION TO MEET OCTOBER 6TH

The Unity Baptist Association will meet in Annual Session at Bethesda Baptist Church next Tuesday and Wednesday, October 6 and 7, 1931.

It is urged that all churches in the Association have representatives at this meeting.

Commissioners Court Orders Election In County To Determine Fate Of Office Of County Agent

At the Commissioners Court meeting of Chilton County held last Monday, information states, it was ordered that an election, or referendum, will be held soon to determine whether the people of the county wish to continue having a County Farm Demonstration Agent for this county.

It was stated that the election will be held on November 3rd, along with the election on the proposed road bond issue of the state. Separate ballots will be used for the qualified voters of this county to vote 'yes' or 'no' in regard to the continuing of the office of the County Farm Agent in Chilton County.

ARRESTS REPORTED FROM SHERIFF'S OFFICE THIS WEEK

Reports secured from the office of the Sheriff of this county, show that two persons were arrested for violating the prohibition law, one for assault and battery and one for forgery. This report covers five days, up to last Tuesday.

COOSA ANSWER EXPECTED TO ARRIVE WED.

State Commission On Tax Assessing Promised An Answer Yesterday

The State Tax Commission was reported to have promised a decision yesterday, whether that body will grant the petition filed Monday, asking a hearing and a reopening of assessments in the counties of Coosa and Chilton of the properties of the Alabama Power Company.

The petition was filed Monday by a delegation of citizens of the two counties, who have been protesting against reduction in the assessment of the company's properties in their respective counties and who seek the placing of these assessments at their former figure.

As the News goes to press late Wednesday afternoon, no word has been received in regard to what the reply from the State Tax Commission will be.

FERRY RATES ARE REDUCED TO ROCKFORD

Road In Good Condition, Rates Effective Now Reports State

At a meeting of the Commissioners Courts of Coosa and Chilton Counties, held at the ferry connecting the Chilton side and the Coosa side of Coosa River, on the Rockford Road, last Monday morning, it was arranged with the operators of the ferry to make a reduction in their rates.

The reduction agreed on, apparently pleasing to all concerned, will go into effect immediately, it was stated. Heretofore the rate has been fifty cents for each car crossing, straight fare.

The new rate will reduce the round trips made in one day to seventy-five cents for all vehicles, except trucks with trailers, the latter paying fifty cents extra. Single trips will remain fifty cents. On Sunday, a round trip made in one day will be only fifty cents, except trucks having trailers. The above price on this will apply.

For funerals crossing the river, the round trip price will be the same as the one way fare, fifty-cents. This announcement will be received with wide spread interest by the people of both counties, as the roads in Chilton and Coosa county, between Clanton and Rockford are now in excellent condition, with the operators of the ferry giving excellent service day or night.

District S. S. Convention October 4th

The District Sunday School Convention will be held at Jones Baptist church, Jones, Ala., on October 4, beginning at 2:15 p.m. according to W J. Patrick, associate superintendent Following is the program:

2:15 P. M. Devotional by Mrs. J. H Bruce.

2:30 Reports of all schools in district.

2:45 Why should we want a Standard Sunday School, by W. J. Patrick.

3:00 How Can We Enlarge Our Sunday School, by Rev. A. S. Bentley.

3:20 Putting Our Possessions to Work for God, by Rev. A. C. Weaver.

3:40 The Importance of Grading a Sunday School, by T. L. Patrick.

3:50 General Discussion.

4:00 Adjourn.

COTTON REPORT

There were 1,588 bales of cotton, counting round as half bales, ginned in Chilton County from the crop of 1931 prior to September 16, as compared with 3,943 bales ginned prior to Sept. 16, 1930, according to Robert J. Jones of Clanton.

TEACHERS WILL GATHER HERE FOR INSTITUTE

All Teachers Of County Are Required To Attend Or Forfeit Contract

Letters have been mailed out from the office of the County Superintendent of Education of this county to all teachers in the county, notifying them of the teachers institute to be held here on October 5 and 6, at the high school.

The letters stated that it is compulsory for all school teachers of the county to attend. The meeting to begin at nine o'clock in the morning. Teachers who fail to attend this institute without a sufficient excuse, will forfeit their contract for the year, the letters stated. It was also stated that all schools in the county that have not yet opened will begin work on October 7th.

Monday, October 5

9:00 Singing.

9:10 Devotional, Dr. D. W Haskew.

9:30 Outlook of the School Situation in Chilton County, Supt. B. Lawrence.

10:00 Enrollment

10:30 Recreation

10:45 The Value of the School to the Community, W. L. Spencer, Director Secondary Education, State Department.

11:15 Departmental Meetings.

12:30 Lunch.

2:00 Roll Call.

2:10 Round table discussion, led by Mr. Spencer.

2:50 Extension by groups.

Tuesday, October 6

8:30 Singing.

8:40 Devotional.

9:00 Roll Call.

9:10 Our Problem in Attendance, Mrs. C. E. Stapp.

9:50 Miscellaneous Business.

10:30 Departmental Meetings.

O. E. S. CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD IN CLANTON OCT. 7

The annual meeting of the Middle District Conference O. E. S. will meet with the Julia Beauchamp Chapter, Clanton, on Wednesday, October 7th, according to an announcement from Mrs. Eula Gragg, Worthy Matron, and Mrs. Maude Diefenderfer, secretary. All Chapters are urged to be present.

TAX ASSESSOR COLLECTOR TO ASSUME DUTIES

Aikens Collins and W.G. Culp Take Over Duties Of Offices Today

Today see a change in the offices of the Tax Assessor and Tax Collector of Chilton County, as Aikens I. Collins will assume his duties as Assesor while W. G. Culp officially becomes the Tax Collector. Collins succeeds Sam Pate and Culp succeeds J. T. Rockett, according to the choice of the people in the past election.

Mr. Collins is a native of Chilton County, and widely known here. He is the son of J. H. Collins of Thorsby, and resides in Thorsby also, although he states he will probably move his residence to Clanton in the near future. He stated that he would be glad to have the people of the county to visit him in the office of the Tax Collector when in Clanton, where they will be cordially received during office hours, and if at any time his office can serve the people, they have only to call on him. Mr. Collins will have as his assistant, Mrs. Walter Robinson, who was formerly Miss Genie Collins.

Mr. Culp is also widely known over this entire section of the county, having at one time been prominently connected with the office of the sheriff of the county, and a resident of Clanton and Chilton County all his life. He also states that he will be glad to see everyone, and that they may depend on the best service possible from his office. Mr. Culp will have as his assitant, Miss Cleo Broadhead of Clanton.

SCHEDULE FOR FOOTBALL FOR LOCAL HIGH TEAM IS GIVEN

A complete schedule for the remainder of the season for the football team of the Chilton County High School is published in the High School News in this issue this week.

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Isabella F. F. A.
Met On Sept. 23

The Isabella Chapter of the F. F. A. met September 23. The meeting was called to order by the president, after which a program committee and a social committee were elected.

The program committee is as follows: Luther Mims, Chairman, R. C. Veazey, S. L. Broadhead, Clifford Manning and Crit Deramus. Following is the social committee: Clifford Manning, chairman, Sidney Griffin, Hannon Owen, Homer Morgan, and J. P. Poole.

Also a plan for the next year was adopted. It is: To construct a shower bath for the school, to sponsor a "Father and Son" banquet, for each boy to repair farm tools at home, to improve school grounds, to visit nearby chapters, to send delegates to the state F. F. A. Convention, to take educational tour next summer, to keep agriculture building in good shape, and to maintain news in local newspapers.

We are going to stirve to carry out this plan to perfection.

S. L. BROADHEAD,
Reporter.

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Convicted of stealing an automobile, Donald Saxman of Coldwater, Mich., was sentenced to attend church services regularly for five years.

Edward Kettwitz of Grant County, S. D., won a corn-eating contest, eating 37 ears in 1 hour and 45 minutes.

Convicted of beating his 4-year-old son for two hours, Eldred Name has been sent to jail for six months, in Mishawaka, Ind.

After spending $10 to have his car repaired, A. H. Beardsley of Elkhart, Ind., found two quarts of grasshoppers in the radiator.

In just three minutes Charles Sims of Detroit violated 15 traffic ordinances the charges ranging from using the wrong side of the street to drunken driving.

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There is a touch of real Fall weather, and that should make each of us feel more like attending church. Wish that I could be each of the fifteen hundred people in Clanton next Sunday. There would be crowded churches. If I were you, I would be in the church of my choice next Sunday. As you are you, where will you be? I hear the lamentation of the Master, "Where are the nine?"

Sunday school at 9:45 and preaching at 11 A. M. There are strange faces in almost every service on Sunday. Last Sunday a doctor from Texas worshipped with us. If you are a stranger in Clanton, we will be so glad to have you in our church, and if you are not a stranger in Clanton, and yet a stranger at the Methodist church we will be glad to have you. We have a welcome for all. If you will let us, we will do thee good.

Sunday night service at 7:30. Remember that the month of October is "Pay up Month" with us. Six more weeks and the conference year will be over.

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Mitchell Dam News

Well folks, here's our first time to come to you with news from Mitchell Dam. We are glad to tell you everybody seems to be fine and dandy and enjoying this fine fall weather after such sizzling heat of the past few weeks. Oh, yes, except Mrs. Patterson has mumps. Hope she'll soon be out again.

Mrs. McCary has as her guest this week her mother, Mrs. Watkins, from Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hand of Clanton spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. F. O. Robinson.

A number of ladies from here attended the W. M. U. at Verbena last Thursday.

The power company has recently placed meters in all the homes here, so we are now customers as well as employees.

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For speeding on horseback Charles Collins and Charles Wagenseil paid fines of $10 each in New York.

Pleasant Valley News

Last Saturday and Sunday were our regular preaching days. After a wonderful sermon preached by Rev. A. D. Hughes, he was given a pounding by the church which was a glad surprise to him.

Miss Mildred Neeley was the guest of Miss Mary Burkhalter Saturday night.

Miss Louise Boockholdt entertained a host of friends at her home Saturday night. Refreshments were served to the following: Misses Mildred and Marie Neeley, Mary Burkhalter, Lola Martin, Maggie, Thelma, Myrtle and Jewell Pierce, Vivian, Lee and Elnor Silas, Maggie Boockholdt, Messrs. Howard Boockholdt, Jimmie Cummings, James Griffin, G. C. Weldon, William Wilkins, Albert Broadhead, Dawson and Claude Tucker, Cecil Yeargan, Jack Wise, Bo Pete Johnson and Marvin Bazzel.

Mr. Arthur Courtney of Montgomery is spending his vacation visiting relatives of this community.

Mrs. Newton Gilliland of Sylacauga was the week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Neeley.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Pierce and family are visiting in Montgomery this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rome Vinson spent a few enjoyable hours with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Griffin Sunday.

Misses Kate and Emmett Courtney entertained Misses Evelyn and Louise Boche and Messrs. Aulton and Lavert Courtney of Montgomery Sunday.

Miss Myra Keel spent this week end in Clanton.

Marie Neeley was the Saturday night guest of Lola Martin.

Miss Mryle Burkhalter was a visitor of Verbena school Monday.

Miss Red Burkhalter dined with Miss Bob Neeley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oates Taylor and family were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. Chester Messer of Verbena spent Sunday with Mr. G. C. Weldon, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Burkhalter were guests of the latter's parents Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lett.

Miss Merle Burkhalter spent Monday night with Miss Inez Neeley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Martin were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Martin Sunday.

Miss Bertha Stockdale is away on a pleasure trip at Columbus, Georgia.

Little Miss Willodean Gilliland entertained little Miss Ester Burkhalter Tuesday.

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CONCERT AT ALABAMA COLLEGE FRIDAY NIGHT

Montevallo, Ala., Sept. 28.—The Cincinnati Wind Ensemble will present the opening concert in the 1931-32 artist and lecture series at Alabama College, at 8:00 p.m. Friday.

The six players who make up the personnel of the ensemble, with the exception of the pianist, Mme. Karin Dayas, also perform on their instruments in the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra.

Mme. Dayas is known internationally having been soloist with the leading orchestras of Europe, and with the Cincinnati Orchestra in this country.

Players in the ensemble have been gathered from the Netherlands, Belgium, Germany, Finland, England and the United States. Besides Mme. Dayas, they include: Ary Van Leeuwen, flute; Joseph Elliott, clarinet; Hans Meuser, bassoon; Marcel Dandois, obee; and Max Hess, horn.

Other numbers in the series, the aim of which is to supplement the cultural courses in the campus curricula, and which are open to the public, will include: The English Singers, of London; The Abbey Theater Irish Players, of Dublin; and outstanding lecturers in the fields of art, literature and travel.

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When the River Usk overflowed its banks recently an attendant at the mental hospital at Aberganvenny, Eng., caught a live trout in his room.

James Morse of Chicago won a breach of promise suit brought by Miss Katherine Freddill when he testified that she "cracked jokes" at his father's funeral.

After his store was robbed for the third time, Henry Shippen of St. Paul hung up a sign saying: "Burglars, Your Welcome Is Worn Out."

Call For Mass Meeting

The following resolutions and call for a mass meeting of the citizens of Chilton County was ordered and adopted by the Commissioners Court of Chilton County in session Monday, Sept. 28:

In view of the controversy that has arisen over the assessment of Alabama Power Company property in Chilton County by the State Tax Commission being made at 45 per cent. of its value instead of 60 per cent. of its value, as required by law, we, the Commissioners Court of Chilton County, hereby request the tax payers of the county to meet with us in mass meeting at the Courthouse in Clanton on Saturday afternoon, October 3, at two o'clock, P. M.

We further request that Mr. S. R. Butler, chairman of the State Tax Commission, be invited to attend said mass meeting, and explain to the people of Chilton County the reason why the Tax Commission assessed the Alabama Power Company property in this county at 45 per cent. of its value, instead of 60 per cent. as required by law. In the event Mr. Butler can not come in person, we ask that he send a representative who can properly explain this matter.

We urge the tax payers of Chilton County to attend this meeting. We want the people of the county to have a full explanation of this matter, as well as all questions pertaining to taxes.

We hereby order a copy of this call printed in the newspaper of Chilton County, and a copy sent to Hon. S. R. Butler, Chairman of the State Tax Commission.

Adopted this, the 28th, day of September, 1931.

L. H. REYNOLDS, Judge of Probate,
J. E. COBB, J. M. MIMS,
J. L. BURNETT, A. P. VINSON,
County Commissioners.

Billingsley News

Dr. A. J. Marlar and C. A. Marlar were guests of Mrs. R. E. Letlow at Wetumpka Wednesday.

Mrs. W. A. Powell and children of Verbena are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baxter.

Mrs. J. J. Traywick spent Monday in Montgomery on business.

Mrs. Mary Lou Wonder is visiting Mrs. Willis Lawrence at Eoline and friends in Tuscaloosa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patrick and daughter, Miss Willie Jeanne, spent Sunday in Tuscaloosa. They were accompanied by Miss Bettye Jane ory who was the guest of her par there.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Golson of Pratt ville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baxter.

Miss Ruth Wright of White City spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. P. I. Washington, here.

A chicken barbecue was given Friday evening at the Fish Pond of J. M. Beadlescomb, in honor of the teachers of the schools here. A pleasant time was had by everyone.

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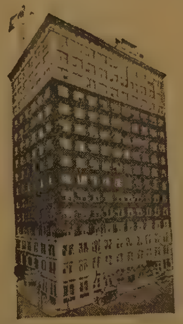

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Governor Miller Proclaims Fire Prevention Week October 4-10, 1931

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Montgomery, Ala.—State Fire Mar- al R. C. Searcy has issued a state- ide appeal to all citizens of Alabama join in a full and active observance the annual fire prevention week, hich is set by proclamation of the esident and of Governor Miller for tober 4 to 10, inclusive.

Governor Miller's proclamation calls on all citizens to lend their support this good movement and he brings t some very striking things on fire ses in his utterances. He appeals to builders and architects to be sure better building plans, to judges, mayors, solicitors, sheriffs, chiefs of police and fire departments, to educators and preachers, and all private citizens to lend their cooperative assistance in this undertaking.

Chief Searcy, of the Fire Marshal Department of the State, has been a most active and effective official since becoming head of this important part of the state government and since his incumbency he has seen numerous firebugs going to the state penitentiaries upon convictions and pleas of guilty for setting property on fire. In discussing the subject, he said:

"During 1930, the last figures available, we burned up in the United States a half billion dollars worth of property and sacrificed ten thousand lives to fires of one kind or another. During the first quarter of 1931, the largest fire loss in the country was at Creskill, N. J., a lumber plant, the loss being a half million. Mobile, Ala., suffered a $400,000.00 warehouse fire during the quarter. One of the deplorable results of a slack business period is incendiary fires, often originating in stores or factories, but at other times in residences, and spreading to adjoining buildings, imperiling the lives and properties of others. Alabama furnishes her share of them. We have rounded up a good many in the state but there are many yet uncaught and unpunished. In the United States last year there were 1,311 arrests on arson charges against 802 in 1929 and 401 convictions in 1930 against 313 in 1929."

Mr. Searcy operates with a staff of four deputies, which he says is not at all adequate to keep up with investigations of suspicious fires for the entire state and he pleads with schools, churches, civic and women's clubs and all law enforcing agencies and fire prevention organizations to lend aid this year in a general and effective prevention campaign.

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In accordance with a time honored custom which has prevailed in the United States since October 9, 1871, a week is annually set aside as Fire Prevention Week, always to embrace the date of October 9. This is observed throughout the nation and it is set apart with the idea of stimulating the interest and cooperation of public officials and private citizens in diminishing the losses of life and property from the ravages of fire.

According to reliable reports and estimates a half billion dollars worth of property was destroyed in the United States by fire last year and Alabama furnished her proportionate share of this huge sum total of property for destruction. This is forty million dollars more than was burned the preceding year.

We have read and heard much about the cost of crime and the depression in business. I call it to the attention of the citizens of Alabama that the more than five million dollars of loss from fires, a large part of which, the State Fire Marshal tells me, was from the crime of arson, was still more largely due to carelessness and ineffective building plans and operations. Fire is an enemy of business when permitted to start by carelessness or is originated by fraudulent or criminal design. Deaths in the United States from fire last year reached above ten thousand and injuries from accidents incidental to fires were more than twenty-five thousand.

The purpose of National Fire Prevention Week is to focus attention on the hazards of fire and to promote preventive measures to reduce this terrible waste and loss of human life.

Now, Therefore, I. B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby proclaim the week of October 4 to 10, 1931, both inclusive, as Fire Prevention Week and earnestly call upon all architects and builders, educators and teachers, preachers and laymen, mayors, fire and police chiefs, sheriffs, judges, solicitors and any other official or private citizen not herein mentioned to cooperate in every possible way with the Fire Marshal and all forces and agencies in this effort to lessen this loss and needless waste and suffering from fires which are so largely preventable.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the State to be affixed.

Done at Montgomery, Ala., Sept. 12, 1931.

B. M. MILLER,
Governor.

P. B. JARMAN, Jr.,
Secretary of State.

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FARADAY CENTENNIAL

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This month a 10-day celebration is being held in England in honor of the 100th anniversary of Faraday's discovery of magneto-electric induction, which was the origin of the dynamo for the mechanical generation of electricity.

Michael Faraday was born in 1791, the son of an English blacksmith. When he was 10 years old he became a bookbinder's apprentice and read as well as bound many scientific books which passed through his hands.

He later attracted the attention of Sir Humphrey Davy and became his assistant in the laboratory of the Royal Institution. In 1822 Farady wrote his notebook: "Convert magnetism into electricity." But it was not until nine years later that he succeeded in doing it—but when he did he laid the foundation for the vast electrical industry of today.

To the pioneer work of Faraday our own great Edison added his genius to remake the world in which we live. While many great scientists, like Davy, Volta, Watt, Ohm, Ampere and others, have contributed much to making electricity the servant of mankind, it is perhaps safe to say that Faraday and Edison will forever remain the greatest names in the history of electrical development.

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You can make a definite contribution to Fire Prevention Week by increasing your efforts to safeguard your own home and business.

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Mrs. Fenn Jones Hostess To Bridge Club.

The Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club was delightfully entertained last week when Mrs. C. Fenn Jones acted as hostess. Following an enjoyable series of games, ice cream was served as refreshments.

Those enjoying the hospitality of Mrs. Jones at this affair were Mesdames Grady Broadhead, J. C. Jones, Mack Wyatt, Omar Reynolds, Bill Inzer, T. C. McSwain. Misses Berniece Williams, Frances Higgins. High score was won by Mrs. Grady Broadhead.

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Miss Lucile Sherwood of Brundidge, was the recent guest of Miss Margaret Brown.

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The friends of Master Marshall Lee Ware, will regret to learn that he has been ill at his home here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus and little daughter, Billie Ruth, and Mrs. J. G. Tyus were the week end guests of their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs Ben Tyus.

The many friends of Mrs. H. M. Simpson will be glad to learn that she is much improved after a recent illness.

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Mrs. H. T. Pipes is visiting relatives in Kentucky.

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Bridge Club Honors Visitor Thursday.

The Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club enjoyed a delightful outing on Thursday afternoon of last week, when the members gathered at Gore's Pond, honoring Mrs. H J. Tissere of Selma, who has been the guest of Mrs Frank Callen, and Miss McGee who is the guest of Mrs. Hance Alred.

Those enjoying this outing were Mesdames J. Watts Moore, Hance Alred, N. S. Johnson, Arthur Johnson, L F. Gerald, John Browder, Grady Reynolds, Julius Burnett, Frank Callen, H. C. Falkenberry and the honorees.

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Circle Number Three of the Baptist Church enjoyed an outing at Upchurch Camp on Coosa River last Monday afternoon.

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J. B. Hicks, merchant of Maplesville, was a visitor to Clanton Monday.

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W. L. Nix of the Macedonia community was in Clanton Tuesday and a pleasant caller at the News office. Mr. Nix is in Clanton during court, on business.

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Mrs. D. H. Prickett of Luthersville, Ga., and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Simms and family of Montgomery were recent guests of their brother, H. T. Simms, who has been confined to his bed at his home here for several days.

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Mrs. Loren Smith and Mrs. Joe Higgins attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Sewell at Grantville, Ga., last Friday.

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HOLDING OUR END UP

If the average citizen who is barely making ends meet, or who is falling behind financially, would check himself up he might find some interesting facts concerning his affairs.

He would probably find, among other things, that his difficulties arise principally from his indulgence in the ancient game of trying to outshine his neighbors.

Take our automobile problem for example. First our neighbor buys an inexpensive car, and we must do likewise—on the installment plan. Then before it is paid for another friend invests in a six-cylinder machine, so in order to keep up appearances we must take another plunge, probably going him a little better.

It is the same with other things. We must have a better radio set than the family next door; better furniture; more stylish clothes. We must send our Mary to an expensive boarding school because Mrs. Jones is sending her Sally—when both would be as well or better off in the home town high school. Then we must give expensive parties for which the Smith or Browns have set the pace. We must have extensive vacation trips, when we might see as fine a collection of billboards right at home. And we wonder why we seem to get hopelessly behind financially.

It is safe to say that at least one-third of the average family's income is spent for such gratification of vanity, beyond what would be necessary to live decently and comfortably.

And by reasonable economy a lot of people who can not or do not pay their honest debts might be able to do so, and thereby enjoy a satisfaction equal to that of "keeping up with the Joneses."

Round Dozen Club Met Last Thursday.

The Round Dozen Sewing Club met at the home of Mrs. Webb Parrish last Thursday afternoon. An ice course was served to the following members: Mesdames Albert Davis, Eugene Gore, George Wyatt, Herschel Gore, Joe Mims, Marvin Retherford, Herbert Lowery and the hostess. Mrs. W. H Goodgame was an invited guest.

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Mrs. A. P. Villadsen of Thorsby was in Clanton shopping Monday.

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Hon. Felix Smith of Rockford was a business visitor to Clanton Monday of this week.

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W. M. D. O'Neal a prominent resident of near Stanton was a visitor to Clanton Tuesday. While in town Mr. O'Neal called at the News office to have his subscription marked up for several months.

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Joe Sheppard of Montgomery was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Lila Sheppard, in Verbena last Sunday.

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Mrs. Glennie Phillips received a message Monday stating that her brother, Howard Lamar, died from a heart attack at his home in Auburn Monday. Mr. Lamar was at one time a citizen of Clanton, and has been away for approximately two years.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Trotter of Martin Dam were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Page last week.

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Our Sunday school is progressing nicely.

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Rev. N. H. Culp filled his regular appointments here Sunday and Sunday night. The services were enjoyed by a large crowd.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wells were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Henley Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Partridge and family visited the latter's brother, Mr. I. B. Yeargan.

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Mrs. J. L. Holley, Mrs. Steve Holley, Mrs. Lee Rollan and Mrs. W. J. Rollan visited Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Headley Sunday.

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Miss Lottie Edwards was the dinner guest of Miss Nell Yeargan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Williams visited the former's sister.

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Remember that next Sunday afternoon at two o'clock our singing society meets at this place. Everybody is invited to attend.

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"You are lying so clumsily," said the judge to the defendant, "that I would advise you to get a lawyer."

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Wearing a red ribbon and a bell, a pet porcupine follows a woman about the streets of Folkestone, Eng.

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Arkansas calls out militia to protect an evangelist. Paul would have liked cooperation like that.

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It looks like it will be economy for Southern farmers to buy their cotton next year instead of raising it.

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Prophets

We cannot think of anything quite so foolish as trying to predict what will happen next. There has arisen an unusually large crop of prophets in the past two years, some predicting a speedy return of prosperity, others telling us that we are in for many years more of hard times.

We have our own opinions as to what is going to happen, but we try to keep them to ourselves. When it comes to predicting facts, we are sure only of a very few things.

We predict, for example, that there will be a lot more cold weather than warm weather between now and Spring. We feel reasonably safe on that point. We predict that there will be either a Democrat or a Republican elected to the Presidency next year, and we don't believe anybody can hit it any closer than that, as politics look now. We won't take a chance on predicting whether Henry Ford is going to bring out a new car for 1932 or not, but we feel safe in prophesying that if he does he'll sell a lot of them. We wish we knew whether the price of wheat and cotton were going up or down. We don't but we predict that, whichever way farm prices go, the political farmers will still be asking Uncle Sam to help them out. There are a few other things still in the future of which we are certain. Water will continue to run down hill, the sun will rise daily in the East as usual, and there will be just about as many fools on wheels breaking their own necks and others' next year as there were this year We can't tell whether women are going to wear their hair and their skirts long or short, but we feel certain that whatever any man says they are going to do, they'll do the opposite.

Outside of a few certainties like that, because upon the unchangeable laws of nature, human and otherwise, we don't set up to be any kind of prophet. But we do predict that almost everything will be different next year and succeeding years from what they are today.

It would be a pretty dull world, seems to us, if anybody could tell what is going to happen next. What makes life interesting is the variety there is in it.

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Autumn

There is one thing in which America has it all over Europe. That is our Autumn season, or as we usually call it the Fall of the year.

It must be admitted that we don't have very much of a Spring season, in most parts of this country. We go from Winter smack into Summer. We don't understand what the English poets are talking about when they sing of Spring. But over there they go from Summer right into Winter, almost. There is none of that long-drawn-out season after harvest, when the leaves are turning and falling and, in the North, at least, there is a touch of frost in the early morning and the sweet smell of fallen leaves and Nature takes on a coat of gorgeous color before shifting to the somber gray of Winter.

Fall is the season of play for the farmer. When the crops have been harvested and the Fall plowing done, there is a period before Winter sets in when hunting is at its best, when it is a pleasure to be out of doors with nothing of immediate importance to attend to. It is the season of relaxation after the heat and strain of the Summer, when folks can take time to sum up the result of the year's work and begin their plans for the next.

Thanksgiving Day, in most parts of this country, marks the end of Fall and the real beginning of Winter. Then we begin to look forward to Christmas and thence to next Spring. We hear travellers tell of countries where the seasons never change from one year's end to the other. It seems to us that half of the pleasure of life comes from the changing seasons, and from looking forward to the next change.

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Advertising Did It

Reports drifting in to various departments in Washington indicate that the people of Winston-Salem are successfully beating the general business depression. In fact, business courage plus aggressive advertising of its principal product is making that old North Carolina city stand out like an oasis in the desert in these troublesome times.

Advertising and cigarettes are the weapons of combat that have been so successfully used, the reports show. Winston-Salem is the home of the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company. When the depression came along, the Reynolds people decided to increase their advertising instead of decreasing it. And their courage has been rewarded, because there have been no layoffs or wage reductions affecting the 12,000 Reynolds employees. In fact, the recent introduction and extensive advertising of the new moisture-proof cellophane wrapper for Camels caused such an increased demand that the Reynolds factories had to put on night shifts.

The result is a happy, prosperous and contented community, when the wage dollars of the workers enjoy an added value because of the depression in other parts of the country. Stores are crowded with buyers. Winston-Salem is one place where visitors seldom hear stories of poor business.

PAST-PRESENT-FUTURE
IN CHILTON COUNTY

Due to the fact that this column will be new to the readers of this newspaper, it might possibly be a rather good idea for the writer to go into the workings of a newspaper and its attitude toward news stories, opinions of its editors, and the thousand and one things they have to bear in mind at all times during the publishing of a newspaper.

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Opinions that will be expressed in the future in this column will not necessarily be the opinions of the editorials of this newspaper. If opinions of the writer of this column coincided with the general policies of this newspaper, then there would be no real need for this column as the editor has his columns in which he may express his opinions if he wishes. It will be somewhat of the purpose of this column for the writer to comment in his own manner, on the happenings over the county, as well as the happenings over the state and nation, however, at the same time attempting to keep the interest local.

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During our stay in Clanton we have had occasion to notice many items that we believe would furnish splendid reading matter for everyone interested in Clanton. Some are humorous, some serious and some coming in a medium of the two. It will be our endeavor to cover them all, if possible.

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One which just struck us as Leonard Williams was making his rounds this week reading electric meters for the Alabama Power Company, is a fine example of what will occur when a man selects his profession or trade and sticks to it. I can remember when Clanton was supplied with electric power by the Wade Ice Plant. The service was good under the conditions. Lights would be extinguished at a certain hour of the night and the town would be in darkness. But Clanton becoming a much larger town since that time is now along with the cities in the electric service respect.

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Leonard Williams was working for Wade, handling the electrical end of the business, on a small scale. The power company soon took over this privately owned plant and Leonard stuck. Now, here he is with an attractive office and local manager of the Alabama Power Company's interest, holding the respect of the entire county, ever on his job with competent assistants.

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Otto Jones is another young man who is a fine example of what will happen when a man sticks to his job. No doubt many of the residents of Clanton can picture Otto now, as he was in his teens with knee trousers on. Not only being assistant cashier of a bank now, he is also a member of the insurance firm of J. C. Page Company.

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We note that there are several vacant business houses in Clanton now. It would certainly be a blessing to our town should these buildings become occupied, and of course we are sure that every business man here is ever on the alert, watching for an opportunity to bring a new business to town.

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But there is a possibility of one being too eager to bring new concerns to town, and by chance may secure one that would not prove so desirable as first thought.

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Did you ever drive into Clanton on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway at night, especially Saturday nights about eight or nine o'clock? If you haven't then you should get in your car, drive out for about a mile then return. You would behold a sight that would no doubt cause you to say, "Clanton's a nice sized town." The various electric signs seen on the highway through Clanton are really an asset to the town, saying nothing of the way they speak for the stores displaying them, and of course there are others not on the highway.

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Speaking of signs, makes us call to mind the James Sign Shop and the attractive window displays they carry at all times. The taste used in displaying these window decorations with their varied colored lights and clean, neat appearance, is attracting attention over the entire state and is certainly bringing James some returns for his money.

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This sign shop is not the only place of business in Clanton with front windows. But, the question arises, "Are the other places using their display windows to an advantage, not only for themselves but for the town. Stores with attractively arranged, and well-lighted display windows throughout a town, show up well, and it does not take much to give every window an attractive appearance. That is the reason the large stores in cities devote so much of their space to window displays. It is inviting to customers—it shows a progressive, wide-awake spirit on the part of the management.

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We are pleased to note that Thorsby is still booming to a certain extent. Passed through there Sunday and noticed some work going on in a building on the highway which appeared as if another new place of business was opening up, possibly another drug store.

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Thorsby has always had a spirit of a "go-getter" and is being admired for it. The town is made up of a class of public-spirited citizens who are always watching out for the better things for their town. Have you ever been fortunate enough to attend one of the general social functions of Thorsby? If you haven't then you have certainly missed a treat. For an interesting story of reality, you should get one of the pioneer residents of the town of Thorsby to tell you how the town was settled and why. It would indeed make an interesting story.

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Another asset to the town of Thorsby is the Thorsby Institute. While many of the counties of the state are facing a predicament in their schools, the Thorsby Institute remains undisturbed, being a private school and a good one, with a corps of teachers and instructors who are competent for their work. No doubt should the schools of this county be forced to close before the term is completed, Thorsby Institute will receive many new students, who will carry on their studies there, receiving full credit as prescribed. The Institute will certainly prove its stand, if this were to occur.

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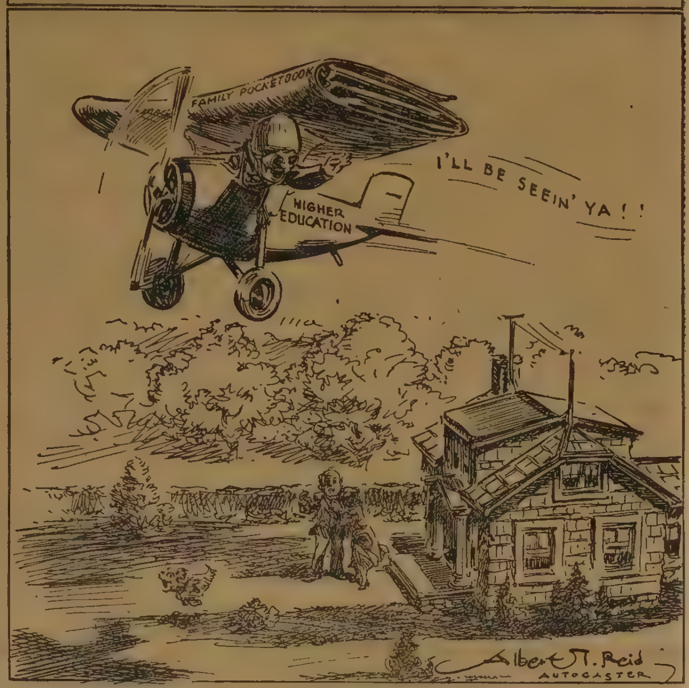
We hope to be thoroughly acclimated in this new column within a few days and will endeavor to give our readers something of interest each week. Until then, good evening.

Off For College — By Albert T. Reid



THE ALABAMA PROGRAM OF FARMING FOR PROFIT

Since Texas has rejected the proposal to suspend completely production of cotton for one year it is obvious that Alabama and other States cannot undertake it.

Therefore, we, in Alabama, must find the solution of our agricultural problems by application of our regular program. We must push forward diligently with our research work in order to find out the facts and then endeavor, through our bankers and other business people, county agents, Farm Bureaus, teachers of vocational agriculture, and other agencies to make the widest possible application of these scientific facts on each farm.

Strengthen Farm Organization

In order to deal effectively and intelligently with the difficult problems of agriculture all sincere and thoughtful friends of the farmer unanimously agree that the one paramount matter standing out over every other question is that the farm people must have a sound, wise, efficient and thorough going farmer-owned and farmer-controlled organization.

Out of the industry of agriculture itself must arise a strong, sturdy, bold, courageous leadership. Under these leaders, and with the counsel and assistance of all of the agencies created to serve agriculture there must be built this organization of farm folks for educational and cooperative purposes.

Through such an organization, and with the counsel and assistance of the private and public agencies created to serve them the farmers themselves must.

(1) Cut costs of production.
(2) Improve marketing facilities.
(3) Adjust production to normal demands.
(4) Improve the farm home and rural social life.

Above all, therefore, every real friend of agriculture in Alabama should put forth every effort to strengthen the farmers' organization.

What Shall We Do With The Present Cotton Crop?

The immediate question before us is what shall we do with the present crop of cotton.

Farmers should join with all of their neighbors in pooling their cotton with the Alabama Farm Bureau Cotton Association. Under this plan the farmers will receive a substantial cash advance, and at the same time retain their interest in and their control over their cotton, and thus be in position to get the full benefit of any advance in price.

This Association is on a sound business basis, and is in the hands of efficient and capable management.

The Cotton Outlook

There is in sight an ample supply of cotton for two years based upon the present rate of consumption.

The Remedy

This means that we should reduce our production of cotton annually for the next two years to one-half of the 1931 production.

In the meantime we should:

1. Make plans for the ample production of food for the family and feed for all livestock.

2. Make some form of livestock a part of the permanent program.

3. Improve in every conceivable way the efficiency, the comfort and the convenience of the farm home.

4. County farm and home demonstration agents and teachers of vocational agriculture in the several counties are in possession of full information as to methods and plans of procedure. Farm people, business people, and others interested in agriculture are urged to cooperate actively with these agencies in making their plans to meet the situation.

5. That such meetings or conferences as may be necessary be held to acquaint farmers, bankers, merchants, and others with the facts and enlist their full cooperation in the adoption and application of these recommendations.

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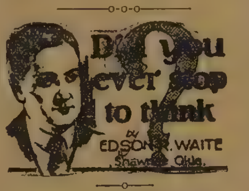

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George C. Handy, publisher of the Ypsilanti (Michigan) Press, says:

"Buying at home is the keynote of the small town symphony. It's like giving money to the baby to put into the family bank. It all comes back. And in the meantime you have rendered the baby a service, helped him a little in the education of thrift, given him the pleasure derived from handling money, cheered him. Those are among the biggest things in life—thrift and pleasure.

"When our boy was small he found pleasure, as all real boys do, in spending money. We discovered that what he bought was not of so much importance to him as the privilege of spending. Some boys are that way, you know, even after they grow up. Well, we hit upon the idea of buying Thrift Stamps. He made his penny and nickel deposits in a novelty bank and when he accumulated a quarter we took him to the postoffice and showed him where he could spend it. There was a thrill in pushing that quarter through the window, watching the clerk count all those coins he treasured, and then in dealing with the government, of standing in line with business men of the town and grown women and spending his money at the same window and in much the same way that they did.

"Of course it required a little salesmanship on the part of the old man to keep a live youngster pleased with this procedure, but it worked pretty well and finally he had enough small stamps to secure a big $5.00 one, and in time he discovered that the day we had talked about when he might get a real bond had arrived. What a day that was! He had thrift stamps enough to convert into a $100.00 bond! Mister, we sure celebrated that occasion.

"Well, this bonding business is big business. It was time now to start talking about a second bond, and so the lesson in thrift went on and the boy spent a lot of money and did some trading in stamps, got the pleasure a boy wants and should have in spending money and still he has the money and some interest besides. He spent his money and still kept it."

"Depression Villages" Inhabited by Jobless Along Mississippi River—Newspapers There Are "Hoover Blankets"

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Washington, D. C. — "Depression Villages bearing the ironic names of "Happyland," "Merryland," "Hooverville" and "Hoover Heights" on the banks of the Mississippi River within the city limits of St. Louis are described in a recent issue of the St. Louis Star.

The inhabitants, according to the reporter for the Star, are for the most part, hard-working people, formerly employed, but now jobles. One of these described as an engineer forty-three years old, who had worked all his life until let out as a result of the depression gave the reason for the existence of these improvised settlements, saying: "Landlords want rent and we can't pay. Here on the city's land, we can live free, except for food."

The shacks in "Hooverville" are referred to as "cigar boxes." The reporter found sixty-five of these facing on the rover, some neat and orderly and others made of junk and debris.

"Merryland," even larger than "Happyland," is a succession of shanty boats, moored along the bank of the river, and of dug-outs in the river bank. An illustration shows a hut there built of stone, with a large portable rock at the entrance to serve as a door. Another picture shows a jobless young husband with his wife and three small children aboard a shanty boat.

The Star's reporter describes an incident which evolves a new depression phrase coined in "Hooverville." One inhabitant picked up a bundle of newspapers in front of a shack, when the occupant of the shack called out "Here, where are you going with my blankets?" He explaintd to the reporter: "Down in these parts, we call newspapers "Hoover blankets."

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Charged with pouring gasoline on another man's shoes and then setting them afire, Arthur Hale is awaiting trial in Roanoke, Va.

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PRINTS—Fast Color Prints Yard Wide	10c
BED SPREADS—81x90 Krinkled Spreads for	50c
MEN'S OVERALLS—Men's Full Cut Overalls	69c
OUTING—A Good quality of Outing at	8c
BLANKETS—Part Wool Blankets 66x80. Regular $3.95 Value for	$1.95
MEN'S SOX	7c
MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS	48c
DRESS OXFORDS—Good Dress Oxfords for	$1.98
MEN'S PANTS—A Good Value See These for	98c
MEN'S HATS—Come in and look these over at only	98c
ODD COATS—Men's All-Wool Odd Coats for	$2.50
DOUBLE BLANKETS—64x76 Double Blankets, Per Pair	98c
CRETONNE—36-Inch Cretonne for	10c

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News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

IN MEMORIAM

With hearts full of sorrow, we, the members of Thorsby Lodge No. 759 A. F. & A. M., offer a tribute of love and respect to the memory of our beloved brother, E. F. Mead, who passed from our midst on the 30th day of August, 1931.

Brother Mead served our Lodge for many years as Secretary, and after resigning that position he was elected Treasurer where he served until about a year before his demise.

Brother Mead will not only be missed by the members of our society, but by all who knew him.

Therefore, be it resolved:

That we think with loving remembrance of his many years of service in our Lodge work.

That an expression of sympathy be extended to his family.

That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of our Lodge, and that they be published in each of our County papers.

That the Lodge be draped in mourning for thirty days.

—Signed: W. H. Wilson, M. E. Willis, Committee.

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Saturday night a reception given by the Ladies Guild of Thorsby was held at the Thorsby Institute Auditorium. An interesting program was given during which Miss Helen Jenkins told of her trip abroad. Mr. S. C. Norton gave a history of the school, and special music rendered by several of the students was enjoyed. After the program refreshments were served. The evening was a very pleasant one and was enjoyed by many.

Rev. J. E. Each was in charge of the services at Mt. Creek Sunday night.

W. M. S. met at the church Tuesday afternoon. Circle No. 2 was in charge of the program.

Mr. G. F. Harper spent Sunday visiting his old home place out west of Montevallo. Mr. Harper attended Sunday school where he first attended church and where he was baptized fifty-two years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Gresham Lowery and son, Glenn, are visiting the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Lowery.

Miss Bertha Littleton spent Sunday in Thorsby with her sister, Mrs. Emmett Billingsley.

Mrs. Lee Pate, Mrs. H. L. Walker and Mrs. Grover Bice spent Friday in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Walker, Mrs. Lee Pate and H. L. Collins spent Sunday in Deatsville.

Mrs. T. C. Mims and Mr. and Mrs. English were the guests of H. L. Maddox of Calera Sunday.

Mrs. Magne Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Horn and family of Birmingham spent Sunday in Thorsby. Mr. A. Helland returned with Mr. and Mrs. Horn to spend a week or two.

Mrs. Harry Thompson returned to Birmingham Monday after spending two weeks in Thorsby on her vacation.

Misses Kathryn Lenoir, Edith Foss and Mary Sue Robinson spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Polk of Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morgan of Birmingham spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mr. Jerome Wilson left Monday for Jacksonville, Ala., to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin and daughter, Peggie, Mr. and Mrs. Mims of Jemison, and Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway of Clanton enjoyed a picnic at Mineral Springs Sunday.

Relious Franklin, Mack Gray, and Mr. Blood attended the football game played by Auburn and Birmingham Southern Friday at Montgomery.

Miss Hattie Davenport visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davenport, during the week end.

Mrs. Donald Merchant and daughter, Annette, shopped in Montgomery last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Pearson and children of Bessemer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton.

Mr. Preuitt Sims of Decatur spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton.

Mrs. Arthur Villadsen of Lincoln arrived Monday to visit her mother, Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

Mr. Henry Robinson of Lincoln visited his mother, Mrs. T. W. Robinson, Friday.

Mr. Jim Honeycutt is visiting his family in Thorsby.

There will be stereopticon pictures at the Thorsby Congregational church next Sunday night, the subject is, "The Lure of Alaska."

Communion services will be held at the Thorsby Congregational church next Sunday morning.

Mrs. J. E. Each's ankle is so much improved that she is able to get about again.

Mrs. T. A. Shannon left Saturday for West Point, Georgia, after spending three weeks with her daughter, Mrs. N. C. Petersen.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Petersen and family spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Petersen.

Fire broke out Tuesday morning about 7:30 in the Holcombe house, better known as the John F. Peterson place. Little damage was done except to the roof, due to the prompt help of the citizens of the town. Fire was caused by a bad flue. The place is at present occupied by Mrs. Claud Billingsley.

H. T. Childress of Loxley and B. T. Childress of Summerdale arrived Monday to be at the bedside of their mother who has been seriously ill for over four weeks at the home of J. D. Cleckler.

The Congregational Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. C. M. Williams this Thursday.

Misses Naemi Turnquist and Christine Bosworth spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mrs. C. M. Williams returned Wednesday from visiting her daughter, Mrs. Thomason at Lay Dam. Mrs. Thomason returned with her mother to spend a few days.

On Tuesday of last week, Circle No. 2 of the W. M. S. met with Mrs. Tandy Robinson and quilted two quilts, one for the Orphan Home at Troy, and the other for the Baptist Mission Home at New Orleans, La.

Mrs. M. A. Barnes is spending a few days with Mrs. M. J. Primm before returning to her home.

W. H. Raybon and son, Roy Raybon, made a trip to Montevallo Sunday.

The Guild refreshment committee for the reception given to the Institute last Friday night wishes to thank all those who so willingly and generously donated to the cause. We especially thank the Thorsby Hardware Company for the donation of all the napkins and the use of the glasses, and the Thorsby Ice Company for the ice. We also wish to thank the girls who so efficiently served the refreshments. Never have we served two hundred guests so quickly and with less confusion before. Thank you.

—Mrs. Charlie Howard, Chairman.

We wish to correct an error in last weeks News in the item stating that there will be no services at the Baptist church on the following Sunday. It was the intention of the writer to state that there would be services and it is not known whether the erorr was caused by her or in the News office.

It has been noted that C. C. Horton is encouraging the growth of a cookie duster with the hope of it making him look more manly.

Mrs. D. M. Gray, Mrs. W. W. Jackson of Wadsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Baker of Hackleburg were dinner guests of Mrs. C. M. Gray Thursday.

Miss Baker spent a few days with Mrs. C. M. Gray last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray spent Sunday in Prattville.

Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway, Mrs. Relious Franklin, Mrs. Mack Gray, and Miss Baker spent Friday in Birmingham.

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Thorsby Institute News

Venora Wilson of Crane Hill, Alabama is a new boarding student at the Thorsby Institute.

Miss Catherine Perry a former teacher at the Institute is now teaching in Kobe College, Japan. She sent recently to the Institute two Japanese dolls, one representing the costume of a Japanese woman, the other a man. They were beautifully dressed. She sent also some miniature Japanese furniture, trinkets, etc. They have been on exhibit and are now to be sent to a church in Fitchburg, Mass. that is paying Miss Perry's salary.

The Queen Esther Sunday School class elected as officers for the coming year: Grace Smith, president; Elwyn Robinson, Vice-Pres.; Carrie Smith, Secretary; Anna Fae Price, Treasurer.

The Truth Seekers Sunday School class elected Rev. E. W. Butler as teacher for the coming year. They also elected the following officers: Miss Thoroman, President; Miss McKee, Vice President; Miss Edith Johnson, Secretary and Treasurer.

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A Paris dispatch states that the preliminary estimate of European beet sugar production during 1932-33 places the total at 6,447,000 tons, or a decline in output, in comparison with last season. This does not include Russian production.

Arthur Hall of Marietta, O., who roller skated to Miami, Fla., and back, it at home telling friends of his experiences.

Firemen called to the burning home of Ione Lombardi in Ancona, Italy, discovered there was no water supply, so they attached a hose to a large barrel of wine and with this substitute saved the house.

HOPES WANING OF LEGISLATION TOENRICHSTATE

Extra Session Not Likely While Bloc Holds Out Against Tax Measures

By Atticus Mullin
In The Montgomery Advertiser

The financial plight of the schools and of the highway department, which has already resulted in serious curtailment by the highway department and which is expected to result in curtailment of school sessions, is not a surprise to those who keep in touch with the financial affairs of the State and it should not surprise those members of the Legislature who steadfastly refused to heed the warning of Gov. Miller and the expert accountant staff of the State.

And a careful study reveals that nothing can be done about the State's finances if the Legislature, or, that is, the majority of the Senate, continues to stand steadfastly against all relief plans. And if information trickling in to the Capitol during the last week is accurate, and it is generally believed to be, the majority member of the Senate are not yet ready to do anything about conditions.

In the matter of economy, Gov. Miller has done all that he can do, cutting down the salaried personnel of the State by 591 persons and saving approximately $1,000,000 a year through such cutting and other economies. But that $1,000,000 per annum saving is not a drop in the bucket when there is stacked up against it the $20,000,000 deficit the State will face October 1.

Revenues Shriveling

Legislative appropriations were not reduced but the income of the State the coming fiscal year will fall off approximately $2,000,000 from the normal income. That $2,000,000, with appropriations remaining as they are, will further serve to increase the financial difficulties of the State. As has been frequently printed, every item of State income is falling. Naturally, property taxation is falling more slowly than special forms of taxation but this form of revenue will fall more rapidly next year as values are reduced. The $1,000,000 a year increase in the valuations of the Alabama Power Company will nowhere near offset general property value decreases in the various counties as assessments on property in these counties are expected to fall next year more than five per cent and perhaps 10 per cent, which will result in a total decrease in State valuations of considerably more than $75,000,000. The only forms of property values that will not decrease will be those of the railroads, large corporations and public utilities that are assessed by the State Tax Commission. Real estate holdings and farm holdings will show a large decrease next year when the assessment returns are all in. These decreases will affect the schools more than any other State agency because they will be reflected in decreased district school tax receipts in the various counties.

Bloc Unchanged

From what can be learned there is little hope of the "21 Governors" as the Senate bloc is generally called, weakening on an income tax. An income tax, it is estimated, would bring into the treasury something like $2,250,000 a year now and this amount would not serve to even up things with such a large deficit. In other words, if the State's back debts are paid, those inherited from a previous administration, there will be no money for any State activity in a short while. Of course these back debts cannot be paid in full but some of them will have to be paid. But even if all of the back debts of the State were paid by some kind philanthropist, the State would still lack money for its necessary activities such as schools, roads, etc., because the income of the State is steadily falling while the appropriations remain at the normal level.

The last Legislature turned a deaf ear to an increase in the list of the so called "nuisance taxes." Such taxes as those on soft drinks, candy, cosmetics, theater and amusement admission and similar objects, had thumbs turned down on them by the Legislature. And the income tax met a similar fate even though it was finally adopted but killed by the Supreme Court. If it had been ratified in the form submitted by the Legislature, with big decreases in general property taxes, the resultant sum from the income tax would have been more than offset by the decrease in the amount received from property taxes.

Gov. Miller, students of the State's finances assert, can do nothing towards remedying the financial condition of the State without the cooperation of the Legislature and there is no indication that he would receive such cooperation from the Senate, at least, if the Legislature were called back. In other words, the Legislature is the only branch of the government now that can remedy the financial situation and there will be no cooperation between the Legislature and the Governor in the event of an extra session, at least not now.

Gov. Miller was in a humor 30 days ago to call the Legislature into session at once to attempt to remedy the financial situation but found on investigation that he would not have the cooperation of the Senate in the event of such a call and it was deferred. He has not indicated when he will call it, if ever. He does not want to saddle extra expense on the State unless results can be obtained. It is known he would call it soon if he could secure cooperation.

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County officials in Toledo, O., stared in amazement when Lillie Clark dragged sacks containing 500 silver dollars into their office and said she desired to pay her taxes.

Personal Service
Perfectly Done

The mechanics of home management should run so smoothly as to be unnoticed. That is why Clanton Laundry and Cleaning Co. is preferred by so many Clanton housewives. Clanton Laundry and Cleaning Co. calls for your laundry early in the morning of whatever day you choose — thoroughly launders your work — mends where necessary—and delivers the finished work within 48 hours — regularly — dependably—inexpensively!

Saving Your Time -- Health -- Energy

Clanton Laundry
& Cleaning Co.

Launderers and Dry Cleaners

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COOLER WEATHER TENDS TO QUICKEN FALL BUYING

Trade Retarded Because Of Heat, To Become Aggressive

Purchases of Fall goods, retarded because of the extreme heat during the past month, will be greatly stimulated, due to the arrival of cool weather, most of the merchants and business men predict over the South.

One merchant was known to express that all during September no one did any shopping if it could be avoided. Women stayed at home, due to the sizzling heat, and had no desire to purchase Fall goods at that time, but now with the coming of cool, pleasant weather, buying is believed to be on the upgrade in many items.

Following are some comments made recently by some of the leading merchants and department stores in Birmingham:

"The coming of Autumn will improve the tendency to buy heavier goods." We could feel the effect of the change in weather in our sales Saturday, and expect it to last and improve still more. The weather is bound to bring out seasonable business that has been held back by hot weather."

"The season has been delayed as everyone knows." We should see a decided change in buying now. I know the cooler weather can't help but stimulate the demand for seasonable goods."

"Business will improve considerably as soon as people realize Fall is here. This weather will put people in a buying mood, and there is sure to be a steady improvement."

"I expect quite a pick up with cooler weather. People have been holding off on heavier merchandise, and I expect a stimulant in all buying."

Hot Weather Blamed

"Hot weather has kept people away that wanted to buy. It was so hot people stayed at home. We expect to do a good business now that Autumn weather has arrived."

"Conditions were off last month, attributable to unseasonable hot weather. We are expecting real business now and things will be better in every line. There has been very little Fall buying so far."

"This weather is just what we need to start things rolling. The cool weather will start people buying what they need. They are not going to buy what they don't need, but the average man's wardrobe needs bolstering up. When the break came, people were like stores. They were overstocked. This surplus has been used up in the past two years and replacement of normal needs will bring normal business. People have not been buying the past two years because they didn't have to buy. As long as a man has a reserve, he doesn't have to go into the market. Now that the reserves have been used up, and Fall weather has arrived, I expect a material stimulant in business and a move towards normalcy."

"It can be assumed that cool weather will stimulate business to a considerable extent. While there has been considerable Fall buying, it has not been to the extent that it will be now that cooler weather has arrived."

Purchases of Autumn goods, retarded in many cities because of the extended Summer weather, are expected to pick up immediately, according to The Associated Press which made a survey of the effect of the cool wave.

Merchants throughout Dixie said they weer jubilant over the South's first real touch of Autumn weather.

"This weather is just what we have been waiting for." Merchants in various lines of trade in other cities made similar comment.

Advertising Planned

"Business will be decidedly differtn from now on. Merchants have been waiting for a change in temperature and it will be welcomed. We are planning to advertise Fall and Winter goods."

Merchants in Clanton and Chilton County should be able to readily see the situation now facing them in the upturn of Fall business and prepare to take advantage of all possible, through the use of extensive advertising from now until next January or February.

It is believed business in this immediate section is now picking up to such an extent that it is quite noticeable, and will continue to show up well throughout the remainder of this year, with a slight drop after January.

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At the age of 101, Samuel H. Young of Rocky Mount, N. C., is suing for a divorce from his 26-year-old wife.

DR. ARTHUR JOHNSON
Diseases and Surgery of the eye, ear, nose and throat. Fitting Glasses
Clanton - - - Ala.

New Rainbow Division Hailed

Widespread interest and enthusiasm is being manifested over the State in the proposal to have the 167th Infantry, Alabama National Guard, assigned to the reorganized Rainbow or 42nd Division, according to Col. W. P. Screws, the wartime colonel of the famous Alabama fighting unit. The militia bureau at Washington has decided to reorganize the Rainbow Division, and thereby perpetuate as a unit of the national defense one of the outstanding combat divisions of the World War.

News of this action has been received with hearty approval by officers and men of the 167th and by other Alabamians who are proud of its outstanding record, and who wish to see the regiment form a part in peace, as it did in war, of the historic 42nd Division.

Col. Screws said yesterday officers of the old 167th would call on Gov. Miller in a body at an early date and request him to direct his adjutant general, Col. Hartley A. Moon, to assign the regiment to the reorganized Rainbow Division. The State convention of Rainbow Division veterans recently went on record as favoring such action.

The original Rainbow or 42nd Division was composed of fighting units of the National Guard of some 26 states, and Alabama was considered signally honored in having one of its regiments chosen from her native sons. The idea back of the organization of the Rainbow Division was to promote a spirit of national unity and exemplify the common interest of the nation in the conflict then raging by obliterating sectional lines.

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STATE FERTILIZER BILL REDUCED BY $7,829,000

Alabama farmers spent $7,829,000 less for commercial fertilizer used on cotton this year than they spent last year according to the Department of Agriculture. State farmers last year spent $14,385,000 for commercial fertilizers used on cotton while this year they spent $6,569,000.

Not only did Alabama reduce its fertilizer bill but all cotton growing states did likewise with total reduction of $38,658,000. Last year the south spent $75,607,000 for commercial fertilizers to use on cotton compared with $36,949,000 spent for the same purpose this year.

Of the 3,410,000 acres of Alabama land in cotton this year 76 per cent or 2,592,000 acres received fertilizer. Last year 3,486,000 acres or 92 per cent of the 3,789,000 acres planted to cotton were fertilized. The average cost for fertilizer was $2.53 per acre this year compared with $4.13 last year. State farmers applied 213 pounds of fertilizer per acre compared with 262 pounds last year.

F. W. Gist, agricultural statistician shows that this year Alabama farmers used 425,000 tons of commercial fertilizer. Of this 322,000 were used on cotton and 103,000 on other crops. These figures compare with 646,000 tons used last year—513,000 on cotton, 133,000 on other crops.

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Mrs Rapper—Miss Oldgirl says she is 25. Do you believe that?

Mrs. Crabbe—It must be true. She's stuck to the same story all the years I've known her.

Rhymer—What's the difference between guitar and catarrh?

Punner—One makes music and the other makes me sick.

Annoyed by whispering in his court during sessions, Judge H B. Anderson of New York has announced that whisperers will have to pay 25 cent fines hereafter.

THE ROAD TO BEAUTY

Artists and other beauty connoisseurs have declared that beauty in girls depends more on health and living habits than on any other factors. Home economic experts of University Farm, Minnesota, seem to agree with this conclusion and recently pointed out the qualifications for a good-looking girl.

They include a clear smooth skin; bright, clear eyes; glossy hair; strong white teeth; firm, strong muscles; a good posture, sitting or standing; normal weight; happy, good-natured disposition, with energy and pep for work and play. To aid in attaining these, the following recipe is offered:

Nine hours sleep with windows open every night. Play or work outdoors at least an hour every day. Three regular meals every day. Some suggestions for diet are quoted:

"Milk, cocoa or some other substitute should be used instead of tea or coffee; vegetable other than potato instead of a second helping of meat; as much dark bread as white; dark breakfast food as often as light; green vegetables or salad daily; fruit dessert instead of pie, cake or pudding; fruit, milk and cereal for breakfast instead of griddle cakes, sausage and coffee; fruit, bread and butter, or milk for lunches, instead of candy, pop, hot dogs or ice cream.'

This seems like a sensible program and one within the reach of all, well worth the effort required, considering the prize at stake.

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ORCHARD SOILS

Many orchard soils have become unproductive because of lack of organic matter. Fruit spur and terminal growth on the trees are short; the bark becomes tight; the fruit doesn't size up; fruit may crack in summer following rainy periods which come after severe dry spells; die-back or rosette may appear on the terminals; top and root injuries may occur in winter; and sometimes there is no response from nitrogen fertilizer. Supply organic matter either by growing heavy sod in sod orchards or by turning under heavy cover crops in cultivated orchards, advise horticulturists.

Motorists in Milan, Italy, are encouraged to drive quietly by pinning leather medals to those who are needlessly noisy with horns and exhausts.

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Seven boys were fined for fighting in Sunday school in Hurl, Eng.

3 RULES
big help to BOWELS

What a joy to have the bowels move like clockwork, every day! It's easy, if you mind these simple rules of a famous old doctor:

1. Drink a big tumblerful of water before breakfast, and several times a day.
2. Get plenty of outdoor exercise without unduly fatiguing yourself.
3. Try for a bowel movement at exactly the same hour every day.

Everyone's bowels need help at times, but the thing to use is Dr. Caldwells' Syrup Pepsin. You'll get a thorough cleaning-out, and it won't leave your insides weak and watery. This family doctor's prescription is just fresh laxative herbs, pure pepsin, and other helpful ingredients that couldn't hurt a child. But how it wakes up those lazy bowels! How good you feel with your system rid of all that poisonous waste matter.

DR. W. B.. CALDWELL'S
SYRUP PEPSIN
A Doctor's Family Laxative

FOR SALE

For Sale at our Mill in Maplesville about Thirty Thousand Feet 1x4 and 1x6 — 9-foot Number Two Common & Better Dressed Two Sides Tongue and Grooved for Flooring or Ceiling at $12.50 per Thousand while it lasts.

A. D. Harper Lumber Co.
Shepherd Building
Montgomery - - - - - Alabama

ALABAMA ALONE TO USE BLACK ON WHITE IN 1932 AUTO PLATES

While several states will share the reverse order of Alabama's 1932 automobile license plate scheme, Alabama alone will have black numerals on a white blackground, according to information released by the American Automobile Association.

Thirty-one states will change the color combination of their license plates next year, and 23 different color motifs will be used, an indication that almost every hue will be represented in the 1932 parade.

The survey revealed that first rank will be divided between two color combinations, with white on black (the reverse of Alabama's motif) and white on blue each being adopted by six states. White on black predominated in 1931.

Second honors will go to black on yellow, white on green and yellow on black combinations, which will each be used by four states. Black on orange and white on maroon will each be used by three states.

Among Alabama's neighbors, Mississippi will have gold on black; Louisiana white on red; Georgia, white on blue; Florida, yellow on black, and Tennessee, black on yellow. North Carolina also will employ a black and gold motif but will use it in the reverse order to that of Mississippi.

Alabama's new color scheme is advantageous, automobile owners state, because black and white will blend with any color motif used in decoration of the automobile.

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Subscribe to the News—$1.50 a Year.

Miss Howler—Did my voice fill the drawing roome?

Mr. Bluntly—No, it filled the refreshment room and the conservatory.

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A woman drug peddler captured in Paris had cocaine concealed in her hair.

Phone One-One-One
or Write
The James Sign Shop
Clanton, Alabama
Outdoor
Painted Display
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NOTICE OF REGISTRATION

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Registrars of Chilton County, Alabama, in accordance with the general Registration Laws of Alabama, as amended by an Act of Legislature of Alabama, approved August 20, 1927, will hold sessions for the purpose of registering all citizens qualified under the law to register, at the following places in said County and on the following dates, to-wit:

Beat 4—Courthouse, Clanton	October 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31
Beat 15—Pletcher, Ala.	November 16, A. M.
Beat 15—Culp School House	November 16, P. M.
Beat 6—Kincheon	November 17, A. M.
Beat 6—Enterprise	November 17, P. M.
Beat 5—Mountain Creek	November 18, A. M.
Beat 5—Mitchell Dam	November 18, P. M.
Beat 1—Lay Dam	November 19, A. M.
Beat 11—Cane Creek	November 19, P. M.
Beat 12—Mineral Springs	November 20
Beat 13—Providence	November 21
Beat 4—Court House, Clanton	November 23, 24, 25, 27, 28
Beat 2—Mars Hill	December 1, A. M.
Beat 14—Macedonia	December 1, P. M.
Beat 8—Stanton	December 2
Beat 7—Maplesville	December 3, A. M.
Beat 3—Benson	December 3, P. M.
Beat 5—Verbena	December 4
Beat 2—Jemison	December 5
Beat 9—Thorsby	December 7
Beat 10—Cooper	December 8
Beat 16—Providence	December 9
Beat 4—Court House, Clanton	December 10, 11, 12, 14, 15

This 28th Day of Sept., 1931

No One Can Register Except In His or Her Own Precinct and at the Court House In Clanton

B. M. KILLINGSWORTH, Chairman,
A. D. MARTIN,
O. O. ROPER,
Registrars of Chilton County, Ala.

WE APPRECIATE OUR FRIENDS

In the sickness and death of our precious little son, we have sustained a heavy burden and a great loss in our home. To those who were so kind and thoughtful in helping us through this crisis, we send this word of appreciation. We are especially grateful to Dr. Dawson and Dr. George Blue of Montgomery, who worked so faithfully to save our baby's life. We owe much, indeed, to Miss Snead and Miss Purcell, and the other nurses in St. Margaret's Hospital, for their faithful service and tender sympathy during our two weeks there. Then, to our many faithful friends in and around Verbena, let us say that you have drawn us to you by your abundant sympathy and love. To each and all, we pray that our gracious Father in Heaven may richly bless you, and that Heaven's peace and happiness may attend you both here and in Eternity.

Sincerely yours,
—Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Metcalf.
Verbena, Ala.

It Will Pay You to Place Your Orders with Us for Fruit Trees.

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Prop. No. 1.

State of Alabama

A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the Second Tuesday after the expiration of three months from and after the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, as provided by Section 287 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Act proposing the amendment was not submitted for the approval of the Governor but was valid upon its adoption by the Legislature without his approval, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 3rd day of November, 1931, is the second Tuesday after the expiration of three months from and after the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 3rd day of November, 1931, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:—

"ARTICLE XX-B. Section 1. The State is authorized to engage in the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways and bridges in the State of Alabama. To this end and for these purposes, the State is authorized to appropriate funds and for constructional purposes only the State is authorized also to issue and sell interest-bearing negotiable State bonds in addition to those already authorized and sold under Article XX and XX-A, as amendments to the Constitution of 1901, in an amount not to exceed the sum of twenty-five million dollars ($25,000,000.00), to be issued under such denominations, numbers and series, maturing at such times as may be provided by law, and all such bonds shall bear a rate of interest not greater than six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and shall be sold at a price not less than par value thereof.

Section 2. The State Highway Commission or Highway Department shall locate, construct and maintain highways, bridges and State trunk roads so as to connect each county seat with the county seat of the adjoining county by the most direct or most feasible route by a permanent road, having due regard for the public welfare, and shall connect the county seats of the several border counties at/or near the state line with a public highway in the border states. Provided, that in counties which are divided into two or more judicial divisions in each of which regular terms of the circuit court are held, the places where said terms of court are held, shall likewise be connected with each other.

Section 3. The proceeds of said bonds shall be used for constructing and/or surfacing of roads and constructing and/or repairing bridges, but not for maintenance or discharging of contract debts, liability or obligations existing prior to the adoption of this amendment.

Section 4. Eighteen million four hundred twenty-five thousand dollars ($18,425,000.00) of the proceeds of said bonds shall be set aside by the Governor and apportioned in amounts of Two Hundred seventy-five thousand dollars ($275,000.00) to each of the respective counties of the State which must be expended by the State Highway Commission or Highway Department in each of said counties for construction, which shall include hard surfacing, of existing and also new public roads and bridges therein. The remaining proceeds of said bonds shall be used for the construction, which shall include surfacing, of existing, or new highways and constructing or repairing bridges in the State.

Section 5. The proceeds of such bonds shall be kept separate and apart from all other funds and no part of the same shall ever be used in honoring a warrant not legally drawn against such proceeds.

Section 6. There is hereby levied and every distributor, retail dealer or storer shall pay an excise tax of one cent per gallon upon the selling, distributing or withdrawing from storage for any use gasoline, provided, however, that the excise tax is not levied upon the sale of gasoline in interstate commerce, and provided further that where this excise tax shall have been paid by a distributor or by a retail dealer or storer such payment shall be sufficient, the intention being that this tax shall not be paid but once. The terms 'distributor', 'retail dealer', 'storer', 'selling', 'distributing', 'withdrawing' and 'gasoline' are used as the same are used in existing gasoline excise tax laws of the State and shall be so construed, and all rights, duties, liabilities, penalties, powers and methods pertaining to the collection of gasoline excise taxes under such existing laws of the State shall apply to the collection, payment and accounting for the within excise tax, provided, the Legislature may limit, extend or further define the same. The excise tax of one cent herein levied shall be in addition to the excise gasoline taxes provided by existing laws of the State, but this section shall not be construed in any way as limiting the power of the Legislature to increase or decrease this or any other gasoline tax.

Section 7. The one cent excise tax hereinbefore levied shall be used first to create a sinking fund for the prompt and faithful payment of the principal and the interest on the bonds herein authorized, and, second, by the State for the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways and bridges of this State.

Section 8. The bonds herein authorized when issued shall be a direct obligation of the State, and for the prompt and faithful payment of the principal and interest thereon the full faith and credit of the State is hereby irrevocably pledged and such bonds shall be exempt forever from taxes of every kind.

Section 9. The bonds herein authorized shall be issued and sold in the same manner by a Bond Commission as set forth, defined and prescribed in Article 5 of Chapter 32, Code of Alabama, 1923.

Section 10. That House Bill No. 1204 by Mr. Tunstall, if and when passed by both houses of the Legislature of Alabama of 1931 and approved by the Governor and being, "A bill to be entitled an act to impose, for the use and purpose of surviving, preserving, maintaining, constructing and regulating the use of public roads and bridges in the State of Alabama, an excise tax on all persons, companies, agencies, corporations, and associations who sell, distribute, store or draw from storage for any purpose whatsoever, gasoline or any other liquid motor fuels or devices or any substitute therefor within the State of Alabama; providing for the collection of such excise tax and the payment of same into the State Treasury; providing for the enforcement of this act and fixing a penalty for the violation of the provisions hereof; providing that the said excise tax so imposed shall be in addition to all other excise tax now imposed by law; and, providing that freight agents or railroads and all agents of all transportation companies operating within the State of Alabama and who transport motor fuels shall report to the State Tax Commission all shipments of gasoline or any substitute therefor, received at any of their stations within the State", be and the same is hereby ratified, confirmed and validated and made constitutional as a law, and such ratification, confirmation, validation and constitutionally as a law, shall, according to the terms thereof when finally passed, in the manner aforesaid, take effect and be effective on the day of the passage of said bill by both houses of the Legislature of Alabama of 1931, and approved by the Governor, as fully as if said bill was set out in words and figures herein."

I further direct and proclaim that notices of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight consecutive weeks prior to the 3rd day of November, 1931, in each county of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the great seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the city of Montgomery, on this the 3rd day of September, 1931.

B. M. Miller,
Governor.

Attest:
P. B. Jarman, Jr.
Secretary of
State.

Down On The Farm

Down on the farm 'bout half past four,
I slip on my pants and sneak out the door;
Out in the yard I run like the dickens
To milk all the cows and feed all the chickens,
Clean out the barnyard, curry Maggie and Jiggs
Separate the cream, and slop all the pigs;
Hustle two hours, then eat like a Turk,
By heck, I am ready for a full day's work.
Then I grease the wagon and put on the rack
Throw a jug of water in the old grain sack,
Hitch up the mules, slip down the lane,
Must get the hay in, looks like rain.
Look over yonder, sure as I am born,
Cows on the rampage, hogs in the corn.
Back with the mules, then for recompense
Maggie gets a-straddle the barb-wire fence.
Joints all aching, muscles in a jerk,
Whoop! Fit as a fiddle for a full day's work.
Work all the summer till winter is nigh
Then figure at the bank and heave a big sigh.
Worked all the year, didn't make a thing,
Less cash now than I had last spring.
Some folks say there ain't no hell,
Shucks; They never farmed; how can they tell?
When spring rolls 'round I take another chance
As fuzz grows longer on my old gray pants.
Give my galluses a hitch, belt another jerk,
By gosh! I am ready for a full year's work.

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There are 35,781,995 motor vehicles in the world, four out of every five being registered in the United States.

Prop. No. 2.

State of Alabama

A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the second Tuesday in November after the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, as provided by Section 287 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Act proposing the amendment was not submitted for the aproval of the Governor but was valid upon its adoption by the Legislature without his approval, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 10th day of November, 1931, is the second Tuesday in November, such day being more than three months after the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday, the 10th day of November, 1931, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:—

"ARTICLE XXI. Section 219 of the present Constitution is hereby annulled and set aside and hereafter the Legislature of Alabama may provide for the assessment, levy and collection of a tax upon inheritances and for the levying of estate taxes not to exceed in the aggregate the amounts which may by any law of the United States be allowed to be credited against or deducted from any similar tax upon inheritances or taxes on estates assessed or levied by the United States on the same subject. The Legislature shall have the power to levy such inheritance or estate taxes in the State of Alabama only so long as and during the time an inheritance or estate tax is enforced by the United States against Alabama inheritances or estates, and shall only be exercised or enforced to the extent of absorbing the amount of any deduction or credit which may be permitted by the laws of the United States now existing or hereafter enacted to be claimed by reason thereof as deduction or credit against such similar tax of the United States applicable to Alabama inheritances or estates."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight successive weeks prior to the 10th day of November, 1931, in each county of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the great seal of the State to be affixed at the Captol, in the City of Montgomery, on this the 3rd day of September, 1931.

B. M. Miller,
Governor.

Attest:
P. B. Jarman, Jr.
Secretary of
State.

Marriage Licenses

As issued in Chilton County, during the month of September, 1931:

A. E. Yawn and Miss Trissie Elaine Veazey.

Albert D. Rodden and Miss Luella Patterson.

John Pate and Miss Evie Lou Ray.

Cecil Armstrong and Miss Lena Vinson.

W. P. Mims and Miss Rosa Cleckler.

Robert F. Dawson and Miss Mary Evelyn Smith.

T. J. Ward and Miss Irene Atkinson.

Theodore Meherg and Miss Vera Mims.

Elijah Davis Miner and Mrs. Alice Fendley.

Artis Hill and Miss Hattie Lee Gilliland.

Leonard E. Gentry and Miss Jewel Minor.

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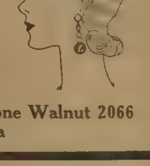

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CHAPTER L

The Germans had a preponderance of 323,000 rifles March 21, 1918, and although this number had decreased they still had a superiority of about 200,000 May 27. July 15 this was changed and the allies then had the superiority by the same number. In other words, the Germans were relatively worse off by 523,000 rifles in July than in March.

This was accounted for almost entirely by the great increase in the numbers of Americans. The French and British had not been able to add to their strength, but, on the contrary, they were being reduced faster than the Germans.

The German offensive south of Rheims, July 15-16, having been checked, the moment was favorable for an allied counteroffensive. The selection by the Germans of the Champagne sector and the eastern and southern faces of the Marne pocket on which to make their offensive was fortunate for the allies, as it favored the counterattack already planned.

We shall now see the reason for the concentration of several American divisions southwest of Soissons. Some of them were available for use in the main counterstroke, to be delivered by the French Tenth army under Mangin. The American First and Second divisions were hastily assembled to form the American Third corps under General Bullard. But his corps staff had not yet been fully organized and these divisions, by his direction, under discretionary authority given by me, became a part of the French Twentieth corps, commanded by General Berdoulat.

Form Spearhead of Attack.

This corps then was composed of these two divisions and the French First Moroccan division, which had a fine reputation, and was assigned to the most important position in the attack on the left center of the Tenth army. The three divisions mentioned had the honor of being the spearhead of the thrust against the vulnerable flank of the salient. The line of advance ran eastward over the commanding plateau just south of Soissons, and across the main road leading from that place to Chateau Thierry.

The First had recently been relieved from the Cantigny sector and was en route to a rest area. It was scattered throughout the Dammartin area, just north of Meaux, when it received orders July 13 to move by truck to the front. After a hurried departure the advance troops arrived at dawn the 16th at the forest of Retz (or forest of Villers-Cotterets) and during the night the division moved to the front of the forest. The night of July 17 it went forward over muddy and congested roads, the columns of infantry working their way to the front, where they arrived in the nick of time.

The Second division was at Montreuil-aux-Lions in reserve of the First corps, recuperating, when the order came on the 14th to move by truck toward the front. Dawn July 17 found the infantry and machine-gun elements arriving at the forest of Villers-Cotterets. The night of the 17th the movement toward the front, through the forest, was made with extreme difficulty. The narrow roads became jammed, troops lost their direction and there was serious doubt whether they would be at their line of departure at the appointed hour of 4:35 a. m., the 18th.

Proceed Against Odds.

With most commendable energy and initiative the officers led their commands forward during the night, winding in and out through the almost inextricable snarls of wheeled vehicles. One of the battalions assigned to lead in the attack, though on the march most of the night, was forced to move on the run for the last few hundred yards, and just reached its place as the barrage started.

The Second division headquarters found itself July 16 with no knowledge of the terrain and little obtainable from any source. Harbord and his chief of staff, Col. Preston Brown, started for the front and accidentally ran into the headquarters of the Twentieth corps. They there found the directive for the attack, from which they issued the division's orders.

The country over which the Twentieth corps attacked consisted of a succession of wooded ravines that lay across the line of advance, with scarcely any roads leading toward the front. The enemy's main defenses along the ridges of the Soissons plateau were naturally strong, and with the added intrenchments the enemy evidently felt himself reasonably secure. It was harvest time and the ripening wheat that covered the rolling landscape gave excellent cover for the enemy's infantry and machine guns, but it also helped to hide our advance.

Enemy Caught by Surprise.

Without the usual preliminary artillery preparation, the assaulting battalions, accompanied by light tanks, plunged forward behind the barrage. The enemy was caught by surprise and the First and Second divisions, gallantly supported by the Moroccan division in the center, soon overran his forward positions and broke through the zone of his light artillery. Though constantly confronted by fresh enemy troops, this corps took the lead in the advance and its progress was most satisfactory. By noon it had captured half of the great plateau in its front, with many prisoners, and a little later forward elements reached the day's objective.

The Second division encountered strong opposition at Vierzy. In a determined effort launched after 6 p. m. the town was captured and a line overlooking the valley of the Crise was occupied. The First division had carried everything before it, capturing defended farm houses and other points where it met stiff resistance, finally taking Missy-aux-Bois and holding a front line slightly beyond that town. The line ran diagonally across the Paris-Soissons road.

The attack of the corps was resumed the morning of July 19, but during the night the German lines directly in front of Soissons had been heavily reinforced with machine guns and artillery. In their advance the French One Hundred Fifty-third division and the First division met with much resistance, the Second brigade of the First encountering fire of the enemy both from the front and the left flank. Tanks were sent to its assistance and with close artillery support the division was enabled slowly to gain ground, but at considerable cost.

The Second division, with the reserves of the first day in the lead, forged ahead to the Soissons-Chateau Thierry road but was compelled to withdraw to the vicinity of La Raperie. It finally established a line just west of Tigny, with the road under its guns. The division was relieved by the French Fifty-eighth division the night of the 19th, having advanced six and one-half miles, captured 3,000 prisoners and seventy-five guns, and sustained about 5,000 casualties.

First Division Makes Advance.

July 20 the First division continued its advance doggedly against a desperate stand by the Germans on the knoll in front of Berzay-le-Sec. The French had been ordered to take Berzy-le-Sec, but failed. In the afternoon Summerall directed that it be assaulted by his Second brigade, but the attempt did not succeed that day. Assisted by the skillful use of artillery and with consummate dash, under Brig. Gen. B. B. Buck, in the face of intense artillery and machine-gun fire, the Second brigade captured the town on the 21st. Meanwhile, the First brigade and the French Eighty-seventh division, which had relieved the Moroccans, had crossed the Soissons-Chateau Thierry highway and reached the Chateau of Buzancy. The line now ran parallel to the Crise, with Soissons commanded by our artillery.

The First division, throughout four days of constant fighting, had advanced nearly seven miles, taken 3,500 prisoners and sixty-eight guns from seven different German divisions employed against it, and had about 7,200 casualties.

The thrust of the Twentieth corps was conducted with such magnificent dash and power that the enemy's position within the salient was rendered untenable. The dangerous character of the threat caused the crown prince to begin a general withdrawal from the Marne. This operation snatched the initiative from the enemy almost in an instant and from that moment he was on the defensive.

Our First and Second divisions, with the Moroccan division between them, had struck the decisive blow that turned the tide of the war. Petain said it could not have been done without our divisions.

On the other side the German chancellor, Von Hertling, said later: "We expected grave events in Paris for the end of July. That was on the 15th. On the 18th even the most optimistic among us understood that all was lost. The history of the world was played out in three days."

CHAPTER LI

American participation in the second Marne offensive, which began July 18, 1918, and turned the tide of war in favor of the allies, was not limited to the operations of the First and Second divisions. While this bitter contest was being waged for the possession of the crucial point near Soissons the troops around the rim of the salient had been steadily driving ahead.

The Fourth division (Cameron), less its artillery, fought at first with the French. The Seventh brigade was attacked to the Second corps, French Sixth army, the Forty-seventh infantry in reserve, and the Thirty-ninth assigned to the French Thirty-third division.

In the attack of July 18 this regiment cleaned up the wood in its front, captured Noroy, and extended the line to the south. On the 18th the regiment went forward about two and one-half miles on a front 1,000 yards north of the Ourcq. It was relieved the morning of the 20th and went to the reserve.

The Eighth brigade was assigned to the French One Hundred Sixty-fourth division, the Fifty-ninth regiment in reserve. In the attack of the 18th, the Fifty-eighth regiment assisted in the capture of Hautevesnes and Courchamps, took Chevillon and made further substantial gains. The Fifty-ninth regiment was put in the front line during the night of July 18-19, relieving the Fifty-eighth, and on the 19th, advancing with the division, gained two miles. On the 20th, with two battalions of the Fifty-ninth in line, the advance was carried well to the east of Sommelans. The brigade was relieved from the front line July 21.

Twenty-sixth Division Participates.

Coincident with these advances on the 18th, the First corps (Liggett), serving with the French sixth army division and composed of our Twenty-sixth division and the French One Hundred Sixty-seventh division, also became a part of the movement. The Twenty-sixth division occupied the line it had taken over from the Second division July 10. The plan for the July 18 offensive contemplated a deep penetration south of Soissons by the French Tenth army, supported on the right by the French Sixth army, extending the attack as far south as Bouresches.

The Fifty-second brigade, Twenty-sixth division, captured the villages of Torcy and Belleau, and one battalion reached the base of the dominating Hill 193. Elements of the brigade reached the railroad, but severe flank fire drove them to the starting point.

On the 19th the advance of the Twenty-sixth was contingent upon the success of the French One Hundred Sixty-seventh division on its left, but that division failed to take its objectives and the Twenty-sixth did not attack. On the 20th the One Hundred Sixty-seventh was held up again, exposing the left of the division to heavy flank fire and preventing more than a slight gain. Farther to the right the Twenty-sixth succeeded in taking Gonetrie farm, and got a foothold on Hill 190.

Reach New German Line.

When the attack began on the 21st it was found that the Germans had withdrawn the night before, and the Twenty-sixth moved forward with little or no opposition until it reached the new German lines at l'Hermitage-Epieds-Mont St. Pere, east of the Soissons-Chateau-Thierry highway. On the 22nd it captured Trugny and got a foothold in Epieds, but was forced by a strong German counterattack to retire to Bretuil wood. The Fifty-second brigade was also driven back to its starting point.

The attack renewed on the 23rd was successful, one regiment reaching the Epieds-Mont St. Pere road, but in the afternoon it was forced to retire. That night the Fifty-second brigade was replaced by the Fifty-sixth brigade, Tweny-eighth division. When the latter launched its attack the morning of the 24th, it was found that the enemy had withdrawn and he was not again encountered until the pursuers, including part of the Fifty-first brigade, Twenty-sixth division, reached Croix Rouge farm.

During its offensive action beginning with the 18th, the Twenty-sixth division had progressed nearly eleven miles and had captured 250 prisoners and four pieces of artillery. Since its occupation of the sector July 10 it had suffered about 5,000 casualties. The division was relieved, together with the Fifty-sixth brigade, Twenty-eighth division, by the Eighty-fourth brigade, Forty-second division, which took over the sector on the 25th. The Eighty-fourth brigade, Forty-second division, replaced two French divisions, which were pinched out by the shortening of the line. On the 27th, the Forty-second division occupied the entire front of the First corps, about two miles in extent.

Enemy Fights Desperately.

The enemy's defeat in front of the Twentieth corps (American First and Second divisions and First Moroccan division) was the principal cause of the withdrawal of his armies, but he fought desperately from position to position and his retirement was being skillfully conducted to save men and material from capture.

In the counteroffensive of July 18 no operations were ordered for French or American troops east of Chateau Thierry, leaving them an opportunity to readjust their lines. On the 20th, patrols from the Third division discovered that the Germans had withdrawn across the Marne the night before and the division at once advanced its line to the river. The night of July 20th the Germans further withdrew to the line Charteves-Ridge, north of Mont St. Pere, connecting with their line of resistance in front of our First corps.

July 21 the Fifth brigade crossed the Marne in pursuit, capturing Mont St. Pere and driving machine guns out of Charteves. The Sixth brigade waited for the bridge to be completed at Mezy and the morning of the 22nd one regiment crossed the river and captured Jaulgonne. The Germans were contesting every step, and while the First battalion of this regiment reached Le Charmel it was compelled to retire by successive positions to Jaulgonne.

On the 26th operations planned in co-operation with the French Thirty-ninth and the American Forty-second on its left were only partly successful. The Forty-second captured the strongly held Croix Rouge farm, but the French Thirty-ninth division could not advance. The leading battalions of the Fifth brigade entered Le Charmel, but not being able to debouch from the town they were withdrawn after dark. During the night the hard-pressed Germans retired to the Ourcq, leaving machine guns behind to delay our advance.

July 27 the French Thirty-ninth division took up the pursuit, followed by the Fifty-fifth brigade, Twenty-eighth division, which relieved the French Thirty-ninth that night at Courmont. The Fifth brigade, Third division, advanced on the right to protect this movement and occupied a line running southeast from Courmont through Villardelle. During the morning of the 28th, the Fifth brigade captured Roncheres, and the Twenty-eighth division reached the Ourcq, but was unable to hold its gains north of the river. On the 29th the Third division occupied an irregular line beyond Roncheres, but neither that unit nor the Twenty-eighth division on its left was able to make material progress against the Bois des Grimpettes that day.

Third Division Relieved.

The Third division was relieved by the Thirty-second on the 30th and retired south of the Marne. It had taken a decisive part in stopping the last German offensive and had advanced ten miles through difficult country, stubbornly defended by the enemy. It had suffered casualties to the number of about 6,000 officers and men.

The Forty-second division, as we have seen, had come from the French Fourth army to the Marne salient and had relieved the Twenty-sixth division in the First corps. In the advance that followed it had gallantly captured Croix Rouge farm on the 26th, and on the following day had cleared the Foret de Fere, captured Villers-sur-Fere and had reached the Ourcq. July 28 the Forty-second established a line beyond the Ourcy and on the 29th the Fourth division, in support of the Forty-second division, captured Sergy, while the latter took Seringes-et-Nesles.

The enemy made a determined stand along the Ourcq river and some of the hardest fighting of the period occurred at this time. August 3 the Fourth division relieved the Forty-second. The Third corps (Bullard), with the American Twenty-eighth and Thirty-second divisions, relieved the French Thirty-eighth corps on the right of our First corps. Once established beyond the Ourcq, our two corps advanced rapidly toward the Vesle river, meeting with little opposition.

We had in all nine American divisions, equal to eighteen French divisions, engaged in this second battle of the Marne. This force, together with the staff, supply, medical troops and aviation, amounted to a total force of nearly 300,000 actively employed during that period. We suffered 65,000 casualties.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF FILING OF BILL OF COMPLAINT BY THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

Complainant vs. One Essex Coupe, 1931 Model, Respondent.

State of Alabama, Complainant, vs. One Essex Coupe, 1931 Model, Respondent.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama.—In Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against one Essex Coupe, 1931 Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 18th day of September, 1931, one Richard I. Barry did transport in One Essex Coupe, 1931 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama to another, and that said automobile was on that day seized by the Sheriff of said county and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Alabama, and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 26th day of October, 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 25th day of September, 1931.

GEO. F. SMOOT,
Judge of the 19th Judicial Circuit.
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NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity. No. 941.
Ada Maddox, Complainant, vs. Luther Maddox, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of G. C. Walker that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is of the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said Luther Maddox to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 6th day of October, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 5th day of September, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
9-10-4tc Register.

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BY ADMINISTRATOR

The State of Alabama, Chilton County,
Probate Court.
Estate of A. C. Smith, Deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 19 day of September, 1931 by the Hon. L. H. Reynolds, Judge of the Probate Court of Chilton County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

RAYMOND C. SMITH.
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NOTICE OF DAY SET FOR HEARING PROBATE OF WILL

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Probate Court.
To Mrs. George Kimball, Lieth, North Dakota.

You will please take notice, that on the 23rd day of September, 1931, a certain paper in writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of E. F. Mead, deceased was filed in my office for Probate, by Clyde Mead and the 14th day of October, 1931, was appointed a day for the hearing thereof, at which time you can appear and contest the same if you see proper.

Given under my hand this 23rd day of September, 1931.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
9-24-3tcG Judge of Probate.

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ORDER FOR PUBLICATION TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court in Equity. No. 944.
Mattie Williams, Complainant, vs. L. B. Williams, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of J. B. Atkinson that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is over the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said L. B. Williams to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 30, day of October, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 26th day of September, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-1-4tcS Register.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PAROLE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, who was convicted at Chilton County Court on the second day of April, 1931, for the offense of manufacturing liquor and possession of still and sentenced to from 14 to 15 months in State penintentiary, will make application to the Pardon Board of Alabama for parole.

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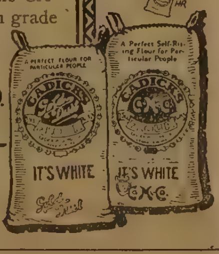
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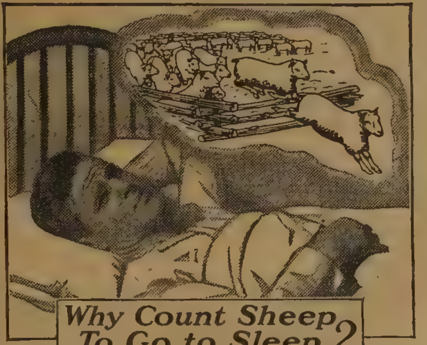
The Progressive Farmer, a conservative and also a progressive farm paper published at Birmingham, favors a federal act reducing cotton acreage next year to two-thirds of the 1931 acreage; and, if necessary, a 15 per cent reduction in 1933 from the 1932 acreage.

Movement of the Alabama cotton crop from fields to gins and into trade continues slow, according to reports from over the state received at Auburn. Farmers are very reluctant to gin and sell at present prices. The Farm Bureau Cotton Association at Montgomery offers an opportunity to pool, draw an advance, and retain an equity.

The proposal of Governor Huey Long of Louisiana for a cotton production holiday was decisively rejected by the Texas legislature, thereby killing the proposition from a national standpoint. Without Texas, where a third of the cotton is produced, a cotton holiday would not be effective. That state expects, however, a substantial reduction in the acreage next year.



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Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct to attend in Person on the day of the appointment in your Precinct and then and there render to the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the 1st day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31st, 1931.

W. G. CULP, Tax Collector.

AKINS I. COLLINS, Tax Assessor.

Capone the Powerful

*Al Capone is rarely photographed at his ease. The above was snapped at a Chicago charity ball game.

EFFECTS OF TOBACCO

Almost anything can be proved by examples and statistics. This appears to be particularly true with respect to the effects of tobacco, which have long been the subject of investigations by physicians and scientists.

So far as physical consequences go, the effects of smoking seem to depend largely upon the individual concerned. Many who have lived to extreme old age were users of the weed, while others of equal longevity were not. The concensus of scientific opinion is that tobacco exerts little influence upon the intellectual powers.

Among outstanding figures of the past who were smokers may be mentioned Washington, Bismarck, Kitchener, Spurgeon, Huxley, Keats, Browning, Carlyle, Emerson, Dickens, Tennyson, Grant and Mark Twain, the last two being inordinate users of tobacco.

Some prominent non-smokers were Lincoln, Roosevelt, Wilson, Greeley, Wellington, Tolstoi, Ruskin, Haeckel and Whittier.

In the present day relatively few persons refrain from the use of tobacco, since the cigarette has become so popular with persons of both sexes and practically all ages.

Although it can not be said that smoking is really beneficial to anyone, and while it is no doubt injurious to the young, its detrimental effects upon mature persons have perhaps been greatly exaggerated.

C. C. H .S. News Items

Senior III Class of C. C. H. S. Dedicates Electric System of Program Clock To The High School

It is traditional of all high schools for the Senior Class to make some dedication to the school when it graduates. Our class plans to make their gift now so they can enjoy it this year. The clock has been ordered and it will arrive in about two weeks. It will cost $325. The company will accept State warrants which will be one half to be paid by the State. The Senior class will be responsible for the remaining $162.50.

This clock system contains a large clock, a small clock, and three bells. The large clock is five feet six inches high and will be placed in the main hall. The small clock will be installed in the auditorium. At the end of each period the bells ring and a warning bell rings also five minutes before the close of the period.

The electric clock system is not complete but the Senior Class wishes to install the remaining part of the system at the end of the school year if they are able financially.

Mr. Riddle Visits School

Among the early visitors to our school this year was the State School Inspector, Mr. J. I. Riddle. He spent the entire day with us.

At chapel he gave a delightful talk. His subject was the following quotation: "Make every occasion a great occasion, for you do not know when fate may be taking your measure for a large place." We are glad to state that Mr. Riddle was favorably impressed with the improvement made at our school since his last visit.

C. C. H. S. Glee Club

A Glee Club under the direction of Miss Mary Ellis has been organized. Two meetings have been held. Plans are being made for a program at assembly and for an entertainment to which the public will be invited some time soon. Officers of the club are: Sallye Mahan, president; Eloise Jones, vice-president; Mary Nell Jones, secretary-treasurer; Hilda Hart, reporter; and Helen Moore, librarian. Members are Sallye Mahan, Eloise Jones, Mary Nell Jones, Hilda Hart, Kathleen Moore, Pearl Vinson, Mabel Harris, Jane Pitts, Alice Petty, Mary Petty, Dixie Johnson, and Grace Plyler.

Senior Class Makes Splendid Payment On Electric Clock

The present senior class is to be congratulated. In addition to carrying over a nice cash balance of $34.50 from last year, they have cleared in cash this year after paying $4.87 for awards, $19.38. This project was made possible through a magazine subscription campaign with the Curtis Publishing Company. Leroy Martin led with a total of twenty-four subscriptions out of a grand total of forty-seven secured. Leroy will receive a nice reward or bonus for his services. The campaign was managed by Herman Harris and Earl Ellis. The class thanks the public for their loyal support during this contest for new subscriptions.

Football News

The new bath house for the athletic teams of C. C. H. S. was completed last week. Our boys are proud of it for two reasons: They built it themselves under Coach Walker's supervision, and second they have a splendid place to take a good shower bath after each practice or game. It is in the new gymnasium room. The entire work of tearing down the old bath house, changing the piping, making the concrete, swinging the doors and walling up the sides was all done by Mr. Walker's manual training classes. The team is proud of their new bath house and hope to show their appreciation by the record of games they are to play this season.

So far, they have won one and lost one. They won from Isabella High by a score of 18-0, and lost to Selma High by the score of 13-0. The next game is with Marbury High. We understand Marbury has a good team, but we think ours is better. Be sure and see the game on October 2. It will be played on our local field.

The schedule for the rest of the season is as follows:

Marbury, October 2, here.
Prattville, October 9, here.
Centerville, October 16, here.
Plantersville, October 22, there.
Isabella, October 30, here.
Montevallo, November 6, there.
Holtville, November 13, here.
Ramer, November 20, here.

AN INVENTOR'S HOLIDAY

It sounds like a reactionary suggestion, but perhaps it would be well for inventors to take a holiday for a few years until consumption catches up with the output of the machines they have invented already.

For many years inventive genius has been devoted to the creation of machines to displace manpower. So long as such manpower as was displaced in one industry could find employment in some new field all was well. But lately it has been impossible to absorb the workers displaced by improved machinery and what is known as technological unemployment has been the result.

One thing seems certain—we must ease up on the introduction of labor-saving machines or drastically reduce the standard hours of labor, or both. Otherwise over-production and consequent unemployment may continue to menace the welfare of mankind and even the peace of the world.

On the other hand, the problem might be solved by increased consumption of all commodities, including farm crops, if such could be brought about But the best thought of economists and others has so far failed to find a practical plan for the distribution of surplus products to the millions who are in need of them.

So, we favor suppressing new inventions for a while. This is also impractical, of course, but perhaps as practical as most of the other ideas being advanced for the relief of present conditions.

386 MILES AN HOUR

Setting a new world record for speed, Lieutenant Stainforth of the British Navy a few days ago drove his seaplane 386 miles an hour over a three-kilometer course, beating the previous record by more than 28 miles an hour.

This terrific speed of more than six miles a minute represents the fastest movement of mortal man in the history of the world. When it is remembered that the earth's rotation is only about 15 miles a minute at the equator, it may readily be imagined that some day an airplane will equal that speed. If so, an aviator might fly around the world keeping the sun directly overhead all the while. Or, if he could exceed 15 miles a minute he might leave the sun behind, so that it would apparently set in the east. Then when he caught up with it again the sun would appear to rise in the west.

This may not happen in our day, but who can say that it is not among the possibilities of the future?

MORE WHITE HOUSE SECRETS ARE RUTHLESSLY REVEALED

Several more White House secrets have suddenly been exposed to the withering light of day.

Mr. Hoover refuses to have his picture taken smoking a pipe. He won't have his picture taken in an old sweater he wears playing medicine ball. He thinks that his dog may bite a marine without having stories written about him in the press.

These startling revelations are made by the Washington correspondent of Collier's Weekly, commenting on the fact that "the Presidency is the greatest goldfish bowl in the world."

Every President has got furiously angry at times at the millions of eyes looking at him. One President said, sadly, "I'd like to be able to put on my pants without the whole country looking at me."

Mr. Wilson once privately threatened to thrash the next newspaper correspondent who printed a story about one of his daughters. The stories were harmless and friendly enough. But Mr. Wilson thought his daughters were entitled to the same privacy as anybody else's daughter.

Mr. Coolidge took personal publicity philosophically. He knew that he must pay the price of being President. The world might know of his electric "horse." He would have his picture taken in a cowboy hat. Mr. Harding once indignantly refused to have his picture taken digging an irrigation ditch.

When PAIN Comes

WHAT many people call **indigestion** very often means excess acid in e stomach. The stomach nerves have en over-stimulated, and food sours. e corrective is an alkali, which quickly utralizes acids. And the best alkali own to medical science is Phillips ilk of Magnesia.

ne spoonful of this harmless, tastes alkali neutralizes instantly many es as much harmful acid, and then symptoms disappear at once. You never use crude methods when once learn the efficiency of this. Go get all bottle to try.

et the genuine Phillips Milk of gnesia, the kind physicians have cribed for 50 years in correcting [illegible]. 25c and 50c a bottle—any [illegible]

Jemison Farm News

By J. P. Montgomery

The farmers of Providence community are interested in the evening school being conducted there. The busy cotton picking season has caused the attendance not to be as large as it otherwise might be. However, it has averaged from 18 to 20 men.

The "Live at Home Program" should come first in their farming plans. Some of the men will plant vetch and all of them are interested in terracing. A number of men will set out strawberries in February. The farmers with brood sows are making definite plans to have grazing crops for hogs.

Mrs. Thomas Russell of Chicago, who had hid her husband's false teeth and then set a tempting meal before him, has been fined for cruelty

Scolded by his wife for being noisy, Ronald Claven of Detroit cut off her ear

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HOWARD GARAGE

Verbena, Alabama

Revival Meeting Will Start At Clanton Baptist Church Oct. 11 with Prominent Preacher Coming

The much anticipated revival meeting of the Clanton Baptist Church will start on Sunday, October 11th, according to Dr. S. J. Ezell, pastor.

Dr. John Milford, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Huntsville, Ala., and vice-president of the Southern Baptist Convention will be here to deliver sermons during the revival and assist the local pastor.

Dr. Milford is a man who knows the Bible thoroughly and this is an opportunity rare for the people of this section, to hear this splendid preacher. The meeting will continue for ten days, with services in the morning and evening. A singer for the meeting to direct the singing will be secured and the people of Clanton are looking forward to this. The weather indicates that it will be pleasant and cool. Further announcements will be made later.

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It seems that unemployment might be measurably relieved by putting the unemployed on unemployment commissions.

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Even the recent heat wave failed to make us wish we were with Captain Wilkins on his submarine expedition to the North Pole.

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Pathfinder reports that a Chicago undertaker advertises three funerals for the price of two. Who will be the first to get up a club of three?

Used Cars At Bargain Prices

1—1928 ESSEX Fordor Sedan	$165
1—1928 ESSEX Coupe	$75
1—1928 WHIPPET Light Delivery	$85
1—1927 FORD Touring	$35
1—'26 CHEVROLET Tudor Sedan	$40
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OCTOBER 5, 6 and 7

Joe Cook In

"RAIN OR SHINE"

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Comedy --- All Talking

Jones' Place Offers Prize To Player

Some one of the boys who will enter the game tomorrow afternoon at local gridiron, against the foot ball team of the Marbury school, will receive a round trip ticket to Birmingham and a free pass to the Alabama Theatre.

That is what S. A. Jones says, because he is offering these prizes to the football player who plays the best game of ball during the game tomorrow afternoon, when Chilton High plays Marbury.

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SHELBY COUNTY OFFICIALS RESCIND ACTION ON CO. AGT. WORK

At the September meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Shelby County, the Board voted to discontinue the work of the county agent, welfare worker and the health department, same to become effective October 1st.

At the request of a group of progressive citizens the Commissioners met at a called meeting Tuesday of last week and some 500 citizens of Shelby County met with them. After some two hours discussion, a motion was made petitioning the Commissioners to work out some plan to continue the work. The motion was put to a vote and some 500 voted for the motion and two against it. It was said that one of those who voted against it did not pay any taxes, and, in fact could not vote legally.

A committee was named to meet with the Commissioners and help work out means of continuing the work and after a short committee meeting the commissioners decided to continue the work of County Agent, the Welfare Worker and the Health Department, and to add a Home Demonstration agent.

It seems that the meeting was similar to the one held here last September, when some five or six hundred assembled at the call of the Commissioners Court to discuss the continuance of County Agency work.

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In New York's Central Park youngsters gaze with wonder on a real live cow. And down on Wall Street a bull would be an even greater curiosity.

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A columnist says every time Uncle Sam goes into a diplomatic conference he loses his shirt. That won't happen to Gandhi, but he may lose his loin cloth.

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Joshua McDaniel, Presser

Boy Scout News

At the Court of Honor last Saturday morning the Scouts displayed much interest in passing their various tests. Horace Vinson, Milton Diefenderfer and John McNair were passed to the rank of Second Class Scouts.

Eugene Wilkinson, Thomas Marcus and Shorty Marcus were passed to the rank of First Class Scouts. With very little more work, Wesley Danforth, U. L. Baker, Phillip Nelson and Irby Wood will pass to First Class Scouts. Joe Moore presented a certificate for Bird Study Merit badge. John Ezell presented a certificate for merit badge in First Aid to Animals.

The next Court of Honor meeting will be held at the Baptist Church at 7:00 A. M., October 10th. Boys are expected to progress rapidly in their Scouting now, as each boy has indicated the rank he expects to obtain by Christmas. Boys who fail to obtain the rank indicated will be expected to give the other boys a Christmas feed.

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County Schools To Close On January 15th, Report

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for half term. In a statement issued from the office of Gov. Miller recently the following is quoted:

"Responsibility for the present plight of the public schools in Alabama, many of which face closing within the next 60 days, was placed squarely upon the 21 members of the State Senate by Gov. Miller yesterday, when approximately 150 county and city school superintendents called upon the Governor to ascertain whether there is any relief in sight.

"While promising he would do all that was humanly possible for him to do in the absence of any legislative relief for the schools, Gov. Miller said he could not give the superintendents any assurance as to when State warrants issued to the counties during the last school term, would be paid by the State.

"Without any such assurance, spokesmen for the superintendents explained, most of the counties would be unable to borrow any money on their anticipated income, a step necessary to insure the operation of the schools in the immediate future."

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Third Man Arrested In Coosa Still Raid

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Mims, the third man at the still at the time of the raid.

Fridge has made bond of $1,000 pending hearing of a charge of assault to murder, filed by Percy Pitts, of Clanton, attorney for Calloway. Calloway's condition was reported by physicians at a Clanton hospital to be "unchanged" Thursday. He received a shotgun wound in the lower part of his back when he is alleged to have grappled with Fridge, and physicians regard his condition serious.

Neither Fridge nor Mr. Buthod have made a statement regarding the shooting, pointing out that with two criminal cases involved any statement might have a tendency to create biased opinion. However, Sheriff Gillespie said that Calloway was wounded during a struggle with Fridge for possession of a shotgun the agent was carrying.

Contents of the statement contained from Baker were not revealed pending completion of an investigation being conducted by A. G. McDuffie, special investigator for the prohibition department in Washington.

Reports Tuesday from Dr. V. J. Gragg, at the Central Alabama Hospital in Clanton, stated that Frank Calloway shows improvement. Calloway was shot during the still raid in Coosa County, by a Federal officer, reports state.

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Sunday School Convention At New Salem Soon

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11:10 Quartet.

11:15 Sermon by the pastor at New Salem, Rev. Zac Y. Appleton.

Dinner.

1:15 Devotional, Mr. Johnnie E. Miner.

Quartet.

1:30 Round Table Discussion of the Present Needs and Plans of County Sunday School Work, opened by Rev. B. Lawrence.

Quartet.

2:30 Speech by State Worker.

3:00 Business Meeting, and Organization for County Sunday School Work.

Quartet and Adjournment.

COUNTY SUPTS. APPEAR BEFORE GOV. MILLER

Group Asks That Education Be Included In Call For Special Session

At a meeting of more than one hundred county and city superintendents held in Montgomery September 24, resolutions were adopted urging the governor to include education in his call for an extraordinary session of the Legislature should such a session be convened. The superintendents based their request on the threatened collapse of the public schools of Alabama at the present time. They emphasized the fact that the state is in arrears to its public schools for services rendered last year to an amount of approximately $5,000,000, of which amount $3,250,000 is in the form of unpaid and non-negotiable warrants. The resolutions adopted by the superintendents follow:

To The Governor and the Legislature of Alabama:

We, the county and city superintendents of Alabama, in joint session in Montgomery on the 24th day of September, 1931, respectfully call your attention to the following facts:

First, The State is now in arrears in its payments to its public school system for services rendered during the year 1930-1931 to an extent of approximately $5,000,000, of which amount $3,250,000 is in the form of unpaid and non-negotiable warrants;

Second, This failure of the State to meet its appropriations to the schools has made it impossible for school officials to pay teachers in full for services rendered last year and to meet other financial obligations incurred in the operation of the schools for 1930-1931;

Third, The people of the various counties and cities of Alabama are insisting that they be given definite information relative to financial relief for the schools;

Fourth, Local school authorities now find it impossible to finance their respective school systems, and because of these distressing conditions the public school system of Alabama is threatened with collapse.

Therefore, In view of the foregoing facts we earnestly request and urge that in case an extraordinary session of the Legislature is called the public school system of Alabama shall be included, and legislation to this end shall be enacted.

We pledge to you our undivided loyalty and sincerest efforts to the realization of a program of relief. Such a program to achieve its desired end must see to it that the State is able to meet promptly its assumed obligations to its public schools. Furthermore, the public school system of Alabama cannot be successfully operated on less money than is now contemplated by the laws of the State.

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MRS. BREVARD JONES TO SPEAK AT 5TH DISTRICT CONVENTION

LaFayette, Ala., Sept. 28.—According to an announcement by Mrs. Ira B. Thompson of Luverne, director of the Fifth District of A. F. W. C., Mrs. J. Brevard Jones of Montgomery has accepted the invitation to be the special speaker at the council meeting of group leaders on Thursday afternoon, October 8th, of the district convention.

Mrs. Jones' address will follow the business meeting of counting and district chairmen which begins at three o'clock. It will be on requisites for leadership. The district leaders are looking forward to hearing Mrs. Jones as she is one of the most able women in the state. At present she is chairman of the A. F. W. C. legislation committee.

The Fifth District Convention is to be held in LaFayette October 8th and 9th beginning at three o'clock Thursday afternoon, the 8th and closing at three the next afternoon. Counties represented in the district are Autauga, Bullock, Butler, Chilton, Clay, Coosa, Crenshaw, Elmore, Lee, Lowndes, Macon, Montgomery, Randolph, and Tallapoosa. All affiliated clubs in these counties are expected to send voting delegates for the entire convention, one representative being allowed for each thirty members. Other members of the clubs are invited to attend as guests, especially the session of the second day.

MINNIE SELLERS,
Chairman of Publicity Fifth District Convention, A. F. W. C.

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In Kinston, N. C., William Alston's goat in seven days ate an automobile seat, a hollyhock row, a pair of pajamas, two days' mail, 17 hens' nests, a prayer book and three rows of assorted flowers.

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Four times San Vincent of Newton, Kan., shot himself in the head, but surgeons found the bullets, all flattened, against the bones of his skull.

Maplesville News

The P.-T. A. sacial at the school auditorium was enjoyed by 60 guests.

Mrs. H. M. Nix is organizing a U. D. C. (The United Daughters of the Confederacy) Chapter, October 30. All who are interested in joining this chapter see Mrs. Nix for application blanks by October 5th.

The W. M. S. will have an apron social at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Nix Friday evening.

The P.-T. A. will stage a minstrel about the middle of October under direction of Miss Snider.

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It's rather strange that some who complain about pensions for our own veterans are so willing to pay Europe's war debts.

If some way could be found to tax the racketeers it wouldn't be necessary to levy more than 10 cents a gallon on gasoline.

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Dark blue ladies kid purse, containing a pair of blue ladies kid gloves, some keys, and cosmetics. Believed lost Friday night in Clanton or near Clanton. Finder please return same to News office or to Exchange Hotel, Clanton. 10-1tpd.

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Local Co. Farm Agent Work Under Question

REPORT STATES SOME CITIZENS MAKE REQUEST

Voters Will Show Their Choice In Election November 3

Despite the fact that a county-wide meeting was held not so long ago at the courthouse in Clanton, giving the people of the county an opportunity to voice their approval or disapproval of the work being done by the office of the County Farm Demonstration Agent in Chilton County, and whether the work should be continued, a statement from the Commissioners Court of Chilton County this week, states that they have ordered an election to be held to determine this matter again.

The statement from the Court states that "some citizens and tax payers" have requested the Court to give the voters an opportunity to say whether or not the work now being conducted by the farm agent shall be continued. Following is the statement from the Commissioners Court of Chilton County in regard to this matter:

"The Court of County Commissioners have been requested by some citizens and tax payers of the county to give the voters an opportunity to say wheth-

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OLD THORSBY HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE LAST THURS. P. M.

One of the first homes built in the town of Thorsby was completely destroyed by fire last Thursday afternoon. It was the old Home, and owned at this time by Bob Davenport, who occupied it at the time.

The family was out in the garden nearby when the flames were discovered, and were able to save quite a bit of the furnishings, as well as a quantity of canned goods stored in the cellar. The house, a two-story structure, was a complete loss. The fire occurred in the middle of the afternoon.

ALABAMA HAS 62,381 MILES EXISTING ROADS, IS REPORT

A recent report sent out by the State of Alabama shows Alabama has 1,143 miles of local surfaced roads in 1930; 16,196 miles of existing local surfaced roads, and a total of 62,381 miles existing roads.

TEACHERS OF COUNTY GATHER HERE MONDAY

143 Present As Institute Opens In High School Auditorium

With the exception of two absentees, the entire number of school teachers of Chilton County assembled at the county high school Monday and Tuesday of this week for a regular Teachers Institute. The two who were absent were excused on account of death in their family. There are 145 teachers in the county.

W. L. Spencer, a representative of the State Department of Education, attended the institute Monday and addressed the gathering, having as his subject, "The Value of the School to the Community." Other speeches were made, among them one by County Supt. B. Lawrence, who spoke of the school situation in Chilton County.

Several departmental meetings were held, with Miss Madge Scarborough in charge of the elementary grades and Mr. Spencer in charge of the higher grades. The entire group of teachers voted to enroll one hundred per cent in the Alabama Educational Association.

The teachers of Chilton County are to be commended on their efforts to carry on despite the fact they will not receive any salaries until after January 1, 1932, at which time taxes in the county will be paid, as no funds are in sight from the State Department, with which to pay teachers salaries.

Help From State For War Orphans

It was brought to the attention of the American Legion at the meeting Monday night that a recent enactment of the State Legislature makes a generous offer to orphans of World War soldiers in helping them to secure an education.

The law provides that the State Department of Education may offer scholarships of $150 in value to any boy or girl between 16 and 21 years of age, whost father was killed in the World War or died in the service from any cause.

These scholarships may be used in any State institution of learning. The attention of the public is directed to this provision of our State law, with the hope that any boy or girl who is entitled to this help may be reminded of it and brought to avail himself or herself of this privilege.

Officials of the American Legion or the Legion Auxiliary can furnish full details to anyone interested.

COOSA SCHOOLS TO CONTINUE TEACHERS SAY

Loyal Spirit Of Teachers Will Enable Children To Resume Work

Possibly one of the most impressive gatherings of school teachers and other employees of the county educational system of Coosa County was held last Monday in Rockford, when all school teachers of the county assembled for the Teacher's Institute.

The impressiveness of this gathering was due solely to the wonderful spirit of loyalty shown by the teachers when they announced unanimously that they would continue to teach school in the county this term and wait for their salaries until the State of Alabama met its educational obligations to the county.

The announcement was made several days ago, from an action of the County Board of Education, that the schools of Coosa County would close last Friday due to the lack of funds, unless some other steps were taken to carry on.

Apparently the solution to this problem was left entirely to the teachers and other county educational employees and they alone could solve it. This decision on their part will not only show a great spirit of loyalty and unselfishness, but will mean a great sacrifice on their part as well, as it will be no easy matter for them to carry on without finances as has been accustomed to before, as there will be board bills and other expenses to take care of during the course of the school term.

All schools in the county were scheduled to open and continue work as usual on Tuesday morning of this week according to Supt. J. G. Pinson.

BOY FALLS IN TRAIN AND BREAKS LEG LAST WEEK

Lloyd Robinson of near Jemison met with a peculiar accident last Thursday afternoon, according to information, when he started to leave the coach of the train on which he was riding and slipped in the aisle, breaking one of his legs, just below the knee. He was brought to the Central Alabama Hospital by a Martin ambulance.

TEACHERS INSTITUTE SENDS FLORAL OFFERING TO DANIELS

The Teachers Institute held here Monday and Tuesday, sent a beautiful floral offering to the funeral of the mother of Prof. Elly Daniel and Prof. Harlem Daniel, two of the county's well known instructors. Funeral for Mrs. Daniel was held Tuesday.

CREAM SUPPER AT CONCORD

There will be an ice cream supper at Concord Church two and one half miles north of Billingsley next Saturday night, Oct. 10th. Everybody come and bring your friends with you.

The proceeds from this supper will go for the benefit of Concord Church.

MASS MEETING PROTESTS TAX REDUCTION

Appeal To Tax Commissioner For Power Company Tax At Sixty Per Cent

The Commissioners Court of Chilton County called a mass meeting of tax payers of Chilton county for last Saturday afternoon to discuss the controversy of the reduction of taxes on property of the Alabama Power Company in Chilton County, as well as Coosa County.

The meeting gave figures and data in regard to the property located in Chilton and Coosa counties, belonging to the Alabama Power Company, and resolved that the meeting 'vigorously protest any contemplated reduction of the taxes of the Alabama Power Company and insist and urgently appeal to the Tax Commissioner of Alabama that the properties of the Alabama Power Company in Chilton County and elsewhere be assessed at sixty per cent of its fair and reasonable market value as all other properties in each county is assessed.'

FOUR ARRESTS REPORTED BY SHERIFF'S OFFICE THIS WEEK

Reports from the office of Sheriff W. H. Gillespie, stated they have four arrests during the past several days, up to Tuesday afternoon. Two were for assault and battery and two for violating the prohibition law. Two of the ofenders are out on bond, while the others were confined to the jail in Montgomery, it was stated.

Special Attraction At Wadesonian Here

The Wadesonian Tehatre of Clanton announces with pleasure the presentation of "An Old Fashioned Mother" a dramatic parable of a mother love, in three acts, to be presented by the Calera Dramatic Club tonight on the stage at eight o'clock.

Between acts will be featured the Comer Sisters, with their guitars, also the Williams Brothers. This promises to be something new in entertainment for Clanton. No increase in admission.

HIGH SCHOOL P.-T. A. WILL MEET TUESDAY AT 3 O'CLOCK

The Chilton County High School Parent-Teachers Association will meet at the high school auditorium on next Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock. Mrs. C. E. Stapp will deliver an address on "School Funds In The County." This promises to be a very interesting subject and all members are urged to be present. This is a call meeting, and not a regular meeting of the organization.

MRS. ESTELLE FOSHEE DIED IN BIRMINGHAM INFIRMARY

Mrs. Estelle Webb Foshee, age 27, died last Friday morning at the South Highlands Infirmary, in Birmingham, following a lingering illness. She was the wife of Luther E. Foshee, widely known automobile dealer of this and other counties, and had for a number of years made their home in Clanton, where Mrs. Foshee was a popular member of the young matrons of Clanton.

Her body was brought to Clanton by Martin & Sons of Clanton, where it was prepared for burial. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the Clanton Baptist church with Dr. S. J. Ezell officiating. Interment followed in the Clanton cemetery, with Martin & Sons in charge.

Mrs. Foshee will linger always in the minds of those many friends she made wherever she went, and especially in Clanton. She is survived by her husband, three children, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Webb of Jemison, and one brother. The News extends its heartfelt sympathy to these bereaved families.

REVIVAL MEET FOR BAPTIST CHURCH 11TH

Dr. John Milford of Huntsville To Assist Local Pastor In Work

Clanton is scheduled for one of its most interesting and impressive revival meetings, when the revival at the Clanton Baptist church opens next Sunday, October 11.

Dr. S. J. Ezell, pastor of the church, will be ably assisted by Dr. John Milford, pastor of the First Baptist church at Huntsville, and vice-president of the Southern Baptist Convention. Dr. Milford is well known over the entire state as an able preacher whose sermons are well delivered to his congregations.

Special music throughout the revival will be one of the features. The meeting will continue for ten days, and a cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend each service during these ten days.

PLAN TO FORM BASKET BALL LEAGUE FOR JR. HIGH SCHOOLS

Marion S. Smith of Clanton announced this week plans for the forming of a league among the Junior High Schools of the county and their basketball teams. A meeting will be held in Clanton soon for this purpose.

It is planned to have a tournament among the Junior High school teams of the county at the close of the season and further information and announcements will be made later, Mr. Smith stated.

Legion Auxiliary Has Fine Meeting

The American Legion Auxiliary of Clanton met at the Methodist church last Monday night for a most interesting program. The new state departmental president, Mrs. J. G. Rowell, of Selma and the National Executive Commander Cokesley Jones of Selma were present, as well as other notable visitors from out-of-town.

The next meeting of the local Auxiliary will be held first Monday night in November and an interesting program has been arranged, according to Mrs. Percy Pitts, president of the local unit. Mrs Bibb Graves will be the principal speaker.

CHILTON COUNTY BAPTIST ASSOCIATION MEETS, THORSBY

The Chilton County Baptist Association will meet in Thorsby on next Wednesday and Thursday, October 14 and 15, according to an announcement from the Rev. J. W. Jones of Thorsby.

All churches that are members of this association are expected to have representatives present with proper records, etc.

ROBINSON DEPARTMENT STORE REOPENS WITH LARGE STOCK

The Robinson Department Store, closed since it was visited sometime ago by a fire, announces this week that they will reopen on Friday morning, October 9th, with a large stock of goods. "We bought cheap and we will sell cheap" is the heading of their announcement in this issue, in which they state their goods are modern up-to-date merchandise. Clanton is glad to see this large store reopen its doors for business.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL P.-T. A. TO MEET FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The Parent-Teachers Association of the Clanton Grammar School will meet on Friday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock at the grammar school building, according to Mrs. N. S. Johnson, president. All members are urged to attend this meeting.

Martin & Sons, Funeral Directors, Buy Stock Of Burial Supplies From Mullins & Moore

A business deal which took place on October 1st, will mean much to the people of this section in service for funerals, when J. Mell Martin & Sons, funeral directors of Clanton purchased the burial supply stock of Mullins & Moore here.

Mr. Martin stated that this addition will enable them to better serve the people of this section. Along with the burial supplies Mullins & Moore pass their good will in this line on to Martin & Sons, who are making improvements on their funeral home in Clanton and adding to their equipment to take care of their increasing business in funeral service and ambulance service.

Grand Jury Returns 28 True Bills Last Week

Murderer Is Found After 17 Years

Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 2.—A seventeen-year search for the slayer of B. W. Foshee, Blue Creek, Ala., merchant who was shot to death July 23, 1914, ended today with the arrest of Martin Hollis, negro, at Pell City, Sheriff James F. Hawkins of Jefferson county was advised

A reward of $500 for the arrest and conviction of the slayer was understood by Jefferson county deputies to have been posted at the time of the slaying by Foshee's brother, a retired banker, of Maplesville, Ala.

CLANTON HIGH WILL PLAY PRATTVILLE HERE FRIDAY

Coach Horton Walker stated this week that the football squad of Chilton High will play the team from Prattville on next Friday afternoon at three o'clock on the local field. Everyone who can is urged to see this game.

HEROES OF WAR IN LEGION WANT WINE, BEER VOTE

Montgomery Post Adopts A Resolution Calling State Prohi Referendum

Montgomery, Ala., Oct. 6.—A resolution calling upon the executive committee of Alabama Department, American Legion, to take a referendum of all members and World War veterans in Alabama eligible to membership on the question: "Shall the National Prohibition Act be amended to permit the manufacture and sale of light wines and beer?" was adopted last night by the Montgomery post at its October meeting.

During the stormy debate which preceded adoption of the resolution, it was made known to the post that The Legionnaire, official organ of the Alabama Department of the Legion, would in its issue of October 20 submit the beer question to its readers who represent the entire paid-up membership of the Legion in Alabama. Thomas M. Owen, editor and manager of the Legion organ, said that submission of the questions of modification and immediate payment of adjusted compensation had been determined upon earlier in the day at a conference with Department Commander J. C. Conner and D. Trotter Jones, department adjutant.

Commends Action

The resolution adopted by Montgomery post not only anticipated the

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DR. AND MRS. J. P. HAYES AND DAUGHTER RETURN FROM VISIT

Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Hayes and daughter, Kathryn, returned last Friday night from a motor trip to Washington, D. C. While in the nation's capital they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McGinnis, and of Jack Hayes who has been playing ball with the Washington Senators team. Mrs. McGinnis is remembered by her countless friends in this county as Miss Hattie Jones.

FOSHEE WARNS DRIVERS HAVE AUTO LIGHTS FIXED

Night Officer W. B Foshee states that he is having to get after many drivers of vehicles on account of them not having proper headlights and taillights on their trucks and cars. All vehicles moving on public roads are supposed to have headlights and tail lights burning at night, and Officer Foshee issues warning to automobile owners to that effect.

MAY ORGANIZE AMERICAN LEGION POST IN THORSBY

The Thorsby News section in this issue states that there is a move on foot to organize a Thorsby Post of the American Legion. Those ex-service men interested in this are asked to see Grover Bice, or C. C. Horton, at the Bir-Mont Cafe, in Thorsby.

EXAMINES 50 WITNESSES IN 33 CASES HERE

Report Is Short; Frank J. Callen Selected As Foreman

The Grand Jury for Chilton County, empanelled at Clanton last week, examined fifty witnesses in thirty three cases and returned twenty-eight true bills, according to the report rendered to the Hon. Geo. F. Smoot, presiding judge.

Frank J. Callen, president of the Peoples Savings Bank, was selected to act as foreman of the jury, with the following jurors: Eli I. Moates, I. Mat Mahan, Earl O. Collins, W. C. Devaughan, Tom Miller, Marvin O Carter, Wm. D. O'Neal, J. Frank Dubose, Edgar P. Littlejohn, John S Wright, Willie W. Robinson, Albert R Edwards, J H. Moore, Will I. Nix, Lee Robinson, Oren O. Caffey, Jess W. Cullam

The report as rendered Judge Smoot, is short, as follows:

State of Alabama, Chilton County,
Circuit Court of said County and State,
To Honorable Geo. F. Smoot, as Judge of said Court:

The Grand Jury empaneled for the July term of said Court after receiving

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CHIEF OF POLICE WARNS AGAINST JAY-WALKING HERE

Many people who come to the business district of Clanton have a tendency, or habit, of walking from corner to corner, when crossing streets at an angle. Chief of Police J. R. Hardy has issued a warning to all pedestrians in Clanton to cease this practice, not only as it is a violation of traffic rules, but is dangerous. Persons crossing streets should cross straight from one side to the other and not take an angling route.

SERVICES AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SUNDAY MORNING

Announcement was made this week that preaching services will be held at the Presbyterian church in Clanton next Sunday morning at the eleven o'clock hour. Dr. C. C. Anderson, of Montgomery will deliver the sermon. Sunday school at the regular hour.

STATE DOCTORS MET IN CITY LAST TUESDAY

Chilton County Medical Society Host To Other State Societies

The meeting of the Southeastern Division of the Alabama Medical Societies was held in Clanton Tuesday of this week with a splendid attendance of physicians from many part of the state

This is the first time Clanton has been fortunate enough to have this gathering of well known men Dr G. W. Williamson, of Hartford, junior vice-president of the State Medical Society, presided over the meeting which was held in the auditorium of the courthouse.

The meeting was opened Tuesday morning with prayer by Dr. D. W. Haskew, pastor of the Clanton Methodist church. The welcome address was forcefully delivered by Mayor J Lee Smith, of Clanton, and response was given by Dr. W. W. Harper, well known physician of Selma.

A most interesting program was given, in which some interesting papers were read and discussions carried on. Local doctors attending stated that it was of a high value technically speaking. Dr. J. N. Baker of the State Health Department was among the speakers, with thirty physicians registered.

A delicious chicken barbecue was served at noon, at the grounds of the Masonic Hall in Clanton.

Mt. Pisgah News

Last Sunday afternoon, October 4th, at two o'clock, the singing society met here and was a real success.

The president, Mr. Jake Henley, directed one song, then prayer by Mr. G. W. Edwards. Mr. Henley appointed Mrs. Ollie Hayes and Mrs. Beulah Henley to arrange the program for the afternoon, while he directed a few other songs.

Directors for the afternoon were Mr. Jake Henley, Mr. Tom Wells, Rev. Ollie Hayes, Mr. Cecil Yeargan, Prof. Emmett Wilson, Mr. Roy Downs, Miss Birdie Edwards and Mr. William Wilkins; organists for the afternoon were Miss Birdie Edwards and Mrs. Emmett Wilson. The closing prayer was by Rev. Ollie Hayes.

We invite all singers and lovers of music to come and help us every first Sunday afternoon at two o'clock.

In the summer Prof. Emmett Wilson taught a very successful singing school at this place and the people are enthusiastic for a real singing society. We hope the visiting singers will be like Paul when he received the call to go over into Macedonia and help. That you will answer the call and come over to Mt. Pisgah and help our singing society.

God gave you the talent, voice and ability to sing and I'm sure it is pleasing to him to use our talents wherever needed. Let's everbody come back next first Sunday and sing praises to God.

There never was a time when we needed to thank God and praise him for his wonderful mercies more than now. We are using the 1931 song books for a while yet.

BIRDIE EDWARDS,
Secretary.

COOSA COUNTY WOMAN, HALE AND HEARTY AT 97, BELIEVER IN SMOKING

MRS. NANCY MURCHISON

Mrs. Murchison, R. F. D., No. 1, Rockford, Ala., is nearing 97, smokes strong tobacco in a briar pipe and apparently is in perfect health, according to her grandson, Sergt. Dewey E. Murchison, of the Birmingham Police Department. Mrs. Murchison, who lives in a quiet life on her Coosa County farm, is the mother of 11 children, 84 grandchildren, 150 great grandchildren and six great, great grandchildren. She was born February 13, 1835. The above picture shows her seated in her flower garden, puffing on her pipe.

—Photo, Courtesy Birmingham News.

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Action On Cases Tried Before Smoot In Circuit Court Last Week, Is Given

The following cases were disposed of by Judge Smoot Monday and Tuesday in the non-jury term of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, criminal division:

Walter Kelley, assault with weapon. Nol prossed. Joe Farmer, driving motor vehicle while intoxicated. Forfeiture and continued. Clyde Matthews, violating prohibition law; nol prossed. Will Bohannon, violating prohibition law, trial and judgment guilty; fined $50; sentenced to hard labor for the county, 20 days for fine and 72 days for cost, with 4 months for additional punishment. Bessie Bohannon, violating prohibition law; nol prossed. Dan Jackson, violating prohibition law, plead guilty; fined $50; sentenced to hard labor for county 20 days for fine and 61 days for cost.

Willie Pilgreen, fraudulent check; continued. John Kelley, violating prohibition law; plead guilty; fined $50. Homer Ratliff, disturbing religious worship; continued. Jim Gennings, alias, violating prohibition law; plead guilty; fined $50. Elijah Thomas, violating prohibition law; trial and judgment not guilty. Richard Palmer, reckless driving; nol, prossed. Harry Weissbuck, reckless driving; nol prossed. Namon Oden, petit larceny; plead guilty; fined $5; sentenced to hard labor for county 10 days for fine and 45 days for cost. G. W. Cobern, maintaining Ins. P.; continued. Gordeon Howard, driving automobile while in toxicated; withdrawn. Albert Rucker, violating prohibition law; forfeiture and alias. S. D. McCary, driving motor vehicle without license tag; plead guilty; fined $25; sentenced to hard labor for the county 20 days for fine and 33 days for cost. John Mims, abusive, indecent, and obscene language; continued.

Henry Wilson, violating prohibition law, plead guilty; fined $50; sentenced to hard labor for the county 20 days for fine and 65 days for cost. Miles B. Aranat, violating prohibition law; continued. Gordson Hudson, violating prohibition law; continued. C. E. Faulkner, violating prohibition law; continued. Jack Dickerson, assault and battery; nol prossed. Robert E. Waites, driving motor vehicle while intoxicated, nol prossed. Jim Dykes, assault and battery; nol prossed.

Robert E. Waites, abusive, indecent and obscene language; plead guilty; fined $10. Buster Roebuck, abusive, indecent, and obscene language; continued. Otto Roebuck, abusive, indecent, and obscene language; continued. Garner Smith, assault and battery; nol prossed. Perry Johnson, assault and battery; nol prossed. Barney Littlefield, et al, defaulting bond; forfeiture set aside. Elijah Thomas, et al, defaulting bond; forfeiture set aside. Vernon Clark, violating prohibition law, trial and judgment not guilty. Albert Rucker, violating prohibition law, forfeiture and alias. Arthur Gibson, issuing bad check; continued. Jackson Cleckler, violating prohibition law, plead guilty, fined $50; sentenced to hard labor for the county 20 days for fine and 68 days for cost. James Gennings, alias et al, defaulting bond; forfeiture set aside. Lum Gill, violating prohibition law; continued.

Jack Tyus, violating prohibition law; continued. Willie Pilgreen, et al, defaulting bond; forfeiture made final for $100. Joe Cooper, assault and battery, plead guilty; fined $5. Charley Henry, driving motor vehicle while intoxicated, continued. John Henry, violating prohibition law, continued. Will Giles, violating prohibition law; trial and judgment guilty; fined $15. Aline Hurt, abusive, indecent, and obscene language; nol prossed. Lee Simpson, violating prohibition law, continued. Herman Stone, violating prohibition law; trial and judgment guilty; fined $50; sentenced to hard labor for the county 20 days for fine and 69 days for cost. Quinton W. Branton, violating prohibition law; continued. Clarence Hawkins, assault and battery, nol prossed. Tom Hughes, violating prohibition law, continued. Brack Pearson, violating prohibition law, continued. Jim Caton, violating prohibition law, trial and judgment guilty; fined $50; sentenced to hard labor for county 20 days for fine and 73 days for cost, with 4 months additional punishment.

Retherford Varner, violating prohibition law, continued. James Chisholm, violating prohibition law, continued. Annie M. Chisholm, violating prohibition law, continued. Arnold Dooley, assault and battery, continued. Norman Roberts, assault and battery, nol prossed. Norman Roberts, defacing public property, nol prossed. F. D. Long, reckless driving, continued. Meadie Bohannon, assault and battery, plead guilty, fined $5; sentenced to hard labor fo rthe county 10 days for fine and 36 days for cost. Curtis Giles, violating prohibition law, continued. Ellis Foshee, violating prohibition law; affidavit amended to charge public drunkenness by consent;. plead guilty and fined $20. Flora Thornton, assault and battery; nol prossed. S. D. McCary, violating prohibition law, continued. Jim Varner, violating prohibition law; continued. Tom Boyd, violating prohibition law; plead guilty; fined $50; sentenced to hard labor for the county 20 days for fine and 75 days for cost. Wallace Jackson, assault and battery, continued.

Herbert Lucas, violating prohibition law, transferred to juvenile court. Mack Neighbors, violating prohibition law, trial and judgment guilty; fined $50; sentenced to hard labor for county 20 days for fine and 79 days for cost. Hasteen Lucas, violating prohibition law, trial and judgment guilty; fined $50. Jasper Lucas, violating prohibition law, transferred to juvenile court. J. C. Jones, violating prohibition law, trial and judgment guilty; fined $50. P. D. Williams, violating prohibition law, Nol prossed. Powell Sullivan, violating prohibition law, continued. F. A. Shanks, violating prohibition law; plead guilty; fined $50. Ernest Baker, violating prohibition law; continued. Horace Mims, driving motor vehicle without license tag, continued. Dennis Williams, selling mortgaged property; nol prossed. Lude Williams, reckless driving; nol prossed. James Evans, reckless driving, nol prossed. William King, reckless driving; trial and judgment guilty. Fined $25; sentenced to hard labor for county 20 days for fine and 39 days for cost. Carl Sammons, disturbing religious worship; continued.

John Norred, petit larceny; nol prossed. Grady Taylor, trading W. L.; continued. Grady Taylor, trading W. L.; continued. Lois Winston, violating prohibition law; forfeiture and alias. Willie Vinson, violating prohibition law; trial and judgment guilty; fined $50; sentenced to hard labor for county 20 days for fine and 68 days for cost.

Jim M. McCormick, violating prohibition law; trial and judgment guilty; fined $100; sentenced to hard labor for county 30 days for fine and 92 days for cost. Marcus Bert, violating prohibition law; nol prossed. Robert Zeigler, assault and battery, trial and judgment guilty; fined $10; sentenced to hard labor for county 10 days for fine and 50 days for cost. Wilbur F. White, petit larceny; continued. Thomas Holtzclaw, violating prohibition law; not guilty. Dixie Wilson, fraudulent check; nol prossed. Alcey Payton, violating prohibition law; nol prossed. Buster Roebuck, assault and battery, continued. Richard I. Barry, violating prohibition law; plead guilty; fined $100. Esco Culp, violating prohibition law; plead guilty; fined $50. Buel Hawkins, assault and battery; plead guilty; fined $10.

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Arrested for assaulting a woman lodger, Mrs. Esther Thurmin of St. Paul pleaded that the complainant had smoked the "sacred pipe" of the late Mr. Thurmin.

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Lionel Wolfers of London sued Bessie Joel for the return of an engagement ring valued at $250 on the ground that she deceived him as to her religion.

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Henry Parsons, a jail prisoner in Horfield, Eng., stole the dress of the warden's daughter, donned it and walked out unmolested.

A dog in the gallery of a Baptist church in Chicago began to yelp when the choir started to sing and the music halted until he was ejected.

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News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Mr. Henry Robinson is spending a few days in Thorsby.

Mrs. A. P. Villadsen returned to her home in Lincoln Sunday, after spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Davenport spent the week end in Birmingham with his sister.

Miss Vivian Roebuck of Birmingham is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray.

Mr. Fitzpatrick and daughter, Lillian, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Harper Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Yaw, daughter, Irene, and Miss Connie Hawkins of Birmingham visited Mrs. J. M. Nix and family Sunday.

Mr. Arnold Soberg spent the week end in Thorsby with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Soberg.

Circle No. 1 met at the home of Mrs. Grover Bice Tuesday afternoon. At that time they studied the book, "Stewardship and Missions" led by Miss Mae Wood. The study will be continued next Monday at Circle No. 2 at the home of Mrs. R. W. Scott, led by Mrs. J. W. Jones. All members of both circles are urged to be present.

Miss Esther Johnson of Birmingham spent the week end in Thorsby with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson.

Miss Ruth Turner of Birmingham returned Monday to Birmingham after spending a few days with friends in Thorsby.

The Baptist social will meet at the home of Mrs. G. F. Harper this week. Everyone is cordially invited.

Mr. Sumner Gerald spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mrs. J. H. Goddard, Mrs. Burt Higgins and Mrs. W. H. Wilson attended O. E. S.' Middle District Conference in Clanton Wednesday.

Mrs. John R. Boyd of Preston, Ga., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Goddard.

All ex-service men who would be interested in organizing a Thorsby Post of the American Legion may leave their name either with Mr. Grover Bice at the post office or Mr. C. C. Horton at the Bir-Mont Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson motored to Georgia last week. Mrs. John R. Boyd accompanied them on their home trip.

Mr. Cecil Each spent the week end in Thorsby.

Miss Frances Wilson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson, during the week end.

Mrs. Spurgeon Williams motored to Maplesville Saturday afternoon, and Misses Elsie and Carrie Williams returned with her to spend the week end with Miss Lena Barrett Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moore from Atmore called by Sunday to see Mary Ruth Nix. They are special friends whom she met while in Pensacola.

Mrs. Jack Nix was the guest of Mrs. J. M. Nix Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Raybon made a trip beyond Randolph to see Mr. and Mrs. Ben Raybon Wednesday and on to Wilton, spending the night with a sister, Mrs. Hardy Edmonds and also Mr. and Mrs. S. Raybon, parents of W. H. Raybon.

Mrs. M. A. Barnes left Sunday for her home in Abbeville, Ala., after an extended visit with relatives and friends.

In last week's mention of Mr. Horton's "Cookie Duster," it was not our intention to overlook the one belonging to Rascoe Maddox. We presume that the reason it was overlooked was because it has not passed the embryo stage.

Mrs. R. R. Franklin, Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway, Mrs. C. M. Gray, and Mrs. Jim Mims motored to Montgomery Friday.

Miss Kittie Rogers spent the week end with Miss Edith Foss.

Last Saturday evening, thirty young people enjoyed a very interesting surprise party for Miss Ella Howard at her home. Games and music were enjoyed.

Misses Sallye and Lois Thompson spent the week end in Clanton with their grandmother.

There will be singing the first Sunday of every month at the Thorsby Baptist Church, beginning at two o'clock. Last Sunday the Clanton Male Quartet furnished them with special music. There was a large crowd present and everyone enjoyed themselves immensely.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mims and daughter, Jessie, spent Sunday in Birmingham.

Mr. Ragnar Ekblad, a graduate of Piedmont College, in Georgia, this spring, began teaching at Jemison high school Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Wilson returned from Jacksonville last week to resume their school duties at the Isabella Grammar School.

Mrs. Sims is leaving the last of this week for Longville, La.

The clock at Wright's soda fount stopped at 9:50 Friday night. Mr. Nels Petersen was the holder of the lucky ticket.

There will be regular services at the Thorsby Baptist church next Sunday.

The Chilton County Baptist Association meets at the Thorsby Baptist church October 14 and 15. A basket dinner will be served each day by the community.

Mrs. Herbert Petersen and children of Birmingham spent the week end in Thorsby with relatives.

Rev. K. J. Peel spent Tuesday in Birmingham.

Miss Clyde Jones of Clanton spent the week end in Thorsby with Miss Mary Sue Robinson.

Thorsby Institute News

The Helen Keller Literary Society of Thorsby Institute had its first business meeting this year last Friday afternoon. The following officers were elected: Gerald Smith, President; Oliver Lyon, Vice President; Mildred Jefferies, Secretary. As the registration fee of the school includes Literary Society dues Mr. Butler acts as treasurer of the Literary society, so no treasurer was eelcted.

The first open meeting of the Society will be held at 7:30 Saturday night of this week. An interesting program has been prepared to which the public is invited. Admission is ten cents.

Saturday night the Boarding Department of T. I. had a picnic supper on the lawn of the house where the Sutlives are living. Games followed and everyone had a good time.

J. T. Childress Advises Farmers To Cut Down On Their Fishing & Grow Strawberries

By J. P. Montgomery

J. T. Childress in speaking to a group of evening school farmers at Providence advised them to give up a part of their fishing and spend that time on an acre of strawberries. He said it never gets too wet to pull weeds out of a strawberry patch and that it was more profitable to do that than to go fishing or to town after every rain. He likes geese and uses them but the geese will get only the grass and sometimes they need some help. Geese will not eat weeds. He pulls out the weeds himself. His neighbors who are his friends call him the Ole Gander, however, he does not mind especially as long as he nets $500.00 per acre like he did this year. He had left $1000.00 on his two acres after paying for all picking, crates, fertilizer. He told the farmers that if they are the kind who would be discouraged at a bad strawberry year then, not to start as there are bad strawberry years. Last year, 1930, was a bad year on account of the drought, he only cleared $200.00 per acre.

Mr. Childress has made a fine success of farming. He has his place paid for with a pretty new painted home, and he "runs himself." He not only believes in a Live at Home Program, but practices it. He used strawberries and a little cotton for his cash crops. He is one of the pioneer strawberry growers in this section. He uses his influence in the promotion of better agriculture in his section and has perhaps given away more strawberry plants than any man in this community.

He believes in strawberries but they are for the man who will stay ahead of the grass, won't fish or loaf too much and will stay with the crop thru the lean years as wel las the fat ones.

The four officers of last year's Senior class are Freshmen this year at Piedmont College, Demorest, Georgia. They are Byron Bean, Eunice Williamson, Kathryn Foss and Ralph Roy. John Adams, also a member of last year's Senior class, is a Freshman at Alabam Polytechnic Institute, Auburn.

SINGING AT WALNUT CREEK NEXT SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The Central Singing Society meets at Walnut Creek next Sunday afternoon, beginning at two o'clock. Bring both Stamps and Henson books. We hope to have a supply of the Henson books on hand next Sunday afternoon.

The society met at Chestnut Creek last Sunday afternoon. The secretary was not present on account of having to attend the Sunday school convention at New Salem, but reports from some singers who were there indicate that the singing was rather dry. There seems to have been plenty of listeners but the singers were scattering, according to reports.

There must be some effort put forth to get more life into our singing. The main trouble is new books; and I would suggest that communities get together in groups at night and practice up on the new songs. No class can do good singing without some practice, and the place to practice is in a small crowd where plenty of time can be given to learn each song.

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More Laws, More Contempt

"The growing contempt for law is attributable in large measure to a mistaken zeal for more and ever more law," said Governor Ritchie of Maryland a short time ago.

It is refreshing to hear this thought echoed by a high public official. Too few of them are sufficiently candid—or courageous—to do so. But almost all who have studied the crime problem have come to the same conclusion.

We are a nation of law-breakers largely because we are a nation of law-makers. We have abrogated human liberties—and crime has been increasing on a great scale than in any other supposedly civilized country. We have passed laws which have acted as boomerangs and have in actual practice benefitted the criminal class which they were supposed to suppress—such as the various anti-revolver bills in effect in several states.

We cannot shut our eyes to the fact that America is a lawless nation. In almost every great city authorities are all but powerless against the depredations of a well organized, well financed underworld. Simpler and fewer laws, more justice and less litigation, sure punishment for offenders—in that direction lies victory for society in its war against criminal class.

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Private Initiative Excels

The advocates of government ownership of business are especially busy at the present time.

There are a great many politicians who seem to believe that the path to high office is made easier by advocating that the government take over this business, or go into competition with that. Whether it be a municipal power plant, or a monopolistic state insurance fund, the principle behind the move is the same. And they think that the hard times of the last two years have caused the public to take a changed attitude in regard to government and business.

It is difficult to believe that the people will adopt socialism as a solution to transient economic maladies. The spectacle of debt-ridden Australia, with its high taxes, its serious unemployment situation and its industrial stagnation. should serve to show what socialism, when carried far enough, accomplishes. The American public has seen the principle of private initiative give us the highest wage and living standards in the world—a standard which, for the most part, has been pretty well maintained even during the present trying period. And the chances are they believe that private initiative—given a fair chance—will pull us through again and bring us eventually to new and unscaled heights of progress and prosperity.

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In A Decade

Today, out of every 100 homes in the United States, 70 are purchasing electricity from central station companies for lighting, and for operating various electrical appliances.

Ten years ago but 35 out of each 100 families used electricity.

No other fact, perhaps, can show so completely the achievement of the electric industry in bringing its service within the reach of almost every home. The great bulk of homes which still have no service are located on farms, and electric facilities are being extended into those areas as rapidly as conditions permit. The growth of the great interconnected electric systems, serving dozens or hundreds of separate communities, has made possible the almost universay application of low-priced electric service to daily tasks.

In 1929 the nation's entire domestic electric bill was around $604,000,000—about $5.00 per year per capita. In comparison with this, the average person spent $16.50 for tobacco, $8.50 for candy, $9.50 for reading matter and $182 for food. It is a demonstrable fact that the cost of electric service is an infinitesimal item in the family budget—and at the same time an element of tremendous importance in family life. When we buy electric power we get more for our money than when purchasing almost any other commodity or service.

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Job Insurance

Recently there has been a great deal of talking by people who don't know what they are talking about, in the matter of the industrial depression and the plight of the worker.

Once in a while, however, someone says something sensible. It strikes us that Senator Couzens of Michigan is in that class when he proposes to set up in America a scheme of job insurance which will protect the unemployed in future depression periods, if any.

Senator Couzens would have the Federal government, the state governments, all industrial employers and all workers in industry contribute to a fund which would be used in hard times to pay the workers who were thrown out. He figures that if $1.75 out of every $100 of industry's payroll were thus put into a fund, it would take care of all unemployment.

Something must be done to change our present system. We don't know whether Senator Couzens has the right answer or not. We only feel sure that in some way American ingenuity will find a way to meet the next industrial crisis which will be better than the way in which the present one has been handled.

PAST-PRESENT-FUTURE
IN CHILTON COUNTY

The medical doctors of the Southeastern Division of Medical Societies gathered in Clanton Tuesday for a real meeting. Much credit is no doubt due our local doctors for bringing this group of prominent men from over the state to our town.

Indications show that the meeting was a success in every way, and very valuable from a technical standpoint, as several interesting papers were read, and many instructive discussions took place.

Mayor J. Lee Smith was liberal with the visiting physicians in his welcome address and showed a spirit of real cooperation from the standpoint of the town, officially.

There is no doubt that Clanton could play host to many other gatherings of this kind, if our citizens would make an effort to bring them here. This would be quite a boost for Clanton to the outside world.

Business conditions in Clanton, so far as purchasing at local stores is concerned, is apparently on the upgrade and showing a speedy return that way. A glance into the business houses last Saturday would have made one stare in amazement at the amount of business some of them were doing.

It would be an easy matter to determine this, however, by glancing through this issue of this newspaper and see what places of business were doing the advertising, and inviting business to their doors. Business goes where it is invited, and stays where it is treated well. That is proven by such progressive merchants as M. Lande, Reedie Taylor, Jesse Baker, Hill Grocery Co., the A & P Grocery Store, and others in Clanton.

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In the Rotarian of September, Roy L. Smith has some things to say about the depression that are so full of truth and wisdom, and so nearly my own notions about real wealth, that I am giving my entire column to his words. Such buoyant philisophy is good not only for this hour, but for a whole lifetime, and for every condition. Read what he says and put it in your scrapbook for future reading and frequent meditation. Says he:

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"We have passed through a panic, suffered from a crash on the stock market, and are now more than halfway through the depression and I am still rich.

"It may be true that I have much less to live on than I had a year ago, but it is certainly true that I have just as much as ever to live for. The real values of life are unshaken and solid.

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"The stock crash cost us much that we never had—paper profits which never got nearer our pockets than the financial pages of the daily papers. The market failed, but nothing else did. Prices went down, but not one acre lost its fertility, and all the electrons, protons and ether waves went on working in their accustomed ways.

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"When the depression came I was compelled to take an invoice and soon discovered that I was still rich. All my capacity for the enjoyment of life was intact.

"My two-hundred-thousand-dollar eyes are just as good as they ever were. Every landscape and sunset is mine if I want it. Twenty-thousand-dollars scenes and views are added to my collection almost every week. A hundred-thousand-dollar sense of hearing is still unimpaired and by it I become an heir to a world of beauty and inspiration.

"Then there's my million-dollar stomach and a half-million-dollar appetite. No doctor has sentenced me to spinach for the rest of my life. Better to have plain food and an appetite than to sit down to a banquet with no appetite.

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"The depression has not lowered the value of a single friendship. Neighbors still greet us in the same old cordial way, business associates believe in us, and our sons hold us in high respect. The wife's welcome at the close of the day has not depreciated in the least and our daughters continue to lavish their affection upon us with the same old extravagance.

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"My faith in the goodness of the universe is unimpaired. By that faith I am emboldened as I face defeat and despair. The prayers my mother taught me and the fait hin God instilled in me by a devout father remain as priceless treasures no depression can touch.

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"No nation becomes great by becoming rich. Neither does a man find enduring satisfaction in life by owning something—only by becoming something. The most degrading poverty is that which results from killing the spirit that the body may be served.

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"This depression has cost us some of the things we created, but it has robbed us of none of our power to create. We may have lost some beautiful things, but we have lost no love of the beautiful.

"It is a challenge, not a catastrophe. A generation that has conquered the air and sent giant planes circling the globe, which has plunged into the deeps and disported on the ocean's floor, which has climbed above the clouds and lived in the strathosphere, is now faced with the challenge to rise above its dependence on mere things and seek an emancipation of the spirit of man.

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"The last six months have been for many men a thrilling spiritual adventure through which they have discovered their real wealth. Bereft of dividends and profits, they are discovering the sustaining powers of a strong religious faith, the abiding values of courage, heroism, honor, charity, and trustworthiness.

"A financial crisis can wipe out profits and bring business to a standstill, but character is beyond its reach. It can rob us of all we have, but it cannot affect what we are.

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"The investments we made in ambitious youth, hospitals, crippled-children's camps, colleges, and service institutions go on paying dividends. The deepest satisfactions of life—those which come from sharing and serving—remain secure.

"I am still rich because I am independently rich—none of my wealth depends upon business conditions or market reports."

Legion Endorses County Agent Work At Regular Meeting Held In Clanton Monday

At the regular monthly meeting of Chilton County Post of the American Legion, held at the courthouse Monday night, the matter of continuing the work of the County Agent in Chilton County was a very interesting subject to the Legionnaires.

When the question of the election on the County Agent to be held November 3 was explained, and a number of other talks made concerning the work of the County Agent in our county, the meeting unanimously adopted a resolution declaring in favor of continuing the services of the County Agent, and requesting the Court of County Commissioners to continue to appropriate the money necessary out of the county funds to carry on the work.

The resolution not only endorsed the work and requested the Commissioners to continue it, but made an appeal to every man and woman in the county to get busy and bring the importance of the matter to the attention of the people and seek to get every citizen of the county to vote in favor of the work on November 3.

Following is a copy of the resolution which was adopted:

"In view of the fact that an election has been called in Chilton County for November 3 to determine whether or not the majority of the voters of Chilton County want the work of the County Agent to be continued, we, the members of Chilton County Post No. 6 of the American Legion, in regular session, hereby go on record as favoring the continuation of the County Agent work, and appeal to our citizenship to vote for the continuation of the work at the election on November 3.

"We believe the farmers of our county have been greatly benefitted by the work of our county agent, and further, that they have great need for the help that can and will be available to them through the continuation of the work to furnish the farmers with the advantages of having a county agent; and, that it would be a serious mistake to cut off this source of help from our farmers at this time."

Chilton Co. Teachers Ass'n. Unanimously Endorse Co. Agent Stapp's Continuation in Office

The teachers of the schools of Chilton County, assembled at the county high school in Clanton last Monday and Tuesday at the regular Teachers' Institute of the County, drew up and endorsed the following resolution on the work of the County Farm Demonstration Agent work in this county. This action was taken due to the coming election to determine whether the voters of the county wish to retain the Farm Agent in this county:

Whereas, the voters of Chilton County are to say on November 3, whether the work of the county agent will be continued or not.

The present County Farm Demonstration Agent, C. E. Stapp, having performed untiringly every duty and obligation that has fallen upon him, we, the teachers of Chilton County in institute assembled, this the 6th day of October, 1931, having faith and confidence in the further continuation in C. E. Stapp's work in an educational way to the schools of Chilton County, hereby,

Be it resolved, that we, the teachers of Chilton County, appeal to the citizenship of the county for their continued cooperation in building up and sustaining the agricultural assets of our great county.

Be it further resolved, that the qualified voters go to the polls on November 3, and approve of the continuation of the County Agent's most valuable service.

Respectfully submitted,
—Chilton County Teachers Association.
Adopted October 6, 1931.

Teachers Of County Pass Resolutions Asking Miller To Call Special Session of Legislature for Purpose of Bringing Relief To Schools of State

The teachers of Chilton County, assembled at the county high school in Clanton Monday and Tuesday of this week at the regular Teachers' Institute of the county, unanimously adopted the following resolution in regard to the needed aid of the schools of the state:

Whereas, the financial situation confronting our county and state with special reference to the schools is such as to arouse keenest concern of all good citizens, and,

Whereas, the officials charged with the administration of our laws, and especially the administration of the schools of this county and state are laboring against insurmountable obstacles, and,

Whereas, it is known to the teachers of this county that funds for payment of salaries may be delayed as consequence of the general depleted condition of the State Treasury and slow movement of taxes, and,

Whereas, the ills enumerated are beyond the power of the County Board of Education of this county to remedy,

Therefore, be it resolved, that we, the teachers of Chilton County in institute assembled, this the 6th day of October, 1931, having confidence in the State of Alabama to ultimately meets its obligations and in the County Board of Education to protect the interest of the teachers of the county to the fullest extent of its limitations, hereby pledge our highest allegiance to the County Board of Education in this trying hour, and our continued loyalty to and confidence in the State of Alabama, and further that we will cooperate to the fullest extent with the County Board of Education in carrying on the schools of our county this school year just as far as it is possible to do so.

Be it further resolved, that in view of the fact that the teachers of the elementary and secondary schools seem to have been made the burden bearers of the deficiencies of the other departments of the State government to the extent that four or five million dollars of constitutional funds have been diverted to other uses, we as citizens and servants of the state respectfully demand that these funds prescribed by the Constitution to be placed at the earliest possible date from income of the State and that continued diversion of these funds be stopped immediately and that further diversions of these funds be made by legal enactment, a felony.

Be it further resolved, that we respectfully call attention to the pre-election pledges of both branches of the State government of Alabama, promising that the schools would be amply taken care of. We rightfully demand the fulfillment of those pledges and promises.

We insist that the great state of Alabama, with all of its marvelous resources, is fully able to meet all the financial demands that the public schools make upon it.

Be it further resolved, that His Excellency, B. M. Miller, Governor of Alabama, is hereby urged to call the Legislature into special session immediately for the specific purpose of saving the schools of the State.

Be it further resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the county papers, and to the Governor of Alabama.

Respectfully submitted,
—Chilton County Teachers Association.

Farming Program Gets Endorsement

Montgomery, Ala., Oct. 9—Alabama's "farming for profit" program calling for a 50 per cent cut in cotton acreage for the next two years, the pooling of all cotton on hand with the Alabama Farm Bureau Cotton Association, the growing of ample supplies of food and feed, and the building of a stronger farmers' organization, has met with enthusiastic approval at recent meetings held here and in Birmingham of county agents and farm bureau officials of the 67 counties.

It is expected that county-wide and community meetings will be held in the counties between now and planting time next spring in order to fully acquaint farmers with the economic situation and emphasize the necessity of the cotton acreage cut, the growing of food and feed, and other points in the program.

Bankers, merchants, and others interested in agriculture are expected to give cooperation in the Alabama program and will attend the county meetings. Leading farmers, through their county Farm Bureaus, county farm and home demonstration agents, and teachers of vocational agriculture, will unite in sponsoring the program.

The county farm bureau workers agreed to begin immediately active promotion of the plank in the program calling for cotton pooling. In this way it was pointed out farmers may receive a substantial cash advance to use in meeting their obligations and at the same time retain an interest in their

A Fool Thinketh

Being thoughts of one who has been confined at home for awhile and who has been reading the papers:

The tax assessment of the Alabama Power Company on its property in this county this year was two million less than in 1930. Their tax rate was also reduced from the legal rate of 60, down to a special rate of 45. The farmer and all the rest of the real voting people of the county were held, over all protest, to the 1930 assessment and the 60 rate. It would certainly be interesting reading if that wonderful Tax Commission we have in Montgomery would give us a satisfactory explanation of this rank favoritism to the Power Company.

Oh, for the day to come when the voters of Alabama will awake, like they recently did in Georgia, and wipe absolutely clean the political slate and commence over. We need more wool hats and jeans "britches" in office and need them awful bad.

County attorney Bailes of Jefferson County says it is not a violation of law for a person to offer to sell the office of Probate Judge for a price. According to that ruling you would not be liable to the law if you offered for sale a quart of booze. Both offenses are direct violations of both the Federal and State printed laws. So it seems we have a private code for special protective possibilities when the "higher ups" get in a tight.

A judge the other day promptly adjourned a Grand Jury just as they were preparing to investigate a bribery charge that pointed "high up" in its possibilities.

Mr. John Hays is having a neat home constructed on Candler Boulevard. All such enterprises help the unemployed element that much. If more people would follow the example of Mr. Hays times would improve.

Have Feagin and Miller forgotten the lashing they gave the recent Senate about trying to meddle with their business? Said the Senate was a legislative branch of the government and their duty was to **make** laws, and that their job was to enforce these laws, and neither had the right to dictate to the other. Now, he (or they) positively refuse to call an extra session unless they will pledge themselves to pass only the laws he (or they) propose. Oh for an Oklahoma referendum!

That "Buy Cotton" movement, if widely adopted and put into actual practice, will do world's of good in this "overproduction" situation.

Better consider well and very seriously the plan of no cotton for next year. There is more than one side to that question.

The trouble with cotton is not overproduction, but lack of purchasing ability. Millions of people in our own country are practically without sufficient clothing for August weather to say nothing of December. No jobs and no money tells the tale.

When the Senatorial Investigating Committee comes to Alabama the political racketeers will have to hustle or the pot will boil over and spill their soup.

What are we going to do with this "absentee ballot" situation? It seems from recent investigations that almost as many of our voters are "absent" as are present at election time.

cotton in order that they will be in position to take advantage of any improvement in price which might come about as a result of an acreage cut or a brighter world outlook.

its are now in operation in the United States serving about 24 per cent of the rural population. This plan of health service was started 19 years ago, or on July 1, 1911, when the first full-time health unit was established in the State of Washington. The 600 units are only one-fifth of the number of counties to which the service is applicable.

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EAT MORE BREAD

Dr. Christmas Seal announces that he and his folks are going to eat more bread. We like it anyway so the change will be no hardship. Our conversion is not wholly due to the fact that one more bushel of wheat per capita per annum consumed by each citizen of the United States will go so far in reducing our wheat surplus. Nor is it because of a fear that if wheat farmers are discouraged too much this country may soon find itself facing a shortage instead of a surplus. It is because bread is still the staff of life. White bread, brown bread, take it as you will for there is little difference. If white bread lacks some few vitamins that are found in the whole wheat loaf, you easily make up for them in the milk you drink and the vegetables and fruit you eat. Our health project of this winter is "eat more bread" and we are going to give it a good trial and turn it into a "health habit."

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Apparently conscience - striken because he had "used up" a county shovel while digging a ditch in Warsaw, Ind., 43 years ago, "John Doe" of Los Angeles sent $1 to the sheriff of Kosciusko County.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF FILING OF BILL OF COMPLAINT BY THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

Complainant vs. One Essex Coupe, 1931 Model, Respondent.

State of Alabama, Complainant, vs. One Essex Coupe, 1931 Model, Respondent.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama.—In Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against one Essex Coupe, 1931 Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 18th day of September, 1931, one Richard I. Barry did transport in One Essex Coupe, 1931 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama to another, and that said automobile was on that day seized by the Sheriff of said county and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Alabama, and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the th day of October, 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 25th day of September, 1931.

GEO. F. SMOOT,
Judge of the 19th Judicial Circuit.
10-1-3tcS

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BY ADMINISTRATOR

The State of Alabama, Chilton County, Probate Court.

Estate of A. C. Smith, Deceased.

Letters of administration on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 19 day of September, 1931 by the Hon. L. H. Reynolds, Judge of the Probate Court of Chilton County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

RAYMOND C. SMITH.
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NOTICE OF FILING OF BILL OF COMPLAINT

By the State of Alabama, Complainant, vs. One Ford Coupe, 1930 Model, Respondent.

State of Alabama, Complainant, vs. One Ford Coupe, 1930 Model, Respondent.

In The Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, In Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against One Ford Coupe, 1930 Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 26th day of September, 1931, one Dr. F. J. Lee did transport in One Ford Coupe, 1930 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama to another, and that said automobile was on said day seized by the Sheriff of said County and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Alabama, and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 1st day of November, 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 1st day of October, 1931.

GEO. F. SMOOT,
Judge of the 19th Judicial Circuit.
10-8-3tcS

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County. Circuit Court in Equity. No. 944.

Mattie Williams, Complainant, vs. L. B. Williams, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of J. B. Atkinson that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is over the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said L. B. Williams to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 30, day of October, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 26th day of September, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-1-4tcS Register.

NOTICE OF DAY SET FOR HEARING PROBATE OF WILL

The State of Alabama, Chilton County. Probate Court.

To Mrs. George Kimball, Lieth, North Dakota.

You will please take notice, that on the 23rd day of September, 1931, a certain paper in writing purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of E. F. Mead, deceased was filed in my office for Probate, by Clyde Mead and the 14th day of October, 1931, was appointed a day for the hearing thereof, at which time you can appear and contest the same if you see proper.

Given under my hand this 23rd day of September, 1931.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
9-24-3tcG Judge of Probate.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BY ADMINISTRATOR OR EXECUTOR

Estate of S. A. Curry, Sr., Deceased. Probate Court.

Letters of administration on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 14th day of April, 1931, by the Hon. L. H. Reynolds, Judge of the Probate Court of Chilton County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

B. B. CURRY,
10-8-3tc Administrator.

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After making arrangements for his burial and paying the sexton for digging his grave, Fred Peppin of Northfield, Vt., went to the back of an undertaking parlor and shot himself.

An Iowa judge recently fined a woman for violating traffic laws and only when she looked up at him did he discover that she was his wife.

After robbing Gino Bonaficio in his grocery and meat market, in Monroe, Mich., bandits locked him in the refrigerator.

The watch he lost while deep sea fishing Leonard Smith of Cucamonga, Calif., found inside a large bass in his catch.

Prop. No. 2.

State of Alabama

A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the second Tuesday in November after the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, as provided by Section 287 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Act proposing the amendment was not submitted for the aproval of the Governor but was valid upon its adoption by the Legislature without his approval, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 10th day of November, 1931, is the second Tuesday in November, such day being more than three months after the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday, the 10th day of November, 1931, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:—

> "ARTICLE XXI. Section 219 of the present Constitution is hereby annulled and set aside and hereafter the Legislature of Alabama may provide for the assessment, levy and collection of a tax upon inheritances and for the levying of estate taxes not to exceed in the aggregate the amounts which may by any law of the United States be allowed to be credited against or deducted from any similar tax upon inheritances or taxes on estates assessed or levied by the United States on the same subject. The Legislature shall have the power to levy such inheritance or estate taxes in the State of Alabama only so long as and during the time an inheritance or estate tax is enforced by the United States against Alabama inheritances or estates, and shall only be exercised or enforced to the extent of absorbing the amount of any deduction or credit which may be permitted by the laws of the United States now existing or hereafter enacted to be claimed by reason thereof as deduction or credit against such similar tax of the United States applicable to Alabama inheritances or estates."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight successive weeks prior to the 10th day of November, 1931, in each county of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the great seal of the State to be affixed at the Captol, in the City of Montgomery, on this the 3rd day of September, 1931.

B. M. Miller,
Governor.

Attest:
P. B. Jarman, Jr.
Secretary of State.

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Tax Notice

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WE WILL ATTEND AT THE FOLLOWING TIMES AND PLACES FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING THE STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR CHILTON COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1931 AND ASSESSING TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1932:

Mullins Academy, Beat 1	Oct. 5	Thorsby, Beat 9	Oct. 19
Jemison, Beat 2	Oct. 6	Coopers, Beat 10	Oct. 20
Mars Hill, Beat 2	Oct. 7	Cane Creek, Beat 11	Oct. 21
Benson, Beat 3	Oct. 8	Mineral Springs, Beat 12	Oct. 22
Verbena, Beat 5	Oct. 9	Robinson's Store, Beat 12	Oct. 23
Mountain Creek, Beat 5	Oct. 10	Providence, Beat 13	Oct. 26
Enterprise, Beat 6	Oct. 12	Macedonia, Beat 14	Oct. 27
Kincheon, Beat 6	Oct. 13	Pletcher, Beat 15	Oct. 28
Maplesville, Beat 7	Oct. 14	Culp Schoolhouse, Beat 15	Oct. 29
Shoults, Beat 7	Oct. 15	Providence, Beat 16	Oct. 30
Stanton, Beat 8	Oct. 16	Clanton, Beat 4	Oct. 31
Riderville, Beat 8	Oct. 17		

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct to attend in Person on the day of the appointment in your Precinct and then and there render to the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the 1st day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31st, 1931.

W. G. CULP, Tax Collector.
AKINS I. COLLINS, Tax Assessor.

Concord - Billingsley

A large crowd met at the singing Sunday afternoon, we were indeed glad to have the visiting singers from the various places with us, we had several directors and two quartets were arranged by the class. We extend to all a special invitation to come and be in our singings on every 1st Sunday afternoon.

We have entered upon the last quarter of the year in our Sunday School and C.E. We hope to make this the best of the whole year.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cowart and little daughter spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Buzbee and family of Clanton route three were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams and family Sunday.

Mr. Hudson Williams spent the past week end at the home of his sister Mrs. C. H. Herrod of Haynes Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Seymore of Billingsley was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Little and family Sun.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams and family visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

Mrs. Emma Williams and daughter, Eula Bell spent Sunday with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Clyde Little.

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Prop. No. 1.

State of Alabama

A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the Second Tuesday after the expiration of three months from and after the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, as provided by Section 287 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Act proposing the amendment was not submitted for the approval of the Governor but was valid upon its adoption by the Legislature without his approval, and

WHEREAS, the Legislat ure adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 3rd day of November, 1931, is the second Tuesday after the expiration of three months from and after the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 3rd day of November, 1931, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:—

> "ARTICLE XX-B. Section 1. The State is authorized to engage in the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways and bridges in the State of Alabama. To this end and for these purposes, the State is authorizzed to appropriate funds and for constructional purposes only the State is authorized also to issue and sell interest-bearing negotiable State bonds in addition to those already authorized and sold under Article XX and XX-A, as amendments to the Constitution of 1901, in an amount not to exceed the sum of twenty-five million dollars ($25,000,000.00), to be issued under such denominations, numbers and series, maturing at such times as may be provided by law, and all such bonds shall bear a rate of interest not greater than six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and shall be sold at a price not less than par value thereof.
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> Section 2. The State Highway Commission or Highway Department shall locate, construct and maintain highways, bridges and State trunk roads so as to connect each county seat with the county seat of the adjoining county by the most direct or most feasible route by a permanent road, having due regard for the public welfare, and shall connect the county seats of the several border counties at or near the state line with a public highway in the border states. Provided, that in counties which are divided into two or more judicial divisions in each of which regular terms of the circuit court are held, the places where said terms of court are held, shall likewise be connected with each other.
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> Section 3. The proceeds of said bonds shall be used for constructing and/or surfacing of roads and constructing and/or repairing bridges, but not for maintenance or discharging of contract debts, liability or obligations existing prior to the adoption of this amendment.
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> Section 4. Eighteen million four hundred twenty-five thousand dollars ($18,425,000.00) of the proceeds of said bonds shall be set aside by the Governor and apportioned in amounts of Two Hundred seventy-five thousand dollars ($275,000.00) to each of the respective counties of the State which must be expended by the State Highway Commission or Highway Department in each of said counties for construction, which shall include hard surfacing, of existing and also new public roads and bridges therein. The remaining proceeds of said bonds shall be used for the construction, which shall include surfacing, of existing, or new highways and constructing or repairing bridges in the State.
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> Section 5. The proceeds of such bonds shall be kept separate and apart from all other funds and no part of the same shall ever be used in honoring a warrant not legally drawn against such proceeds.
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> Section 6. There is hereby levied and every distributor, retail dealer or storer shall pay an excise tax of one cent per gallon upon the selling, distributing or withdrawing from storage for any use gasoline, provided, however, that the excise tax is not levied upon the sale of gasoline in interstate commerce, and provided further that where this excise tax shall have been paid by a distributor or by a retail dealer or storer such payment shall be sufficient, the intention being that this tax shall not be paid but once. The terms 'distributor', 'retail dealer', 'storer', 'selling', 'distributing', 'withdrawing' and 'gasoline' are used as the same are used in existing gasoline excise tax laws of the State and shall be so construed, and all rights, duties, liabilities, penalties, powers and methods pertaining to the collection of gasoline excise taxes under such existing laws of the State shall apply to the collection, payment and accounting for the within excise tax, provided, the Legislature may limit, extend or further define the same. The excise tax of one cent herein levied shall be in addition to the excise gasoline taxes provided by existing laws of the State, but this section shall not be construed in any way as limiting the power of the Legislature to increase or decrease this or any other gasoline tax.
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> Section 7. The one cent excise tax hereinbefore levied shall be used first to create a sinking fund for the prompt and faithful payment of the principal and the interest on the bonds herein authorized, and, second, by the State for the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways and bridges of this State.
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> Section 8. The bonds herein authorized when issued shall be a direct obligation of the State, and for the prompt and faithful payment of the principal and interest thereon the full faith and credit of the State is hereby irrevocably pledged and such bonds shall be exempt forever from taxes of every kind.
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> Section 9. The bonds herein authorized shall be issued and sold in the same manner by a Bond Commission as set forth, defined and prescribed in Article 5 of Chapter 32, Code of Alabama, 1923.
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> Section 10. That House Bill No. 1204 by Mr. Tunstall, if and when passed by both houses of the Legislature of Alabama of 1931 and approved by the Governor and being, "A bill to be entitled an act to impose, for the use and purpose of surviving, preserving, maintaining, constructing and regulating the use of public roads and bridges in the State of Alabama, an excise tax on all persons, companies, agencies, corporations, and associations who sell, distribute, store or draw from storage for any purpose whatsoever, gasoline or any other liquid motor fuels or devices or any substitute therefor within the State of Alabama; providing for the collection of such excise tax and the payment of same into the State Treasury; providing for the enforcement of this act and fixing a penalty for the violation of the provisions hereof; providing that the said excise tax so imposed shall be in addition to all other excise tax now imposed by law; and, providing that freight agents or railroads and all agents of all transportation companies operating within the State of Alabama and who transport motor fuels shall report to the State Tax Commission all shipments of gasoline or any substitute therefor, received at any of their stations within the State", be and the same is hereby ratified, confirmed and validated and made constitutional as a law, and such ratification, confirmation, validation and constitutionally as a law, shall, according to the terms thereof when finally passed, in the manner aforesaid, take effect and be effective on the day of the passage of said bill by both houses of the Legislature of Alabama of 1931, and approved by the Governor, as fully as if said bill was set out in words and figures herein."

I further direct and proclaim that notices of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight consecutive weeks prior to the 3rd day of November, 1931, in each county of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the great seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the city of Montgomery, on this the 3rd day of September, 1931.

B. M. Miller,
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Attest:
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Secretary of State.

My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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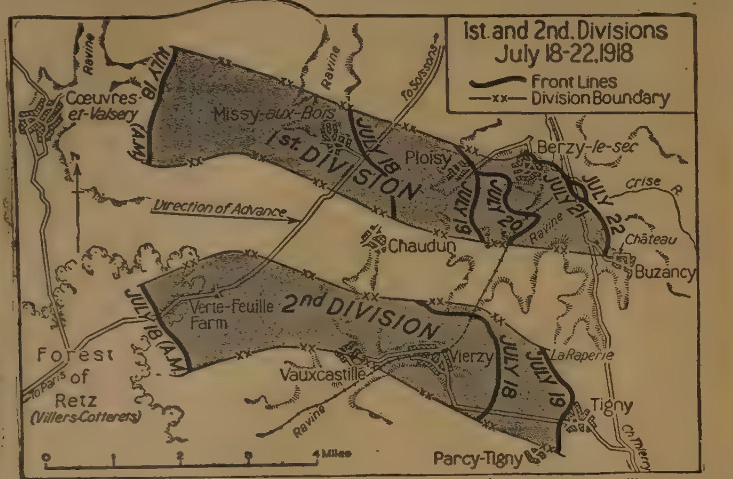
CHAPTER LII

I attended a conference of commanders in chief at General Foch's headquarters Wednesday, July 24, 1918, to discuss plans for offensive operations.

Present were Generals Foch, Petain, Weygand and Buat; Field Marshal Haig and General Lawrence, and General Conner, chief of operations, Boyd and Hughes and myself.



There was pronounced good feeling and confidence. General Foch gave a resume of the general situation. He proposed no definite plan, but submitted his remarks as the basis of discussion.

The main point was that the fifth German offensive of the year had been checked and the allied counteroffensive, beginning July 18, had transformed it into defeat. It was the general opinion that every advantage should be taken of this fact and that the allies should continue their attacks with as much vigor as possible.

On Par With Enemy.

General Foch said with satisfaction that we had now reached an equality in numbers of combatants and an actual superiority in reserves. As the enemy would soon be required to relieve a considerable number of tired divisions from the active front, the allies would rapidly gain further superiority through the constantly increasing number of Americans.

All information went to show that the enemy had two armies, so to speak, Foch continued, one an exhausted holding army and the other a shock army, already weakened maneuvering behind this frail front. Unquestionably we had material advantage in aviation and tanks, and to a smaller degree in artillery, and this would be augmented by the arrival and armament of American artillery personnel.

As to the reserve strength behind the allies, it would soon be powerful indeed if the rate of 250,000 per month at which the Americans were pouring in could be maintained. One could sense an approaching crisis on the enemy's side possibly not so very remote, because of the difficulty he was having in keeping up the effective strength of his units.

Allies Now Hold Initiative.

Beyond these advantages of material force in our favor there was also the moral ascendancy we had gained by our recent victories and his failures. Foch felt as we all did, that the allies now held the initiative and that from this time on they should abandon the defensive attitude that had been so long imposed upon them and continue the offensive without cessation.

He then pointed out the following offensives which it was evident would be indispensable to later operations:

> The release of the railroad Paris-Avricourt in the Marne region by the French; the Paris-Amiens railroad by a concerted action of the British and French; the Paris-Avricourt railroad in the region of Commercy by the reduction of the St. Mihiel salient by the American army, which, by reducing the front, would bring us within reach of the Briey region and permit action on a larger scale between the Meuse and Moselle.

Further offensives were foreseen, having in view the release of the mining sections to the north by definitely driving the enemy from the region of Dunkirk and Calais.

No Idea of Ending War in 1918.

No one suggested that the plans of the moment or those to follow might be carried so far as to terminate the war in 1918. Concerning the part each should play Foch asked expressions of opinion of the respective commanders in chief as to how these or any other operations we might propose should be conducted.

Marshal Haig gave his views and plans, which agreed with the general outline suggested, as did General Petain, who wanted further to consider the possibilities. As far as these preliminary operations applied to the Americans, they were simply a restatement of the plans we had been leading up to ever since our entry into the war. I, therefore, advised that details of organization and supply were receiving every consideration in the preparation of the American army to do its part.

While at General Foch's headquarters I arranged with General Petain for the expansion of the First corps, then operating in the Marne sector, by which four American divisions were to be placed in the line with two in reserve. It was my hope that this would be the basis for the preliminary formation of an American army on this front. En route to Chaumont I stopped to call on Liggett and apprise him of the possibility of additional American divisions for his corps.

Expedition to Russia.

The supreme war council was prone to listen to suggestions for the use of allied troops at various places other than the western front. One of these, on which the British seemed to be especially insistent, was to send troops to help the so-called white army in Russia, to keep open the communications through Murmansk in the Archangel.

I was opposed to any such idea, as it would simply mean scattering our resources, all of which were needed on the western front. But President Wilson was prevailed upon to help and I was directed to send a regiment provided General Foch had no objections. As apparently he had already considered the question, he gave his approval and a regiment was accordingly sent. The Three Hundred Thirty-ninth infantry, Lieut. Col. George E. Stewart commanding, together with one battalion of engineer and one field hospital, were designated for this service.

First Field Army.

In view of the prospect for the early assembly of corps and divisions to form our army, it became urgent that the organization be hastened with all possible speed. The outlines had been determined and members of the First army staff were at work on the details.

My formal order creating the First field army was issued July 24, to take effect August 10, with headquarters at La Ferte-sous-Jouarre.

Immediate consideration was given the improvement of the general supply system. Although the recent reorganization had helped, it had been my purpose for some time to make changes in personnel in the S. O. S., particularly in the position of chief, which demanded great administrative ability. After much thought the choice fell to General Harbord. His knowledge of organization, his personality, his energy and his loyalty made him the outstanding choice. Reluctance to lose his services in command of troops, where he had shown himself a brilliant leader, caused me to delay until his division could be relieved from the active front.

CHAPTER LIII

Early in August, 1918, I made an inspection tour of the service of supply, to note the progress and acquaint myself, the chief of staff and General Harbord, by actual observations, with conditions.

The tour was made also with a view to such changes in personnel and improvements in methods as would insure complete fulfillment of the increased obligations imposed upon the service of supply by the tremendous task of receiving, storing and transporting the enlarged troop and supply shipments.

Our first stop was Tours, which, being the location of the headquarters of the S. O. S., with a huge American military garrison of 2,400 officers and 4,360 men, had become a beehive of activity.

We visited every activity at Tours, beginning with the central records office, a branch of the adjutant general's office of large proportions, where the personal records of every man in the A. E. F. were kept. We found that the railway operators, numbering thousands, comfortably situated in portable barracks at Camp de Grasse, were putting every energy into the service. Certain engineer troops were kept at this central point for railway work, ready to respond to calls from any direction. The well-managed camp of German prisoners, under Colonel Groome of the military police, contained several hundred men used as laborers.

A number of British women, known as the Women's Auxiliary Aid corps, were lent to us by their government to assist in clerical work. The 250 women located at Tours occupied neat and comfortable temporary barracks and presented a very military appearance on parade. Some fifty of them were ill in quarters at the time and I gave instructions that they should be transferred to our hospital. Besides officially, these fine women, under the proper restrictions that prevailed, became a valued addition to the social side of life where they were stationed. This force with us eventually numbered about 5,000.

Speaks to Men in Hospital.

The base hospital at Tours was then filled with men wounded in the recent engagements. They were receiving the best of care under Col. A. M. Smith and his efficient group of medical officers and nurses.

Passing through the various wards of this hospital I spoke to a fine-looking young soldier who was sitting up in bed, and asked him where he was wounded, meaning to inquire the nature of his wound. In reply he said: "Do you remember, sir, just where the road skirts a small grove and turns to the left across a wheatfield and then leads up over the brow of the hill? Well, right there, sir."

He was clearly describing the advance south of Soissons which pierced the Chateau Thierry salient. Of course, I was not there at the time, but it touched me that he should feel that I must have been very close to him.

At the base hospital in Bordeaux, then under the efficient supervision of Col. H. A. Shaw, chief surgeon of the base section, we found about 500 of our wounded, most of them soon to be sent home. No matter how severely wounded they were I never heard a word of complaint from any of our men. There could not have been found in the hospitals of any army a more cheerful lot. It was a lesson in fortitude, an inspiration, to see their fine courage. Some would never again see, others would never be able to walk again, but they all seemed proud of their sacrifice, which many of their countrymen are often prone to forget all too soon.

We arrived at Brest August 2 and found the commanding general, G. H. Harries, and staff at the station to meet us. Base section No. 5 was built around Brest, our leading port of debarkation. The section included four French territorial departments. Another landing port for troops was Cherbourg. A large locomotive terminal and repair shop were located at Rennes and a coal port at Granville.

Major O'Neil's Secret.

After an inspection of the storehouses and the construction for additional storage on the piers, I asked for the chief stevedore, Major O'Neil, who came up apparently quite embarrassed. To put him at ease I took him by the arm and we walked together to where some lighters were being unloaded. As the port had made the record of handling 42,000 arriving troops and their baggage in one day, May 24, entirely with lighters, I asked him to tell me about it.

By this time he had overcome his fright, and pointing to two officers, each down in the bottom of a lighter directing the work, he said:

"Sir, do you see those two captains down there in their shirt sleeves? Well, that's the secret. I say to them: 'Don't stand off somewhere and puff yourselves up in your uniforms, but take off Sam Brownes and your coats and get down close to your men.'

"Of course, those captains have now become experts. I did the same thing when I started, but since they are trained I manage things generally and they carry out my orders. I can wear my uniform now that I have won the right to wear it."

"Well," I said, "O'Neil, you're just the man I have been looking for, and I am going to send you to every port we use to show them your secret."

(continued next week)

Pleasant Valley News

Our Singing Society will meet at this place Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Everybody is invited to come and bring your new song books.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Keel and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Taylor was visitors at Vida, Alabama Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Burkhalter and Mr. Aubrey Neeley was the week end guest of Mrs. A. P. Taylor of Montgomery.

Mr. Lavert Strength of Montgomery spent this week end visiting his relatives of this community.

Miss Elizabeth Griffin of Clanton spent Saturday night with her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Burkhalter dined with the formers parents Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Burkhalter Sunday.

Miss Marie Neeley is visiting her sister in Sylacauga, Mrs. N. F. Gilland.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Bates of Clanton was visitors in this community Sunday.

Mr. Bolden Bookholdt and son Otis returned to their home in Montgomery after spending several days visiting relatives of this community.

Mildren Neeley was the guest of Myra Keel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J.. Lette spent Sunday in Marbury visiting Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Goss.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock DeLoach and family of Wetumpkia, spent Sunday with the formers brother, Mr. S. D. DeLoach.

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A 40-foot bridge in Bend, Ore., has been reported stolen, hauled away piece by piece.

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Regardless of the snickers of his comrades, F. V. West of Wilmington, Del., Pennsylvania Railroad fireman, has adopted guadily colored pajamas as his working clothes.

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Dispensing with haphazard methods, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Ginn of Bowman, Ga., have used the alphabet consecutively from B to Q in naming their 16 children.

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Seeing a big rat under his barn with a silver dollar in its mouth, Charles Holscomb of Bartley, Neb., investigated and found $250 buried in a pail under the shed.

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NOTICE OF REGISTRATION

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Registrars of Chilton County, Alabama, in accordance with the general Registration Laws of Alabama, as amended by an Act of Legislature of Alabama, approved August 20, 1927, will hold sessions for the purpose of registering all citizens qualified under the law to register, at the following places in said County and on the following dates, to-wit:

Beat 4—Courthouse, Clanton	October 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31
Beat 15—Pletcher, Ala.	November 16, A. M
Beat 15—Culp School House	November 16, P.
Beat 6—Kincheon	November 17, A.
Beat 6—Enterprise	November 17, P
Beat 5—Mountain Creek	November 18,
Beat 5—Mitchell Dam	November 18, M.
Beat 1—Lay Dam	November 19 M.
Beat 11—Cane Creek	November 1 . M.
Beat 12—Mineral Springs	Nov ber 20
Beat 13—Providence	No ber 21
Beat 4—Court House, Clanton	November 23, 2 5, 27, 28
Beat 2—Mars Hill	Decem 1, A. M.
Beat 14—Macedonia	Decem r 1, P. M.
Beat 8—Stanton	December 2
Beat 7—Maplesville	Dece ber 3, A. M.
Beat 3—Benson	De mber 3, P. M.
Beat 5—Verbena	December 4
Beat 2—Jemison	December 5
Beat 9—Thorsby	December 7
Beat 10—Cooper	December 8
Beat 16—Providence	December 9
Beat 4—Court House, Clanton	December 10, 11, 12, 14, 15

This 28th Day of Sept., 1931

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B. M. KILLINGSWORTH, Chairman,
A. D. MARTIN,
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29x4.75-20	6.75	6.57
29x5.00-19	6.98	6.80
30x5.00-20	7.10	6.90
28x5.25-18	7.90	7.65
31x5.25-21	8.57	8.35
28x5.50-18	8.75	8.50
29x5.50-19	8.90	8.65
32x6.00-20	11.47	11.15

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29x4.50-20	4.78	4.63
30x4.50-21	4.85	4.70
28x4.75-19	5.68	5.57
29x5.00-19	5.99	5.83
30x3½	3.75	3.65

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CHILTON SUNDAY SCHOOLS HOLD GOOD CONVENTION

Eighteen Schools Represented At Convention at New Salem Sunday

The first Sunday School Convention of the schools of the Chilton County Association since its division from the Unity Association was held at New Salem church last Sunday. The meeting was well attended and was a decided success from start to finish. The committee promised an interesting meeting, different from the ordinary beaten path of such conventions, and this promise was made good. Prof. W. M. Devaughn was there with his quartet and presented several sacred numbers between the different items on the program. These numbers were very greatly enjoyed by the delegates and all others present.

The meeting was opened shortly after ten o'clock by the county superintendent, Mr. Howard R. Oden of Mulberry. After a few introductory remarks by Mr. Oden, Rev. B. Lawrence of the Chilton County Association was called upon to make a short talk. At this time Mr. Davis Cooper, head of the Sunday School work at Montgomery, came in, and Rev. Lawrence turned the platform over to Mr. Cooper, who was on the program to speak in the morning. Mr. Cooper spoke for twenty or thirty minutes on the general needs and plans of Sunday School work. Rev. Zac Y. Appleton, pastor at New Salem and Collins Chapel, then took charge and preached a very interesting sermon, which brought the meeting up to the noon hour.

At 1:15 the house was called to order again with a song, and Mr. Johnnie E. Miner led the devotional. The roll of the churches was called and delegates reported their schools. The following Sunday schools were represented: Bethsalem, Cane Creek, Chestnut Creek, Collins Chapel, Friendship, Highland, Liberty Hill, Maple Springs, Mineral Springs, Mulberry, New Salem, Pates Chapel, Pleasant Grove, Jemison, Poplar Springs, Refuge, Sardis, Thorsby, and Mt. Pleasant. All delegates reported their schools on the upward trend.

It was then decided that the different schools be grouped and that a group superintendent be appointed for each group. A committee was appointed to do this grouping, and the result was as follows: No. 1, Donald Merchant—Cane Creek, Center Hill, Collins Chapel, Jemison, Macedonia No. 2, Mineral Springs, New Salem, Oak Grove, Providence, Thorsby, Union Grove and Pleasant Hill. No. 2, S. J. M. Webb—Free Springs, Macedonia No. 1, Mars Hill, Mulberry, New Cedron, Pates Chapel, Pilgrims Rest, Pleasant Grove No. 1, Pleasant Grove No. 2, Sardis and Union Springs. No. 3, J. E. Miner—Bethsalem, Chestnut Creek, Corinth, Friendship, Highland, Liberty Hill, Maple Springs, Poplar Springs, Refuge, Shiloh and Mt. Pleasant.

It was decided that, according to the state plan, a county-wide convention be held annually, and that a monthly meeting be held in each district by the superintendents, teachers and other leaders of the schools of each district. A more complete program will be worked out by Mr. Oden and the other officers in the near future.

A round table discussion of the plans and needs of the Sunday Schools was opened with a fine talk by Rev. Lawrence and followed with remarks by Prof. Earl Thomas, Mr. Charlie Wilkins and Mr. Davis Cooper. Mrs. Davis Cooper was called upon to speak, and she came forward with a short but very pointed and interesting talk. This brought the program to a close, and the dismission prayer was offered by Prof. I. J. Quinn.

T. E. WYATT, Secretary.

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Home Coming Day

Next Sunday, October 11th, is "Home Coming Day" at the Methodist church in Clanton. We urge that every Methodist in the city, make no other plans, but to be in your place at 11 A. M. We have a membership of 380 members and for one time in the year, let's all be at church at the same time. The subject for the day will be one that should appeal to old and young, "The Art of Growing Older." We want the young people present, we want the older people present. If you have a car, phone some one who has none, and offer to help bring the family to church. Let's make next Sunday a great day in our church life. Sunday school meets at 9:45 A. M. There will be no preaching Sunday night. Our people are urged to worship with the Baptists. They begin a ten days meeting Sunday and we want to cooperate with them for a great revival for Clanton.

We want our friends to worship with us on "Home Coming Day." We will have special music, a special message and a warm welcome.

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After sampling bootleg whiskey, Gordon Kease of Glencoe, Ill., wandered into a church, and went to sleep in a pew, where he was arrested.

Because Benjamin James of Chicago tried to strangle his wife and also set fire to her bed while she was sleeping, she was granted a divorce.

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Mitchell Dam News

We have a new addition to the camp. Mrs. W. A. Miller returned from the hospital in Montgomery with little Barbara Anne. Many congratulations to them.

We also have another case of mumps with little Wilmur Parrish nursing them.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Robinson moved back to their home just out of camp and Mrs. Bill Calaway and son Luke, moved in and took charge of the store.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hollis had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Hance Alred, of Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Polk, of Clanton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Newton, Sunday.

H. T. Simms Succumbs At His Home Here, 6th

Death came unexpectedly last Tuesday morning to H. Thomas Simms, age 60, while he was at his home here. Mr. Simms has not been in good health for several weeks.

The deceased had for a number of years been employed with the Alabama Power Company, and has made his home in Clanton for a number of years where he won the respect of those who knew him. Recently he went into the drug business in Clanton and was engaged in that when death came.

Mr. Simms was born in Newman, Ga., where he resided for a number of years. Funeral services are to be held this morning at eleven o'clock at the home. Interment will follow at Mt. Hebron, near Spiegener, Ala., with Spigener Funeral Home of Clanton in charge.

Surviving, one sister, Mrs. Prickett, of Lukesville; two brothers of Montgomery, Washington, D. C.; four daughters, Mrs. Loren Smith, Mrs. Joe Higgins, Miss Edith Simms and Imogene Simms, of Clanton; three sons, Thomas, Benson and Rucker Simms, of Clanton. Mrs. Simms preceded her husband to the grave by fifteen years.

Board Has Power To Reduce Bond

Under provisions of an act of the present Legislature, approved July 23, county governing bodies have the exclusive right to fix the amount of the official bond of all county officers, this power including authority to fix the amount of the official bonds of all county officers elected at the general election in 1930, and to reduce the amount of such bonds if they so desire.

Answering a letter from John F. Williams, tax collector of Calhoun County, the office of Atty. Gen. Knight rendered an opinion yesterday to this effect. In this letter Mr. Williams said that he was reelected to succeed himself, at the last general election, and qualified by filing bond in the sum of $100,000, which amount was fixed by the State Auditor. Since Sept. 1 this year, he said, the County Board of Revenue, under authority of the act of the present Legislature already referred to, reduced his bond to $50,000.

The Tax Collector asked to be advised whether the act authorizes the board to make this reduction, stating that if it does he will file a new bond. Opinion of the Attorney General rules that the board did act within its authority in reducing the amount of the bond, inasmuch as the Legislature has given county governing bodies the right, exclusively, to fix the amount of the official bond of all county officers. Prior to the passage of the act by the present Legislature, conferring this power upon boards of revenue and courts of county commissioners, the amount of official bonds of county officers was fixed by the State Auditor.

CARD OF THANKS

It is with deep regret that we know we will be unable to see our friends and thank them personally for the deeds of kindness and the words of sympathy spoken, during the recent illness of our beloved wife and mother. We take this means of telling them of our heartfelt appreciation and thanks for their kindness and help, and for the floral offerings. May God's richest blessings be on each of you.

—Luther E. Foshee And Children.

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Appropriately enough, the first annual masters' bridge tournament was played at Deal, N. J.

NOTICE OF REFERENCE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court, In Equity.

In the matter of the Last Will and Testament of James J. Jones, deceased, Lawrence F. Gerald, as Executor of the last Will and Testament of James C. Jones, deceased., Complainant, vs. B. G. Jones, et al., Defendant.

To all heirs and distributees of said estate residing out of the State of Alabama and all creditors of said Estate.

You are hereby notified that the Register of said Court will execute a decree of reference in the above cause rendered on the 6th day of October, 1931, at his office in Clanton, Alabama, on the 29th day of October, 1931, at which place and time you can appear if you think proper.

Witness my hand this the 8th day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER, Register.

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ELECTRIC INDUSTRY'S HUNDREDTH BIRTHDAY

On the twenty-ninth of August the electric industry was exactly one hundred years of age. It was on August 29, 1831, that Michael Faraday wound two coils of wire around an iron ring, attached the end of one coil to an electric battery, the other end to a galvometer, and caused the needle on the indicator to move. The theory of electro-magnetic induction—on which the entire scientific side of the electric industry depends—had been conceived and proven.

In that hundred years the industry has reached the point where it is one of the most necessary and vital elements in modern life, whether of home or industry. It has, in the absolute sense of the word, revolutionized the living and working conditions of the entire world.

It is interesting that at about the time the industry was celebrating its anniversary, it assured President Hoover that it would spend $600,000,000 this year on new construction, and the newspapers of the nation rang with approval of the declaration. The industry has become so important a factor in our economic life that we are looking to it to do much of the work in bringing prosperity out of depression Its achievement, in the brief space of a hundred years, has never before been equaled.

EXPRESSION OF SYMPATHY TO DANIEL FAMILY

We, the teachers of Chilton County, take this method of expressing our deepest sympathy to our co-workers and friends, Messrs. J. E. and Harlem Daniel, and W. T. Bean, in this hour of gloom, caused by the home-going of their mother and sister, Mrs. Daniel

We recognize the absence of these teachers during our Institute and wish to make this known to them. As a group, we have the deepest feeling with the bereaved ones in this their great loss of this loved one.

Signed: Chilton County Teachers.

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A New Yorker laments that game laws provide no closed season for innocent bystanders.

It's safer to guess it is the approaching driver's headlight nearest to you that is out.

Harry Flynn, a vaudeville tumbler of St. Paul, tumbled down-stairs in the dark and broke his leg in two places.

Harry C. Taylor of Duluth, Minn., plunged into his burning home to rescue his wife's cat.

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The array of talent that has been enlisted to try to find a way out indicates that Americans are taking their depression seriously.

Her skirt inflated with air as she fell into Lake Michigan, kept Mrs. Madeleine Brodrick of Evanston, Ill., afloat until she could be rescued.

Edgar W. Read of Chicago was heavily fined for using a taxi-cab as his office to take bets on the races.

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30x5.00-20	7.10	6.90
28x5.25-18	7.90	7.65
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Mrs. W. M. Polk Hostess To Club.

The "As You Like It Club" was delightfully entertained by Mrs. W. M. Polk at her home Thursday afternoon. The living and dining rooms were tastefully decorated with vari-colored flowers. Later in the afternoon the hostess served a delicious salad plate. Those present were Mesdames V. J. Gragg, T. H. Neighbors, J. B. Atkinson, Percy Pitts, L. H. Reynolds, Flem Higgins, G. C. Walker, M. A. Gore, L. C. Warr. The club will meet with Mrs. Percy Pitts next meeting.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry motored to Selma Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Atkinson, Miss Evelyn Atkinson of Gadsden spent Sunday here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson.

Mrs. W. M. Polk and Mrs. J. G. Hendricks spent Saturday in Montgomery.

Broadus Connatser will arrive Wednesday to spend some time here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fox.

Mesdames Harry Marks, Andrew Cromer, Letcher Mitchell, Will McKee and Glenn Boyd of Selma spent Thursday as guests of Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry.

The many friends of little Miss Lillian Smith regret to learn of her sickness.

Miss Elizabeth Browder of Montgomery visited friends in Clanton Sunday.

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Mrs. Julius Burnett Hostess To Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club.

The Wednesday afternoon bridge club was delightfully entertained Wednesday of last week at the home of Mrs. Julius Burnett. After enjoying a series of games, a hot plate was served to the following members: Mesdames John Browder, Arthur Johnson, F. J. Callen, Napoleon Johnson, J. H. Alred, Grady Reynolds, J. Watts Moore, John DeRamus, Hugh Simpson and H. C. Falkenberry. Mrs. John Armstrong was a visitor. The high score prize, a deck of cards, was awarded to Mrs. Falkenberry.

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Mrs. Bert Higgins Hostess To New Bridge Club.

The members of the New Bridge Club were delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. Burton Higgins Wednesday of last week. Following a series of games, an ice course was served.

Those enjoying the hospitality of Mrs. Higgins were Mesdames J. Lee Smith, Eric Hart, H. Downs, Miss Betty Mullins, Mrs. T. C. McSwain, J. C. Jones and Miss Madelyn Orr. High score prize which was a deck of cards, was awarded to Mrs. Lee Smith.

Chester Mims and family have moved from their former home of G. O. Foshee to the home in front of the Baptist church.

Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Rutland of Montgomery and Mrs. Harry McGee of Tuscaloosa were guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Edgar last week end, and enjoyed an outing on Coosa River.

Mrs. W. I. Mullins, Mrs. J. Watts Moore, Miss Helen Moore, Joe Moore and John Ezell motored to Montgomery Sunday.

Mr. Glenn Boyd of Selma was a visitor in Clanton Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Orr of Birmingham is visiting her sister-in-law, Miss Madelyn Orr.

Mesdames J. C. Page, F. J. Callen, J. H. Alred and John DeRamus motored to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mrs. W. F. Moss of Fitzpatrick was a visitor of Mrs. P. C. Smith and family last week end.

Mrs. O. E. Latham returned to her home here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Powers and family of Lay Dam visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stapp Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Cole of Birmingham is visiting Mrs. Glennie Phillips.

Miss Della Williams visited her brother in Verbena Sunday.

Dr. J. E. Gowan and son, Joe Earle, visited in Birmingham Saturday.

George Lamar of Washington, D.C. visited his sister, Mrs. Glennie Phillips, Friday.

Jesse Sam Gowan left Thursday for Oglethorpe University at Atlanta where he will resume his studies.

Mrs. J. Q. Wade is expected home from Strafford Springs, Friday.

Mrs. E. W. Duke, Mrs. A. L. Duncan and Mrs. Evelyn Smith and daughter of Prattville visited Mrs. Glennie Phillips Friday.

Mr. J. L. McCutcheon and family have moved from their former home just north of Clanton to the house formerly occupied by C. B. Cox and family near the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Omar Reynolds and son visited in Bessemer Saturday.

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A motorcycle exploded and did no damage except to permanently wreck itself. Perfect! Let us have more explosions like that.

Eastview News

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Lott of Sylacauga spent last week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lessley Smith's baby is on the sick list this week. We hope it will soon be well again.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson returned home Monday afternoon from Eclectic where they had been conducting services at Union and Watson Chapel churches. They came in with their car loaded with groceries that they had received in a pounding by the two churches, which was highly appreciated by the pastor and family.

Next Saturday and Sunday is our regular preaching days. We invite everybody to attend and worship with us. Please come early Saturday as there is some business to come before the church.

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Isabella F.F.A. News

The Isabella Future Farmers of America held their weekly meeting on Wednesday, September 30, 1931. A program was rendered as follows:

Qualifications for the Future Farmers or Second Degree of the F. F. A. by Braxton LeCroy.

Qualifications for State Farmer, or Third Degree of the F. F. A., by Marvin Durbin.

Houston Deramus, one of our associate members, who is in college, made a short talk.

Mr. Thomas made a talk on the purpose and aims of the F. F. A.

Let's all be at the meeting next Wednesday, Future Farmers.

S. L. BROADHEAD, Reporter.

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An undertaker of DeQueen, Ark., has been arrested and charged with stealing a tombstone from the grave of a World War soldier.

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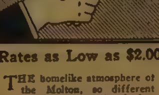

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THE UTOPIAN LITERARY SOCIETY NEWS

The Utopian Literary Society of Isabella High School met in the English department on Monday, September 14. The meeting was called to order by the ex-president, Marvin Durbin.

Officers were elected as follows: President, Marvin Durbin; vice-president, Elizabeth Mims; secretary and treasurer, Ruby DeShazo; sargeant-at-arms, J. P. Poole. The following program committee was appointed by the president: Elizabeth Mims, chairman, Lorene Lecroy, Miss Williams, S. L. Broadhead, Mildred Durbin, Tommie Rucker.

It was decided that Utopian would still remain the name of our society, and that red and white would be the colors.

The society presented its first program in a chapel exercise on Thursday, October 1. The meeting was called to order by the president. After devotional by Braxton Lecroy, the following program was presented:

Song, No. 50: Assembly.

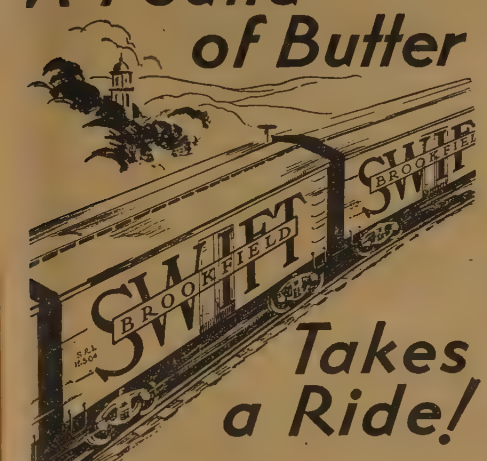
The Story of the Summer, by Pauline Durbin.

A Job, Lot of Jobs, by Maggie Pierce.

Song, 104: Assembly.

After announcements, business was called for. The former secretary having quit school, Myrtle Durbin was elected to take her place. The report of the critic, Miss Williams. There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

PAULINE DURBIN, Reporter.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MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

I am not a mind reader, but the other day I saw a lady looking at a new bonnett that was being worn on the head of a neighbor, and I could read her mind. She was filled with criticism and curiosity concerning the new hat, but she was thinking more about its cost than anything else. She wanted to know what it cost without having to ask. So far as I know the hat might have cost three dollars and then it might have cost ten. I was not so much concerned about the worth of the hat as I was about the worth of the head on which it rested. I saw a young man who thought himself to be somewhat. He was wearing an $85.00 overcoat, a $74.00 suit, a $10.00 pair of shoes, an $8.00 hat and a $2.00 tie. He boasted that his wearing apparel cost him around $200.00. I knew the young fellow well, and I knew that the man on the inside of those clothes was not worth twenty-five cents. It is not what you wear on your head that makes the woman, it is what you have on the inside of that head. It is not what you wear on your body that makes the man, it is what you have on the inside of those clothes.

While walking along I heard a roaring noise in the air, and on turning my gaze into the sky I discovered a tiny speck far above the world, and it was coming down with terrific speed. I wondered if it were a meteor falling to the ground. No it was no meteor. It was a plain turkey buzzard coming down to earth where he was sure that he had found something that was full of decay. When he was within fifty feet of the earth, he checked his darting speed, and sailed out on even wings and started a search for what he wanted. I was standing by the highway, and I heard a tremendous roaring. I looked up the road and saw something on wheels approaching like fury. It darted by with a crash and a roar, and it was gone. It was another buzzrd roaring his way through the world, in a terrible rush to get to the place where he could feed on the filth of the world. I never heard a car roaring its way to church, but I have heard them roaring their way to dances and away from dances, to ball gmes and away from ball games. When we hear a roaring car we always wonder what the buzzard has in mind, and what he is going after.

I was standing by the side of a tree watching a snail as it climbed upward. It was making about one foot per hour. While I was watching the snail climb upward, one of these speed fiends came by in his car making sixty miles per hour. There was quite a difference in the speed of the car and of the snail, but the car was going down hill, while the snail was climbing upward. It is not how fast a man can travel that determines his merits, but in what direction he is going. I had rather creep an inch a day toward righteousness and heaven than to run sixty miles per hour toward death and hell. It is true that the world of today has jerked on its shoes, and is many miles on its way before the church can get on her boots, but just look at the difference in the direction traveled by the world and that traveled by God's people. Things without life can make speed down hill, but it takes energy, strength and will power to climb up a hill. The trouble that we have in climbing upward to heaven is in keeping some of those high-powered "It's" going down hill, from running over us.

Forty years ago the association of young people centered about the church yard, or in the family room at home When they ventured out alone, they were in a buggy, or else they were walking along a public highway. They would no more think of being out after night than they would keep company with a rattle snake. When the daughters had company, the mother would bring in the brightest light in the home, and the light never grew dim until the girls were without company. That strict regulation looks "Prosy" to the present generation, but parents were trying to raise giants in those days. They thought that character was worth more than pleasure, and a correct ideal was more valuable than popularity. If parents today raise young men, and they are not Christian young men, if they raise girls and they are not Christian young women, they have failed, and their failure is full of tragedy for two worlds.

I was riding along a highway and saw a road that turned off into the woods. There was sign that the road was being put to constant use, and not knowing of any cause for a road to go in that direction, I turned off to see what it all meant. The road wound around a hill, and then disappeared. The road was within five miles of a city that had two thousand inhabitants. I am no fool, and I knew the purpose of the travel that went over that road. It was not day travel. In the night hours, mostly after midnight, the cars would travel that road. Sheriffs and law enforcement officers would do well to locate such roads, and stop such night travel. There is no good connected with a road that winds out behind a hill. People in these days do not go into such places to hold cottage prayer meetings. Woe be unto a mother's daughter, a mother's son when they patronize those roads.

BENEFITS OF ADVERSITY, MESSAGE OF INSURANCE OFFICIAL

"The foundations of fortune are laid in adversity" is the message brought to Birmingham and the South by Oliver Thurman, Vice-President and Superintendent of Agencies, Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company, Newark, N.J.

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Friday night Mr. Thurman addressed the meeting of the J. Furniss Lee Agency, which directs 60 representatives throughout the state.

The Birmingham Agency is the first Mr. Thurman is visiting on an extended trip to observe field conditions. He will proceed next to Jackson, Miss.

Mr. Thurman has a deep sympathetic understanding of the South and its needs. He was born in McMinnville, Tenn., 53 years ago, and was educated in Texas, where he continued in educational work. Later he founded John B. Denton College in that state and was its first president.

Entering the life insurance field as a Mutual Benefit representative in Texas, Mr. Thurman was soon transferred to the Baltimore Agency. Twelve years ago he was called to the Home Office at Newark, N. J., as Superintendent of Agencies.

At the recent National Association of Life Underwriters' meeting in Pittsburgh, Mr. Thurman was appointed a director of the American College of Life Underwriters. He is a member of the Life Agency Officers' Association and was one of the founders of the Life Insurance Sales Research Bureau.

Mr. John M. VanDerveer is local representative of the Mutual Benefit at Clanton and attended the Agency meeting in Birmingham.

No Score Game Played Here Fri.

The football eleven of the Chilton County High School played their third game of the season here last Friday afternoon. The Chilton eleven met a strong and fast team from the Marbury high school and both teams fought the entire four quarters without either managing to score a point on its opponents.

The game was a fast and hard fought one and neither team seemed to possess a decided advantage over the other. Marbury seemed to be able to gain thru the line and around the ends better than their opponents and a number of times they carried the ball into Chilton territory only to lack the final punch to carry the ball over the goal line.

The game was marred by frequent penalties inflicted by Referee Varnell on both sides. A number of Marbury fans seemed to resent the action of the referee in penalizing their team. This is the third game which Clanton has played this season. In their first game Isabella was defeated 18 to nothing. The second game was played with Selma High School and lost by a score of 13 to nothing. The third game which was against Marbury ended in a scoreless tie. The next game will be played Friday evening against the Prattville team. All the Chilton fans are urged to be out and to root for the local team.

Grounds for a divorce recently filed by Florence McFarland Hooser of Memphis were that her husband hit her fingers when angry.

The engagement of Dorothy May Clare and Sidney Burrell of Newport, Eng., was made unique by the exchange of golden beans, suitably engraved, instead of betrothal rings.

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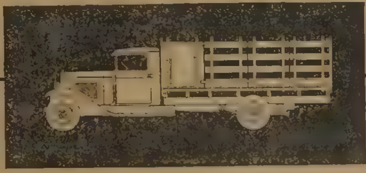
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We are closing out one group of dress prints according to last year's prices
Year Ago 13c --- *TODAY 8c yard*

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We have 1000 yards of this chambray we can offer you at this price
Year Ago 10c --- *TODAY 5c yard*

MEN'S KNIT UNDERWEAR
We have a good medium weight union-suit in sizes 36 to 46
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We have a good quality broadcloth in white and colors
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We have a good quality overall cloth we can sell you cheap
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66x80 PART WOOL BLANKET
This is a fine plaid part-wool blanket with sateen binding
Year Ago $2.95 - *TODAY $1.95 pr*

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We can offer you this year a nice cotton blanket in standard size which was
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BOYS' DRESS SUITS
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Heroes of War in Legion Want Wine and Beer Vote

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plan of the department officials, but carried two clauses, one commending the action of the national convention of the American Legion at Detroit, calling for a national referendum, the other commending the Alabama delegation for voting with the majority.

Bert Fitzpatrick offered the resolution and thereby launched one of the stormiest debates to mark a session of the Montgomery post in years.

When, after numerous efforts to amend the resolution had failed, a vote was taken, there was a lusty chorus of ayes for adoption and a very few nays.

Col. V. M. Elmore led the attack on the resolution or that part of it calling for the Alabama referendum. He cautioned the post against dabbling into politics and moved to amend the resolution by striking out the clause calling for the referendum. His motion, however, was tabled by a substantial majority as was another motion to amend the resolution by limiting the referendum called for to members of the American Legion.

A full text of the resolution follows:

Text Of Resolution

"WHEREAS, the national convention of the American Legion, assembled in Detroit, did on September 24, by resolution, call for a national referendum on modification of the National Prohibition Act to permit manufacture and sale of light wines and beer, and

"WHEREAS, the delegation of the Department of Alabama voted with the enlightened majority at the Detroit convention when the question of the referendum was being considered, and

"WHEREAS, veterans of the World War, of whom there are nearly 60,000 in Alabama, either because of absence or nonage had no voice in the adoption and ratification of the eighteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States, therefore

"BE IT RESOLVED BY MONTGOMERY POST NO. 2, AMERICAN LEGION:

"1. That the action of the national convention in this matter be commended.

"2. That the action of the Alabama Department delegation be commended.

"3. That the executive committee of the Department of Alabama, American Legion, is hereby requested to take a referendum of Legionnaires and all other World War veterans eligible to membership in the American Legion in Alabama, on the question: Shall the National Prohibition Act be amended to permit the manufacture and sale of light wines and beer?"

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Local County Agent Work Is Under Queston Here

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er or not the work now being conducted by the Farm Demonstration Agent shall be continued.

"It was at the request of citizens of the county that money was appropriated and Mr. Stapp was employed to carry on this work, and the Commissioners Court in justice to themselves, on account of the unusual conditions now existing, would like to have an expression from the people.

"The Court is anxious to be governed by the will of the people in all matters of a public nature and consequently are making it possible for each voter to express his opinion either for or against the continuation of this work.

"On November 3, 1931, a state election has been called to determine whether or not $25,000,000.00 bond shall be issued for road purposes, and each voter will be given a ballot which he may vote for or against the contin-

"We assure the voters that the Commissioners Court will abide by the will of the majority of the voters."

Respectfully,
L. H. REYNOLDS,
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THE DIXIE CAFE

Grand Jury Returns 28 True Bills Last Week

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your Honor's able and instructive charge entered upon its investigations of the matters that came before it and herewith submits the following report:

During its investigation 33 cases and 50 witnesses have been examined, and 28 true bills are herewith returned.

We have examined the fee book of the Probate Judge and find it neatly kept and correct in so far as we are able to ascertain. We have examined the bonds of the various county officials and find that they are ample for the protection of the public, and on our examination of the sheriff's account with the state for feeding prisoners we find it being kept in accordance with the law. We find on our examination of the office of the County Superintendent of Education that his books, records and papers are being kept neatly and in accordance with the law in so far as we were able to ascertain.

The Grand Jury inspected the County jail and find that it is being repaired and that it is not being used during the progress of the repairs for keeping prisoners—the prisoners of the County are being kept in the Montgomery County jail. On our inspection of the almshouse we found 21 inmates, of which 10 were women and 11 men, all of them being cared for as well as the present arrangements will permit.

We recommend to the proper authorities that provision be made to lock the doors to the auditorium of the Court House and that it be kept locked at night.

Sheriff Gillespie and his deputies were most courteous to us during our investigation and rendered us valuable assistance in the dispatch of the business before us, all of which we greatly appreciate.

The Grand Jury wishes especially to thank your Honor for the very able charge given us when we were first empaneled. It has been most helpful to us throughout all our investigations.

Now having complied to the best of our ability with your Honor's charge we respectfully ask that we be dismissed until such time as your Honor may see fit and think proper to have us again convene.

This September 30th, 1931.

F. J. CALLEN, Foreman.

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Local W.O.W. Camp Organizes Brass Band

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Plans are practically completed for the organizing of a brass band among members of the local Camp of Woodmen of the World, according to E. C. Evans, district manager. The band will be composed of fifteen instruments, including four saxophones, trumpets, cornets, drums, etc.

J. O. Johnson, of Thorsby, master of music, and well known in this section as a band instructor, has been secured to give the members of the band instructions on each Tuesday night. When this band is well on its way, Clanton will no doubt have something else to be proud of.

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Miss Ruth Hand spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Alma Gentry at her home in Mt. Creek.

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"Dolt is he who weaves a verse," sighs a recent poet. Which makes us think better of poets.

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Mr. George H. Lamar, attorney and counsellor-at-law, Washington, D. C., brother of Mrs. G. L. Phillips, was with her Friday and Saturday of the past week, on his return from Auburn, where he was called at the death of his brother, Mr. Howard Lamar.

Mr. Henry Lamar and wife of Jacksonville, Fla., and Howard Lamar, Jr., of Manchester, Ga., with their sister, Miss Alma Lamar, of Auburn, spent a few hours with Mrs. Phillips last week. They were on a business trip to Birmingham.

Mrs. Annie Lamar Cole of Birmingham is spending a few days with Mrs. G. L. Phillips in Clanton.

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CO. FARM AGENT IS ENDORSED BY KIWANIS HERE

Local Civic Club Adopts Resolution Backing Present Farm Agent Work

The Clanton Kiwanis Club, composed of business and professional men of Clanton and Chilton County, at its regular meeting last Thursday appointed a committee to draw up suitable resolutions for the club which were adopted, endorsing and backing the work being done in Chilton County by the County Farm Demonstration Agent.

This action was taken, due to the election to be held in this county on November 3rd, to determine by ballot whether the farm agent office shall be continued or discontinued. At the last meeting of the Kiwanis Club, County Agent Stapp was present and read the to the club a report of his activities during the years he has been in this county. Erle Thomas, vocational instructor of Isabella, also spoke to the meeting, telling of some of his experiences in aiding the farmers of his section to better equip themselves for farming.

Following is the resolution adopted by the Clanton Kiwanis Club:

To the People of Chilton County:

In view of the fact that you are call-

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LITTLETON FAMILY THANKS FRIENDS FOR ASSISTANCE

The family of V. J. Littleton wishes to express its thanks for the kindness shown by friends in aiding them to get their cotton picked during the sickness of a member of the family. Three bales were gathered by the kind help from neighbors and friends. James Littleton has been seriously ill in St. Margaret's Hospital in Montgomery, but his condition is said to be much improved at this time.

O. A. JONES KILLS RATTLER WITH FOURTEEN RATTLERS

O. A. Jones was a visitor to the News office recently and stated that he had killed a rattlesnake last month with fourteen rattlers and a button. Jones stated he came very near placing his hands on the reptile, which measured four feet, before he saw it. The snake was found by Jones near Lomax, on the old Maplesville road, he stated.

C. O. BELL BRINGS IN EXTRA LONG PORTO RICAN POTATO

C. O. Bell, well known and progressive farmer near Clanton was in Clanton Saturday and brought to the News office two extra long potatoes of the Porto Rican variety. One potato measured forty inches in length and the other thirty-three inches. These potatoes can be seen at the News office.

ALABAMA MILLS STOCKHOLDERS TO PUSH SUIT

Meeting Here Last Saturday Organizes To Employ Lawyer For Suit

A number of stockholders of Alabama Mills Company met at the court house in Clanton last Saturday afternoon and laid the initial plans for starting a suit to either get dividends on their investments or try to recover of the Alabama Power Company the money that was paid in for Alabama Mills stock. The stockholders claim that they would not have invested their money in this stock had the proposition not been fostered by the Alabama Power Company.

The meeting Saturday afternoon was presided over by W. A. Reynolds, and a committee was appointed to collect funds from stockholders in order that a suit might be instigated. This committee is composed of G. O. Foshee, W. A. Reynolds, Mrs. Gertrude Calloway and T. E. Wyatt. The latter was chosen as secretary-treasurer.

A number have already signed the petitions and some have already paid in the amount pledged. Stockholders are asked to pay into this fund fifty cents on every share of the stock which they hold. Any stockholder wishing to take part in the suit is asked to see one of this committee at an early date.

LOCAL NEHI PLANT WINS FOURTH PRIZE IN CONTEST

Horsley White, operator of the local Nehi Bottling Company reports the award to his plant of fourth prize in the district sales contest in District Six. This is the second time the local plant has won this prize recently, which is for an increase in sales over the previous month.

COLORED SCHOOLS OF COUNTY WILL OPEN ON OCTOBER 21ST

The colored schools of Chilton County will open on Wednesday morning, October 21st, according to Supt. B. Lawrence. The teachers Institute of this county will be held jointly with Shelby County in Calera on October 19 and 20.

UNITED SINGERS MEET AT COLLINS CHAPEL OCT. 18

All Singers Invited To Join With Society In Meeting On Next Sunday

The United Singing Society of Chilton County will gather at Collins Chapel next Sunday, October 18th, at two o'clock in the afternoon, according to an announcement received by the News.

At this meeting, the election for new officers will also take place. The public has a cordial invitation to come to Collins Chapel, one of this county's progressive communities, on next Sunday afternoon and join in with the United Singing Society in this event, and if anyone doesn't sing, then his or her presence will be needed to make the afternoon pleasant and enjoyable.

The 1931 Morris Henson books will be used and if you have a book, bring it, if not, don't worry, as you will be furnished with a book.

The society will meet at Collins Chapel church tonight for practice, and the public is also invited to this. A special invitation is extended to the Central Singers to join in this event also.

Names Of Unemployed Ex-service Men Wanted

R. D. Woodson, of Lay Dam, and Commander of the Chilton County Post Number Six of the American Legion, was a visitor to Clanton recently and stated that the American Legion desires to get the names and addresses of all ex-service men in Chilton County who are not employed.

This information is for the unemployment program of the American Legion. Ex-service men in Chilton County, not employed, whether Legion members or not, are asked to leave their names and address with Lonza Robinson, local Post Adjutant, at Robinson Garage & Machine Shop in Clanton.

BROADUS CONNATSER ARRIVED IN CLANTON LAST THURSDAY

One of Clanton's popular young men in the person of Broadus Connatser, arrived last Thursday to spend the winter months. Broadus is prominently connected in the baseball playing business with the Cleveland Indians team. He was at one time playing with the New Orleans Club, where his star first base playing made the Cleveland Indians desire his work and he was transferred. At present, while in Clanton, he will make his home with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fox.

HOME OF JUDGE REYNOLDS DAMAGED BY FIRE MONDAY

The volunteer firemen of Clanton were called out last Monday shortly after noon answering a call to the home of Judge L. H. Reynolds, which appeared to have had a good start in flames.

The roof was very badly damaged by the fire, and the blaze apparently had a good start, but efficient work on the part of the firemen, and the aid of the fine fire truck of the city, soon had the flames extinguished.

COTTON REPORT

Robert J. Jones gives out the following Government cotton report this week: There were 7,874 bales of cotton ginned in Chilton County from the 1931 crop, prior to October 1, 1931, as compared with 8,316 bales ginned in the county from the 1930 crop to the same date.

Work Done By Local County Agent Shown

Letter From Man Now Holding Office Tells Of His Personal Efforts To Aid This County In Making Its Forward Steps

Due to the coming election to be held on November 3rd, 1931, in Chilton County, at which time the voters of the county will voice their approval or disapproval of the office and work of the County Farm Demonstration Agent in this county, C. E. Stapp, who now holds the office, and the first agent of this kind secured for the county, makes a full report of the activities of his office during the years maintained here, which is published below.

Following also is a letter from Mr. Stapp, in regard to his personal efforts while acting as farm demonstration agent and citizen of Chilton County:

To The People of Chilton County:

On November the 3rd, the voters of the county will be asked to cast their vote for or against the continuation of county agency work in the county. This is not a political question, but a civic question in which every citizen should take a part.

Chilton County is purely an agricultural county. Anything that affects agricultural interests in the county either directly or indirectly affects every citizen of the county.

In this week's issue of both county papers you will find a brief summary of part of my activities since coming to this county four years ago. If you believe the work has been of value, I will appreciate it if you will pass this issue of the papers on to some one who may not be taking either of the county papers.

If you are against the continuance of the work, I will appreciate it if you will be fair enough to take time to find the referred to summary of my work as well as what many of our good progressive people say and read same carefully. I haven't the least doubt that if you will give thirty minutes' conscientious thought to the value of the work, but that you will say that the work I have done is worth many times what I may have been paid for same. Surely you must admit that the farmers of the county are in greater need of help now than they have been in the past.

I have worked hard for the progress and development of Chilton County and at all times tried to make a desirable citizen.

In addition to the above thoughts and what you find elsewhere in this issue of the papers, I ask that you refer to the study of Paul in your Sunday School lessons for the past month.

C. E. STAPP,
County Agent.

Some Activities of Co. Agt., C. E. Stapp, Since Coming To Chilton County Four Years Ago

1. Opened up office headquarters for farmers of the county with radio market service.
2. Daily report shows office activities as follows:
   566 days spent in office.
   A total of 24,697 callers at the office seeking various information.
   4,187 telephone calls seeking information.
   6,640 individual letters written from the office.
   133 circular letters of current information have been written and 110,621 copies mailed out.
   686 days spent in field work.
   2,645 requested farm visits made.
   1,320 meetings held at which timely subjects were discussed and recommendations of the Experiment Station given.
   A total of 24,603 farmers and farm boys attended the above meetings.
   204 school and other miscellaneous meetings with an attendance of 21,655 men, women and children, have been attended, assisted and addressed.
3. Advised with farmers in setting up the third largest and most active county farm bureau in the State.
4. Arranged for the installment of a cream station at the Farm Bureau Office at Clanton, where farmers who do not have enough cream to ship can bring their small amounts of cream and get cash for same.
5. Arranged for and assisted in running poultry cars regularly during the shipping seasons, enabling farmers to get highest market price for their poultry. With better market for poultry has come noticeable growth in poultry industry in the county. With the growth in poultry industry has come many calls on the agent for information about brooding, housing, treatment of and against diseases, feeding, culling for best results. 188 meetings pertaining to better methods of handling poultry have been held by the county agent.
6. The Agent has worked annually with about 300 of our farm boys in their club work. He has arranged annual club camps for these boys at which most inspiring programs were participated in by the boys. The expenses of the last camp being borne entirely by Mr. Stapp.
7. Mr. Stapp's work with the purebred Jersey Club has been outstanding. This was demonstrated at the Jersey Show held in Clanton the 19th of September. A total of 97 meetings have been held in interest of better cattle.
8. Mr. Stapp has assisted the Boy and Girl Scouts in their program.
9. One terracing school has been held and 143 meetings held at each one of which several farmers have learned to operate the terracing level, also obtained latest information on terrace building for the prevention of soil washing.
10. 170 meetings pertaining to soil building, reduction of fertilizer and more economical use of fertilizers have been held. The estimated value of this work alone the past four years amounts to more than $20,000.
11. Mr. Stapp has worked closely with the Thorsby, Clanton and Jemison Strawberry Associations in their educational and marketing work. Mr. L. G Posey of Jemison, gives an interesting example of the value of this work with the strawberry growers, while he was a member of the Thorsby Association. At the request of the farmers in Clanton, Jemison and Maplesville territories, Mr. Stapp aided in the setting up of the Berry Growers' Association. $70,445 worth of strawberries were shipped through the Clanton and Jemison Associations this year.
12. At the request of Mr. Stapp, the Alabama Experiment Station sent Mr. Taylor to the county to do experimental work on fertilizing berries. The data obtained here by Mr. Taylor the past two years indicates that with one more year's work he will be able to make definite fertilizer recommendations for fertilizer that will mean a saving of thousands of dollars to the berry growers, and at the same time more and better berries.
13. Mr. Stapp is now sponsoring a move that will result in carlot shipments from the county of dewberries, sweet potatoes, Irish potatoes and possibly other crops as is done in case of strawberries.
14. Orchards. Mr. Stapp has stressed the "Live at Home" program, including good home orchard on every farm. He has given 101 demonstrations in pruning, spraying and general care of fruit trees.

Mr. Stapp states:

> "During my stay in Chilton County I have tried to make a desirable citizen. What money I have received for work here has either been spent or donated to worthy causes in the county."

H. R. Franks, a progressive farmer who resides south of Clanton on the Birmingham highway, was a visitor to Clanton Saturday. While in town Mr. Franks was a caller at the News office.

Mr. and Mrs. Crit Jones of Lay Dam were visitors to Clanton Saturday. While in town Mr. Jones had his name added to the subscription list of the News.

FIVE ARRESTS REPORTED BY SHERIFF'S OFFICE HERE

Information from the office of Sheriff W. H. Gillespie Tuesday morning showed five persons arrested during the past several days. Two were for grand larceny in connection with stolen automobile; one for violating the prohibition law, one for public drunkenness, and one for manufacturing liquor.

MR. AND MRS. REEDIE TAYLOR PROUD PARENTS OF FINE GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Reedie Taylor have announced the arrival of a fine baby girl on last Friday morning at the Central Alabama Hospital in Clanton. The new Miss Taylor has been named Betty Jo, and both she and her mother are doing fine.

THORSBY GETS DRUG STORE AS NEW BUSINESS

Varney E. Wyatt Opens In Attractive Buildings On Bee-Line Road

For the past several months, Thorsby, Ala., has shown step after step of going forward, and now comes the announcement of another new place of business recently opened there.

This new place is the Wyatt Drug Store, located in the attractive stucco, triangled-shaped building on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway, and is being operated by Varney E. Wyatt The Wyatt Drug Company opened its doors for business several days ago with a full line of drugs and supplies, a neat soda fountain with tables for serving

Mr. Wyatt is well known throughout this section. He was at one time employed in a drug store in Clanton where he stayed for sometime, later accepting a position with a wholesale drug house in Birmingham. His experience in the drug business will no doubt prove an asset to Thorsby. The formal opening day of the Wyatt Drug Co., has been set as next Saturday, when souvenirs will be given to those visiting the store during the day.

Chilton Stock In District Fair Show

The purebred Jersey calves selected at the fall purebred Jersey show held in Clanton recently, to be sent to Anniston to be shown in the District Fair, left Clanton Monday, according to County Agent Stapp. Those calves being shown in Anniston are the property of the following:

Heifers: J. P. Culp, Howard Martin, Chester Messer, Clyde Popwell and James Dennis.

Bulls: Ralph Mims and Clyde Popwell.

The livestock judging team of the local clubs and other members, will accompany County Agent Stapp to Anniston today to compete with other Calf Club members in a judging contest. The Alabama club boy making the highest score in this contest will be given a free trip to the International Livestock Exposition to be held in Chicago this fall.

PINEDALE SCHOOL HOUSE IS DAMAGED BY FIRE

Those attending church at Pinedale last Sunday night were disturbed by a blaze on the school building of Pinedale. Residents of the community soon had the fire extinguished. The blaze appeared to have originated on the outside of the building, information states. The State Fire Marshal of Montgomery was expected in Clanton Tuesday to investigate the fire.

MR. AND MRS. FRANK HAVILAND OF NEW JERSEY VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haviland, and charming little guest, Dolores, arrived in Clanton last Monday morning from Camden, N. J., and spent sometime as guests of Mrs. Mamie C. Smith and family. Mr. Haviland was born in Jemison, leaving there in his early life. He has been prominently connected in church work for several years, doing extensive missionary work.

Mr. Haviland commented extremely favorably on Clanton and its appearance as a little city, this being his first visit here in several years. Mr. and Mrs. Haviland left Tuesday morning for Ocean Springs, Miss., by motor where they will visit other relatives.

MASS MEETING ON ALA SCHOOLS IS CALLED OFF

Extra Session Legislature To Relieve Situation Seen As Assured, $417,000 Nov.1

With state schools promised more than $1,000,000 soon and with practical assurance the Legislature will be called in extra session to care for future needs, according to Dr. J. B. Mills, the president of Alabama School Boards Association, Saturday said he had cancelled the mass meeting called for Oct. 15 at Montgomery

At the same time Dr. Mills made public a letter in reply to Gov. Miller's criticism of school forces in his refusal to address the meeting. He said in the letter the school forces had expected the governor to keep his campaign pledges of full support for the schools.

Dr. Mills said he had a conference Friday with C. C. Moseley, president, Education Association, and the latter told him Gov. Miller had been able to promise the schools $417,000 by Nov. 1 and $850,000 about Dec. 1, and the Legislature would care for future needs.

Announcement of cancellation of the meeting followed refusal of Gov. Miller to address the gathering because he did not think it "expedient," and a statement by A. F. Harman, superintendent of education, who discouraged the meeting.

The governor's refusal was accompanied by criticism of Dr. Mills' organization when the executive said very few members of it or teachers of the state had helped to get the Legislature to adopt recommendations made for school relief.

Commenting on the proposed mass meeting, Dr. Harman had asked that it be dropped by saying "I believe that unwholesome publicity and extravagance of assertion ultimately will result unfavorably to our various interests as a state, including particularly the public schools.

"I have consulted persons representing every possible variety of opinion concerning the school situation in Alabama. I have not obtained from any one interview the opinion that such a gathering as that proposed at Cramton Bowl will result in material good for the schools. I am, therefore, publicly expressing this opinion and the sincere hope that wise counselors and school officials throughout the state will discourage the gathering."

DeMABEL'S REDUCES PRICE ON LADIES HAIR CUTTING

In an ad appearing in the News for several weeks of the DeMabel's Beauty Shoppe, the price on hair cutting was quoted at thirty-five cents. This should have been twenty-five cents as Miss Howard has been charging this reduced price for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Conway and John R. Lodge, residents of the Mulberry Community, were in Clanton yesterday.

TRANSFER IS ASKED FOR IN FRIDGE CASE

Arthur Chilton To Defend U. S. Agent Indicted For Shooting On Raid

A petition requesting that the case of the State of Alabama against C. F. Fridge, Federal prohibition agent, in the Coosa Circuit Court, which alleges that Agent Fridge fired with murderous intent on Frank Calloway during a still raid about two weeks ago, be transferred to the United States District Court, was drawn Friday by J. O. Middleton, assistant United States District Attorney.

The petition probably would be filed in the Federal court in Montgomery Saturday, Mr. Middleton said, and upon the filing of the request the case would automatically be transferred to the Federal Court for the trial of Fridge. The petition sets forth the circumstances surrounding the shooting and asks that Judge Charles B. Kennamer, of the United States District Court, issue an appropriate order to the Coosa Circuit Court, commanding that court to certify the record of the case in that court to the Federal

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General Principles Adopted By Muscle Shoals Commission Relating to Muscle Shoals, Cove Creek And Development of Tennesse R. Valley

The Muscle Shoals Commission in executive session in Birmingham makes the following general findings and conclusions, subject to such modification as subsequent consideration may warrant:

A. It is economically feasible and desirable to use and operate the Muscle Shoals properties for the following purposes:

1. Quantity production and manufacture of types of commercial fertilizer of greater concentration than those which are now sold to the farmer.

2. Cooperative scientific research and experimental practices by agricultural agencies, natural, state and county, for the development of scientific methods of improvement of soil fertility and for introduction of methods so developed among fertilizer users.

3. Establishments of industrial chemical operations as an essential adjunct to fertilizer production

B. It is the definite conclusion of the Commission that the foregoing public benefits can best be obtained by private operation under lease contracts through competitive negotiations.

C. In addition to usual and necessary covenants, a lease contract covering the properties should contain provisions giving effect to the following:

1. Such power as may be necessary, and such lands, buildings, fixtures and other equipment belonging to the nitrate plants as may be servicable, will be used for production of fertilizer and—or fertilizer ingredients in form suitable for home mixing and—or for direct application to the soil.

2. Products so produced will be sold to farmers or their authorized purchasing agents under conditions providing for equitable distribution and reasonable profit limitations.

3. Capacity for production of a required initial amount of fertilizer or fertilizer ingredients will be increased imum in response to reasonable market from time to time to a stipulated max-demands.

4. The lessee will pay a reasonable rental on mutually agreeable terms.

5. Up river development, including Cove Creek Dam, and equalization dam below Wilson Dam, to increase the rental in fair proportion to the benefits derived therefrom.

6. Term of lease 50 years. Boulder Dam clause on re-negotiation after 10 years as to price to be included.

D. In behalf of development of the Tennessee Valley, there should be authority to sell or use surplus Muscle Shoals property and to sell surplus power at the switch board; first, to manufacturers of commercial and industrial chemical products and, second, to others, states, counties, and municipalities having preference, the sale of surplus power to be subject to recall for the fertilizer production or for the manufacturers of chemicals by industries established in the district.

E. Power rentals accruing to the United States and proceeds from lease or sale of surplus property should be expended, not exceeding 25% for research and investigation and not exceeding 75% for the creation of a revolving fund for the operation and financing the purchase and storage of Fertilizer and fertilizer material, and the development of better methods of manufacture and distribution of fertilizer. Any surplus of funds not needed for such operation to be covered into the United States Treasury under the head of miscellaneous receipts.

F. Preference as a lessee should be accorded a corporation exclusively owned and controlled by organization of farmers, provided that in the judgment of the authority empowered to conclude a lease the corporation is prepared financially and otherwise to carry out the purposes of the legislation equally and effectively or better than another privately owned corporation.

G. The enactment of the necessary enabling legislation by Congress empowering the President or such agency he may elect to negotiate and, to conclude a lease contract for and on behalf of the United States.

Tennessee River and Cove Creek—Improvement for Navigation, Control of Floods, and Development of Power

Construction of Cove Creek is justified and is recommended for the benefits to accrue to navigation, flood control and incidental power development at Cove Creek and at points downstream. The United States should provide necessary funds for construction of the dam when a responsible licensee, under the Federal Water Power Act, shall agree to install the power house and other equipment for generation and distribution of power and shall also agree to pay the United States reasonable annual compensation for the service value of the dam for power purposes.

Cooperative construction of three high dams in the vicinity of Chickamauga, White Creek and Coulter Shoals between Chattanooga and Knoxville appears to be economically sound. It is recommended that legislation be enacted offering proper and reasonable inducement, under the general plan recommended by the Chief of Engineers and in accordance with the report of Col. Max Tyler submitted to this Commission, to responsible prospective permittees and licensees under the Federal Water Power Act for their cooperative construction in a progressive program. From these reports they appear to be more attractive to private capital at this time than proposed high dams at other points on the main stem of the Tennessee River. A progressive program for their construction would justify contemporaneous construction of Cove Creek and would likewise create power values sufficient to justify subsequent construction of high dams along the Tennessee River below Chattanooga in response to industrial market demands.

It is understood that the foregoing is merely tentative and is subject to change and amendments as may become necessary.

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Stocks of American cotton at three important European ports on September 11, 1931, showed a figure of 858 against a five-year average of 757, according to the Bureau of Economics of the U. S. Department of Agriculture at Washington.

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I am happy to observe a spirit of devotion spreading rapidly over our great country. More and more of that spirit is what it will take to put us all on our feet here and hereafter.

Millions and millions of dollars have been paid out by Mr. Hoover and the various governors of the states, the mayors of the cities and towns all over this great land and many other organizations, to "Committees" and "Commissions" with instructions to solve the terrible financial and labor troubles we are experiencing now. No information, nor one penny's worth of relief has resulted from this vast outlay. If that money had been honestly and intelligently spent for the relief of the hungry, think of the good that would have been done. So far as the depression is concerned, that is a matter that will have to be taken to God for settlement. That statement may not be popular, but it is true.

October is handing us some lovely weather this year, nicely flavored with dust.

No wonder the Lord was so bitter in His denunciation of the hypocrites. We have quite a delegation of them in these days and the more you are thrown with them the more fervently you can say amen to all He said and think a whole lot more.

I am certainly glad that Chilton and Coosa Counties have demanded a show down in the bold and high-handed ruling of the Tax Commission in behalf of the pauperized power company. But they have hardly a chance. The Gang is too well organized.

Hoover, Mellon & Co., have handed out another "plan" to cure the depression. They are certainly experts in handing out plans. Evidently they are only sparring for time.

Do you know of anything more pitiful and contemptible than the swell headed thing who struts his way about, empty head high in the air, not even with sufficient brains to see and appreciate the beautiful things in God's world?

Passing a law to control the planting of cotton would be another expensixe arce like the 18th amendment. Lots of money out and not a darn thing in.

Looks like it won't be long before you will have to buy 5 gallons of tax instead of gas.

The Constitution of our country says the states are al lto be self-governed. Congress has authority only on National questions, and each state is an autonomy and is endowed with the sole power of enacting and enforcing such laws as are required by the conditions and environment of that particular state. The Federal Government has no right nor authority to even bear arms in any one of the states without securing the permission of that state first. Our Federal Government now seems to have entirely forgotten the constitutional prerogatives of the state, but is now invading the states with numberless laws, both general and personal. This state of affairs will inevitably lead to an Empire or a bloody revolution in the years to come. Take your choice.

The Lord gave the farmers a wonderful season for growing their crops and the harvest time has been excellent beyond compare, still, hunger and want prevail. God can do His part, but man is a greedy failure.

Hoover arranged to pay the "frozen" debts owing to the millionaire bankers. Why don't he come down the line and pay some "frozen" debts for the farmer?

A Mr. Shouse, a kind of vice-chairman of the National Democratic Executive Committee, delivered a radio address the other day that was a peach. He went back to real democratic principles and outlined what he intends to put before the convention next June as a platform for the party. If the party adopts his ideas and then, after all of these deceptive years, can induce the people to believe they mean what they say, it will sweep the country in the election to follow. Convincing the people they mean what they say will be the job. There has been so much lying done in the past the people have become skeptical.

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Brief News Notes

Recent prices of cotton on the New York Exchange are the lowest recorded on the New York market since 1898 when a quotation of 5.31 was registered. In 1914 the outbreak of the World War paralyzed cotton to the extent of causing exchanges to close and spot prices in the South dropped to a very low price, causing the "buy-a-bale" movement to be launched.

Consumption of American cotton during the year ending August 31 totaled 425,819 bales against a five-year average of 514,499 bales. The latest figure, however, was a substantial improvement over a year ago when 352,626 bales were consumed. These are official figures.

October 1 marked the twenty-fifth anniversary of Federal meat-inspection service in the United States. During these 25 years Federal inspectors have examined annually from 42 to 78 million food animals and their carcasses, a grand total of approximately 1,600,000,000 animals.

Open seasons for Alabama game and birds are as follows: Deer (male) Nov. 1-Dec. 31; Squirrel, Nov. 1-Jan. 31; bear, Nov. 1-Feb. 28; Bob white (quail) (partridge), Nov. 20-Feb. 20; Grouse (pheasant), Nov. 15-Dec. 15; Wild turkey gobbler, Dec. 1-31 and March 1-April 10; Dove, Sept. 1-Sept. 30 and Nov. 20-Jan. 31, except Mobile and Baldwin Counties, Seasons Nov. 1-Jan. 31, following: Duck, goose, brant, coot (mud hen), Nov. 16-Dec. 15; Wilson snipe, Nov. 1-Jan- 15; Woodcock, Dec. 1-Dec. 31.

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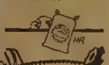

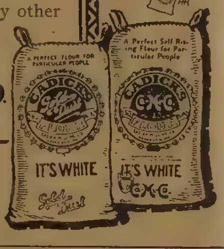

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QUARTER BILLION IN REVENUE FROM GAS TAXES FOR 6 MONTHS

Gasoline taxes rovided, in the first six months of 1931, a net revenue of $246,373,000 which is to be used principally for road purposes according to information collected from State au- Roads of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Nearly 7,118,000,000 gallons thorities by the Bureau of Public were taxed, an increase of 4½ per cent over the same period last year.

Consumption of gasoline increased in 36 states and decreased in 12 states. On the basis of the figures for the half year it is estimated that the gasoline tax will yield a revenue exceeding a half-billion dollars for the full year.

The tax is now imposed in every state. Only 7 states increased the rate of tax within the six months period. Two others made increases effective in July and August.

The total revenue derived was allocated as follows: Construction and maintenance of State highways, $158,332,000 or 64 per cent; for local roads, $48,417,000 or 20 er cent; State and county bond payments, $18,860,000 or 7½ per cent; city streets, $10,157,000 or 4 per cent and the remainder of $10,607,000 or 4½ per cent for collection costs and miscellaneous items.

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Car Can't Be Sold By Tax Collector

There is no provision of law whereby a tax collector may levy on and sell under the tax assessment, an automobile or other property, for failure to pay the ad valorem tax assessed on the automobile by the tax assessor, the office of Atty. Gen. Knight has ruled in an opinion rendered Friday at the request of State Auditor Brandon.

The opinion holds further on this subject that the tax assessor has no authority of law to include the assessment of an automobile in the assessment of other property of a taxpayer. Enforcement by the license inspector of payment of the license tax due, it is stated, always enforces payment of the ad valorem tax due on the automobile, and no other remedy is provided by law in such a case except by suit.

No ad valorem tax is due on an automobile until the license tax on the car is due, it is pointed out, and no license is due on an automobile each beginning Oct. 1, until such automobile is used on the public highway. When it is so used, then the license tax does become due.

Attention is further directed to the fact that the judge of probate is not authorized to issue a license for operating an automobile until the ad valorem tax due on the car for the preceding tax assessment year has been paid, as evidenced by the receipt of the tax collector, delivered to the probate judge by the person applying for the license, which receipt the probate judge is required to file.

When a license tax on operating an automobile on the public highways becomes delinquent, it is added, it is the duty of the license inspector to proceed as required by law to enforce payment and he may bring suit for payment of the license, taxes and penalties, also fees and costs.

Put On The Simultaneous Campaign In Your Church Nov. 30-Dec. 6 Our Biggest, Best Task

By L. E. BARTON, State Mission Secretary

It is reported from Baptist Headquarters in Montgomery that plans for the new Promotion work and Every-Member Canvass are going forward steadily. State, District, Association, and Church Committees have been or are being appointed so as to complete the organization for the distribution of literature among the church members and the forming and training of committees to be ready for the Every-Member Canvass, November 30-December 6.

Dr. W. P. Wilks is Chairman or Director of the Eastern District, in which this county is located. At the district meeting in Alexander City various reasons and arguments for accomplishing this big task were offered and discussed. **The magnitude of the undertaking was duly emphasized.** It was said by one speaker that he could not favor a proposition that was impossible, nor could he favor an undertaking that was unreasonable; neither could he be enthusiastic for a task that is not difficult. He urged that this is not impossible because it is God's work. God can bring it to pass through his servants. Also that it is not unreasonable because the Baptist people, with purpose of heart and sacrificial service, can do it. Third, that it is challenging and glorious because of its difficulty. It will take our full strength and cooperation. **Another reason assigned was that it is scriptural.** It is accordding to I Cor. 16:2, which says: "Upon the first day of the week let every one of you lay by him in store, as God hath prospered him, that there be no gatherings when I come." That describes weekly, systematic, adequate, and universal giving by the people of God Baptists must fight out their financial battles as all other battles according to the Scripture, if it takes a thousand years. Nobody needs to apologize for this undertaking. The Word of the Lord is back of it. The plan will care for the home work of the churches and for the missionary and benevolent causes which the denomination supports. This is intensely scriptural. The Apostle Pail said, "They that preach the gospel shall live of the gospel."

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Also there seems to be a surplus of plans for restoring prosperity, none of which will work.

A CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our many friends who were so faithfully good to us during the illness and death of our dear wife and mother. To Drs. Mastin and Wood for their faithful service, and words of kindness. To Mr. Spigener, the undertaker, and his efficient forces, for their prompt service and sympathy. Also to the teachers of the county and all others for their floral offerings and kind expressions.

May the good Lord abundantly bless everyone who had part in this, our sad affliction.

—J. T. Daniel and Children.

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A small town is the place where a street fight will attract as much of a crowd as a house on fire.

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State of Alabama

A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the Second Tuesday after the expiration of three months from and after the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, as provided by Section 287 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Act proposing the amendment was not submitted for the approval of the Governor but was valid upon its adoption by the Legislature without his approval, and

WHEREAS, the Legislat ure adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 3rd day of November, 1931, is the second Tuesday after the expiration of three months from and after the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 3rd day of November, 1931, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:—

"ARTICLE XX-B. Section 1. The State is authorized to engage in the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways and bridges in the State of Alabama. To this end and for these purposes, the State is authorizzed to appropriate funds and for constructional purposes only the State is authorized also to issue and sell interest-bearing negotiable State bonds in addition to those already authorized and sold under Article XX and XX-A, as amendments to the Constitution of 1901, in an amount not to exceed the sum of twenty-five million dollars ($25,000,000.00), to be issued under such denominations, numbers and series, maturing at such times as may be provided by law, and all such bonds shall bear a rate of interest not greater than six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and shall be sold at a price not less than par value thereof.

Section 2. The State Highway Commission or Highway Department shall locate, construct and maintain highways, bridges and State trunk roads so as to connect each county seat with the county seat of the adjoining county by the most direct or most feasible route by a permanent road, having due regard for the public welfare, and shall connect the county seats of the several border counties at or near the state line with a public highway in the border states. Provided, that in counties which are divided into two or more judicial divisions in each of which regular terms of the circuit court are held, the places where said terms of court are held, shall likewise be connected with each other.

Section 3. The proceeds of said bonds shall be used for constructing and/or surfacing of roads and constructing and/or repairing bridges, but not for maintenance or discharging of contract debts, liability or obligations existing prior to the adoption of this amendment.

Section 4. Eighteen million four hundred twenty-five thousand dollars ($18,425,000.00) of the proceeds of said bonds shall be set aside by the Governor and apportioned in amounts of Two Hundred seventy-five thousand dollars ($275,000.00) to each of the respective counties of the State which must be expended by the State Highway Commission or Highway Department in each of said counties for construction, which shall include hard surfacing, of existing and also new public roads and bridges therein. The remaining proceeds of said bonds shall be used for the construction, which shall include surfacing, of existing, or new highways and constructing or repairing bridges in the State.

Section 5. The proceeds of such bonds shall be kept separate and apart from all other funds and no part of the same shall ever be used in honoring a warrant not legally drawn against such proceeds.

Section 6. There is hereby levied and every distributor, retail dealer or storer shall pay an excise tax of one cent per gallon upon the selling, distributing or withdrawing from storage for any use gasoline, provided, however, that the excise tax is not levied upon the sale of gasoline in interstate commerce, and provided further that where this excise tax shall have been paid by a distributor or by a retail dealer or storer such payment shall be sufficient, the intention being that this tax shall not be paid but once. The terms 'distributor', 'retail dealer', 'storer', 'selling', 'distributing', 'withdrawing' and 'gasoline' are used as the same are used in existing gasoline excise tax laws of the State and shall be so construed, and all rights, duties, liabilities, penalties, powers and methods pertaining to the collection of gasoline excise taxes under such existing laws of the State shall apply to the collection, payment and accounting for the within excise tax, provided, the Legislature may limit, extend or further define the same. The excise tax of one cent herein levied shall be in addition to the excise gasoline taxes provided by existing laws of the State, but this section shall not be construed in any way as limiting the power of the Legislature to increase or decrease this or any other gasoline tax.

Section 7. The one cent excise tax hereinbefore levied shall be used first to create a sinking fund for the prompt and faithful payment of the principal and the interest on the bonds herein authorized, and, second, by the State for the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways and bridges of this State.

Section 8. The bonds herein authorized when issued shall be a direct obligation of the State, and for the prompt and faithful payment of the principal and interest thereon the full faith and credit of the State is hereby irrevocably pledged and such bonds shall be exempt forever from taxes of every kind.

Section 9. The bonds herein authorized shall be issued and sold in the same manner by a Bond Commission as set forth, defined and prescribed in Article 5 of Chapter 32, Code of Alabama, 1923.

Section 10. That House Bill No. 1204 by Mr. Tunstall, if and when passed by both houses of the Legislature of Alabama of 1931 and approved by the Governor and being, "A bill to be entitled an act to impose, for the use and purpose of surviving, preserving, maintaining, constructing and regulating the use of public roads and bridges in the State of Alabama, an excise tax on all persons, companies, agencies, corporations, and associations who sell, distribute, store or draw from storage for any purpose whatsoever, gasoline or any other liquid motor fuels or devices or any substitute therefor within the State of Alabama; providing for the collection of such excise tax and the payment of same into the State Treasury; providing for the enforcement of this act and fixing a penalty for the violation of the provisions hereof; providing that the said excise tax so imposed shall be in addition to all other excise tax now imposed by law; and, providing that freight agents or railroads and all agents of all transportation companies operating within the State of Alabama and who transport motor fuels shall report to the State Tax Commission all shipments of gasoline or any substitute therefor, received at any of their stations within the State", be and the same is hereby ratified, confirmed and validated and made constitutional as a law, and such ratification, confirmation, validation and constitutionally as a law, shall, according to the terms thereof when finally passed, in the manner aforesaid, take effect and be effective on the day of the passage of said bill by both houses of the Legislature of Alabama of 1931, and approved by the Governor, as fully as if said bill was set out in words and figures herein."

I further direct and proclaim that notices of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight consecutive weeks prior to the 3rd day of November, 1931, in each county of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the great seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the city of Montgomery, on this the 3rd day of September, 1931.

B. M. Miller,
Governor.

Attest:
P. B. Jarman, Jr.,
Secretary of State.

Prop. No. 2.

State of Alabama

A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the second Tuesday in November after the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, as provided by Section 287 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Act proposing the amendment was not submitted for the aproval of the Governor but was valid upon its adoption by the Legislature without his approval, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 10th day of November, 1931, is the second Tuesday in November, such day being more than three months after the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday, the 10th day of November, 1931, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:—

"ARTICLE XXI. Section 219 of the present Constitution is hereby annulled and set aside and hereafter the Legislature of Alabama may provide for the assessment, levy and collection of a tax upon inheritances and for the levying of estate taxes not to exceed in the aggregate the amounts which may by any law of the United States be allowed to be credited against or deducted from any similar tax upon inheritances or taxes on estates assessed or levied by the United States on the same subject. The Legislature shall have the power to levy such inheritance or estate taxes in the State of Alabama only so long as and during the time an inheritance or estate tax is enforced by the United States against Alabama inheritances or estates, and shall only be exercised or enforced to the extent of absorbing the amount of any deduction or credit which may be permitted by the laws of the United States now existing or hereafter enacted to be claimed by reason thereof as deduction or credit against such similar tax of the United States applicable to Alabama inheritances or estates."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight successive weeks prior to the 10th day of November, 1931, in each county of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

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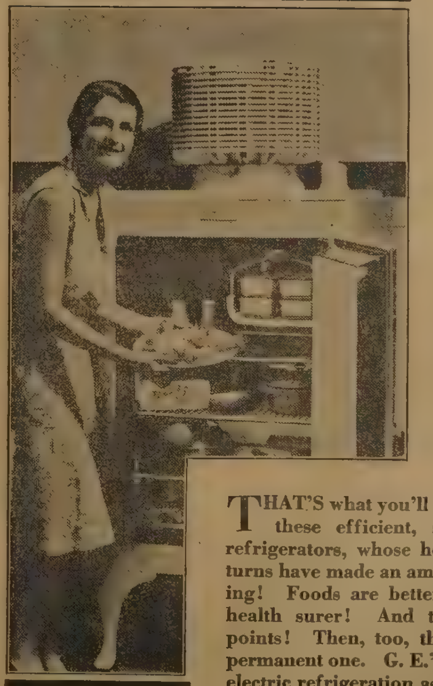

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Be Sure You Understand The County Agent Question

On November 3rd, 1931, qualified voters of Chilton County will go to the polls to vote for, or against, a proposed road bond issue of the State. At this same time, small ballots will be given each voter, on which he or she will vote approval or disapproval on the office and work of the County Farm Demonstration Agent in Chilton County, the office now held by C. E. Stapp.

There seems to be an inclination on the part of the voters to vote against the proposed bond issue. But be sure you understand what the road bond issue is. There is a proclamation from the Governor in this paper in regard to the issue. And by all means be sure you understand why, if possible, the people are asked to vote yes or no, in regard to the county agent work in Chilton County.

This newspaper endorses the work of the County Farm Demonstration Agent in Chilton County because it believes this county has shown considerable improvement agriculturally speaking since the securing of such an agent a few years ago, and after a study of the results from the work. Believing at the same time that every progressive farmer is in favor of it also.

There seems to be some argument as to whether to get rid of the agent would reduce an individual's taxes or not. That is simple. A person who is paying, say, $25.00 in taxes here, one cent from each twenty-five dollars goes to the county agent work, as it is understood by this newspaper. If the office is discontinued, it will not mean a reduction in taxes. Those paying taxes will continue to pay the same amount as usual.

This newspaper is giving generously of its page space this week to publicity on this matter. Activities of C. E. Stapp as County Agent of Chilton County during the past few years are published. We ask that each person read this carefully now

As far as the present holder of the office is concerned, we think Mr. Stapp is helping materially in boosting and aiding the upbuilding of the county, being public and progressive spirited. We have reason to believe that he has given liberally of the salary he receives from the county each month to church and charitable purposes whenever called upon. We suggest that all voters be sure they understand the whys and wherefores before voicing their approval or disapproval of the County Agent work in Chilton County on November 3rd.

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Chilton's Loyal School Teachers

The financial conditions of schools over the state have occupied front page space on many newspapers, caused to be the subject of conversations in business offices, across dinner tables, solutions have been offered, solutions have been searched for, but little has been said of the school teachers.

Our hats are off to the school teachers of Chilton County, those persons who are so unselfishly going on with their work, showing a most loyal spirit, giving of their learning and efforts, so that the children of Chilton County will not be deprived of that which is rightfully theirs—an education.

These teachers of the county are not allowing a monetary consideration to cause them to stop their work, and are teaching as usual with no sincerely stated complaint, that they are not being paid, and will not be paid until sometime off. It means a sacrifice on their part, as well as other employees of the educational system of our county, but such a loyal spirit of sacrifice for the benefit of others too young to help themselves will surely be rewarded

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Advertising Clanton

Towns and cities are advertised to the world largely by the kind of newspapers published in their limits.

Recognizing this, the News tries, as far as humanly possible, to reflect credit upon its home town.

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Shoals Commission Report Sounds Good

Several days ago the joint Muscle Shoals Commission met in Birmingham to discuss the Muscle Shoals situation. The report of this Commission is carried in this issue of the News. The report states that the Commission had agreed on a three-fold plan for operation of the $150,000,000 development of the government.

There is no doubt about it, the Commission working on this certainly showed some splendid judgment when it recommended that the Government not operate Muscle Shoals, but it be operated by private interests.

The report states, "It is the definite conclusion of the Commission that public benefits can best be obtained by private operation under lease contract through competetive negotiations." The recommendation of the Commission in its report states that the lessee pay a reasonable rental, and that the time of the lease be fifty years.

With this gigantic project on the Tennessee River having been a political football for years and costing the Government many a dollar to keep up, we hope that some immediate steps will be taken by Congress or whoever does it, in following the recommendations from the investigating Commission. A full report of the Commission is published in this issue.

PAST-PRESENT-FUTURE
IN CHILTON COUNTY

The county papers are saying something of the election to be held to determine whether we shall continue or discontinue the work of a county farm demonstration agent in this county. The election will be held on November 3rd along with the election on the proposed road bond issue of the state.

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General concensus of opinion seems to show that the majority will vote against the bond issue. Ballots for the county agent work will be given out with the other ballots. I hope that the people who vote against the bond issue will not also vote against the county agent work here.

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There is a lot to be considered in regard to the work of the county agent in this county. The people should go into this now while they have time before the time to cast their ballot, for or against. To discontinue the work does not mean a saving in taxes to the individual, nor does the continuing of the work mean an increase in taxes.

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Was glad to be able to shake the hand of Broadus Connatser the other day when he arrived in Clanton to spend several months. Broadus is one of those fellows you like to know.

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Another fellow I would like to see the next time he is in town, is this Sam Edwards, one of our prominent citizens in the county. I hope he'll drop in.

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The school teachers in Chilton County deserve the cooperation of every individual in the county is my opinion, due to their unselfishness in giving of their time and efforts that this county may have its school term regardless of whether salaries are paid promptly or not.

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It is not such an easy matter for the teachers, whether man or woman, to teach school for several months and not receive their pay when due. It simply means a sacrifice on their part, and they are to be commended.

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We are glad to see the Robinson Department Store reopen its doors. This store has just recently been repainted inside and outside, shelves have been refilled with goods and the doors are open for business. The reopening of this store fills a gap in the business section of Clanton that did not look so well.

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The offices of the County Tax Collector and the Tax Assessor are under their new boss now. The assistants to W. G. Culp and Aikens Collins are two congenial, likable persons, Miss Cleo Broadhead and Mrs. Walter Robinson. It is somewhat difficult to refer to the latter as Mrs. Robinson, we have known her as Miss Genie Collins, and to us she will remain that for sometime.

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We note last Saturday that DeWitt's Cafe has reopened its doors for business after having been closed for several days. This adds another business, again, to Clanton.

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Speaking of adding new business houses to Clanton, we wonder how many of our public-spirited citizens are really encouraging the locating of new business firms in Clanton. Seems to us that there is a wide field for new businesses here, however, we do realize at the time would be rather difficult for a new business house to get a foothold. Peanuts ought to be raised in this county without any trouble, according to County Agent Stapp, and if the product is pushed, what would be wrong in bringing an oil mill here?

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Before very long, the voters of the country will have another opportunity to express their wishes for another president, or the same one they have now. General concensus of opinion, however, in my opinion, shows the result will without a doubt be a new one. Our present President has been a pretty good one, but seems to me that he has fallen down on some promises that were made during his campaign for office. An office seeker should be careful of the promises he makes during a campaign because he might be elected, then he has those promises to face. Such campaign cries as "A Full Dinner Pail," and "Hoover and Prosperity" didn't seem to materialize, at least that is what seems the opinion of the people of this county.

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Seems to me that the Republicans have so long told themselves and everybody else that a Republican administration meant prosperity regardless of which way the water ran, until they have let something slip and the past few years has clearly shown that Republican administrations do not mean Prosperity.

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Tom Rockett says he has a filling station ordered and will put it on the lot across the street from the Ford Building. This new station when completed, will dispense the Shell gasoline and oil products, according to Mr. Rockett, and simply means another business house for Clanton, and another tax payer, license payer, etc.

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The cost of living in a small town is being cut considerably lower than ever, judging from prices on necessary articles for the home, farm, etc., to be found in the stores in Clanton. Take such things as automobile tires, batteries, etc., these are necessary to some people, and several years ago an automobile tire that would cost twelve dollars, is now being sold at approximately one-half that cost.

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Clothing, groceries, etc., have also dropped. A talk with the merchants of Clanton will show one that they can make a dollar go farther now. However, that means that the merchant must sell more goods now in order to make his business appear as good as it was three or four years ago. To sell more goods, more people must spend more money. So after all, I really don't know where it ends, or starts.

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But it is true that a person can live in a town the size of Clanton much cheaper and be much better off than living in a large town, or city. Friends are more apt to be present when needed.

In Paris the people cheered for peace when Briand and Laval departed for Berlin; in the German capital the people cheered for peace when the French officials arrived. The moral seems to be that the people of these nations want no more war.

Letters To The Editor

CHILTON COUNTY NOT BOTHERED WITH RED PROPAGANDA

Editor Chilton County News:—

I am writing this article to you, in behalf of the Colored people of Chilton County, in order that it may be read by our many White friends thruout the county. We wish to inform you of the fact that there are no dissenters among our group in this county. We realize the fact that to make Chilton County the best County in the State as far as racial attitude is concerned we must at all times discourage such efforts as would tend to destroy the friendship and harmony between races. The best element of Colored people is bitterly against any such antagonism and we are sure that the Colored people living in this enlightened age will not be influenced by such trifling institutions as will cause discord and strife between the two peoples of this County.

The writer has traveled extensively in the County attending conventions, associations, lodges, school meetings, farm groups and the like. Certainly, if there was such a spirit existing it would be brooding in some of these places.

Finally, we are hoping that you, our White friends and neighbors, will no longer entertain the idea of a spirit of rivalry emanating from any person of our group in Chilton County.

Yours for better relationship—is the voice of the Chilton County Negroes.

BENJ. ANDERSON,
Prin. Chilton Co. Training School.

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CLANTON WILL PLAY TEAM FROM CENTERVILLE FRIDAY

Announcement was made this week by Coach Horton Walker that the Chilton High football squad will meet the team from Centerville, Bibb County High, on the local field Friday afternoon, at 3:15 o'clock. This is said to be one of the toughest games the local boys will encounter.

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Don't fail to visit our One-Cent Sale Oct. 15, 16, 17.—Alred Drug Company.

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Two Wrecks Occurred On B'ingham Detour

Four motor vehicles figured in accidents occurring on a detour road near Birmingham Tuesday afternoon, late, in which Percy M. Pitts, attorney of Clanton figured also.

Due to repair work being done on a bridge on the main highway into Birmingham, traffic is being directed around towards Edgewood. A small truck said to have been driven by Dan Grover of Autaugaville, swerved to the left of the road and struck a large sedan said to have been driven by T. M. Butler of Kentucky, who was going south at the time, accompanied by his wife, the information states.

Grover is said to have ran from the scene, but a negro who was on the truck with him, remained. Neither were apparently injured, while Mr. and Mrs. Butler were rushed to a hospital in a police car, it was stated. While the wreckage was being removed from the road, on a stiff curve, two other cars collided at the spot. One car was said to have been occupied by Percy M. Pitts of Clanton and Rep. Lancaster of Elmore County, neither were injured.

No arrests were made, according to Officer Cunnynham of Homewood, who was on the scene directing traffic while the damaged cars were being removed. Grover is being sought, it was stated.

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YOUNG PEOPLES RALLY AT MAPLESVILLE, OCTOBER 18

A young peoples rally will be held at Maplesville Baptist church, October 18, beginning at two o'clock P. M. Following is the program:

Theme: A Call to Christian Youth.
Opening Hymn: "Loyalty to Christ."
Prayer:
Roll Call and minutes read.
Recognize organizations that observed the seasons of prayer for State Missions.
Recognize those who have reached the standard of Excellence thus far this year.
Announcements:
Devotional by Clanton.
You who are young, by Billingsley.
Special Song, by Indian Grave G. A.
Introductory Talk by Mrs. G. C. Traywick.
Tithers League Campaign, by Mrs. Hattie Dickinson.
Tithing Story, by Grace Ezell.
Youth Roll Call, by Mrs. Dewey Eubanks.
Octagon Coupon Campaign, by Mrs. J. C. Hughes.
Presentation of Stewardship Declamation Contest, by Mrs. Hattie Dickinson.
Closing remarks, by young people's leader.
Closing song and prayer.

Losing Where It Hurts
By the Gentleman at the Keyhole

The following is a clipping from Collier's Weekly, of October 17, 1931.

The other day a Republican active in party affairs and well informed about political conditions and I wrote down, independently of each other, the list of states that the President might carry in the next national election. We agreed in listing the same eight states as all in which Republican prospects were good.

Of course it is early to predict 1932 results. The extent of the revolt against the Republican party may be exaggerated in reports coming in now. And Mr. Hoover's prospects may improve in the next year; they can hardly grow worse. But as it seems today the President is likely to carry only about the same number of states that Governor Smith carried in 1928, though with a slightly larger total of electoral votes, since he will probably have two or three states more populous than any which his 1928 rival carried.

If these two guesses prove to be anywhere near right, then the greatest political overturn that has ever taken place in four years has occurred since the last national election. What is the reason? Perhaps the following letter will throw some light on the conditions which are affecting the Republican party so adversely:

Trouble Among the Regulars

"We are in a most distressing condition out in this section of the United States. While we harvested an unusual crop of wheat and oats and have the best corn prospect in many years, our banks continue to tumble over, credit facilities are practically nil, farms are being foreclosed, mercantile establishments are failing on every hand and a cloud of gloom envelops the country. Many of our most substantial farmers have gone broke, and their farms are now held by the insurance companies holding the mortgages. What I have said of this community is duplicated and in many instances exceeded in every part of our state."

The writer of the letter is an important Republican official in a Middle-Western state, not a wheat state, but one of those theoretically favored regions where diversified farming is practiced.

Where, then, is the Republican party going to get its votes in 1932, provided there is not a great improvement in economic conditions between now and the next election? The Republican party depends generally upon the farmers to carry national elections.

Without upstate New York the Republicans haven't a look-in in the Empire State. It is rural Massachusetts that usually overcomes the Democratic majority of Boston. It is rural New Jersey that is Republican. It is in the rural sections of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Michigan that the die-hard Republicans are to be found.

But the city vote is more mercurial than the country vote, and the cities this time have their own reasons for being politically disaffected. For example, persons familiar with conditions in Detroit predict that that usually Republican city will be likely in 1932 to go 300,000 Democratic. If that guess is anywhere near accurate then Michigan will have to be stricken off the list of eight states assigned to Mr. Hoover.

Enough Prohibition, Too

Also the dry vote on which the Republicans count heavily to win the next election is largely on the farms. Will the farmers be so firm for prohibition that they will forego the satisfaction of expressing their resentment of their economic condition at the polls?

Human nature being what it is, it is a safe guess that a good many of them won't, especially with faith in prohibition somewhat shaken by the results of a ten years' test of its practicability. Most judges of politics familiar with the state predict that dry Kansas will vote for a wet Democratic candidate for President next year.

It is generally admitted that the record low prices made for wheat this year will have profound political effects in the other wheat states as well as in Kansas. But in the North and East, where diversified farming prevails, many farmers raise wheat—not a great deal of wheat but still enough to feel unhappy over the return.

Corn is a more popular crop—most farmers raise some of it. A bumper crop of corn is in sight at this writing, to bring a very low price. Low-priced corn is always promptly followed by a great production of hogs, with demoralized prices for pork.

The advice to diversify farming has borne its fruit this year in a pretty general overproduction. The crisis in wheat has been dramatic. Less attention has been attracted to the prices of other farm products. At no time in a generation has there been such general reason for dissatisfaction among farmers. Republican remedies for agricultural ills, their Farm Board and their tariff, have failed. And voters are not reasonable.

Isabella School News

The Senior High Assembly of Isabella held its regular meeting October the 12th. After business was disposed of the following program was rendered:

Song: Assembly.
Devotional: Gertie Mae Owens.
Some High School Ideals: Mildred Durbin.
History of the Drama: Lorene Lecroy.
Adjournment.

The assembly is still progressing nicely, and doing some splendid work, largely due to the fine cooperation of pupils and teachers.

The duties of the members of the assembly are as follows: Keep the room clean; keep paper off the campus; protect school property; beautify campus; encourage pupils to do better work, and see that there is no loitering of pupils.

—REPORTER.

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CHILTON CO. HI SCHOOL HOLDS PRATTVILLE HI TO 0-0 DRAW

The blue and gold warriors of Chilton County High School held the strong Prattville aggregation to a draw on the local gridiron to repeat the feat of last Friday with Marbury High.

Under a beautiful October sun with the colors of Chilton flying in a truly football atmosphere the inexperienced and light aggregation of Coach Walker's Tigers fought a battle that deserves credit in the realm of gridiron lore.

Not once did Prattville threaten to pierce the impenetrable wall formed by the plebe warriors in the heart of the Chilton line, while the wingmen, Littlejohn and Miller, time after time spilled the interference and threw the determined Prattville backs for losses of from three to eight yards.

Turning the pages of defensive football we found the offensive highlights Arnold, J. Tiffin and Burdette, driving, digging and smashing right into the heart of Prattville's line for gain after gain of three to twelve yards.

The outstanding players for Prattville on defense were the left tackle and center, on offense Stewart, quarterback.

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Too stingy to feed his dog, R. H. Curtis of Bentford, Eng., was sent to jail for a month for letting the animal starve to death.

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CHILTON W. M. U. MEETS AT LIBERTY HILL OCTOBER 22

The quarterly meeting of the Chilton County W. M. U. will meet with Liberty Hill Baptist church on October 22. So be ready with your reports, and be on hand.

MRS. W. H. RAYBON,
Secretary and Treasurer.

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MR. AND MRS. HERSCHEL GORE PARENTS OF NEW BABY GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel E. Gore have announced the birth of a fine baby girl on last Tuesday at their home here At the time the News goes to press the new arrival has not received a name The mother and daughter are doing nicely.

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D. L. Gilmore, one of our farmers who resides on Clanton Route One, was a visitor to Clanton Saturday.

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Sunday, October 18, 1931

DeWITT'S CAFE

News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Mrs. J. E. Each and son, William, left early Tuesday morning on a motor trip to Garniers, Fla. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson.

Mrs. Frank Higgins and children, Frank, Junior, and Evelyn, of Birmingham, spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. Burt Higgins.

Miss Elizabeth Leslie of Ensley spent the week end with Miss Juanita Connatser.

The Chilton County Baptist Association meets at the Baptist church Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Higgins had as their Sunday guests, their son, Frank, and Mr. Higgins's brother, William Higgins and wife and son, Edward, who motored down from Birmingham; his brother, Jim Higgins, wife, four children, and niece, of Elmore, and Guy Higgins and P. D. Wilson of Clanton.

Mr. Broadus Connatser spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Connatser.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox of Clanton were the guests at the the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Connatser Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Thompson of Birmingham spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mr. Tom Kemp and Mr. Dick Kemp of Clanton spent Sunday with Mrs. Donald Merchant.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooke of Mobile were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Piper Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig of Birmingham visited the Pipers Tuesday.

Mr. McDonald Pearson and Mr. Marvin Davenport spent Friday and Saturday in Birmingham.

Realizing the value of the free advertising given Mr. Horton and Prof. Maddox in past two weeks, Dr. McDonald Pearson has also decided to cultivate a hirsute ornament. It is expected that Astro Wright will follow suit.

Mrs. J. W. Horton and Mr. Ernest Horton of Courtland, Ala., and Mrs. Paul Horton of Hillsboro, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton last week.

Mr. V. E. Wyatt is spending several days this week in Montgomery on business. Next weeks paper will carry an announcement of the formal opening of the Wyatt Drug Company.

Mr. Frank E. Mastin, spent last week in Meridian, Laurel, and other Mississippi points on business.

Mr. Thomas R. Primm of Hernigan, Ala., visited his mother Sunday.

Mrs. E. W. Butler and Miss Marguerite Davidson left last Saturday for North East Alabama. They expect to be gone a week.

Miss Ruth Peterson spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson.

Mrs. C. M. Williams returned Saturday after spending a week in Prattville with Mrs. Adams.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. C. R. Foss this Thursday. Mrs. Foss will also have the Ladies Guild a week from Thursday.

Miss Vivian Roebuck spent Monday afternoon with Miss Mary Sue Robinson.

Mrs. T. W. Robinson spent Thursday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Davenport and Mrs. Ben Davenport shopped in Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pate spent Monday shopping in Montgomery.

Mrs. Donald Merchant and daughter, Annette, spent Monday in Clanton.

Miss Era Robinson spent Sunday in Birmingham.

Mrs. J. C. Reinhardt of Wilsonville spent Sunday in Thorsby with her son, Mr.H. W. Reinhardt.

We note theer is some building activitiy in Thorsby. Mr. Edward Howard and Mr. John Childress are both building homes near the highway south of town. Mr. R. L. Davenport, whose house recently burned, is cleaning off his lot and we understand he is planning to build in the near future.

Mrs. W. L. Leary is confined to her bed, but we hope that she will be better soon.

Miss Anna Werness of Birmingham spent the week end in Thorsby with her mother and sister.

Miss Bertha Littleton spent Tuesday in Thorsby with her sister, Mrs. Emmett Billingsley.

Mrs. Ruby Sims left Saturday to join her husband, who is at present located at Fulton, La.

The Helen Keller Literary Society gave its first public program last Saturday night under the direction of Miss Onita Klingelhoefer, assisted by Miss Thoroman, who was in charge of the musical numbers. The general theme was "Rain and the Rainbow." This was carried out in the poems, essays, umbrella drill, girls' glee club, etc, and made an interesting program. The next open program will be the night of November 7, and will be an operetta entitled, "Christina of Greenland."

The Christian Endeavor met at 6:30 last Sunday evening at the Congregational church. A special patriotic program had been planned by the leader, Mrs. Carrie Smith. The topic being, "What does it mean to be a good citizen?" The society is moving along nicely with the new officers who were installed October 4. We expect big things to be worked out by the society this year. The public is cordially invited to attend our prayer meetings held each Sunday evening at 6:30.

The Christian Endeavor is sending two delegates, Mrs. Carrie Smith, and Miss Lorena Primm, to the District meeting to be held at Milbrook, Saturday and Sunday, October 17, 18.

The inhabitants of the dining hall and the boys' cottage are rejoicing in recently acquired radio sets. The one at the dining hall is owned by Miss Anna Fae Price. The one in the boys cottage is furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Smith. It is loaned by Mrs. Smith's sister.

In October it is the custom of the class in the Congregational Sunday School to review the year that has passed. As we look back over our records the A. T. Clark class is forcibly reminded that death has taken three well-loved members of our fellowship during the year, and we take this opportunity to express our united sympathy.

Resolved: That in the death of Bro. J. C. Primm, Bro. E. L. Thornburgh, and Sister A. M. Williams, the class has sustained a heavy loss.

Resolved: That we extend to the families of our departed members our heartfelt sympathy; that a copy of these resolutions be sent to each of the bereaved families and one to each of the county papers for publication.

—For the A. T. Clark Class,
Martha B. Goddard, Sec.
Marian Fairbank, Teacher.

The Womans Auxiliary club of Cedar Grove Church is to give a box supper Saturday evening at seven o'clock, October 24, 1931, for the benefit of the church. Everybody is invited to come and help make this a success. A cake for the prettiest girl and a cake for the ugliest man.

Everybody who is interested in the cemetery at Cedar Grove please come with proper tools Thursday morning, October 22, and help give it a cleaning up.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Colley were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Scott and Junior of Birmingham visited Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Connatser and family Sunday.

Miss Louise Williams spent Sunday with Miss Lena Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Walker, Mrs. E. L. Pate, and H. L. Collins were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pryor of Calera Sunday afternoon.

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FIRE DEPT. ISSUES RULE TO SPECTATORS AT FIRES

Due to much trouble and inconvenience on the part of members of the Clanton volunteer fire department, caused by persons who go to fires as spectators, the department calls attention to on ardnance recently passed by the city government, regulating traffic during the time of a fire in Clanton. The department requests that persons who are spectators at fires in Clanton remain outside the block in which the fire is located, and by all means stay away from the truck and hose. Members of the fire department are not responsible should some spectator be injured while the former is engaged in his duties at a fire, and the people of Clanton are being asked for their cooperation in this, as well as their attention being called to the recently adopted ordnance on this which makes it a violation of a city law to interfere.

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Sunday, October 18, 1931
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(Near DeWitt's Cafe)
Joshua McDaniel, Presser

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AT THE
Wadesonian
CLANTON, ALABAMA
"When they make 'em better, we'll show 'em"
FRIDAY and SATURDAY — OCTOBER 16 and 17
"WESTWARD BOUND"
MONDAY and TUESDAY — OCT. 19 and 20
"AFRICA SPEAKS"
THURSDAY—OCTOBER 22 — ONLY
"OTHER TOMORROW"

WAIT FOR IT
Savings On Guns
And Shells
Saturday, October 31
Clanton Building
Supply Company

Locals - Personals - Society

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Mrs. John Brandon Hostess To Thursday Sewing Club.

The Thursday Afternoon Sewing Club was delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. John Brandon Thursday. A delicious salad plate was served to the following members: Mesdames P. T. Hinkle, Mallie White, L. E. Diefenderfer, John Armstrong, T. C. McSwain, Napoleon Johnson and Hugh Simpson.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Callen spent the day in Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Trotter of Martin Dam visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Page Tuesday.

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The many friends of little Miss Lillian Smith are glad to know that she has recovered from a recent illness.

Mrs. Hattie Gerald, and Mrs. V. H. Sutlive of Thorsby visited Mrs. L. F. Gerald Saturday.

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Friday Night Bridge Club Delightfully Entertained By Mrs. L. F. Gerald.

Mrs. L. F. Gerald entertained the Friday Night Bridge Club at her home last Friday night. After many enjoyable games, the following members, surrounded with Hallowe'en decoration, enjoyed a delicious dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Hosea Downs, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Callen. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Fenn Jones, Mr. and Mrs. George Trotter, Mr. and Mrs. Omar Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Hance Alred, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Sutlive, of Thorsby, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stapp, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Page. Dr. and Mrs. N. S. Johnson and Miss Mary Ella Gerald of Thorsby.

The two Club prizes were awarded to Mr. Fenn Jones and Mrs. Norman Roberts. The two guest prizes were won by Mr. John C. Page and Mrs. C. E. Stapp.

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Miss Erin Danforth of Birmingham spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Danforth.

Mr. and Mrs. Schoefer and Mr. Wallace Jones of Montgomery were visitors of Mrs. G. Phillips Sunday afternoon.

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"As You Like It Club" Delightfully Entertained Thursday by Mrs. Pitts.

Mrs. Percy Pitts was hostess to the "As You Like It Club" Thursday. After an enjoyable afternoon a salad plate was served to the following members: Mesdames J. B. Atkinson, Flem Higgins, L. H. Reynolds, W. M. Polk, D. W. Haskew, T. H. Neighbors, W. W. Fox, Tom Burdette, M. A. Gore and Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry. Mrs. W. A. Reynolds was a guest.

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Mrs. Annie Lamar Cole returned Monday to Birmingham after a short visit to Mrs. Glennie Phillips.

Mr. Clarence Evans of Corinth, Miss. visited his mother, Mrs. J. E. Evans, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Higgins and son, Maury, Mr. and Mrs. Flem Higgins and son, Flem, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Smith and two daughters, Annie Cordelia and Frances, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pattillo of Billingsley Sunday. A delicious dinner given in honor of Mr. Frank Higgin's birthday and also Miss Nettie Mason Pattillo's birthday, was wonderfully enjoyed by all.

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Don't fail to visit our One-Cent Sale Oct. 15, 16, 17.—Alred Drug Company.

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Mr. and Mrs. Omar Reynolds spent Tuesday in Montgomery.

Mrs. L. C. Cromwell has returned to Montgomery after spending several weeks with Mrs. J. Q. Wade.

The many friends of Mrs. L. F. Gerald regret to learn that she is confined at home with a fractured arm.

Mrs. J. Q. Wade has returned from a stay in Stafford Springs, Miss.

Friends of Master Marshall Lee Ware are glad to learn that he has recovered from a recent illness.

Mrs. H. C. McDonald and daughter, Mrs. Major of Birmingham, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mullins.

Mrs. Pearl Williams, who is remembered by her many Clanton friends as Pearl Minor, was in Clanton shopping Saturday. While in town, Mrs. Williams called at the News office to have the paper mailed to her each week.

I. B. Yeargan, who resides on Route Three, and is one of Chilton's well known farmers, was in Clanton Monday. While in town, Mr. Yeargan was a pleasant caller at the News office.

Miss Celia Baldwin, a popular member of the Mt. Pleasant School faculty, and who is residing in Thorsby, was in Clanton shopping Tuesday.

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Robinson Dept. Store is offering bargains. See them.

Mrs. John DeRamus Hostess To Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club.

The Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club was delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. John DeRamus Wednesday afternoon of last week. After a series of enjoyful games a delicious salad plate was served to the following members: Mesdames F. J. Callen, J. H. Alred, L. F. Gerald, J. Watts Moore, Arthur Johnson, H. C. Falkenberry, Napoleon Johnson, John Browder, Grady Reynolds, Julius Burnett, and Hugh Simpson. Mrs. J. C. Page was a visitor. High score prize was awarded to Mrs. J. H. Alred.

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Howard Parrish went to Birmingham Tuesday where he will accept a position.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton and children of Mitchell Dam attended services at local Methodist church Sunday.

Mrs. L. C. Warr was a visitor to Birmingham last week.

Mrs. L. E. Diefenderfer and daughter, Helen, and Miss Ruth Prince, motored to Montgomery last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Thompson and son, Tom, Jr., of Selma visited Mrs. Lonza Parrish Sunday.

Mrs. G. O. Foshee and Mrs. W. A. Willis motored to Montgomery last Wednesday.

Misses Alice Polk and Vivian Gray, Messrs. Mack Wyatt and H. C. Rowe motored to Athens Sunday to visit Miss Corrine Polk who is attending college there.

Concord-Billingsley

The ice cream supper which was held here last Saturday night was a great success and well attended. We wish to thank everyone who attended for their presence, cooperation and nice behavior.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tindal had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Powell of Selma, Mr. and Mrs. Pratt Billingsley, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Chastine, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Williams and Miss Edna Sims.

Mr. Tobe Misseltine of Birmingham spent the past week end with his mother.

Mrs. W. W. Williams and niece, Ollie, were the Sunday afternoon guests of Mrs. W. A. Shaw and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cowart and his mother of Coosa County were the week end guests of Mrs. Cowart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw.

Miss Virginia Little was the Saturday night guest of her sister, Mrs. Horace Williams.

Mrs. Jackson Culver and little daughter, Mary Frances, visited Mrs. Dennis Misseltine, who is very sick, Sunday.

Miss Bessie Williams dined at the home of Mrs. Clyde Little Sunday.

Mr. J. P. Williams and daughters, Jettie and Mary Evelyn, took dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williams Sunday.

Remember next Sunday is our regular preaching day. We invite you to come and bring your friends. Come in time for Sunday school, too.

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Saturday and Sunday were our regular preaching days here and a good crowd attended both days. We invite everybody to come and be with us every Sunday night at prayer service.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Trammel of Selma visited relatives of this community Saturday night and Sunday.

Rev. Homer Carroll and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Minor were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff Saturday.

Mr. Garland Deason, Mr. J. D. Minor and Mr. Willie Bavar were the dinner guests of Mr. Carlos and T. J. Ratliff Sunday.

Next Sunday afternoon is our regular singing evening and we invite all lovers of music to come and be with us.

Friends of Miss Ola Ratliff will be glad to know she is improving from a lingering illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Elonza Hayes of Selma visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Short Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tollie Hayes motored from Birmingham Sunday to visit the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Headley and family were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sansom Sunday.

Our regular W. M. U. Circle will meet with Mrs. Mae Adams on the 3rd Saturday afternoon and we ask that every member be present.

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Captive Male—Darling, I'm afraid we'll have to manage differently. I'm not making expenses.

The Madam—Now, don't you worry. You just go on with your work and I'll make expenses!

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Alice—Lucille seems to prefer football players.

Grace—Yeah, she likes to be the center of a huddle.

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Sunday School Lesson

for October 18

PAUL IN THESSALONICA

Acts 17:1, 5-11 I Thessalonians 2:7-12

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

Paul and Silas were escorted to the boundary of Philippi by the very magistrates who sentenced them. That part of the country was also familiar ground during the recent world war. Thessalonica is the modern Salonica. The usual approach was made through the Jewish synagogue. Soon, jealousy arose because the success of the evangelists meant the giving up of many of the ancient national traditions and customs. A group of roughnecks was stirred up to attack Paul and they sought him in the house of Jason. Fortunately the soul winners were elsewhere, and poor Jason had to bear the brunt of the attack. Meanwhile high praise was paid to the work of the gospel in the charge that was made: "These that have turned the world upside down have come hither also."

Since the messengers could no longer be heard in Thessalonica they were sent forward to Beroea, where the same method was pursued. The people showed just plain common sense when they took the words of Paul and sought out confirming references in their Scripture rolls, our Old Testament. Therein they found the prophecies concerning the Messiah and it held their complete fulfillment in the life and works of Jesus Christ. We do not need to believe everything we are told, but many a great truth is lost because we refuse to give attention to the supporting evidence. The rest was that many believed and among the number we find a group of Greek women of distinction.

In passing, attention should be given to the various letters that Paul write to the churches that he established en route. Two epistles were sent to the church at Thessalonica after Paul reached Corinth. The Golden Text is a good verse to commit to memory: "Open thou mine eyes, that I may behold wondrous things out of thy law,"

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"I always carry my wife's picture in my watch."

"Is it an open face?"

"Oh, no! She stopped talking long enough to have it taken."

Tax Notice

Collector's and Assessors Round

WE WILL ATTEND AT THE FOLLOWING TIMES AND PLACES FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING THE STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR CHILTON COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1931 AND ASSESSING TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1932:

Mullins Academy, Beat 1	Oct. 5	Thorsby, Beat 9	Oct. 19
Jemison, Beat 2	Oct. 6	Coopers, Beat 10	Oct. 20
Mars Hill, Beat 2	Oct. 7	Cane Creek, Beat 11	Oct. 21
Benson, Beat 3	Oct. 8	Mineral Springs, Beat 12	Oct. 22
Verbena, Beat 5	Oct. 9	Robinson's Store, Beat 12	Oct. 23
Mountain Creek, Beat 5	Oct. 10	Providence, Beat 13	Oct. 26
Enterprise, Beat 6	Oct. 12	Macedonia, Beat 14	Oct. 27
Kincheon, Beat 6	Oct. 13	Pletcher, Beat 15	Oct. 28
Maplesville, Beat 7	Oct. 14	Culp Schoolhouse, Beat 15	Oct. 29
Shoults, Beat 7	Oct. 15	Providence, Beat 16	Oct. 30
Stanton, Beat 8	Oct. 16	Clanton, Beat 4	Oct. 31
Riderville, Beat 8	Oct. 17		

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct to attend in Person on the day of the appointment in your Precinct and then and there render to the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the 1st day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31st, 1931.

W. G. CULP, Tax Collector.

AKINS I. COLLINS, Tax Assessor.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT ON DEATH OF E. J. HARRELL

To The Worshipful Master, Wardens And Brethren, Century Lodge No. 567 A F & A M:

We, the undersigned committee, respectfully beg leave to submit for your approval and adoption the following preambles and resolutions:

Our departed friend and brother, Evans J. Harrell, was born Oct. 6th, 1853, and departed from this life Sept. 12th, 1931. He married Miss Alice Faulkner and there was born to this happy marriage the following children: Miss Ethel Harrell and Mr. Neal H. Harrell of Billingsley, Ala., and Clifford L. Harrell of Rayburn Gap, Ga. All of whom together with his widow and host of friends mourn the loss of our esteemed Friend and Brother.

Brother Harrell was made a Mason Feb. 12th, 1901. He was a true and tried Mason and a loyal citizen.

Brother Harrell was laid to rest with Masonic Honors at Billingsley Cemetery, Billingsley, Ala., September 13th, 1931 with Century Lodge No. 567 officiating together with a large number of visiting Masons where the last funeral rites were paid to this worthy brother.

Therefore, Be It Resolved by this Lodge that in the death of Brother Harrell his family has lost a kind and affectionate husband and father and that in this their great loss, and in this hour of bereavement, may their pangs of sorrow be ameliorated by the divine thought that he lived a life on this earth that was acceptable in the sight of God, and now resides in those heights above where all is gladness. We extend to the bereaved widow and family our heartfelt sympathy and commend them to the heavenly father above who alone can console us.

Be It Lastly Resolved that in the death of this Brother that Century Lodge No. 567 has lost one of its most devout members an honest man and brother, a valuable citizen whose life and character stands forth a paragon of truth and goodness and whose precepts we can all follow with assurance that we shall meet in that bourne from which no traveller returns and in that land where all good Masons hope at last to mee.

Respectfully submitted,

—G. T. Dickinson, Urvin Golson, E. B. Mills, Committee.

Billingsley, Ala., Oct. 9, 1931.

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FACTS NOT POPULAR

It is strange trait of most humans would increase their store of real knowledge. We spend many sours reading trashy fiction, which, if devoted to the acquiring of useful information would make us really cultured.

With the greatest wonders of the universe overhead every night, few persons know the names of half a dozen stars. Few know or can distinguish the difference between a fixed star and a planet.

This is merely one illustration of how little interest is taken in the great facts of nature. Even with regard to current events, small attention is paid to new developments which mean so much to mankind. The greatest discoveries of science are hardly ever discussed, while details of the latest murder are on every tongue.

While a relatively few people in the world are giving thought to the marvelous developments of our wonderful age, the vast majority confine their reading and conversation to a narrow range of he most trivial subjects. Facts worth knowing are not popular.

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"IF I got constipated, I would get dizzy and have swimming in my head. I would have very severe headache.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

The Town of Jemison, a Municipal corporation, Complainant, vs. Mrs. O. P. Scott, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 1st day of October, 1931 by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M.,

On Tuesday, The 3rd Day of November, 1931. the following described property, viz.: Lots No. 33, 34, 35 and 36 in Block B, House and Lots in Park Place in Jemison, Chilton County, Alabama. Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This the 13, day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-15-3tcS. Register.

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On Tuesday, The 3rd, Day of November, 1931, the following described property, viz.: A part of the SW¼ of NE¼ described as follows: Beginning at a point where Church Street crosses Birmingham & Montgomery High-way on East side of said highway right of way 129 yds to South line of said Forty, thence East along South side of said Forty, 266 yds. to a ditch, thence in a Northeasterly direction along said ditch 108 yds. to East side of said Forty, thence North along East side of said Forty 248 yds. to wire fence, thence in a Westerly direction along wire fence to Church Street, thence along South side of Church Street, to point of beginning, Section 23, Township 23, Range 13. containing 18 acres. situated in the Town of Jemison, Chilton County, Alabama, Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This the 13th, day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-15-3tcS Register.

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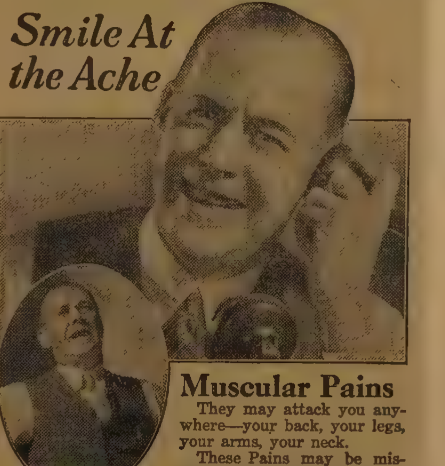

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NINE CHILTON STUDENTS AT JACKSONVILLE COLLEGE

Jacksonville, Ala., Oct. 7.—Nine students from Chilton County are included in the present enrollment at the Jacksonville State Teachers College. Each high school in the county is well represented in the enrollment. Many of the Chilton County students are taking a leading part in the activities such as society work, glee club, orchestra, band, Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A. and athletics. A representative number also are given a high rating in class work. The following students from Chilton County are enrolled at Jacksonville: Henry Apperson, Otto Apperson, Herman LeCroy, Ensley Atkinson, Carl Glasscock, Edward Glasscock, Cuba Littleton, Annie Laurie Potts, and Thomas A. Brown.

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My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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CHAPTER LIV

The French government had expressed a desire to bestow their decorations on American officers and men, and asked if I would accept an appointment in the Legion of Honor with the grade of grand officer.

As congress had recently granted permission for members of our forces to receive foreign decorations, the French government was advised accordingly, and it was to confer this honor upon me that President Poincare paid his brief visit to Chaumont August 6, 1918.

I met him at the station with a military escort and conducted him to my headquarters, where the senior officers of the staff were presented. After that formality we repaired to the small area of barracks, where the headquarters troop and band were drawn up in line for the ceremony.

I was not insensible to the high personal honor, but regarded it mainly as an appreciation on the part of the French government of the assistance America had already given to the cause.

Pershing Takes Command.

As the American army was now an accomplished fact, it seemed advisable to begin preparations immediately to carry out the plan of campaign adopted July 24, providing for a distinctive American operation against the St. Mihiel salient.

I motored to Sarcus August 9, and after discussing with Marshal Foch the changed situation in the Marne sector and the practical stabilization of the front on the Vesle, I suggested the transfer of the First army headquarters to the St. Mihiel region, where it could begin immediate preparations for the proposed offensive. We considered the outline of my plans and without hesitation Marshal Foch acquiesced in the transfer.

Returning to Paris the same afternoon I went to Provins to talk the matter over further with General Petain. We took stock of available divisions for the St. Mihiel operation, and he said I could count on him definitely to do everything in his power to furnish whatever we might require.

Having thus reached a general understanding regarding the preliminary details of the move, I drove the following morning to La Ferte-sous-Jouarre to take formal command of the First army and to give instructions to my staff regarding the movement of headquarters to Neufchateau.

Bell's Division in Action.

The Thirty-third division (Bell) was still with the British when the combined attack of the British Fourth and the French First armies in the Montdidier-Albert sector began August 8. The division was in front line training with the British Fourth army and was attached to the British Third corps for the operation, the One Hundred and Thirty-first regiment of infantry being assigned to the British Fifty-eighth division. This regiment joined in the attack August 9 against the Morlancourt-Chipilly spur north of the Somme. It reached its objectives in splendid fashion and occupied a line on the western edge of Gressaire wood, extending southward along the river.

August 10, it continued to progress against decided opposition, gaining the eastern edge of the forests of Fosse and Marcon. During the following three days, the command having been shifted, the One Hundred and Thirty-first infantry under the Australian Fourth division attained a line just west of Bray-sur-Somme. The three other regiments were in reserve during the operations. The One Hundred and Thirty-first infantry was relieved August 20, having advanced over three miles and suffered heavy casualties.

I motored to the British front Sunday to be present at Thirty-third division headquarters, near Molliens-aux-Bois, on the occasion of the visit of King George, who was then visiting his armies. General Bliss had preceded me and we both spent the night there. That evening General Bell, relating the details of the participation of his troops with the British, said their services had been urgently requested and that they had acquitted themselves well.

King George Bestows Decorations.

The king arrived August 12, to present decorations to selected men of the Thirty-third division, who had participated in the recent attacks of the British army. Soon after his arrival the king invited General Bliss and me to his room, where he presented me with the Grand Cross of the Order of the Bath and bestowed the Order of St. Michael and St. George on General Bliss. The presentations were informal, as the king simply handed the decorations to us in turn, at the same time expressing his appreciation of American assistance.

We then accompanied the king to the place where the men were assembled for the ceremony. He was gracious in his compliments as he pinned the decorations on our men, and the recipients were extremely proud.

CHAPTER LV

The final decision that the First American army would undertake the reduction of the St. Mihiel salient as its first operation was transmitted to Army headquarters August 10 and the army staff immediately began the development of plans for the concentration of the necessary troops for its execution.

It was certain the psychological effect on the enemy of our success in this first operation by the American army as well as on the allies, our own troops and our people at home would be of great importance. The attack must, therefore, not only succeed, but a serious hostile reaction must be made impossible.

The headquarters of the First army were removed to Neufchateau between August 11 and 16. The special army troops assembled north of Chateau Thierry were moved eastward during the same period.

Composition of First Army.

The following corps and divisions were placed at the disposal of the First army for the St. Mihiel operation and their condition may be summarized as follows:

The First and Second divisions were excellent as to training, equipment and morale. They had attacked July 18 in the Soissons drive.

The Third, Fourth, Twenty-sixth and Forty-second divisions were of fine morale and considerable experience, as they had fought in the defense about Chateau Thierry and in the advance toward the Vesle river.

Serving a Field Gun.

The Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth divisions were going through their sector training on the front between Toul and the Moselle river and the Fifth and Thirty-fifth divisions were taking their sector training in the Vosges.

The Thirty-third, Seventy-eighth, Eightieth and Eighty-second divisions had been training behind the British front, one brigade of the Thirty-third having had front-line service with the British, and the Ninety-first division had never been in the front line and had received less than four weeks' training in France.

Misleading the Germans.

The considerable circulation of troops in the St. Mihiel area naturally attracted the attention of the people and of the officers and soldiers. Although cautioned against such discussion, the probability of an American attack on the salient was discussed here and there.

To divert the enemy's attention from our real objective it was necessary first to create some uncertainty in the minds of our own troops. The rumor was therefore started around headquarters that our first offensive might be in the direction of Mulhouse, in the Rhine valley, beyond the Vosges mountains, northeast of Belfort.

It was also decided to make a diversion in that direction, and as a preliminary step an officer was sent to lease buildings in Belfort. At the same time confidential instructions were sent Major-General Bundy, commanding the Sixth corps, to proceed to Belfort with a limited staff and prepare detailed plans for an offensive with the object of seizing Mulhouse and the heights to the southeast and eventually establishing our line along the Rhine.

In the letter of instructions seven divisions were mentioned as having been designated for the attack, and three officers from each of these units were detailed to report to General Bundy to assist in the reconnaissance. He was directed to expedite the work of preparation, as the movement would probably begin September 8, under my personal command.

An attack by the French Tenth army, begun August 29, 1918, was undertaken to force the retirement of the enemy from the Vesle and Aisne rivers. On its relief from the Vesle August 7 the Thirty-second division (Haan) was assigned to the Tenth army and entered the line August 28, immediately undertaking a series of local operations in which gains were made in the face of very heavy fire. Ravines and numerous caves in the region provided ideal cover for the defending troops.

The general attack of the army the following day met but slight success, the enemy resisting desperately along his entire front, but on the 30th, by a flank attack from the south, the Thirty-second division captured Juvigny, pushing a small salient into the German lines.

Hard fighting continued August 31, but by the end of the day the Thirty-second had reached the important Soissons-St. Quentin road, where it was relieved September 2. The Thirty-second division had advanced nearly three miles and its success contributed greatly to the forced withdrawal of the German line to the Aisne river.

Pershing Takes Over Sector.

As prearranged between General Petain and myself, the sector from Port-sur-Seille (east of the Moselle river) to Watronville (north of Les Esparges), forty-two miles in extent, then occupied by the entire French Eighth army and a part of the French Second army, was transferred to my command on August 30.

The front included the St. Mihiel salient, which was between these points, and embraced the permanent fortresses around Toul. We had three divisions in line on the south face of the sector, but the mass of our battle troops would not take over the trenches until the night before the attack.

Foch Springs Surprise.

August 30, the day I assumed command of the sector, Marshal Foch, accompanied by General Weygand, his chief of staff, came to my residence at Ligny-en-Barrois and after the usual cordial exchange of greetings presented an entirely new plan for the use of the American army.

The marshal began by saying that the German armies were in more or less disorder from recent attacks by the allies and that we must not allow them to reorganize, and that the British would continue their attack in the direction of Cambrai and St. Quentin and the French toward Mesnil.

Then, much to my surprise, he proposed that the objectives in the St. Mihiel operation be restricted and the attack made on the southern face only, and that upon its completion two other operations be undertaken by combined American and French, a number of our divisions going under French command.

Pershing Insists on U. S. Army.

I repeated what I had often said, that the American government and people expected the army to act as a unit and not be dispersed in this way. I pointed out that each time we were about to complete the organization of our army, some proposition like this was presented to prevent it.

The discussion was somewhat heated and much of it was carried on so rapidly that it could not be translated. He continued to reiterate his demands for the adoption of his plan, but I had learned that it was necessary to be very firm in dealing with him, and I finally said, in effect:

"Marshal Foch, you have no authority as allied commander in chief to call upon me to yield up my command of the American army to have it scattered among the allied forces, where it will not be an American army at all."

He was apparently surprised at my resentment of his attempt to confine American effort to subordinate roles, and said, "I must insist upon the arrangement," to which I replied, as we both rose:

"You may insist all you please, but I decline absolutely to agree to your plan. While our army will fight wherever you may decide, it will not fight except as an independent American army."

He said he was disposed to do what he could toward forming an American army. He then picked up his maps and papers and left, very pale and apparently exhausted, saying at the door as he handed me the memorandum of his proposal that he thought that after careful study I should arrive at the same conclusion he had.

Agreement Is Reached.

My chief of staff, General McAndrew, and chief of operations, Fox Conner, were sent to confer with Weygand September 1 and returned to Ligny-en-Barrois with word that Marshal Foch desired to see General Petain and me the following day. Motoring to Petain's headquarters with Boyd and De Marcenches, we found McAndrew and Conner had preceded us and after lunch we went to Bombon.

Opening the conference Foch referred to the note he had handed me August 30 and to my reply and asked my observations. Stating my attitude on the desirability of carrying out vigorous offensives to the fullest possible extent, I explained that if it should be deemed necessary to abandon the St. Mihiel project in order to begin the larger offensive, which was understood to be west of the Meuse, I would abide by his decision.

In the ensuing discussion, while there was considerable sparring, it was agreed the American army should operate as a unit under its own commander on the Meuse-Argonne front.

Marshal Foch concluded that the date for the operation should be postponed so we could first carry out the limited attack at St. Mihiel. We finally reached the definite understanding that after St. Mihiel our First army should prepare to begin this second offensive not later than September 25.

CHAPTER LVI.

"The First army attacked yesterday and the reduction of the St. Mihiel salient is complete," reads my diary of September 13, written at Ligny-en-Barrois.

"Our troops behaved splendidly. The secretary of war visited two corps headquarters; returned to Ligny much delighted at our success.

"Petain and I went to the town of St. Mihiel today and were warmly greeted by the people. This is my birthday and a very happy one."

The attack of the infantry on the southern face of the St. Mihiel salient started at five in the morning and before that I went with several staff officers to old Fort Gironville, situated on a commanding height overlooking the battlefield from the south. The secondary attack on the west was launched at 8 a. m. as an element of surprise for artillery preparation there.

Weather Gives Advantage.

A drizzling rain and mist prevented us from getting a clear view, but the progress of our troops could be followed by the barrage which preceded them. Notwithstanding a heavy rainfall the night of September 11-12, the weather gave us an advantage, as the mist partly screened our advance from the enemy.

Overcome Entanglements.

Thanks to the thorough preparation beforehand, the wire entanglements were more easily overcome than we had expected.

Trained teams of pioneers and engineers, with bangalore torpedoes, wire cutters and axes, assisted in opening gaps in the masses of barbed wire covering the German positions. The leading troops themselves carried along rolls of chicken wire, which was thrown across entanglements here and there, forming a kind of bridge for the infantry.

In all their offensives the allies had spent days destroying entanglements with artillery fire or had used a large number of heavy tanks, but we had only a few light tanks, ineffective for such work. The fact that we had smothered the enemy artillery was an advantage, as it enabled the leading waves deliberately to do their work without serious loss.

The quick passage through these entanglements by our troops excited no little surprise among the French, who sent a large number of officers and noncommissioned officers to St. Mihiel several days later to see how it had been done. One of these officers, after his reconnaissance, remarked in all seriousness that the Americans had the advantage over Frenchmen because of their long legs and large feet.

Troops Overrun Objectives.

In making our dispositions for battle our older divisions, the First, Second and Forty-second, had received positions on the southern face opposite the open spaces, to enable them to flank the wooded areas quickly, thus aiding the advance of less experienced units assigned to these areas.

The whole line, pivoting as planned on the Eighty-second division on the right, advanced resolutely to the attack. The entire operation was carried through with dash and precision.

By afternoon the troops had pushed beyond their scheduled objectives and by evening had reached the second day's objective on most of the southern front.

The division of the Fourth corps (Dickman) and those on the left of the First corps (Liggett) overwhelmed the hostile garrisons, and quickly overran their positions, carrying the fighting into the open. The German resistance on this part of the front was disorganized by the rapidity of our advance and was soon overcome. Although the enemy was expecting an attack, he did not think it would take place so soon and it therefore came as a surprise.

When the First division, on the marching flank of the southern attack, had broken through the hostile forward positions, the squadron of cavalry attached to the Fourth corps was passed through the breach. At 1:45 p. m. it pushed forward to reconnoiter the roads toward Vigneulles, but encountering machine guns in position was forced to retire.

Western Attack Slower.

On the western face of the salient progress was not so satisfactory. The Twenty-sixth division, in its attempt to make a deep advance toward Vigneulles, met considerable resistance, and except for a battalion of the division reserve had not reached the day's objective.

The French at the tip of the salient had attempted to follow up the flanks of our successful penetrations, but made only small advances. Upon the request of Gen. E. J. Blondlat, commanding the French Second Colonial corps, a regiment of the Eightieth division (Cronkhite), in reserve, was sent to his assistance.

On the afternoon of the Twelfth, learning that the roads leading out of the salient between the two attacks were filled with retreating enemy troops, with their trains and artillery, I gave orders to the commanders of the Fourth and Fifth corps to push forward without delay.

Using the telephone myself, I directed the commander of the Fifth corps to send at least one regiment of the Twenty-sixth division toward Vigneulles with all possible speed.

That evening a strong force from the Fifty-first brigade pushed boldly forward and reached Vigneulles at 2:15 a. m. the 13th. It immediately made dispositions that effectively closed the roads leading out of the salient west of that point. In the Fourth corps the Second brigade of the First division advanced in force about dawn of the 13th, its leading elements reaching Vigneulles by 6 a. m. The salient was closed and our troops were masters of the field.

Could Have Passed Hindenburg Line.

The troops continued to advance on the 13th, when the line was established approximately along the final objectives set for this offensive. In view of the favorable situation created just west of the Moselle river by our successes farther to the left, a limited attack was made on that part of the front by elements of the Eighty-second and Ninetieth divisions, with good results.

During the night our troops all along the line were engaged in organizing their new positions for defense, preparatory to the withdrawal of divisions and corps troops for participation in the Meuse-Argonne battle. September 14, 15 and 16 local operations continued, consisting of strong reconnaissances and occupation of better ground for defensive purposes. Beginning the 13th, several counterattacks were repulsed. The line as finally established was: Haudiomont, Fresnes-en-Woevre, Doncourt, Jaulny, Vandieres.

Reports received the 13th and 14th indicated that the enemy was retreating in considerable disorder. Without doubt an immediate continuation of the advance would have carried us well beyond the Hindenburg line and possibly into Metz, and the temptation to press on was very great. But we would probably have become deeply involved and delayed the greater Meuse-Argonne operation, to which we were wholly committed.

During the fighting from September 12 to 16 the German One Hundred and Twenty-fifth, Eighth landwehr, Eighty-eighth and Twenty-eighth divisions, reenforced the enemy's line and several other divisions arrived in reserve positions. September 16, in front of the First army, there were ten German divisions and two brigades in line and seven divisions in reserve.

French Overjoyed by Release.

Nearly 16,000 prisoners were taken and some 450 enemy guns had fallen into our hands. Our casualties numbered about 7,000. As the enemy retreated he set fire to many large supply dumps and several villages. The few remaining French inhabitants who found themselves within our lines were overjoyed to be released from the domination of the enemy, but many were left destitute by the burning of their homes at the very moment of deliverance.

On the 13th General Petain came by my headquarters and we went together to St. Mihiel, where the people, including children carrying French flags, gave us a welcome which may well be imagined when one realizes that they had been held as prisoners, entirely out of touch with their own countrymen, for four years, though always within sight of the French lines.

On my visit to several corps and division headquarters the following day I found all jubilant over the victory and overflowing with incidents of the fighting, reciting many cases of individual heroism among the troops.

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The pastor leaves next Monday morning to attend the Ecumenical conference in Atlanta, but will be back on the following Friday.

What about being in your place at your church next Sunday? Break that bad habit of yours that keeps you away. You need the church more than the church needs you.

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2. Overdrafts	1,511.73
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4. Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned	36,929.83
6. Banking house, $10,000.00 Furniture and fixtures, $2430.00	12,430.00
7. Real estate owned other than banking house	2,734.11
8. Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	16,880.64
9. Cash and due from banks	43,064.53
10. Outside checks and other cash items	10.65
11. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	1,500.00
Total	$441,390.94
LIABILITIES	
15. Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000.00
16. Surplus	50,000.00
17. Undivided profits—net	6,041.55
20. Circulating notes outstanding	30,000.00
21. Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	1,314.22
22. Demand deposits	147,638.47
23. Time deposits	156,396.70
Total	$441,390.94

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And now here comes Miller with that stiff handled broom asking us to vote another twenty-five million dollars of bonds on our shoulders, notwithstanding we are already crushed to the ground and in bankruptcy. I hope to see this bond issue beaten the worst of anything that has ever been offered to the voters.

Let Governor Miller get hold of the right end of that stiff handled broom and cut his own salary, and then cut the salary of every other officer down to the constable. The officers are getting too much of our tax money in salaries. They are the only set of people who are expecting their same salaries, fees, per cent, etc. Whether the old farmers can get it for them this time is very doubtful. He has carried his burdens about to the end of his ability.

History tells us that depression has been the cause of all revolutions. If these times continue, God only knows what will be next.

Farmers, go to the polls and vote for your own interests. Don't listen to some fellow who is interested only in his own behalf.

S. M. EDWARDS,
Thorsby, Ala., Oct. 12, 1931.

"Some Railroad Facts"

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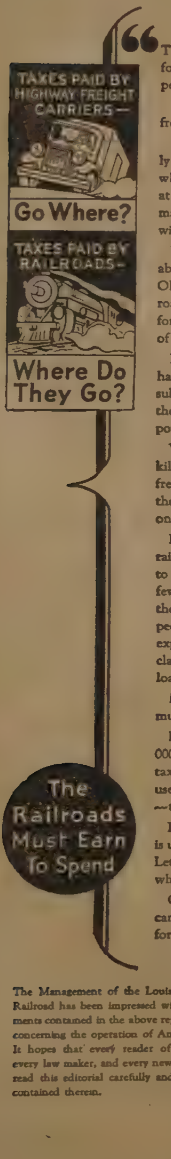
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The Railroads Must Earn To Spend

"Taxes paid by highway freight carriers in the form of gasoline excises and license fees are expended chiefly for what?

For maintaining the highways over which these freight carriers pass and for constructing new ones.

Taxes paid by the railroads—they average nearly $1,600 yearly for every mile of track—go for what? Maintenance of the railroad lines? Not at all. Maintenance of the governments that maintain highway freight lines for competition with the railroads.

Maintaining a mile of railroad for a year costs about $3,500. Who pays that? The taxpayers? Oh, no; the taxpayers pay for maintaining the roadbed for the motor trucks; the railroads pay for their own maintenance and also for a share of the maintenance of their competitors.

Part of the revenue of the railroads comes from hauling the mails. The Federal Government is subsidizing a competitive form of mail transport, the airmail, by paying 105 times as much per pound as it pays the railroads.

Why should anybody care whether the people kill the railroads by supporting fine highways for freight transport and restricting the railroads in their operations, preventing them from operating on the highways?

Because it is not good for the people to have railroads in a perilous financial position and likely to default on their bonds. But some one answers, few people own railroad bonds. Quite true; but the life insurance companies own them, and many people have bought life insurance policies and expect the companies to be ready to pay death claims in full and to meet cash surrender and loan demands.

Many savings banks, especially the large eastern mutuals, are heavy investors in railroad securities.

Federal state aid for roads at the rate of $125,000,000 a year comes out of the pockets of the taxpayers, much of it from the railroads; and is used for building up a competitor to the railroad—the highway freight and passenger line.

Is the whole thing unfair and dangerous? It is unfair and economically perilous. It is suicidal. Let it alone a few years, and the railroads will be whipped.

Can anything be done? Certainly something can be done. That is what we have a Congress for, and a President to advise and suggest."

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Of Chilton County News published weekly at Clanton, Ala., for October 1, 1931.

State of Alabama, County of Chilton, ss.

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(My commission expires April 11, 1933.)

NOTICE OF FILING OF BILL OF COMPLAINT BY THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

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State of Alabama, Complainant, vs. One Essex Coupe, 1931 Model, Respondent.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama.—In Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against one Essex Coupe, 1931 Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 18th day of September, 1931, one Richard I. Barry did transport in One Essex Coupe, 1931 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama to another, and that said automobile was on that day seized by the Sheriff of said county and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Alabama, and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 26th day of October, 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 25th day of September, 1931.

GEO. F. SMOOT,
Judge of the 19th Judicial Circuit.
10-1-3tcS

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BY ADMINISTRATOR OR EXECUTOR

Estate of S. A. Curry, Sr., Deceased. Probate Court.

Letters of administration on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 14th day of April, 1931, by the Hon. L. H. Reynolds, Judge of the Probate Court of Chilton County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

B. B. CURRY,
10-8-3tc Administrator.

NOTICE OF REFERENCE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County. Circuit Court, In Equity..

In the matter of the Last Will and Testament of James J. Jones, deceased, Lawrence P. Gerald, as Executor of the last Will and Testament of James C. Jones, deceased., Complainant, vs. B. G. Jones, et al., Defendant.

To all heirs and distributees of said estate residing out of the State of Alabama and all creditors of said Estate.

You are hereby notified that the Register of said Court will execute a decree of reference in the above cause rendered on the 6th day of October, 1931, at his office in Clanton, Alabama, on the 29th day of October, 1931, at which place and time you can appear if you think proper.

Witness my hand this the 8th day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-8-3tcS. Register.

NOTICE OF FILING OF BILL OF COMPLAINT

By the State of Alabama, Complainant, vs. One Ford Coupe, 1930 Model, Respondent.

State of Alabama, Complainant, vs. One Ford Coupe, 1930 Model, Respondent.

In The Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, In Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against One Ford Coupe, 1930 Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 26th day of September, 1931, one Dr. F. J. Lee did transport in One Ford Coupe, 1930 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama to another, and that said automobile was on said day seized by the Sheriff of said County and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Alabama, and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 1st day of November, 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 1st day of October, 1931.

GEO. F. SMOOT,
Judge of the 19th Judicial Circuit.
10-8-3tcS

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION TO NON-RESIDENT

The State of Alabama, Chilton County. Circuit Court in Equity. No. 944.

Mattie Williams, Complainant, vs. L. B. Williams, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of J. B. Atkinson that the Defendant is a non-resident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is over the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said L. B. Williams to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 30, day of October, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 26th day of September, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-1-4tcS Register.

Another weakness of our distribution system is seen in the fact that with an area of more than three million square miles in this country it's hard to find a place to park.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Registrars of Chilton County, Alabama, in accordance with the general Registration Laws of Alabama, as amended by an Act of Legislature of Alabama, approved August 20, 1927, will hold sessions for the purpose of registering all citizens qualified under the law to register, at the following places in said County and on the following dates, to-wit:

Beat 4—Courthouse, Clanton	October 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31
Beat 15—Pletcher, Ala.	November 16, A. M.
Beat 15—Culp School House	November 16, P. M.
Beat 6—Kincheon	November 17, A. M.
Beat 6—Enterprise	November 17, P. M.
Beat 5—Mountain Creek	November 18, A. M.
Beat 5—Mitchell Dam	November 18, P. M.
Beat 1—Lay Dam	November 19, A. M.
Beat 11—Cane Creek	November 19, P. M.
Beat 12—Mineral Springs	November 20
Beat 13—Providence	November 21
Beat 4—Court House, Clanton	November 23, 24, 25, 27, 28
Beat 2—Mars Hill	December 1, A. M.
Beat 14—Macedonia	December 1, P. M.
Beat 8—Stanton	December 2
Beat 7—Maplesville	December 3, A. M.
Beat 3—Benson	December 3, P. M.
Beat 5—Verbena	December 4
Beat 2—Jemison	December 5
Beat 9—Thorsby	December 7
Beat 10—Cooper	December 8
Beat 16—Providence	December 9
Beat 4—Court House, Clanton	December 10, 11, 12, 14, 15

This 28th Day of Sept., 1931

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A. D. MARTIN,
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Registrars of Chilton County, Ala.

CARD OF THANKS

It is with heartfelt thanks that we express our deep appreciation of the kind words spoken and the deeds of kindness shown us during the recent illness and death of our father, H. T. Simms. These things have made our bereavement more easy to bear, and our earnest prayers are with those who aided us.

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Mitchell Dam News

Mrs. J. L. Hollis is spending the week in Clanton with friends.

A few of the people here are attending the revival in Clanton, and report they are hearing some good sermons.

Mrs. Reuben Miller and son, Chester, from Clanton spent a while Monday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Miller.

Mrs. McGraw has as her guest this week her sister, Miss Daniels.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hendrix observed their wedding anniversary Sunday and with a few friends and relatives dined at the Club.

Fishing seems to be the leading sport here yet, with both the camp and visitors. They are catching lots of trout bass and drum.

Mitchell Dam is progressing nicely in an educational way. The literary school with Mrs. J. S. Ogletree as teacher, is going on the second month in a fine way, and the employees educational program has created great enthusiasm under the leadership of Mr. A. B. Stanley and J. G. O'Brien.

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A sum of $115 in bills stolen from her home a few days ago has been returned in a letter to Mrs. D. R. May of Princeton, W. Va.

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When his wagon and team of horses held up traffic in Bridgeton, N. J., Harry Durham, 56-year-old farmer and the father of 15 children, as held for driving while intoxicated.

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Quarterly W. M. U. Meeting At Marbury

The Quarterly meeting of Unity W. M. U. will meet at Marbury Baptist church October 21, beginning at ten o'clock.

Theme—STEWARDSHIP.

10 A. M. W. M. U. Hymn, Watchword and prayer. Devotional "Stewardship of Opportunity, Influence and Money, Superintendent.

10:25 Business session.

11:00 Special music, Marbury.

11:05 Inspirational Address on Stewardship of Opportunity, Rev. 3:8, Rev. A. S. Bentley, Billingsley.

1. Through every member canvass, Mrs. S. J. Ezell.

2. Through four month's Tithing Campaign, by associational Stewardship Chairman, Mrs. H. Dickinson.

12:00 Round Table discussion on What Our Association Can Do to Promote Both These Great Plans.

Afternoon Session

1:30 P. M. Song, "O Zion Haste."

Devotional: "Lovest Thou Me." Jno. 22. Young People's Leader, Mrs. G. C. Traywick.

2:00 Talks on Stewardship of Opportunity.

1. Thru Coupon Campaign—White Cross Chairman, Mrs. J. C. Hughes.

2. Youth Roll Call—Personal Service Chairman, Mrs. Dewey Eubanks.

2:30 Business Session.

Election of Officers for 1932.

Report of Committees.

3:15 Closing Hymn and Prayer.

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WHEN DANGER LOOMS

It is a sad commentary on present day intelligence that we are killing human beings at the rate of 35,000 a year and wounding 900,000 more in automobile accidents in the United States. Most of these deaths and injuries could be presvented by the exercise of reasonable caution by drivers on our streets and highways.

While many accidents are due to sheer recklessness, a large percentage are caused by defective car equipment. This is especially true with respect to brakes. Even the most careful driver is helpless if his brakes fail to function in an emergency.

Some pertinent observations on this subject are made by W. T. Palmer, an official of the company making Rusco brake linings, who has been making a nationwide survey of the automobile accident situation. He says:

"Driving instinct forces your foot down on the brake pedal when a car, truck, traffic light or other obstacle looms ahead, and this automatic action on your part usually takes place before your brain has had time to analyze the impulse puts on your brakes the burden of saving your life by acting more quickly than your deliberate thought could direct your hands and legs to act. If your brakes are out of adjustment or worn they can not possibly give you the protection they are designed to give. The intelligent motorist, therefore, "gives his brakes a break" by keeping them in perfect adjustment and hav-

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A pawnbroker in Chatham, Eng., is displaying in his show window a memorial wreath with a sign above it reading, "In Memory of the Departed Trade."

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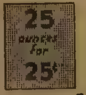

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Billingsley News

Mrs. Sallie Herrod of Hartford, Ark., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. F. Culp.

Mrs. Willis Lawrence of Eoline spent the week end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar.

Mrs. Blanche Boozer of Tuscaloosa was the Sunday guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Downs.

Mr. Clarence Green of Akron, Ohio, arrived Saturday to visit his mother, Mrs. J. C. Green, and sister, Miss Lila Green.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Williams of Montgomery were the guests Sunday of Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hall and daughter, Mrs. C. A. Marlar, viisted relatives at Blocton the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Burkhalter of Montgomery were the guests of relatives here the past week.

Misses Inez and Maude Lee Patrick of Tuscaloosa spent the week end with home folks. They were accompanied by Mrs. Zack Pennington and little son, Pat, of North Port.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Patrick of Montgomery visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Patrick, here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. Vinson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lundy Cherry, at Plantersville this week.

Mr. H. W. Willis of Asheville, N. C., is with his sister, Mrs. S. J. Smedley, for the winter.

Miss Bettye Jane Gregory spent the week end with her parents in Tuscaloosa.

The Unity Association at Bethesda Tuesday and Wednesday, and the B. Y. P. U. Convention at Big Springs church Sunday afternoon, were well attended by the members of the Baptist church here.

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GOVERNMENT SALARIES

Some interesting facts respecting the salaries of high governmentofficials are given in a recent publication by the George Washington Bicentennial Commission, which notes that Washington's salary of $25,000 a year was the pay of all Presidents until 1873, when an increase to $50,000 was made. In 1909 the present salary of $75,000 was authorized by Congress.

Cabinet officers in the early days received what would be considered very meager pay today. Thomas Jefferson drew only $3,500 a year as secretary of state; Alexander Hamilton drew the same as secretary of the treasury; General Knox, the first secretary of war, received but $3,000, and the attorney-general had a part-time job with little pay. These four were the only cabinet officers from 1789 to 1799.

Members of Congress received no regular yearly salary in the early days, but were paid $6 a day when actually attending sessions. In 1816 a salary of $1,500 a year was provided, but this was repealed the following year and $8 a day for actual service was established as their compensation. In 1856 the pay of members of Congress was fixed at $3,000; in 1866 at $5,000; in 1875 at $7,500, and in 1925 at $10,000.

Leading movie stars, prizefighters, baseball sluggers and columnists would sniff at all these salaries, except that of the President, and many of them make, even if they do not earn, much more than is paid the nation's chief executive.

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FIRE LOSSES TOTAL $500,000,000 IN 1930

President Herbert Hoover has joined the ranks of those who are fighting the monster fire demon that laid waste to $500,000,000 worth of property in 1930. He designated the week of October 5 to 10 as a period in which a concerted attack was made upon fire prevention.

The 1930 loss of $500,000,000 was an increase of $40,000,000 over 1929. "Consequently," said Lyle Brown, extension forester at Auburn, "the friends of the movement must put forth greater effort to hold it in check and they must exert a much greater effort to make a substantial reduction."

Farm fire losses totaled fully $100,000,000 or about one-fifth of the annual total, said Mr. Brown. This included buildings and other farm fires. Losses due to burning woods represented an enormous total.

This loss of $100,000,000 represented more than $30,000 per county for farm fires only. It represented more than five times this amount for all fires.

"Precaution with fires," continued Mr. Brown, "will prevent many destructive fires. Buildings need to be arranged with a view to fire prevention and control. Matches should be handled carefully and every precaution exercised with a view to preventing fires. Once they are started they are difficult to stop. It is the little fire that grows into a big fire."

The United States Department of Agriculture has published a bulletin entitled "Fire Safeguards for the Farm." It is No. 1643 and copies will be mailed upon request.

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Pleasant Valley News

The Sunday school at this place is progressing nicely. We have a large enrollment and a good attendance each Sunday.

Miss Mildred Neeley is spending this week in Montgomery visiting her sister, Mrs. A. P. Taylor.

Myra Keel was the guest of Lena DeLoach Saturday night.

Mr. J. J. Burkhalter made a business trip to Montgomery Friday.

Lucille Griffin was the dinner guest of Kate Courtney Sunday.

Mr. Osmond Lette was the week end guest of his sister, Mrs. M. G. Burkhalter.

Mrs. Jackson DeLoach spent Monday with her daughter, Mrs. Elous Courtney.

Mr. Aubrey Neeley dined with Mr. Raymond Burkhalter Sunday.

PEOPLES TELEPHONE YEAR CLOSES LAST OF OCTOBER

October 31st brings to a close this year's work of the Peoples Telephone Company. Therefore, a meeting of the phoneholders will be held at the courthouse in Clanton on Saturday afternoon, October 31, at 2:30 o'clock p.m. Everybody interested in the company is urged to be present at this meeting. New officers for the coming year will be elected, and other business attended to. Phoneholders please take notice and bear the date of the meeting in mind.

O. R. ROBINSON,
10-15-3t President.

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Thomas Stead, a forger of Norwich, Eng., who escaped before trial, sent a letter of apology to court.

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Three detectives attended church services in Glasgow and arrested two girls stealing the purses of women at prayer.

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Transfer Is Asked For In Fridge Case, Montg.

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Court.

The order will also enjoin the State Court from proceeding further in the case.

Thus Agent Fridge will be tried in the United States Court for an offense committed against the State. He will be defended by the United States District Attorney and will be prosecuted by Solicitor Hardagree, of the Coosa Circuit Court, and a jury composed of citizens from the several counties in the Montgomery Division of the United States Court will hear the testimony.

Calloway, on the other hand, charged with a felony in connection with the operation of a still, is subject to trial in both the Coosa Circuit Court and the United States District Court.

In other words if the Coosa Court failed to convict Calloway he might be tried in the Federal Court for the same offense. The United States supreme Court has held that in committing one offense against the prohibition law the offender has offended both the State and Federal Government and is liable for trial in both courts.

Agent Fridge, however, can be tried only in the Federal Court if the Federal Court orders transfer of the case, for under the Federal Statutes an employe of the Government must answer to a Federal Court when he is charged with an offense committed in the discharge of his duties as an agent of the Federal Government. However, in the case of Agent Fridge, only one law, that of the State of Alabama, has been violated for there is no Federal law against shooting a man unless such act occurs on property under the exclusive control of the United States Government.

So Agent Fridge, if and when the case comes to trial, will be prosecuted by the State of Alabama, in a court of the United States, defended by the United States Attorney and subject to the penalty, upon conviction, which the United States has prescribed.

Calloway is still in a hospital at Clanton and is believed to be recovering from a gunshot wound fired into the lumbar region of the spine. Calloway said that he was shot down as he fled and after having been shot he struggled with the officer and wrested himself free, when the officer struck him on the head with the shotgun, inflicting a severe scalp wound. He said the officer admitted shooting him but refused to say why he shot him.

Fridge has not made any statement. The shooting was investigated by a special agent of the United States Prohibition Bureau and a report on the case has been filed with the bureau.

Fridge was indicted Thursday by a Grand Jury of Coosa County. He is at liberty under bond of $1,000.

Fridge Declares Shot Accidental

Agent Fridge, in a sworn statement filed in the United States District Court Saturday as a part of a petition for removing the case against him from the Coosa Circuit Court into the Federal court, declared he was not guilty of the charge of assault with intent to murder and that the shooting was accidental.

The sworn statement sets forth that while attempting to arrest the said Frank Calloway for unlawful manufacture of intoxicating liquor, to wit, whisky, the said Frank Calloway was shot by the accidental discharge of a gun then being held in the right hand of the petitioner (Fridge) just as he had fallen upon the ground through no fault of the petitioner and without any effort or intent whatever of petitioner to injure the said Calloway."

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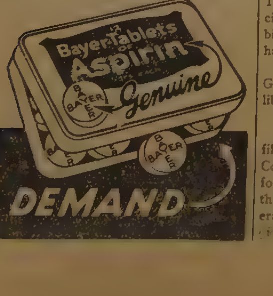

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Westinghouse electric range, $30. Or trade for good oil stove. Phone, 1376 or write P. O. Box 317, Clanton, Ala. 10-15-1tpd.

FALL FESTIVAL IN MONTGOMERY OCTOBER 19-25

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"If you're looking for something new with plenty to see and heaps of fun, don't miss the Greater Montgomery Fall Festival and Live Stock Show booked for the fair grounds, October 19-25," declares Simon Roswald, mgr.

"You'll leave your worries behind you as you enter the gates to the rollicking tune of Strouts Hussar band and begin to step lively as that appetizing aroma of roasting pop corn, hot dogs, and peanuts convinces you that a good time is just ahead."

Attractive premiums are being offered for entries of Aberdeen Angus and Hereford cattle, Duroc Jersey, Poland China, and spotted Poland China swine. Many herds will be on exhibit.

The first floor of the main exhibit building will be devoted to extraordinary merchant's and manufacturer's displays, each booth offering a delightful surprise; and a wonderful automobile show.

The Festival will open Monday at Noon. Tuesday has been designated as "Children's Day" and Wednesday, "Montgomery Day." Thursday, "Governor's Day," will culminate with a horse show. Friday, "Colored Day" will feature horse races and Saturday will be "Farmer's Day." Outstanding events of Sunday, the last day, will be automobile and motorcycle races.

Reduced prices will prevail: Main gate entrance 25c, grand stand 25c. children under 12 years 10c; and on "School Day," all children 10c. And no charge will be made for admitting or parking automobiles inside of fair grounds.

Rubin and Cherry Shows will make the midway gay with lots of thrilling rides and new shows. The Dutton Famous Circus Attractions will provide grand stand program of tight wire and aerial feats, trapeze, comedy, bareback riding, teeter board acrobatics, trained elephant act, clowns, and musical revue.

County Farm Agent Endorsed By Kiwanis Club Here

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ed upon to express yourselves by ballot on November 3 as to whether or not the County Farm Demonstration Agent shall be continued, we ask the privilege of expressing our opinion on this important question.

This Club has always maintained as one of its major objectives to help the farmers of the county to understand their farm problems and to reach a satisfactory solution of the same. In carrying out this program we have always had the faithful co-operation of the County Agent. We feel that without him we could not have approached our purposes in this respect with effectiveness. And we believe the farmers of the county can not hope to fully and effectively carry on their program of improved farm methods without the aid that can come to them only through the County Farm Agent.

We are proud of the advances that have been made in the business of farming in Chilton County in the past three years. We believe that the Farm Demonstration Agent has been the source of much of the information and inspiration that has enabled our farmers to make such progress.

Every farmer who has used the advice and help of the County Agent knows of his value, and we do not feel that they will need any urging to vote for the continuation of the work. We urge those who have not availed themselves of the help of the County Agent to vote for his continuation in our county, then get busy and use him, thereby taking advantage of the best thing available to you in shaping your business policies towards a profitable basis in the future.

We therefore give the County Farm Demonstration Agent our full endorsement, and urge the voters of Chilton County to go to the polls on the third day of November and vote in favor of continuing his services.

This resolution adopted by the Kiwanis Club of Clanton at its meeting Thursday, October 8, 1931, and ordered printed in the newspapers of Chilton County.

Among the visitors to Clanton Friday were G. W. Sansom and J. T. Minor of the Sardis Community, one of the communities represented in the News column each week by a correspondent.

You should see the savings to be had at Robinson Dept. Store in Clanton.

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPALS MEETING

All Junior High School Principals and Athletic Coaches are requested to meet at the Court House next Saturday afternoon, October 17, at 2:00 o'clock. The purpose of this meeting is to organize a County Junior High School League. There are ten Junior High Schools in this county, which justifies the efforts of building up an Athletic League which in turn would help school boys and school girls develop the idea of fair play and good sportsmanship. Not only will it be effective in this way, but will create a better school spirit and promote a keener interest in school and all school activities which results in better attendance and better work. Remember the time and be there ready to offer any idea or suggestion that will aid in the organizing of this League.

R. B. JOHNSON.

Bargains galore at Robinson Dept. Store in Clanton.

Singing At Stanton School Next Sunda

Announcement was made this we that the school building in Stanto Ala., will be the scene on next Sund afternoon of an afternoon singing. Th Clanton Quartette has consented to b present, it was stated. as well as othe musicians and singers.

A cordial invitation is extended t the public to come and join in on th event. Two o'clock Sunday afternoo has been set as the time.

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Savings On Guns
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Saturday, October 31
Clanton Building
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QUAKER MAID
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1/2 LB. CAN 10c POUND CAN 15c
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NO. 1 WHITE
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SUNNY FIELD
FLOUR
24 LB. BAG 65c 48 LB. BAG $1.29
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American Dill Pickles, ½-Gal. Jar 29c
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Alaga Syrup --- No. 2½ Can 19c
Iona Lima Beans --- 3 No. 2 Cans 25c
8 O'CLOCK COFFEE --- Pound 19c
Grandmothers Bread --- 16-oz. Loaf 5c
Bacon BEST GRADE SLICED lb. 21c

IN BULK COMPOUND
Lard 8 LB. PAIL 69c IN BULK 7½c
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THOMAS EDISON IS DEAD AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Noted Inventor Passes Peacefully Before Dawn Last Sunday Morning

After eleven weeks of illness, Thomas Alva Edison, age 84, died just before dawn last Sunday morning, at the hilltop estate, West Orange, N. J., where he has labored, endeavoring to give light, work and recreation to millions.

For these eleven weeks, Edison gradually became weaker, and soon lapsed into a coma, lasting for several days. He soon realized it was impossible to live, and stated he did not wish to live, telling his family that his work was finished, assuring those dear to him that he would rather leave the world than keep the burden and disabilities of age and illness on his devoted wife and his children. There was no doubt that he had prepared for death.

For more than fifty years, Edison conceived ideas and then turned out devices founded from them. The Edison brain gave birth to an invention at the average rate of about one every two weeks, and his registration of approximately 1,200 patents at Washington made him the most prolific inventor of his time and perhaps, of all time.

Edison was born at Milan, Eric County, Ohio, on February 11, 1847, and in the year 1873 married Miss Mary G. Stillwell, by whom he had three children. She died in 1884. He was mar-

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CENTERVILLE EDITOR VISITS IN CLANTON LAST FRIDAY

Clanton was favored on last Friday afternoon by the suave young editor and publisher of The Centerville Press, of Centerville, Alabama. While in town the editor James Oakley, called by the News office for a visit. He also attended the football game at the local field between Bibb County High and the Clanton team.

FRED HOWARD CONTINUES TO SHOW EXTRAORDINARY FRUITS

In keeping with his reputation for growing fine fruits, Fred Howard, of Thorsby, was showing some extra fine specimens of the Japanese persimmon in Clanton last week, at the same time bringing some nice juicy apples and pears to the boys at the News office, which makes Mr. Howard doubly a welcome visitor.

Mr. Howard stated that Evan Parrish will handle the large Japanese persimmons in Clanton for him.

MRS. GRADY HEFLIN TO ACT AS PAGE AT GRAND CHAPTER

Mrs. Grady Heflin left Clanton last Tuesday for Montgomery to attend the Alabama Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, which is convening in the capital city for three days this week. Mrs. Heflin will act as a Page during these ceremonies.

EDUCATIONAL FUND FIGURES TRANSMITTED

State Treasurer Gives Out Information On Funds For Education

Figures in regard to educational funds of the State of Alabama have been given out from the office of S. H. Blan, State Treasurer, as shown in the following communication to Gov. B. M. Miller:

Montgomery, Ala., Oct. 17, 1031.
Gov. B. M. Miller, State Capitol,
Montgomery, Ala.,
Dear Sir:

The following figures in regard to educational funds, are transmitted for your information:

The total receipts from three-mill advalorem tax, public utilities taxes, and all other receipts for educational purposes during the fiscal year ending September 30th, 1931 amounted to $5,715,125.48.

Total payments to public schools and educational institutions, and for departmental expenses, and other educa-

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Time Drawing Near For Registering

The time for all those who are of age to qualify as voters in Chilton County is drawing near. The notice from the Board of Registrars of this county shows that registering dates will begin on October 26th, and was published in last week's issue.

This is an important duty of every citizen who is qualified to register and should be attended to as soon as the Registrars are in the various Beats in the county. Find out what days the Board will be in your Beat and attend to this matter, calling others attention to it.

PEOPLES TELE. MEETING TO BE HELD OCT. 31

Directors Say only One Meeting To Be Held; All Urged To Attend October 31

The annual meeting of the Peoples Telephone Company will be held at the courthouse in Clanton on Saturday afternoon, October 31st at 2:30 o'clock. Everybody interested in the company is urged to attend this meeting, as it will determine what will be done the coming year. If you want the central office to operate, be at this meeting. If the prospects are sufficient to justify it, the operation of the central will be continued; if not it will be stopped.

For the benefit of the phoneholders, we will state that there have been quite a few applications for the job as operator. There are, in our estimation, some good reliable men who have applied for the job, and their offers are very reasonable, considering the hard times. We believe that it can be operated on the same revenue as was collected last year and as good or better service given.

Remember, that we are going to do our "do" at this one meeting. If you have any suggestions to offer, do not wait, for this is the only chance that will be given. We are not going to call another meeting.

—O. R. Robinson, Chm., J. M. Robinson, Lee Popwell, E. H. Mims, T. E. Wyatt, Directors.

Chilton County Postpones Mandamus Suit

Hearing on the writ of mandamus against S. R. Butler, state tax commissioner protesting the assessment valuations of the Alabama Power Company in Chilton and Coosa Counties, was indefinitely postponed Monday in Circuit Court at the request of Chilton County attorneys.

The suits, filed Sept. 30 by citizens of the two counties, protested a 45 per cent assessment on the Power Company properties in the counties. The hearings had been set for yesterday before Judge Walter B. Jones.

ARMSTRONG HAS NEW DEVICE FOR RE-SOLING SHOES HERE

A new device for resoling shoes has just recently been installed by the Clanton Shoe Shop, which is operated by I. D. Armstrong. This new device eliminates the use of stitches in putting on new soles on shoes.

A strong cement is used in glueing the new sole to the shoe and is apparently gaining in favor over the country. It enables Mr. Armstrong to turn out a neat job, eliminating tacks and machine work on the shoe. Mr. Armstrong will be glad to demonstrate the little device to anyone.

SEVEN ARRESTS REPORTED BY SHERIFF'S OFFICE THIS WEEK

Information from the office of Sheriff W. H. Gillespie, states that seven persons were arrested during the past few days up to and including Tuesday morning. One for driving a car without license tag, one for violation of State traffic law, two for violating the prohibition law, one for using abusive language, one for assault and battery, and one for bastardy.

P.-T. A. SOCIAL AT JEMISON HIGH SCHOOL TOMORROW

The P.-T. A. of Jemison High School extends a cordial invitation to the patrons and friends to a social Friday afternoon, October 23, three o'clock.

This is strictly a social meeting. No business will be transacted or dues collected.

Ask the Man Behind the Plow

(AN EDITORIAL)

Chilton County may have progressive business men, smart lawyers, trained doctors, religious preachers, and wise teachers, but these are a result and not the cause of our economic structure. Chilton County is a farming county, and upon this basic foundation our stores, our churches, our schools, hospitals, newspapers, our institutions and our government are planted. And a structure that is built upon a foundation of sand cannot stand the fury of the storms. We are proud of Chilton County's hydro-electric plants, its lumber mills, and all the industries it has. We cheer for our fellows who have won fame and honor in other fields of endeavor, but we are all aware of the fact that most of our citizens are farmers. And we also know, if we think about the matter, that they in large measure make Chilton County what it is. They are the ones who give businesses and professions, and county officials the opportunity to exist and follow their callings in this county.

Chilton County, socially, economically and officially, owes its unstinted cooperation to its farmers. On November 3, 1931, all the voters of this county will be called on to pass judgment as to whether or not our County Agent will keep his job. His job is to help the farmers. He has been trained in this work by the best teachers along this line, our state affords. He has been further trained by the school of experience. Not only is it his job to know and understand what the latest developments science has wrought for the farmers' benefit, and bring this knowledge to those he serves, but he also knows, by actual contact, the particular conditions, which confront the people of this county. Knowing these things, he is able to serve the farmers of Chilton County by bringing to them the ideas and the helps which they individually cannot go out and hunt up.

Figures can be quoted to show that year by year the county agent's work is one that pays dividends. But that is just a partial picture of what he is accomplishing. Who can measure in dollars and cents, the value of the idea of soil improvement, terracing and planting winter cover crops, will be worth to Chilton County in the next twenty years. Or the introduction of purebred cattle over this county. Or of the 4-H Clubs which are organized in so many communities? And the farmers' organizations we have functioning now? Who can write the figures that tell what these things will be worth to the next generation?

Yet they are things which generations before us didn't do. More, the ones who follow will do still more progressive things, which have not yet been thought of—and we need now, and will need for a long, long time, men like our county agent to lead us forward, to grasp new ideas and situations, to interpret them and lead the way.

True, our county agent, nor any one man could do these things alone. He must have the help and cooperation of business men, bankers, farmers and other citizens to realize these accomplishments.

We don't fully understand why an election has been called on this matter, because, not very long ago a mass meeting was called to decide this question, which was unanimous in its decision for the continuation of the county agent work. According to the Commissioners Court, "some citizens and tax payers" have requested the Court to give the voters an opportunity to say whether or not the work shall be continued. We don't understand why these citizens, in so short a time, have decided a vote was necessary. They must surely have had an opportunity to present any objections to the work, if that was their motive, at this mass meeting. If it's a matter of cutting down expenses, it seems to us a bad state of affairs when the farmers must bear the brunt of such economy; when other items of county expense must go on. That looks like, "From him who hath not, shall be taken that which he has."

Chilton County owes a debt to its farmers. They pay taxes and do their full share in supporting its government. Let some of the tax money be spent for their benefit. We believe that one of the most profitable ways to do this is to keep the county agent. We believe that there is no doubt about the voters deciding in favor of continuing this work. But let the farmers decide the matter. Talk the thing over with the man behind the plow. Find out how the men who are trying to solve the farmers' problems feel, and then decide if our county agent is meeting with the approval of those whom it is his job to serve.

Pay Your Subscription With Eggs at 30c, Chickens at 25c Per Pound

All day next Friday and Saturday, October 23 and 24, the News will accept chickens and eggs as payment for subscriptions, and will allow 30 cents per dozen for fresh eggs, and 25 cents per pound for fryers on these two days.

Look at the label with your name and subscription expiration date on it, on your paper. If your subscription is out please call at the News office and make arrangements to have the paper continued. The subscription price of the News is $1.50 per year, 75 cents for six months.

This offer will be good for the above named two days only. These prices are far above the prices allowed elsewhere for chickens and eggs. If you have potatoes, peas, syrup, or other farm produce, bring it in and pay up your subscription with it. Stove wood, pine knots, or pine kindling will be accepted also on subscriptions, and the News is ready to take any of the above except the offer on chickens and eggs, until further notice. This applies to renewals only.

WARNING!

Chief of the Fire Department Loren Smith has issued another and perhaps the final notice and warning to people, asking that they please stay out of the way when the fire department is answering a call and by all means of driving a car and the truck is coming your way, pull to the side as quickly as possible.

A car came very near being demolished last Sunday morning when the fire truck was turning a corner, merely because the driver of the car failed to heed the sound of the siren on the truck.

Spectators at fires in Clanton are also asked not to crowd in the block where a fire is located and the firemen working. Ignoring the above requests is a direct violation of a recent Ordnance of the Town of Clanton.

Don't Forget About Your Poll Tax

Of course there is plenty of time yet in which to pay your poll tax but nevertheless, it will not be saying too much now to remind the people that we have only a little over three months in which to pay Poll Tax. So lay by a little and be one of the "boys" when the voting time comes around.

Burn Wood and Help The Farmers

There are some farmers in the county who would like to get hold of a little cash money this winter, and who are willing to give full value for the money.

The people residing in the towns can aid these fellows some by burning as much pine and wood as possible and buying it from the farmers. Good pine knots will make a good fire and will last. There are farmers who will be glad to furnish pine and other fire wood to residents in towns at a small cost during the winter months that are on the way.

NEW FILLING STATION UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Shell Co. Erecting Modern Service Station on Main Highway In Clanton

One of the quickest pieces of work in construction of a modern filling station in Clanton was shown in the erecting of the new Shell Service Station which is beginning to take form across the street from the Ford Building on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway in Clanton.

This station, according to J. T. Rockett, local wholesale distributor, was sent to Clanton, all ready to be bolted together and erected, a modern method of building structures.

Mr. Rockett stated that it is hoped to have the station ready for business by November 1st. Just who will operate this newest addition to Clanton is not yet known. Shell Petroleum Products will be dispensed from this modern little station.

JAMES C. F. WILLIAMS DIED AT HIS HOME LAST SATURDAY

James Charles Fletcher Williams, age 72, died at his home near Billingsley last Saturday morning.

Funeral services were held on the following Sunday afternoon at New Cedron with the Rev. A. S. Bentley officiating. Martin & Sons of Clanton were in charge.

Two Fires Call Out Volunteers Recently

The boys on the volunteer fire department here answered two calls within the past few days. Neither case was serious.

The first call came Saturday night about seven-thirty o'clock, when flames did small damage to the home of Mrs. Clyde Jones. Short work was made of the flames there by the firemen

The second call came in Sunday morning about nine-thirty o'clock when the garage of Tommie Patterson, in South Clanton became ignited and had a good start toward destruction. The well trained volunteers showed some splendid work at the latter call, as no water was available in South Clanton, and chemicals had to be used, along with buckets of water. But the flames were soon extinguished with small damage done, however, other larger buildings were much endangered, including the warehouse of the Gulf Refining Company. The blaze is said to have started from a chicken brooder in the garage.

DR. R. J. EILAND WINS NITRATE OF SODA GUESSING CONTEST

Dr. Eiland's guess of 1250 pounds of seed cotton per acre where nitrate of soda was used and 1000 pounds per acre where no nitrate was used was the nearest correct of any of the 32 guesses made. The actual yield was 1640 pounds where nitrate was used and 1024 pounds where no nitrate was used. Dr. Eiland advises that he was mighty glad to get the five dollar gold piece.

WILEY E. MISSILDINE DIED AT BIRMINGHAM HOME, FRI.

Wiley E. Missildine, age 45, died at his home in Birmingham last Friday. His body was prepared for burial and shipped to Clanton and carried to Billingsley by Martin & Sons.

The deceased was at one time a resident of Billingsley where he and his family have numbers of friends who mourn his death. Funeral services were held last Sunday afternoon at Billingsley, with the Rev. F. A. Gibson officiating.

CHILTON BOYS SCORED THIRD IN DISTRICT

Members Jersey Calf Club Win Honors at District Fair, Anniston, Ala.

Ten members of the Chilton County Jersey Calf Club went with County Agent C. E. Stapp, to the district fair at Anniston Thursday and Friday of last week. Chester Messer, Quinton Kelley and James Dennis formed the judging team representing Chilton County in the cattle judging contest held there. The Chilton County team scored third place in the contest

Chester Messer made the high individual score for our team, and was third high boy in the contest. On one class of mature cows judged Quinton Kelley tied the score of the high boy in the contest, but fell short on one class of young cattle.

In the showman's contest in which 25 boys competed for the gold medal offered by the American Jersey Cattle Club, James Dennis of this county came out winner, and is the proud possessor of the medal.

Groups of five animals from each county competed for the prize offered for the best county exhibit. The Chilton County exhibit won second place in this contest

The two-year-old bull owned by

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NEW GAME LAW BULLETIN IS RELEASED, SAYS JEFFERS

The office of Congressman Jeffers announces the publication of a new Farmers' Bulletin, No. 1684—"Game Laws for the Season of 1931-32."

This bulletin contains in convenient form the provisions of game legislation for the use of law-enforcement officials, sportsmen and others. It is a summary of the provisions of Federal, State and Provincial statutes. The bulletin will be of interest, as well as value, to anyone interested in hunting.

Copies of this bulletin may be secured by requesting same of Congressman Lamar Jeffers, 387 House Office Building, Washington, D. C

M. LANDE MAKES A HOLE IN TWO ON 320 YARD DRIVE

Something happened the other day at the golf course in Clanton that has never occurred before, and possibly will not occur again in sometime, when M. Lande, a member of the Clanton Golf Club, slipped the white ball into hole No. 2 in two strokes, a 320 yard hole. Now, Mr. Lande, the next step forward is to make a hole in one. We're waiting.

J. J. STANLEY, COTTON BUYER, LOCATED AT BROADHEAD STORE

J. J. Stanley, cotton buyer here, who has been located at Goodgame's gin, near West End, has moved his headquarters to the store of J. R. Broadhead & Son, in Clanton on Main Street.

Those wishing to see Mr Stanley will find him in Clanton at the above store.

SUCCESSFUL REVIVAL AT LOCAL CHURCH

34 Additions To Church Thru Tuesday Night; Meeting Closed Last Night

What is possibly one of the most inspiring and successful revival meetings ever held by the Baptist church in Clanton closed last night This meeting which has been in progress for the past ten days has been under the direction of Dr. John Milford, pastor of the First Baptist church of Huntsville, assisted by Dr. S. J. Ezell, local pastor.

Each night the church has been crowded to capacity and on several nights, standing room only was left long before the hour of preaching. The songs were directed by Fred Bond, of Birmingham, and much good done

Thirty-four additions to the church were reported through last Tuesday night, 17 of which are by letter, others by baptism.

Jesse Patterson, of Verbena, was a business visitor to Clanton Monday.

Just A Shoe---

YOU can save money when you bring your shoes to us for repairs.

There may be many more months of wear here.

CLANTON SHOE SHOP
I. D. ARMSTRONG, Prop.
CLANTON - - - - - ALABAMA

Cooper News

The people of this community are being kept very busy with their work. Most will soon be through picking cotton, one rush will be off hand.

Our B. Y. P. U. and Sunday school are progressing nicely.

Miss Inea Fance entertained the young people around here last Friday night with a play party. Many games were played and hot chocolate and cake were served. All reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Morris spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Patterson of Floyd community. They reported a very enjoyable day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rushing were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Morris of Verbena district.

Mr. Emmett Morris and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rushing spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Morris.

Mr. J. C. Dennis made a business trip to his farm near Verbena Friday.

Mr. J. L. Jennings of Autaugaville visited Mr. W. T. Morris garage and cabinet shop Friday and Friday night.

Miss Bessie Smith visited Mr. and and Mrs. S. H. Smith Friday.

BRIEF NEWS NOTES

The Mississippi legislature adopted legislation restricting cotton acrage in 1932 and 1933 to "30 per cent of all lands now in cultivation." This is similar to what the Texas legislature and the Arkansas legislature did.

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Dr. A. C. Basore, chemist at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, has made from blast furnace slag of the Birmingham district a transprent aluminum glass of excellent quality. It promises to become an important commercial glass.

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Building permits issued in the smaller cities of Alabama late this summer exceeded the permits issued a year ago; while permits in the larger cities (Birmingham, Montgomery, Mobile) showed a decline. These facts were reported by the Alabama Economic Review published at Auburn.

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F. W. Burns, extension animal husbandman of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, has presented facts to Alabama farmers showing that those who have good cows and home-grown feed can convert $14 worth of this feed into $28 worth of butterfat, plus 1,600 pounds of skimmilk worth $4.80.; and also the manure.

Statistics show that 40 per cent of the corn produced in the United States is fed to hogs on farms. Twenty per cent is fed to horses and mules, and 15 per cent to cattle. Poultry and sheep, plus the amount consumed as human food, extends the total to about 85 per cent of the corn produced in America consumed on the farms.

Twelve pounds is a good gain in weight for a single summer. Several Mobile Preventorium children gained on that basis.

Enlarged liver may be the result of a weak heart that allows congestion of the portal circulation.

SEE THEM!

Our Store Is Loaded with Bargains in All Wearing Apparel

WE BOUGHT CHEAP - WE SELL CHEAP

SHOES
Ladies Shoes formerly sold at $4.95, now
$1.49

SHOES
Men's Shoes that sold for $5.00, reduced to
$1.98

INFANT SHOES AT 25c A PAIR

MEN'S DRESS CAPS
Formerly sold for $1.50, now going at
49c

WOOLENS
54-Inch Woolens, formerly priced at $3.00 a yard, now reduced to
98c

PIECE GOODS OF ALL KINDS ARE PRICED REASONABLY LOW.

Robinson Department Store
Clanton, Alabama

Billingsley News

The friends of Mr. Wiley E. Missildine of Birmingham, will learn with regret of his death. He died in Birmingham Friday afternoon. The was brought here Sunday. Funeral service was held at the Methodist church at ten o'clock by Rev. Gus Gipson, interment at the cemetery here, Martin and Sons of Clanton were in charge. Mr. Missildine formerly resided here and had many friends who will be grieved to learn of his sudden death.

Mr. J. C. Williams died at his home here Saturday morning. The funeral was conducted Sunday afternoon by Rev. A. S. Bentley at New Cedron church. Interment was in the cemetery there. Martin and Sons of Clanton were in charge. The many friends of Mr. Williams deeply sympathize with the bereaved ones.

On account of the funeral of Mr. Missildine, there were no services at the Baptist church Sunday morning, but the pastor, Rev. Bentley, delivered a very impressive sermon Sunday evening using as his theme, Heaven.

Mrs. J. C. Hughes, Miss Thelma Baxter, James Marlar and Stanley Bentley, Jr., attend the Young Peoples Rally at Maplesville Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier Marlar, Mrs. Floyd, Messrs. Bass, Thompson, and Cotton were among the friends from Birmingham who attended the funeral of Mr. Missildine Sunday.

Mrs. T. W. Willis of Jones and Mrs. Clyde Gregg of Stanton were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Marlar, Lamar and Jonnie Sue Marlar, nd Mrs. J. C. Vinson of Tuscaloosa attended the funeral of Mr. Missildine Sunday.

Mrs. Hattie Dickinson has been quite ill at her home here.

Berniece Durden is convalsecent from a serious attack of typhoid fever. Her many friends will be delighted to learn this.

The faculty from the High and Elementary schools attended the County Institute at Prattville Friday.

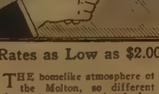
Miss Ruth Carter left Friday for Stony Point where she will teach this winter.

Ordinary "hypo" used extensively by photographers has a new use; it prevents "athlete's foot."

A marriage license in Elkhart County, Indiana, may be obtained for six bushels of wheat, Milo H. Cripe, county clerk, has announced.

Lord Ancaster of London has learned to knit and is so skillful that he makes his own socks.

the friendly hotel



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Keeping the Old Friends
Making Many New Ones

In Birmingham

The MOLTON
J.A. DRIVER, MANAGER

Pleasant Valley News

Miss Lee Silas entertained a host of her friends at her home Saturday night and refreshments were served to the following: Misses Lena and Jewel DeLoach, Catherine Broadhead, Maggie Boockholdt, Mary Burkhalter, Mabel Wilkins, and Zora Mae Tucker. Messrs. Albert Broadhead, Austin Martin, Jack and Tom Courtney, Lloyd and Elzie DeLoach, Barnie Adams, Aubrey Neeley, Alton DeLoach, and G. C. Weldon, Jr.

Mr. Jean Stockdale and Mr. Edgar Patterson is visiting in Florida this week.

Mr. Carey Burkhalter of Prattville was the guest of his brother, Mr. J. J. Burkhalter, Sunday night.

Miss Mary Burkhalter was the guest of Miss Lena Maye DeLoach Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Weldon were visitors to Verbena Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Beard and family of Montgomery spent Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. Jim Williams.

Miss Elnor Silas dined with Miss Jewel DeLoach Sunday.

Mrs. Leathie Neeley and daughter, Essie, spent this week end visiting relatives of this community.

Mr. Larkin was the guest of Mr. Aubrey Neeley Monday night.

Misses Lena and Jewel DeLoach and Mary Burkhalter have just returned from visiting their relatives in Birmingham.

A large number of young people from here attended the singing at Mt. Pisgah last Sunday afternoon and all reported a nice time.

THERE ARE WAYS TO PREVENT DISEASE

By Dr. Christmas Seal

When Uncle Abner took the smallpox he was a greatly disgusted man. "Here I've been taking the best of care and you doctors been telling me that people in good health had what you called 'resistance'., And here I taken this smallpox and Abbie, weak as a chicken, never gets a pimple!"

It looks like a good case for Uncle Abner's argument so that the Alabama Tuberculosis Association has to make this explanation. There is such a thing as vital resistance. It does help stave off disease. It is, for example, a splendid protection against that terrible disease, tuberculosis, and makes true the slogan "Radiant Health Protects Against Tuberculosis". But it gives no protection against diseases of marked contagion such as scarlet fever, diptheria, smallpox. There are other lines of defense against those diseases. Abbie had used one such—she had been vaccinated.

Mrs. E. H. Gower of Chicago is so fat that it was found impossible to take X-ray photographs of her interior.

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Alemite - Wash
and
Polish Your Car
Woco Pep and Tiolene
Motor Oil
Your Patronage Always Appreciated.
Martin's
Woco-Pep Station
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Farmers Hdwe. Co.

Some Activities of Co. Agt., C. E. Stapp, Since Coming To Chilton County Four Years Ago

1. Opened up office headquarters for farmers of the county with radio mark service.
2. Daily report shows office activities as follows:
   566 days spent in office.
   A total of 24,697 callers at the office seeking various information.
   4,187 telephone calls seeking information.
   6,640 individual letters written from the office.
   133 circular letters of current information have been written and 110,621 copies mailed out.
   686 days spent in field work.
   2,645 requested farm visits made.
   1,320 meetings held at which timely subjects were discussed and recommendations of the Experiment Station given.
   A total of 24,603 farmers and farm boys attended the above meetings.
   204 school and other miscellaneous meetings with an attendance of 21,655 men, women and children, have been attended, assisted and addressed
3. Advised with farmers in setting up the third largest and most active county farm bureau in the State.
4. Arranged for the installment of a cream station at the Farm Bureau Office at Clanton, where farmers who do not have enough cream to ship can br their small amounts of cream and get cash for same.
5. Arranged for and assisted in running poultry cars regularly during the shipping seasons, enabling farmers to get highest market price for their poul With better market for poultry has come noticeable growth in poultry dustry in the county. With the growth in poultry industry has come many calls on the agent for information about brooding, housing, treatment of and against diseases, feeding, culling for best results. 188 meetings pertaining t better methods of handling poultry have been held by the county agent.
6. The Agent has worked annually with about 300 of our farm boys in their club work. He has arranged annual club camps for these boys at whicl most inspiring programs were participated in by the boys. The expenses the last camp being borne entirely by Mr. Stapp.
7. Mr. Stapp's work with the purebred Jersey Club has been outstanding. T was demonstrated at the Jersey Show held in Clanton the 19th of Septem A total of 97 meetings have been held in interest of better cattle.
8. Mr. Stapp has assisted the Boy and Girl Scouts in their program.
9. One terracing school has been held and 143 meetings held at each one which several farmers have learned to operate the terracing level, also obtained latest information on terrace building for the prevention of soil washing.
10. 170 meetings pertaining to soil building, reduction of fertilizer and more economical use of fertilizers have been held. The estimated value of this work alone the past four years amounts to more than $20,000.
11. Mr. Stapp has worked closely with the Thorsby, Clanton and Jemison Strawberry Associations in their educational and marketing work. Mr. L. G. Posey of Jemison, gives an interesting example of the value of this work with the strawberry growers, while he was a member of the Thorsby Association. At the request of the farmers in Clanton, Jemison and Maplesville territories, Mr. Stapp aided in the setting up of the Berry Growers' Association. $70,445 worth of strawberries were shipped through the Clanton and Jemison Associations this year.
12. At the request of Mr. Stapp, the Alabama Experiment Station sent Mr. Taylor to the county to do experimental work on fertilizing berries. The data obtained here by Mr. Taylor the past two years indicates that with one more year's work he will be able to make definite fertilizer recommendations for fertilizer that will mean a saving of thousands of dollars to th berry growers, and at the same time more and better berries.
13. Mr. Stapp is now sponsoring a move that will result in carlot shipm from the county of dewberries, sweet potatoes, Irish potatoes and po other crops as is done in case of strawberries.
14. Orchards. Mr. Stapp has stressed the "Live at Home" program, inclu good home orchard on every farm. He has given 101 demonstratio pruning, spraying and general care of fruit trees.

Mr. Stapp states:

> "During my stay in Chilton County I have tried to make a desirable citizen. What money I have received for work here has either been spent or donated to worthy causes in the county."

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October 31st brings to a close this year's work of the Peoples Telephone Company. Therefore, a meeting of the phoneholders will be held at the court-house in Clanton on Saturday afternoon, October 31, at 2:30 o'clock p.m. Everybody interested in the company is urged to be present at this meeting. New officers for the coming year will be elected, and other business attended to. Phoneholders please take notice and bear the date of the meeting in mind.

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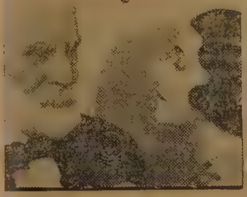

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MAIN STREET
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Monster of the Air—

New Yorkers by the thousands have visited the Do-X, the giant flying boat which is now hauled ashore just across from the Bronx on Long Island. It is being refitted at the Curtiss flying field.

It is a sight that stirs even thrill-hardened city people. Standing beneath it, the huge airship towers as tall as an ordinary three-story house, and it will "sleep and eat" three times as many people.

Had it never flown, it would seem impossible that such a huge structure could ever be lifted by its own power. But it has flown across four continents. It is not an experiment any longer.

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Souvenir Collectors—

The Do-X has not been immune from the depredations of souvenir collectors, its owners complaining loudly that all the gadgets on its instrument board have been pried loose and stolen. Rungs from chairs, pots and pans, and everything removable has been carted off by the insatiable mob.

Perhaps the owners have a legitimate complaint, but to those who have seen the thousands who have streamed daily through the giant ship—at fifty cents a head—it seems as though they have no great kick.

If it was our boat we would buy up a lot of knick-knacks, strew them around, and let the public do its worst, knowing every prize would stimulate more visitors into showing up.

The owners must have taken in enough to more than half pay for the craft and certainly enough to pay for the costly repairs rendered necessary by its epoch-making flight.

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A costly Farm—

Iowa and Kansas farmers who complain they cannot make a living on land at $400 an acre won't want some 200 school children harvested a crop on three acres. On this land the children grew sweet corn, maize, carrots, sweet potatoes and beets.

Some of the children went further and grew cotton, tobacco and peanuts, surprising even adult agriculturists who had not looked upon this region as a good growing place for such crops.

The land on which these crops were grown is worth exactly half a million dollars, or $166, 666 an acre. The explanation is that the city owns the land and donated its use to the young farmers and farmerettes.

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Anomalies—

New York is a crazy town to get around in, unless you stick to paths you are well acquainted with. For instance, West Fourth Street crosses West Twelfth Street. There are two Empire State Buildings, the original one being at Broadway and Bleecker Streets. There is no chance of mistaking the two, however.

Another thing—the shortest distance between two points here is often the longest way around, if you take the subway. To go to the Bronx from Astoria—about one mile—you have to travel six miles to get there quickest. That's the way everybody here travels Some day, short cuts will be built between these hundreds of points but it won't be for ten years or more.

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Angus—I hear Donald Mactight got quite a kick out of calling on Banker Squeeze's daughter the other night.

Sandy—Yes, he showed me the place. Her father must wear No. 14s.

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"A Fool Thinketh"

Being views and opinions of one who has time to think things over while leisurely confined at home.

I met a mighty clever farmer from the western part of the county the other day. After our greetings I asked him how the panic was serving him. He laughed and said, "Well, it's pretty rough." I said, well you don't look very thin and you still seem to have the old time smile. "Yes," he said, "there is no use to lose your smile, don't do any good. God rules, you know. I have plenty of corn, potatoes, pretty turnip patch, hay for all my stock and plenty of meat to do me over next year." Good. Did you make no cotton? I asked. "Yes, 16 bales, but that all went to pay my debts, taxes, and the like. I had $69 left." Has that man any cause to quit smiling? I hope there are plenty more in his fix.

I judge all this scare about the schools is about over and the boys and girls will begin to lose their grin pretty soon now.

Great crowds were attending services at the Baptist church. That sounds good and it will take something of that kind all over the country to dispell this terrible depression.

Looks like China and Japan (mainly Japan) are determined to put on another World War. Now I tell you what let's us do. Stay strictly at home and board at the same place. Let them fight and scratch all they want to, but let's keep our men and money out of it all. We don't need a man nor a dime in that fracas. Got plenty to eat at home.

From what I can hear there are quite a lot of "frozen credits" in this section. Please call the attention of Mr. Hoover to that fact and perhaps he will go into a "conference" with Mr. Page and Mr. Callen and induce a thaw to take place.

I feel like it will be quite a mistake if the voters let Mr. Stapp go. I think I can see an improvement that is very noticeable in the farming methods of our section in the last three or four years. The yield is better and the fertilizer bill is greatly reduced.

Sugar cane and sweet potatoes show very plainly the effects of the dry weather, but while they could not do their best just look what a splendid fall we have for harvesting all our other crops.

Mr. Edison, the wonderful electrical wizard, has "crossed over the river and rests under the shade of the trees," as typified by the illustrous Stonewall Jackson as he bade this world adieu. Who will rise up to take the place of the great Edison? I fear many years will come and go before the world will have his equal at the great electric switchboard.

Men are born free and equal, but the worldly journey seems to put them in vastly different spheres of life, but death comes to all and in the silence of the grave all are equal again. God sends them all in equal and when He calls them out they go out the same way.

"Better bear the ills you have than to fly to others you know not of." Shakepeare never wrote a truer line than that. From reading newspapers here of late I have been shocked at the frequent recurrence of the sorrowful stories of those who have given up the fight here and have gone uncalled into the presence of the great beyond. Sometimes, when the load becomes so burdensome that I feel like any change would be a relief, I wonder if the merciful Ruler is not granting me the blessed privilege of paying here for some of my past sins to give me a chance to pass safely through the pearly gates when the end comes. Then I can smile in my sorrow and press bravely on. Try that plan. It can do you no harm.

I can sit on my porch and see, quite frequently, my ideal Christian gentleman pass by. You all know him and, I judge, many of you will agree with me. He is old Bro. Gibson. Always smiling and ever ready with a cheerful word for all.

The State School Superintendent did not mince words the other day in stating that something over two million dollars of the State School Fund had been used by other departments of the ponderous state machine. Now, as I understand the law specifically says that no part of this fund must ever be paid out for any purpose but for the schools. Evidently somebody has flagrantly and willfully violated that law and is subject to criminal prosecution. If it was the business of any private corporation somebody would be "doing time" in Kilby. How do State officials contrive to do such lawless deeds and escape?

The policies of the present state administration seems, either through gross ignorance or flagrant intent, to have been founded on a basis of misrepresentation. The school crisis was brought about by a cry of utter bankruptcy of the State. Even a large number of teachers were paid off in script so worthless that it would not even buy bootleg liquor. Now, lo and behold, they have "found" $1,267,000 and the schools can go ahead for November and December. If they will do a little more "looking" they will doubtless "find" enough more to carry on the schools for the full term.

Be certain to watch your calendar and do not even shoot at a squirrel until November 1. I heard a fellow say they "were mighty good and tender this year." Guess he was talking about eating some last January.

It seems that Gov. Miller has finally let it leak out that he can let the schools have $417,000 November the first and $850,000 December first. The public mass meeting that was to have been assembled at Cramton Bowl on October 15, seems to have bluffed the Mighty Miller into this action. He allowed his spite at the legislature to influence him into allowing all of this trouble over the school question, knowing this money would be forthcoming to carry on the schools, for well all know it did not just happen to turn up What a wonderful, wonderful Governor we have!

Cotton still rolls in to the gin but the line of haulers grows thinner and thinner as the days go by. Soon the season wil lbe over and then, what?

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"Mildred's father played a mean trick on her. You know that young Robert she was going with?"

"Yes, did the old man kick him out?"

"No, he invited him to breakfast one morning without his daughter's knowledge, and now Robert has stopped going to see her."

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Johnny—Aw, Ma, I know where I came from now.

Mother—W-why, Johnny, what do you mean?

Johnny-Well, my name's "Ross Manufacturing Co."

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NOTICE

Letters testamentary on the estate of E. F. Mead, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned on the 14th day of October, 1931, by the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama, notice is hereby given that all perosns having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or the same will be barred.

CLYDE MEAD,
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of E. F. Mead, deceased.
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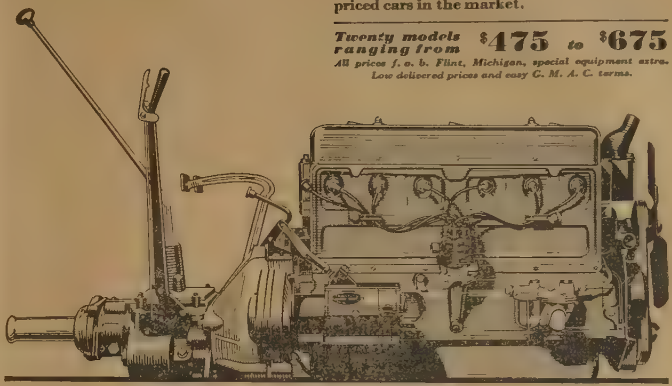

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Next Sunday should be a great day with us. The Pastor is going to speak from one of the most important subject used during the year. I had a letter this week from a good woman in South Alabama who had lost her husband, and in speaking of him she said; "He paid his debts and his word was his bond". If you want to hear a sermon on the all important question of strict "Honesty" you be present at 11 a.m. I believe in "Honesty" and I want Clanton to hear this message

Sunday school at 9:45. Miss Della Williams has organized a "Home Department" in connection with the school and also a "Cradle roll Department". More than fifty have been listed in these two departments. A splendid work.

The Leagues meet at 6:45 and preaching by the pastor at 7:30. We are looking for you to be in your place at every service.

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"Was Edna's father rough with you when you told him you had secretly married his daughter?"

"I'll say. He nearly shook my arm off."

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Hail Christopher Columbus

Just about 439 years ago, on October 12th, a voyager from Spain, seeking a new route to India, set foot on a then unknown continent—America.

Christopher Columbus was paid $320 for his trip and each sailor received the sum of $29. The whole expedition cost Spain $7,250, about what the rich pay for an automobile today.

News comes from Spain that a crew of young Spainards plan to start a voyage across the Atlantic this fall, in a ship like the Santa Maria, Columbus's flgship. It is a splendid gesture that should win them a tumultuous reception in this country when they arrive.

It would be interesting to know what Christopher Columbus would think of the world if he arrived today, finding that the land that he discovered and the country from which he sailed had undergone many changes. It would startle the old man and his sailors worse than the storms and superstitious of their day.

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This is the time of the year that the next door neighbor comes over to borrow a few buckets of coal.

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The business man will know that the millennium has arrived when every bill that he sends out is answered by a check in full.

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The Impression Gains

With Governor Roosevelt of New York, aspiring to be nominated to the Presidency by the Democrats, and Governor Roosevelt of Porto Rico, angling for the Republican Vice-Presidential nomination, the impression seems to be gaining that these gentlemen have a surname that has been somewhat over-capitalized.

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Good Time Religion

A devout old lady recently wrote Bruce Barton: "How can you go to church and still go to prize fights?" He gives his answer in the American Magazine: "Maybe I'm wrong, but I believe one can be a good Christian and still have a grand time. Religion as I understand it consists in liking people, helping them, being considerate and grateful and happy. It doesn't consist of wearing a long face or making others uncomfortable."

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Errors Of Justice Rare

Another tragedy of blind justice is revealed with the announcement that Jesse Lucas, 50-year-old inmate of an Illinois prison has been freed because another man, on his deathbed, confessed that he killed the man for whose slaying Lucas was sent to the penitentiary.

Press dispatches tell us that Lucas had served 23 years for the crime that he did not commit, yet he is quoted as "bearing no grudge against society" for its fearful mistake. Let us all be thankful that this man has been freed, and that the latter part of his life will not be spent behind the bars that encompassed him unjustly.

However, there is no use for the sob sisters, male or female, to get worked up about it. There are not many instances of this kind. Occasionally, one discovers that an innocent man has suffered through the error of the jury and the law, but these cases are rare and infrequent.

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The Deacon And The Frog

A great many people we know remind us of the frog that Charles F. Kettering, chief research engineer of General Motors, told about the other day.

A deacon was on his way to church one Sunday morning, dressed in his best and with his shoes nicely polished, when he heard his name called from a mudhole near the roadside. Down in the hole was a big bullfrog.

"I have been in here three days," said the frog, "without anything to eat, and I wish you would help me out."

The deacon looked at the mud and looked at his shiny shoes and remembered that he had to pass the collection plate in church, so he replied: "I'm sorry old man, I can't help you now, but on my way back I'll give you a lift out of the hole."

As he came back from church the deacon was surprised to find the frog sitting in the middle of the road, contentedly snapping at flies.

"I thought you said you couldn't get out of that hole," said the deacon.

"I thought I couldn't either, until a snake came along and I just had to get out," replied the frog.

Lots of people are discovering these days that they can do things they didn't think they could do. Under the pressure of necessity every one of us can accomplish the impossible. In good times nobody uses more than a fraction of his ability and resourcefulness. But when the snake of hard times comes along we just have to get out of a hole, and like the frog in Mr. Kettering's story, we find some way to do what we didn't believe we could do.

It is a good thing for humanity that life is not always pleasant and easy. Intelligence, ability and character are only developed to their best in the face of adversity. And the harder the struggle, the more fun there is in looking back on it after the peak has been passed.

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Even an office-holder thinks well of the newspaper that thinks well of his administration.

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Educators are beginning to wonder whether football is the tail that is wagging the college dog.

PAST-PRESENT-FUTURE
IN CHILTON COUNTY

Thinking of the many stores of the same types of businesses in Clanton, and that they are undoubtedly receiving enough patronage to exist, the thought has occurred to me—how much money, cash money, is spent in Clanton in one month? How much money is paid out to clerks, etc., in one month in Clanton? I have an idea that if known, the figures replying to the above questions would be surprising due to their large size.

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Was talking to J. J. Stanley, cotton buyer, who is located at J. R. Broadhead & Son's store on Main Street, the other day. Mr. Stanley lived in Thorsby for a number of years before going to Birmingham and is well and favorably known throughout this county. Having been a resident of this county for a number of years myself, and being acquainted with Mr. Stanley and his family, does me good to see him again.

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Clanton is ideally situated to invite new industries to its surroundings. It is my prediction that within the next few years, there will be several new industries coming to the front, and Clanton should begin to get in a position to make a strong pull for anything worthwhile.

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My above prediction is based on the general belief that soon the country will have readjusted itself, and be running in a normal way again, and when that is done, those enterprises in the way of manufacturers are going to start out again to increase production, earnings, etc., and by doing so will spread out to new locations.

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So far, Clanton has not been so fortunate in securing new industries. With the exception of the locating here of a unit of the ten Alabama Mills, we are without industries, in the manufacturing line, and pay rolls.

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Who can tell, our unit of the cotton mills may amount to something when business is better on the upgrade. So many people are prone to throw up their hands and be ready to quit in times that are trying to body and mind, but that is the very time when everyone should stick together. In future years, nay, months, it is my belief that those who are backing off now and quitting will regret the day they THOUGHT they could not go on. There is always some way to do that which is for the good.

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The revival meeting just closed at the Baptist church here was a blessing to the town, and in my opinion has done a great work, thanks to Sam Ezell, John Milford and Fred Bond. The sermons were no doubt enjoyed by those hearing them as well as being highly seasoned with inspirational thoughts.

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One would think that with the numerous gasoline stations and wholesale dealers in this vicinity, gasoline would take a tremendous drop in prices. But after all, it is possibly the best that the gasoline dealers in the city stick together on prices. Price cutting in a time like this will prove disastrous to those envolved.

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The slogan of The Standard Oil Company, "Better Stick To The Standard" means a whole lot at this time. Not in the gasoline business so much, but in every walk of business. There have been some business places that have gone to the wall, while others have been plodding through by the skin of their teeth. The latter are the ones that will shine like a bright star within the next year. Better stick to them and not go flitting around to something new that has just sprung up because it looks good. It's the long-run, that counts.

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Was delighted to see James Oakley, the high mogul of The Centreville Press, in Clanton Friday afternoon. Mr. Oakley is a fine young fellow, and knowing something of the business in a country weekly newspaper, I know the men who are shooting square in it. Mr. Oakley paid Clanton some nice compliments while in town.

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This question about the continuance of the county agent work in this county has reached a point that the voters of the county should give some serious thought to. It would not be thical for me to express my sincere belief of this question in this column, but I will state that Chilton County, agriculturally speaking, has made some mighty long forward steps under the direction of the present County Farm Agent, and there can be found no reason whatever for the work to be discontinued.

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I understand that the county is paying the holder of this office one hundred dollars per month. There is no question that he is worth that amount, when I think over the times I have seen him and heard of him paying his money out to push things along. It is very seldom that he has ever been called upon for a financial donation for charitable purposes, that he did not respond, and responded liberally, and cheerfully. He is at all times ready to do his bit in any effort for the betterment of the town and the county as a whole. The loss of a citizen like that would mean more than the meager salary of one hundred dollars per month, saying nothing of his splendid work with our farmers.

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The voters of the county should vote to keep the County Farm Agent in this county. Maybe some day, some person will tell the people who those persons are who have so insisted that the people vote on the work.

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October is a wonderful month, if subscription payments come in.

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If economy is what the nation wants, why not sink the entire navy?

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Why is it that so many men think a good joke must be a bad joke?

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Ex-champion Tunney denounces Soviet Russia; this is getting to be popular.

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The best advice in times of depression is extremely simple. It is "work and save."

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Now that Calvin has approved Herbert, the Democrats are wondering what Al will do.

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Fashion, as far as we can learn, is about to make monkeys of the good women again.

Chilton Boys Scord Third In District Stock Show

(continued from front page)

Ralph Mims won the championship over all the young bulls exhibited, and very nearly won the grand championship of the bull show, but lost to an old bull from Talladega County.

The little bull calf owned by Clyde Popwell won second place in his age class. A young heifer owned by Clyde Popwell won second place in her age class. A little heifer owned by James Dennis won fourth place in a class of 18 calves her age.

Heifers owned by J. P. Culp, Howard Martin, and Chester Messer won fourth, fifth and sixth places in their respective classes.

The boys returned home very enthusiastic and more determined to do better next year, said Mr. Stapp, as he concluded his report of the trip.

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Thomas Edison Is Dead After Lingering Illness

(continued from front page)

ried to his second wife, Miss Mina M. Miller, in the year 1886, and three children were born to them.

Edison's life in brief as given out by the Associated Press reports:

1847—Born at Milan, Erie County, Ohio, February 11.

1857—Sets up the first Edison laboratory at Port Huron, Mich.

1859—Begins business career as newsboy on Grand Trunk trains.

1862—Learns telegraphy from Mount Clemens, Mich., station agent.

1863-68—Roams Central West as telegraph operator.

1868—Receives his first patent, for a vote recording machine.

1869—Develops improved model electric stock ticker.

1870—Opens own shop in Newark, N. J., for building stock tickers.

1871—Aids Christopher L. Sholes in making working model of first practicable typewriter.

1872—Develops duplex and quadruplex telegraph equipment; invents automatic typewriter.

1873—Marries Mary G. Stillwell, by whom he had three children. She died in 1884.

1876—Improves telephone for commercial use.

1877—Invents the phonograph.

1879—Invents the incandescent electric light.

1880—Develops new type dynamo.

1880-82—Builds pioneer electric railway line.

1882—Opens nation's first commercial electric lighting central station, New York, September 4.

1886—Marries Miss Mina M. Miller. Three children were born to them.

1891—Invents the motion picture camera ("Kinetograph").

1900-1910—Perfects chemistry of concrete.

1912—Introduces talking motion pictures ("Kinetophone").

1914—Devises process for making synthetic phenol (carbolic acid).

1915—Becomes president of naval consulting board.

1917-18—Turns energies to naval inventions.

1926—Begins Florida experiments in production of synthetic rubber.

1928—Receives congressional gold medal.

The immediate cause of Edison's death, according to his physician, Dr. Hubert S. Howe, was uremic poisoning, being the result of nephritis which first became actively manifest at the time of his illness with pneumonia two years ago. He also had a diabetic condition which had been present to a greater or less extent for 25 or 40 years.

Funeral services strictly private for the noted inventor, who affected life in general over the entire world, were held yesterday at Glenmont, the Edison estate, with simple ceremonies, as was his request. He is survived by his widow, and six children, Thomas A. Edison, Jr., William L. Edison, and Marion Edison Oser, children by his first marriage; and Charles Edison, Madeline Edison Sloane, and Theodore Edison, children by his second marriage.

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Educational Fund Figures Of State Are Transmitted

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tional activities during the year ending September 30th, 1931 (not including payments on prior years warrants) amounted to $7,992,058.01.

The amount paid in excess of actual receipts of funds received for educational purposes during the fiscal year ending September 30th, 1931, was $2,276,932.53.

Statement For Past Five Years

The following schedule shows in summary form the amount received by the State from taxes and other revenues for Educational Purposes, and the amount actually paid to Public Schools, Educational Institutions, and for Departmental Expenses and other Educational Activities, during the period from October 1st 1926 to September 30, 1931.

Oct. 1, 1926 to Sept. 30, 1927, Received $3,495,518.62; Paid $6,870,218.78; Excess Payments Over Receipts, $3,372,700.16.

Oct. 1, 1927 to Sept. 30, 1928, Received $6,860,187.95; Paid $10,510,320,89; Excess Payments Over Receipts $3,650,132.94.

Oct. 1, 1928 to Sept. 30, 1929, Received $7,221,309.43; Paid $11,687,542.24; Excess Payments Overe Receipts, $4,466,232.81.

Oct. 1, 1929 to Sept. 30, 1930, Received $7,377,873.64; Paid $11,508,095.75; Excess Payments Over Receipts, $4,130,222.11.

Total for this Period, Received $24,954,889.64; Paid $40,576,177.66; Excess Payments Over Receipts $15,621,288.02.

Oct. 1, 1930 to Sept. 30, 1931, Received $5,715,125.48; Paid $7,992,058.01; Excess Payments Over Receipts, $2,276,932.53.

Total from Oct. 1, 1926 to Sept. 30, 1931, Received $30,670,015.12; Paid $48,568,235.67; Excess Payments Over Receipts, $17,898,220.55.

In addition to the above figures there have been issued warrants for the year 1929-1930 in the sum of $425,923.57. Also for the year 1930-1931 the sum $3,372,187.53. These warrants are now held by various educational institutions, public school treasurers and city school treasurers, and the same will be paid as soon as funds are available.

When these outstanding warrants are paid, the total expenditures for the year 1929-1930 will amount to $11,934,019.32. For the year 1930-31, the total expendtiures, when the above warrants are paid, will amount to $11,364,245.54.

Please bear in mind also that during the fiscal year 1929-1930, taxes amounting to $793,739.27 for the 1930-1931 educational funds were collected in advance of due date and applied toward the payment of warrants issued during the year 1929-1930. In addition to this 1929-1930 warrants aggregating $1,000,669.32 were paid after Oct. 1, 1930 from 1930-1931 funds. These two amounts totaling $1,794,408.59 represent 1930-1931 educational funds which have been applied to the payment of warrants issued for educational appropriations for the preceding year, and this largely accounts for the greater part of unpaid warrants for 1930-1931 as compared with the warrants unpaid for 1929-1930.

This practice of collecting taxes in advance before maturity and especially of applying current collections toward the payment of prior year warrants has been followed, I understand, for a number of years, but no advance collections before maturity for 1931-1932 were made.

Respectfully submitted,
S. H. BLAN,
State Treasurer

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--- CLANTON ---

News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Taylor of Birmingham spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Laurell.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Partridge of Miami, Florida, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Laurell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Moody of Birmingham spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard, Lloyd and Ella, Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald, Mary Ella and Mr. and Mrs. Moody were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Soberg Sunday.

Miss Margaret Butler of Birmingham spent the week end in Thorsby with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Butler.

Miss Frances Wilson spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway of Clanton and Mrs. Relious Franklin and Peggy Mims spent Tuesday with Mrs. C. M. Gray.

Mr. James Conner and Mr. Tom Owens, officials of the Alabama American Legion, were in Thorsby Sunday night in the interest of the Legion and one or both expect to return during the week to assist in the organization of a Legion Post in Thorsby.

Misses Naemi Turnquist and Christine Bosworth of Selma spent the week end in Thorsby.

Miss Theresa Bosworth of Selma visited Miss Christine Bosworth Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Merchant and Annette visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Merchant of Centerville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Reagan, Mrs. C. R. Foss, and Mr. Turnquist motored to Birmingham Friday.

The Ladies Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. C. R. Foss this Thursday.

Mr. Herbert Peterson spent the week end in Thorsby with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson.

Mr. E. N. Steiner spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mrs. C. M. Williams spent Friday and Saturday visiting her daughter at Lay Dam.

Mr. C. M. Williams of Boaz, Ala., spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mrs. Charles Howard, Lloyd, Ella Mary Ruth Nix, Wilma Goodgame, and Lois Thompson motored to Birmingham Thursday to see the Italian art exhibit at the Public Library.

Mrs. Anna S. Vilaldsen spent the week end in Birmingham.

Mrs. Herbert Adams is spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Lela Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Wilson of Isabella Community spent the week end in Thorsby with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

Mr. Townsend and son, of Marion, Ala., spent Sunday at the home of Rev. W. P. Lowery. Mrs. Gresham Lowery and son, Glenn, returned with him to Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kendrick of Birmingham spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kendrick.

Mr. Kendall Franklin is visiting relatives in Robertsdale, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bean of Birmingham spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mims.

Mrs. R. R. Franklin and Mrs. Mack Gray spent the day with Mrs. Flem Higgins of Clanton Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Villadsen of Lincoln were the guests of Mrs. T. W. Robinson, Sunday.

Mr. Henry Robinson of Licoln spent last week end with Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

Mr. Thomas L. Robinson went to South Alabama on a fishing trip last week end.

Miss Marie Powers entertained the following last Friday: Mrs. Grover Bice, Mrs. Lee Pate, Miss Mary Ella Gerald, Miss Agnes Leary, Miss Edith Johnson, Mrs. Blood, Mrs. Murphy of Lay Dam, at an afternoon bridge party.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bentley have gone to Foley, Alabama, on a fishing trip.

Sam and Marjorie Bentley are spending the week with their grandmother, Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

Mr. Charles Swanson of Chicago, arrived Saturday for a visit. Since his arrival he has had word from his daughter saying that Mrs. Swanson has had a bad fall and was in the hospital, but since has heard that she is getting along well.

Fred Howard and Charles Swanson plan to leave early Wednesday morning for a fishing trip on the Gulf. Fred has promised that he will bring everybody a big mess of fish.

Mr. Nels Petersen spent Sunday in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Foss, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Reagan, and Mr. Turnquist motored to Birmingham Sunday evening.

Mr. Broadus Connatser spent Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Connatser.

Mrs. Janie Sutlive has been confined to her bed since Sunday, but we hope that she will be up before long.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank E. Jenkins of LaGrange, Ga., arrived in Thorsby on Wednesday night. Dr. Jenkins left the following day, but Mrs. Jenkins stayed to visit her daughter, Miss Helen Jenkins.

Miss Louise Giles of Clanton spent the week end in Thorsby with Miss Louise Robinson.

A formal opening of the Wyatt Drug Company is announced for next Saturday. They will give away souvenirs, ice cream. See their ad elsewhere in the paper.

The Christian Endeavor topic for October 18, was "How to Answer 'Wet' Arguments" and the scripture reading was found in First Timothy 11:8-11. The meeting was led by Ruth Primm and the facts given along this line were enjoyed by everyone present.

Carrie Smith and Lorena Primm attended the District Christian Endeavor Convention at Millbrook, Saturday and Sunday, and reported a very interesting time.

Next Friday afternoon the first program meetings of the Pushmataha and Philomatic clubs of Thorsby Institute will be held.

Thursday morning Rev. Paul Oden who was attend the Baptist Association meeting at Thorsby, gave a very inspiring talk at chapel. After his talk he sang a hymn.

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MISS EDNA THOMAS VISITS IN CLANTON FIRST TIME, 13 YEARS

Miss Edna Thomas, of Evergreen, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Clara B. Curry in Clanton for a few days, returned to her home last Tuesday. This is the first time Miss Thomas has visited Clanton in the past thirteen years, and was high in her praise of the growth of the town.

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WANTED TO EXCHANGE

Sewing machine in good condition, and a small trunk for a quantity of clean lint cotton. Mrs. P. C. Smith, Clanton.

H. R. Oden, Progressive Farmer Urges Voters To Support Agent

Letter From Well Known Farmer Also Gives Some Information Regarding The Operation Of County Farm Bureau Office Here

HOWARD R. ODEN

Howard R. Oden, one of the progressive and prominent farmers of Chilton County, residing in the well-to-do Isabella Community writes in this week in regard to the question concerning the office and work of the County Farm Demonstration Agent in Chilton County.

Mr. Oden is fully qualified to know just what the work of the County Agent and his office has done for Chilton County, having given careful study to the developments made in recent years by this work among the farms and farmers in this county, and himself being a successful farmer. Following is the letter from Mr. Oden:

Editor Chilton County News:

Do you realize a question of vital importance to the people of Chilton County is to be voted upon the 3rd of November? Should Chilton County's Agriculture pass from her map we would have no assets left worth the price of anyone staying here for. Every village or town in Chilton County is an established fact because they are surrounded by a producing district. The only thing produced worth consideration is its agricultural products. If its towns and villages are here because of its agriculture then it behooves every business and professional man and woman in Chilton County to support the County Agency work.

It has been my privilege to observe County Agency work for twenty years. I am convinced that any person knocking the work of county agents are really knocking to their own hurt. If those who have been knocking the efforts of our county agent stop and get behind him and convince the farmers of this county you are their friend you would observe an improvement in your business soon.

It appears to me that there is a certain element of people who are becoming uneasy because the farmer is beginning to think for himself. This is one thing you might do well to remember. As time comes and goes he is going to think more and more.

Of all times past and present the business man as well as the farmer needs a man on the job twelve months a year right now to aid in every possible way in solving our problems. Surely we will continue to be in need of such facts as our experiment station sends out. How are we to be fully informed without a county agent?

I was approached a few days ago with this question, "Do those working in Farm Bureau office sell that stuff for Stapp or Farm Bureau?" Being one of the directors of the Farm Bureau I want to assure you that every feature of that office has been added by unanimous consent of the directors and executive committee. The executive committee having charge of the management of same.

Have heard also of complaints of the price paid for cream. For information to those who do not know will say that this feature of Bureau is operated at cost. Really it was not established for those who produced cream in sufficient quantities to ship and get full market price, but for those who had only small quantities and which would otherwise go to waste. This feature alone has saved the farmers several hundred dollars.

Folks, you had better go to the polls on the 3rd of November and give this opposition such a crushing blow that they will never dare stick their heads up again. I am your friend if you will let me be. Come along with us on November 3rd, or else you may regret being on the losing side. Come, not for the sake of being on the winning side, but for the sake of a bigger and better county in which to live.

Trusting that every farmer and business man in the county will take a forward step for its agriculture by voting to maintain County Agency work, I am

Yours for a progressive county,

H. R. ODEN.

Maplesville News

Rev. Paul Oden filled his regular appointment Sunday morning and Sunday evening. He always brings a good message.

Maplesville was glad to have young people's meeting here Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Traywick, Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Eubanks, Miss Sessions, all made splendid talks. Grace Ezell told a beautiful story she wrote. The Y. A. girls favored us with a beautiful song, "Ready." The meeting was attended by representatives from Jones, Billingsley, Indian Grave, Verbena, Clanton.

Mrs. S. J. Ezell will meet with Maplesville W. M. S. next Monday afternoon at two-thirty, at the Baptist church. Come to this meeting.

The P.-T. A. will stage a Dixie Minstrel with plenty of joy and laughter and splendid "Chorus Girls" at the Maplesville High, October 24, 1931, eight o'clock.

Admission in keeping with the depression, 5c and 15c.

United Daughters of the Confederacy was organized October 6, 1931, by Mrs. J. P. Kennedy, and Mrs. C. E. Hornsby of Centerville, Ala. Thomas D. Potts was selected for name of chapter. Officers were elected as follows: Mrs. H. M. (May) Nix, President; Mrs. F. H. (May) Brown, Vice-President; Mrs. F. A. (Annie) Shanks, secretary; Mrs. J. P. Gladys Payne, treasurer; Mrs. F. H. Brown, historian. Mrs. Jesse Hayes, registrar; Mrs Sallie Perry, chaplin.

Constitution Committee: Mrs. W. H. Abney, Mrs. Stanley Hayes, Mrs. Jesse Hayes. Credential Committee, Mrs. F. A. Shanks, Mrs. Jesse Hayes, Mrs E. M. Shanks. Mrs. H. M. Nix was hostess for this meeting. Ater business the following guests were served a delightful salad course by her attractive daughter, Helen, Mrs. J. P. Kennedy, Mrs. C. E. Hornsby, of Centerville, Mrs. P. D. Potts, Mesdames F. H. Brown, Jesse Hayes, W. H. Abney, F. A. and E. N. Shanks, Sallie Perry, J. P. Payne, H. M. Nix.

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C. C. Jones, residing on Maplesville Route One was among the business visitors to Clanton last Thursday.

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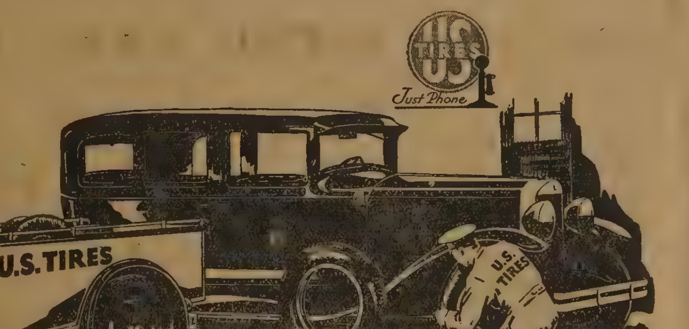

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Here's welcome news for motorists—no more shopping around for tires, no more fussing with installations, no more waiting, worrying, wondering! On the contrary, simply phone us when you need tires. We'll come to you, take off your old tires and install your new ones—all at no extra charge—a sample of the service you can expect when you drive in safety and comfort on U. S. Tires!

You save money too! Because we install enonomical, long-wearing U. S. Tires that provide thousands of miles of additional service at no extra cost. That's why the Big Swing is to U. S. Tires. Make a note of our phone number now. Better yet, tear out this advertisement and keep it for reference.

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THORSBY GARAGE

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Classified Ads

FOR SALE

Westinghouse electric range, $30. Or trade for good oil stove. Phone, 137-J, write P. O. Box 317 or call at old J. Z. Mims home, Clanton, Ala. 10-22-1tp

FOR RENT

House For Rent—One house, two blocks from courthouse on Main Street; lights and water.—Apply to G. O. Foshee, Clanton, Ala., 10-22-1tpd.

KEYS FOUND

Large bunch of keys found. Owner may have same by calling at the News office and paying for this ad.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

Will exchange one large Majestic hot blast heater, good condition, for one small coal range, or sell for $15.00. —P. H. KNOX, Willis Tourist Camp, Route 5, Clanton, Ala. 10-22-1tp

FOR SALE

Equity in one new Chevrolet truck. Can save $40 on new truck. If interested, see Horsley White at Nehi Plant, Clanton, Ala. 10-15-2tc

FOR SALE

A few nice young sows. Will sell them worth your money if taken at once.—Dr. P. T. Hinkle, Clanton, Ala., 10-15-2tc.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

Three year old mule. 1800 pounds. Will sell for $100 cash or on terms. See Norman L. Roberts, Clanton. 10-15-2tc

J. W. Foshee, one of the county's oldest citizens, was in town last Monday.

ANNOUNCING THE FORMAL OPENING OF

Wyatt Drug Co.

Thorsby, Alabama

Saturday, October 24th, 1931

Public Invited, Souvenirs and Ice Cream Will Be Given Away Free.

50c Boyer Face Powder & 50c jar Boyer Face Cream, Cold or Vanishing	79c
25c Tube Listerine Tooth Paste and a 50c Prophalactic tooth brush	47c
$1.00 Durham Duplex razor will be given with the purchase of a 50c package of Durham Duplex Blades.	
2---25c Palmolive Talcum Powder	25c
75c Lilac Vegetal Shaving Lotion	59c
3 Rools 10c Kewpie Tissue	19c
$1.10 Miller Herb Juice	$1
Vicks Salve	35c
35c Mufti	27c
65c Mufti	49c
50c Coco Olive Shampoo	39c
Kotex	45c
Wampoles Cod Liver Oil	$1
Fletcher's Castoria	40c

With Each Purchase of 25c or More A 50c Tube of Shaving Cream Will Be Given Free.

Slick Tires Wreck Cars

Don't risk your neck this fall and winter on smooth, slick, slippery tires. Now is the logical time to buy Cold weather is not hard on tires. By equipping now you'll get the protection of new tires all Winter and they'll still be as good as new next Spring. Get the greatest safety tread known—the Goodyear All-Weather—at the lowest prices in years.

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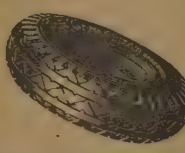

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28x4.75-19	5.68	5.57
29x5.00-19	5.99	5.83

Four Years Ago

From stories in the Chilton County News, issue of Oct. 20, 1927.

A double wedding featuring Miss Mildred Hendricks to Mr. Ralph Macon, and Miss Leslie Polk to Mr. J.E. Hendricks, took place at Shelby, Ala., Tuesday afternoon.

The Clanton Laundry has installed a new boiler.

Miss Cora Lette and Mr. Strock of Verbena were married last Tuesday.

The Clanton Mattress Factory moved into new quarters in Smith Building here.

Miss Grace Furr of Clanton was married recently to Mr. J. L. Butcher of Tennessee.

New 2-Eye Laundry Heaters, No. 8
$5.50 --- 50c week

3 Slightly Used 3-Pc Davenette Suites choice oak and mahogany finishes
$29.50 --- $1 weekly

Black Diamond & Blue Ribbon Range
$24.50 --- $1 weekly

PHONOGRAPHS
$5.00 to 15.00

Extra Special this week
2-In. Post Iron Beds --- *low as $6 --- 50c week*
45-Lb. All-Cotton Mattress
$6.25 --- 50c week

New 3-Pc Walnut Finish Bed Room Suite
Spool Bed, Vanity Dresser and Chest of Drawers
$39.50 --- 2.50 down
$1.00 weekly

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Sixth Street, Fox Bldg., Clanton, Ala.

Baptists Are Different

By L. E. Barton

Of the various leading denominations in east Alabama the Baptists are unique in their theory and practice of the independence of the local church. No Association nor Convention can dictate the policy of any church nor command its performance of any certain task.

But Baptists frequently demonstrate the finest spirit of cooperation among their independent bodies to be found anywhere. Such is apparent in the present movement to promote the whole of their work through an **Every Member Canvass** for local expenses and denominational causes to be made November 29 to December 6 this year. An organization is being rapidly perfected to reach every church in the Southern Baptist Convention.

It is being planned to hold a conference in every Association in the District where the committees and other workers of every church will be invited to come together to study, plan and pray. Instead of a few big speeches by individuals and all the others listening, these meetings will be **real conferences.** Then it is hoped all will go back to their churches to inform and inspire others.

The meeting of the Baptist State Convention in Opelika will bring into this District a group of fine leaders and workers. All features of the plan will be presented. Baptists of east Alabama will thus be afforded an excellent opportunity to secure full information. At an early date, the program of the Convention will be published in the Alabama Baptist. It is hoped that those who can attend the Convention only one day will select the date on which this important matter is to be discussed.

The real and final test will come in **the doing of it on November 29th to December 6th.** The issue rests with the local churches.

Practical Suggestions

1. Place all literature sent you into the hands of your church members.
2. Have special speakers talk on the every member canvass in the Sunday School, B. Y. P. U. and W. M. S.
3. Conduct study classes in the "Handbook" which will be sent free to you (as many copies as needed) upon request by the State Department, 147 South Court Street, Montgomery, Ala.
4. Get your local church committee organized. Make a thorough study of your church needs. Present a budget to your church for action.
5. Preach and teach missions—let's inform our people of the great need as well as successes in our mission enterprise.

"Preach the gospel to every creature."

Sardis News

W. M. U. Circle met Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Mae Adams and refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Lula Ratliff, Mrs. Lula Sansom, Mrs. Maggie Williams and Mrs. Ella Ratliff.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff and family were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sansom Sunday.

Mr. Carlos Ratliff motored to Selma Saturday to visit his brother, Mr. Floyd Ratliff.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Headley and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives in Floyd Community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Deason, Misses Ethel Gentry and Bertie Grant attended the singing at Stanton Sunday afternoon.

Sunday afternoon was our regular singing afternoon and everyone present reported a good singing. We invite everybody to come and be with us on the third Sunday of each month.

THE SEVEN WONDERS

Nearly everyone has heard of the seven wonders of the world, but probably few could name them and fewer could tell what became of them. Those interested in such things might clip this out for their scrap book.

The seven wonders of the world were so named by Antipater, a writer of Palestine, about 200 B. C., as follows:

The Hanging Gardens of Babylon, destroyed in 484 B. C., more than 100 years before they were listed among the wonders.

The Temple of Diana at Ephesus, burned in 262 A. D.

The Statue of Zeus at Olympus, destroyed in 408.

The Collossus of Rhodes, sold for junk in 653.

The Lighthouse of Pharos at Alexandria, fell in an earthquake in 1375.

The Mausoleum of Artemisia destroyed in 1402.

The Pyramid of Cheops the only one of the "Seven Wonders" still in existence.

Such were the seven wonders of the ancient world. Many lists of modern wonders have been made, but a recent writer selects not the perishable works of man, but the discoveries and inventions which have revolutionized civilization.

He names the radio, the telephone, the airplane, the antiseptics, spectrum analysis and radium. Whether his list is the best that might be made or not, the wonders mentioned will survive as long as humanity exists, bestowing untold benefits upon mankind.

Verbena High School News

(By Sr. 111 Class

A Dramatic Club has been organized. They hold their first meeting September 18. Some of the members of the club are planning to present, in a few weeks, the play, "Mrs. Tubbs of Shantytown."

The Senior Classes of Verbena High School have completed their scrap books for the year 1931-32.

The classes were having a contest to see which of the classes finished their book first. They are glad to announce that the Sr. 111 Class won by getting their book in just thirty minutes before the Sr. 1 Class.

Ethel Cagle and Hubert (Spinny) Hammell have been elected cheer leaders fok Verbena High School.

The Verbena football team will play the Holtville football team, in Verbena, on Oct. 30, 1931.

The Verbena P. T. A. will meet Thursday night, Oct. 22, 1931. A Halloween play will be given for the entertainment of all. Everyone is urged to come. No admission.

There are sixteen candidates for diplomas at Verbena for the year 1931-32.

Following is a list of the candidates: Mell Pattillo, Katherine Gaines, Katie Myrtle Glenn, Eunice Bullard, Myra Keel, Esther DeLoach, Ethel Cagle, Ernest Williams, Aubrey Boone, Clarence Grey, J. R. Robinson Jr., Batson Culver, Andrew Dennis, Gaston Jones, Woodrow Rockett, and Ottis Gulledge.

The Mezzophantian and Shakesperian Societies met in September to reorganize. The following officers were elected for the Shakesperian Society:

President; Ethel Cagle.
Vice-President; Wayne Hiten.
Secretary; Serene Mitchell.
Treasurer; Mell Pattillo.
Critics; Kate Glenn and Batson Culver.
Pianist; Frances Strock.

Officers of the Mezzophatian Society are:

President; Katherine Gaines.
Vice-President; Eunice Bullard.
Secretary and Treasurer; Quintilla Meroney.
Critic; Myra Keel.
Chorister; Melton Huges.

The program that was rendered Friday, Oct. 16 by the Shakesperian Society was as follows:

Roll Call.
Business.
Song; Carry me back to old Virginia.
Poem; Watch your words; Elsie Dennis.
Solo; Drink to me only with thine eyes; Mrs. Dubose.
Study of famous paintings; Serena Mitchell.
Song; Nellie Gray.
Life of Noah Webster; Marvin Huett.
Folk Dance; Katie Gyenn and Katherine Gaines.
Song; When your hair has turned to silver.
Announcements.
Adjournment.

Verbena High School has an enrollment of 139 pupils.

The following were perfect in attendance for the month of September:

Jr. 1 girls; Katherine Abernathy, Etta Bell Sharpe, Eddie Lois Partridge, Irma Thrailkill, Marshall Anderson, Welton McKenney, Leonard Robinson,

Jr. 11 girls; Margaret Glenn, Margie Grant, Eunice Grant, Lurla Mae Littleton.

Jr. 11 boys; Melton Huges, Frank Moore, Joseph Trailkill, Marshall Williams, Jack Wise.

Jr. 111 girls; Celia Baker, Robbie Hardy, Sarah Hollis, Mattie Mae Hopper, Kate McKenney, Clara Pinson, Ollie Sharpe.

Jr. 111 boys; Lane Allen, John Eiland, Carl Vinson.

Sr. 1 girls; Mary Burkhalter, Lena Mae DeLoach, Mamie Meroney, Quintilla Meroney, Frances Strock, Bessie Warren.

Sr.1 boys; Hubert Hammell, Joseph Hughes, Veston Jones, Samuel Morris.

Sr. 11 girls; Lucile Calloway, Virgie Robinson, Carmel Smith, Elena Thrailkill.

Sr. 111 girls; Eunice Bullard, Ethel Cagle, Katie Glenn, Myra Keel.

Sr. 111 boys; Aubrey Boone, Clarence Grey, Ernest Williams.

The Verbena High School observed Fire Prevention Week with program and drill Oct. 5-9.

National Picture Week was observed the week of Oct. 12-16 with programs by Verbena High School.

Americans are suffering from loss of sleep, says a writer. Yes, it seems every neighbor has a radio.

Strangely enough, the star of the Red Bird team was a Martin.

A merchant says that business is not only dead, but it seems like it has been embalmed.

Aimee and her Ma are doing all they can to make the matrimonial statistics of 1931 compare favorably with 1930.

NEW ADVERTISING MANAGER FOR CHEVROLET COMPANY

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 21.—Appointment of R. H. Crooker as Advertising Manager of the Chevrolet Motor Company, succeeding R. K. White, who has been transferred to the Oakland division of General Motors in a sales capacity, was announced here by H. J. Klingler, vice-president and general sales manager of Chevrolet.

Promotion of Mr. Crooker, who was formerly assistant advertising manager, places the administration of Chevrolet's large annual advertising budget in the hands of a man eminently qualified by previous experience for the post.

Starting on the Detroit News during school vacations, his entire career has been spent in various phases of advertising or sales promotional work, with such well-known national organizations as the Burroughs Adding Machine Company; the old Chalmers Motor Car Company, where as advertising manager he administered the first million dollar budget in the automobile industry; the Federal Motor Truck Company, and the Campbell-Ewald advertising agency, from which post he joined Chevrolet as assistant advertising manager little more than a year ago.

His successor as assistant is W. C. Byers, formerly sales promotion manager of Chevrolet's region at Cincinnati. Both posts were filled according to Chevrolet's established policy of promoting men within the organization.

W. L. PARRISH
VETERINARIAN
CLANTON, ALABAMA
PHONE 214

EXTENSION COURSE HERE FOR TEACHERS OCTOBER 24

Jacksonville, Ala., Oct. 20.—An announcement has been made by A. C. Shelton, Director of extension for the State Teachers College that the extension course will begin in Chilton County Saturday, October 24, at 10:00 A. M. The first meeting will be held at the court house in Clanton and it is expected that arrangements may be made for two classes, one to be held in Clanton every two weeks and the other in Jemison. Thirty-four people completed the extension course offered by the State Teachers College in Chilton

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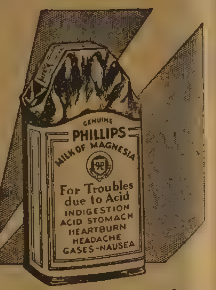
A New York doctor says blondes are more faithful than brunettes. Most of them have dyed for the cause.

Uncle Rastus says there is a surplus of corn until you start out looking for a drink.

Business, it seems, is also being done in a miniature way.



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FRIDAY and SATURDAY, OCT. 23 and 24
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"SEE AMERICA THIRST" --- All Talking
Final Chapter, Serial: "Spell of the Circus"

MONDAY and TUESDAY, OCT. 26 and 27
"SONG OF FLAME" --- All Talking
Warner Brothers Special
Comedy --- All Talking

MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

I went into a book store and found book that had Morocco binding, and t was good to look upon. I bought he book from its outside appearance, hinking that I had a wonderful treaure. When I took my place in my tudy to read that book, I discovered hat I had nothing. It was "Bunk" rom start to finish. On an other ocasion I bought a book with a paper inding. It did not look like very much hen I bought it, but when I had gone hrough it's pages I had been lifted into the Third heaven. Many a woman as selected a husband because he lookd well before the public, to find that he had less than nothing. The same hing is true in the case of a man who elects a wife. There are lots of people ho look mighty nice in their silk and oolen goods, but they are "Bunk" hrough and through. You do not find orthwhile people making a show of hemselves.

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For five years a large boat rested n the sand bottom of St. Andrews bay. t came across the ocean with a happy rew and a loaded hull. While anchord at the warf near Millville, it caught n fire. The flame smouldered and urned for many hours. Then the hull f the boat gave way, and it settled o the bottom, with its rim just above he water. There it remained for five ears. It was an old burned out hull f what was once a proud ship of ocean ravel. It was salvaged last year by ompany who wanted some of its arts. I have seen many a man who once happy and proud of his business and plans but he allowed the flame of passion, the flame of intemperance, to take hold of his being. These fires burned and smouldered in his heart, until one day he went down. His constitution gave way, his health was gone. He lingered for a few years as a burned out wreck of a life. Men and women, you had better keep the fires of intemperance and unholy living out of your soul.

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I am giving you ten reasons why a christian can not take part in the dance hall. 1. He can not dance with clean thoughts and a clean heart. 2. He can not dance to the glory of God in the forms of modern society. 3. He can not ask God to bless the dance hall, and help all of its inmates to dance at their best. 4. It throws him with the most vile surroundings, and destroys his influence as a christian. 5. It dissipates the mind, corrupts the heart and sears the conscience. 6. The liberties indulged in on the dance floors are no where else allowed in decent society. A like attitude discovered in the home would produce bullets, or a divorce. 7. The dance hall is the close up companion of whiskey, drinking and sex liberties. 8. The dance hall is where virtue comes into close contact with vice and virtue dies and vice flourshes. The police courts show that a large per cent of ruined women found their starting place in the dance hall. 9. No christian can be an effective witness bearer for Christ when he is seen on the dancing floor. He may sing in the choir, he may be an official in the church but he is without weight in the work of the kingdom. Church members who attend the dance halls are without influence in soul life. 10. It is not the place where a true child of God would be willing to die. As Christ looks down upon many a church member today he cries out; "Surely, they do not know what they are doing". Well folks, I am against those dances in Chilton county and if you will study those ten reasons you will know why.

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I saw a man in his garden. He was working dilligently to rid his vegetables fo bugs and beetles. Farming is nothing more than a battle against vegitation and insects. I saw a doctor as he measured out his medicine, and as as he fumigated. The practice of medicine is a battle against germs. This life is a constant battle against small things. They come upon our growing crops, our bodies, our souls. You may think that a small thing is without power to injure, but you are mistaken. A cinder is a small thing, but when it is in the eye, you suffer untold agony. One grain of sand in a watch will stop its cogs and wheels. The time to kill an evil is when it is small. It takes less effort to kill a little sin than it does to weed out a big sin. Battle hard against the little things and keep them from hindering the growth of the soul.

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Not many afternoons ago I went out to my garage in a great hurry to get my car. I had an urgent call to visit a sick person. The night befor I ran my car into its place and all the tires were all right. I must have run over a tack the day before. To my chargin I found that I had a flat tire. During the night a slow leak had let the wheel down. I could not make the trip until the tire was changed. Delayed on the account of a slow leak and a flat tire. Since I have been in the ministry I have found many christian workers who were like that flat tire. They were all right the last time they were asked to serve, but now they have run over a tack of indifference, and they have gradually gone down. Before the preacher is able to turn a wheel he must spend his energy, his time and his tears, in order to get the fellow all "Pumped Up" and ready for travel. It seems to me that I spend the most of my time trying to inflate the hearts of men. If it is not one flat tire in the kingdom, it is two. If it is not two, it is four. The kings business calls for haste and why should we waste precious time on "Flat Tires?"

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LEGAL NOTICES

REGISTER'S SALE

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The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

The Town of Jemison, a Municipal corporation, Complainant, vs. Mrs. O. P. Scott, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 1st day of October, 1931 by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M.,

On Tuesday, The 3rd Day of November, 1931. the following described property, viz.: Lots No. 33, 34, 35 and 36 in Block B, House and Lots in Park Place in Jemison, Chilton County, Alabama. Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This the 13, day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,

10-15-3tcS. Register.

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT TO BE PUBLISHED BY ADMINISTRATOR OR EXECUTOR

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Estate of S. A. Curry, Sr., Deceased. Probate Court.

Letters of administration on the estate of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 14th day of April, 1931, by the Hon. L. H. Reynolds, Judge of the Probate Court of Chilton County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

B. B. CURRY,

10-8-3tc Administrator.

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NOTICE

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Letters of Administration on the Estate of H. T. Simms, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned on the 17th day of October, 1931, by the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or the same will be barred.

RUCKER SIMMS,

Administrator of the Estate of H. T. Simms, deceased. 10-22-3tcG.

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REGISTER'S SALE

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The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

The Town of Jemison, a municipal corporation, Complainant, vs. J. C. Sams, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 1st day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M.,

On Tuesday, The 3rd, Day of November, 1931, the following described property, viz.: A part of the SW¼ of NE¼ described as follows: Beginning at a point where Church Street crosses Birmingham & Montgomery High-way on East side of said highway right of way 129 yds to South line of said Forty, thence East along South side of said Forty, 266 yds. to a ditch, thence in a Northeasterly direction along said ditch 108 yds. to East side of said Forty, thence North along East side of said Forty 248 yds. to wire fence, thence in a Westerly direction along wire fence to Church Street, thence along South side of Church Street, to point of beginning, Section 23, Township 23, Range 13. containing 18 acres. situated in the Town of Jemison, Chilton County, Alabama, Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This the 13th, day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,

10-15-3tcS Register.

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NOTICE OF FILING OF BILL OF COMPLAINT

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By the State of Alabama, Complainant, vs. One Ford Coupe, 1930 Model, Respondent.

State of Alabama, Complainant, vs. One Ford Coupe, 1930 Model, Respondent.

In The Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, In Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against One Ford Coupe, 1930 Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 26th day of September, 1931, one Dr. F. J. Lee did transport in One Ford Coupe, 1930 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point in the State of Alabama to another, and that said automobile was on said day seized by the Sheriff of said County and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Alabama, and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 1st day of November, 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 1st day of October, 1931.

GEO. F. SMOOT,

Judge of the 19th Judicial Circuit.

10-8-3tcS

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ORDER FOR PUBLICATION TO NON-RESIDENT

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The State of Alabama, Chilton County. Circuit Court in Equity. No. 944.

Mattie Williams, Complainant, vs. L. B. Williams, Defendant.

In this cause it is made to appear to the Register by the affidavit of J. B. Atkinson that the Defendant is a nonresident, and that his place of residence and post-office address is unknown, and that such address cannot be ascertained after reasonable effort; and, further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant is over the age of twenty-one years:

It is, therefore, ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the County of Chilton, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him, the said L. B. Williams to plead, answer, or demur to the bill of complaint in this cause by the 30, day of October, 1931, or, in thirty days thereafter, a decree pro confesso may be taken against him.

Done at office in Clanton, this 26th day of September, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,

10-1-4tcS Register.

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Prop. No. 2.

State of Alabama

A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the second Tuesday in November after the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, as provided by Section 287 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Act proposing the amendment was not submitted for the aproval of the Governor but was valid upon its adoption by the Legislature without his approval, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 10th day of November, 1931, is the second Tuesday in November, such day being more than three months after the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday, the 10th day of November, 1931, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:—

"ARTICLE XXI. Section 219 of the present Constitution is hereby annulled and set aside and hereafter the Legislature of Alabama may provide for the assessment, levy and collection of a tax upon inheritances and for the levying of estate taxes not to exceed in the aggregate the amounts which may by any law of the United States be allowed to be credited against or deducted from any similar tax upon inheritances or taxes on estates assessed or levied by the United States on the same subject. The Legislature shall have the power to levy such inheritance or estate taxes in the State of Alabama only so long as and during the time an inheritance or estate tax is enforced by the United States against Alabama inheritances or estates, and shall only be exercised or enforced to the extent of absorbing the amount of any deduction or credit which may be permitted by the laws of the United States now existing or hereafter enacted to be claimed by reason thereof as deduction or credit against such similar tax of the United States applicable to Alabama inheritances or estates."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight successive weeks prior to the 10th day of November, 1931, in each county of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the great seal of the State to be affixed at the Captol, in the City of Montgomery, on this the 3rd day of September, 1931.

B. M. Miller,
Governor.

Attest:
P. B. Jarman, Jr.
Secretary of
State.

Prop. No. 1.

State of Alabama

A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the Second Tuesday after the expiration of three months from and after the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, as provided by Section 287 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Act proposing the amendment was not submitted for the approval of the Governor but was valid upon its adoption by the Legislature without his approval, and

WHEREAS, the Legislat ure adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 3rd day of November, 1931, is the second Tuesday after the expiration of three months from and after the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 3rd day of November, 1931, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:—

"ARTICLE XX-B. Section 1. The State is authorized to engage in the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways and bridges in the State of Alabama. To this end and for these purposes, the State is authorizzed to appropriate funds and for constructional purposes only the State is authorized also to issue and sell interest-bearing negotiable State bonds in addition to those already authorized and sold under Article XX and XX-A, as amendments to the Constitution of 1901, in an amount not to exceed the sum of twenty-five million dollars ($25,000,000.00), to be issued under such denominations, numbers and series, maturing at such times as may be provided by law, and all such bonds shall bear a rate of interest not greater than six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and shall be sold at a price not less than par value thereof.

Section 2. The State Highway Commission or Highway Department shall locate, construct and maintain highways, bridges and State trunk roads so as to connect each county seat with the county seat of the adjoining county by the most direct or most feasible route by a permanent road, having due regard for the public welfare, and shall connect the county seats of the several border counties at or near the state line with a public highway in the border states. Provided, that in counties which are divided into two or more judicial divisions in each of which regular terms of the circuit court are held, the places where said terms of court are held, shall likewise be connected with each other.

Section 3. The proceeds of said bonds shall be used for constructing and/or surfacing of roads and constructing and/or repairing bridges, but not for maintenance or discharging of contract debts, liability or obligations existing prior to the adoption of this amendment.

Section 4. Eighteen million four hundred twenty-five thousand dollars ($18,425,000.00) of the proceeds of said bonds shall be set aside by the Governor and apportioned in amounts of Two Hundred seventy-five thousand dollars ($275,000.00) to each of the respective counties of the State which must be expended by the State Highway Commission or Highway Department in each of said counties for construction, which shall include hard surfacing, of existing and also new public roads and bridges therein. The remaining proceeds of said bonds shall be used for the construction, which shall include surfacing, of existing, or new highways and constructing or repairing bridges in the State.

Section 5. The proceeds of such bonds shall be kept separate and apart from all other funds and no part of the same shall ever be used in honoring a warrant not legally drawn against such proceeds.

Section 6. There is hereby levied and every distributor, retail dealer or storer shall pay an excise tax of one cent per gallon upon the selling, distributing or withdrawing from storage for any use gasoline, provided, however, that the excise tax is not levied upon the sale of gasoline in interstate commerce, and provided further that where this excise tax shall have been paid by a distributor or by a retail dealer or storer such payment shall be sufficient, the intention being that this tax shall not be paid but once. The terms 'distributor', 'retail dealer', 'storer', 'selling', 'distributing', 'withdrawing' and 'gasoline' are used as the same are used in existing gasoline excise tax laws of the State and shall be so construed, and all rights, duties, liabilities, penalties, powers and methods pertaining to the collection of gasoline excise taxes under such existing laws of the State shall apply to the collection, payment and accounting for the within excise tax, provided; the Legislature may limit, extend or further define the same. The excise tax of one cent herein levied shall be in addition to the excise gasoline taxes provided by existing laws of the State, but this section shall not be construed in any way as limiting the power of the Legislature to increase or decrease this or any other gasoline tax.

Section 7. The one cent excise tax hereinbefore levied shall be used first to create a sinking fund for the prompt and faithful payment of the principal and the interest on the bonds herein authorized, and, second, by the State for the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways and bridges of this State.

Section 8. The bonds herein authorized when issued shall be a direct obligation of the State, and for the prompt and faithful payment of the principal and interest thereon the full faith and credit of the State is hereby irrevocably pledged and such bonds shall be exempt forever from taxes of every kind.

Section 9. The bonds herein authorized shall be issued and sold in the same manner by a Bond Commission as set forth, defined and prescribed in Article 5 of Chapter 32, Code of Alabama, 1923.

Section 10. That House Bill No. 1204 by Mr. Tunstall, if and when passed by both houses of the Legislature of Alabama of 1931 and approved by the Governor and being, "A bill to be entitled an act to impose, for the use and purpose of surviving, preserving, maintaining, constructing and regulating the use of public roads and bridges in the State of Alabama, an excise tax on all persons, companies, agencies, corporations, and associations who sell, distribute, store or draw from storage for any purpose whatsoever, gasoline or any other liquid motor fuels or devices or any substitute therefor within the State of Alabama; providing for the collection of such excise tax and the payment of same into the State Treasury; providing for the enforcement of this act and fixing a penalty for the violation of the provisions hereof; providing that the said excise tax so imposed shall be in addition to all other excise tax now imposed by law, and, providing that freight agents or railroads and all agents of all transportation companies operating within the State of Alabama and who transport motor fuels shall report to the State Tax Commission all shipments of gasoline or any substitute therefor, received at any of their stations within the State", be and the same is hereby ratified, confirmed and validated and made constitutional as a law, and such ratification, confirmation, validation and constitutionally as a law, shall, according to the terms thereof when finally passed, in the manner aforesaid, take effect and be effective on the day of the passage of said bill by both houses of the Legislature of Alabama of 1931, and approved by the Governor, as fully as if said bill was set out in words and figures herein."

I further direct and proclaim that notices of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight consecutive weeks prior to the 3rd day of November, 1931, in each county of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the great seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the city of Montgomery, on this the 3rd day of September, 1931.

B. M. Miller,
Governor.

Attest:
P. B. Jarman, Jr.
Secretary of
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CHAPTER LVII

In accordance with the understanding of September 2 we were now moving rapidly toward our second great offensive. Questions concerning the concentration and supply of the elements of the First army in the battle areas were being worked out by the staff of that army, who were given every possible assistance by the staff at G. H. Q.

The general plan of action of the allied armies, as agreed upon at the conference of commanders in chief July 24, was, to state it simply and briefly, that the offensive should continue, each army driving forward as rapidly as possible. The allied and American operations during the summer had resulted in the reduction of the Chateau Thierry, Amiens and St. Mihiel salients and the great offensive was now under way. Immediately west of the Meuse river the battle line had remained practically unchanged since 1917. It was on this front the American army was to play its great part.

The disposition of the Belgian, British, French and American armies on the wide front between the North sea and Verdun was such that they would naturally converge as they advanced. So long as the enemy could hold his ground on the east of this battle line frontal attacks farther west might drive him back on his successive positions, yet a decision would be long delayed.

Yanks Face Strong Position.

His main line of communication and supply ran through Carignan, Sedan and Mezieres. If that should be interrupted before he could withdraw his armies from France and Belgium the communications in the narrow avenue which lay between the Ardennes forest and the Dutch frontier were so limited that he would be unable adequately to supply his forces or to evacuate them before his ruin would be accomplished. As our objective was the Sedan-Carignan railroad, it was evident that the sector assigned to the American army was opposite the most sensitive part of the German front then being attacked.

The danger confronting the enemy made it imperative that he should hold on in front of the American army to the limit of his resources.

Germans Strongly Fortified.

The area between the Meuse river and the Argonne forest was ideal for defensive fighting. On the east the heights of the Meuse commanded that river valley and on the west the rugged, high hills of the Argonne forest dominated the valley of the Aire river. In the center the watershed between the Aire and the Meuse rivers commanded both valleys, with the heights of Montfaucon, Cunel, Romange and of the Bois de Barricourt standing out as natural strong points. From these heights observation points completely covered the entire German front.

The terrain over which the attack was to be made formed a defile blocked by three successive barriers, the heights of Montfaucon, then those of Cunel and Romange and farther back the ridges of the Bois de Barricourt and of the Bois de Bourgoyne. The Meuse river was unfordable; the Aire river fordable only in places. In addition to the heavy forest of the Argonne there were numerous woods with heavy undergrowth which were serious obstacles.

These natural defenses were strengthened by every artificial means imaginable.

A dense network of wire entanglements covered every position. It was small wonder the enemy had rested four years on this front without being molested.

Hindenburg Position Is Objective.

In accordance with the principal mission, which remained the same throughout this great offensive, the main attack of the First army was to be launched west of the Meuse river, its right to be covered by the river and by the operations of the French Seventeenth corps on the east of the river, that corps being a part of our army.

Our left was to be supported by a simultaneous attack by the French Fourth army. Our attack to include the Argonne forest was to be driven with all possible strength in the general direction of Mezieres.

The first operation of our army was to have for its objective the Hindenburg position on the front Brieulles-sur-Meuse-Romagne-sous - Montfaucon-Grandpre, with a following development in the direction of Busancy-Mezieres in order to force the enemy beyond the Meuse and outflank his positions on the Vouziers-Rethel line from the east.

In conjunction with our advance, which would outflank the enemy's position south of the Aisne, the French Fourth army, by attacking successively the positions between the Aisne and the Suippes rivers, would be able to occupy the line Vouziers-Rethel. After that it would operate in the direction of the plateau east of the Rethel-Signy-l'Abbaye road.

Aim at Tactical Surprise.

Our purpose was to effect a tactical surprise, if possible, overcome the enemy's first and second positions in the area of Montfaucon and (Cote Dame Marie) of his third position before the enemy could bring up strong re-enforcements. It was an ambitious plan and one that would require a rapid advance of ten miles through a densely fortified zone. From an estimate of the enemy's reserves and their location it was realized that we must capture Montfaucon and seize Cote Dame Marie by the end of the second day.

It was thought reasonable to count on the vigor and aggressive spirit of our troops to make up in a measure for their inexperience, but at the same time the fact was not overlooked that lack of technical skill might considerably reduce the chances of complete success against well-organized defenders.

General Petain had already given it as his opinion that we should not be able to get farther than Montfaucon before winter.

CHAPTER LVIII

The Meuse-Argonne offensive opened the morning of September 26. To call it a battle may be a misnomer, yet it was a battle, the greatest, most prolonged in American history. Through 47 days we were engaged in a persistent struggle with the enemy to smash through his defenses.

The attack started on a front of 24 miles, which gradually extended until the enemy was being actively assailed from the Argonne forest to the Moselle river, 90 miles.

In all more than 1,200,000 were employed and the attack was driven 32 miles to the north and 14 miles to the northeast before the armistice terminated hostilities.

The outstanding fact that I desire to emphasize is that, once started, the battle was maintained continuously, aggressively and relentlessly to the end.

All difficulties were overridden in one tremendous sustained effort to terminate the war then and there in a victorious manner.

Battle Opens Favorably.

After three hours' violent artillery preparation the attack began at 5:30 a. m. At the same time, to divert the enemy's attention elsewhere, local raids and demonstrations were made on the Meuse-Moselle front. The French Fourth army (Gouraud), to our left on the west of the Argonne forest, began its attack half an hour later.

The battle opened favorably. Our attack at that particular place and at that time evidently came as a surprise to the enemy, and our troops were enabled quickly to overrun his forward positions.

The vast network of undestroyed barbed wire, the deep ravines, dense woods and heavy fog made it difficult to co-ordinate the movements of the assaulting infantry, especially of some divisions in battle for the first time, yet the advance throughout was extremely vigorous.

Third Corps Reaches Second Line.

The Third corps (Bullard), nearest the Meuse, carried the enemy's second position before dark. The Thirty-third division (Bell), wheeling to the right as it advanced, occupied the west bank of the Meuse to protect the flank of the army. The Bois de Forges, with its difficult terrain and strong machine gun defenses, was carried in splendid fashion.

The right of the Eightieth division (Cronkite) had by noon cleared the Bois Jure in the face of heavy machine gun fire and established its line north of Dannevoux. On its left, after an all-day fight, the division forced its way through the strong positions on hill 262 and reached the northern slopes of that hill.

The Fourth division (Hines), on the left of the Eightieth, took Septarges and firmly established itself in the woods to the north. It was abreast of Nantillois and its left was more than a mile beyond Montfaucon, but through some misinterpretation of the orders by the Third corps the opportunity to capture Montfaucon that day was lost. Three counter-attacks against the division during the afternoon were broken up.

Fifth Corps Falls Short.

In the center the Fifth corps (Cameron), with the exception of the Ninety-first division (Johnston) on its left, fell short of its objectives.

The Seventy-ninth division (Kuhn), on the right of the corps, took Malancourt, but in the open ground beyond encountered considerable opposition, and the advanced elements were not in position before Montfaucon until late afternoon. The attack of the division launched against this strong point early in the evening was met by the fire of artillery and machine guns from the southern slopes of the hill, which held up further progress.

The Thirty-seventh division (Farnsworth), in the center of the Fifth corps, after overcoming heavy machine-gun fire, pushed through the Bois de Montfaucon, and its attacks in the afternoon carried the line up to and west of Montfaucon. The left of its line, facing stiff opposition, cleaned up the woods in its front and established itself just south of Ivoiry.

The Ninety-first division (Johnston) overcame strong initial resistance and advanced rapidly to Epinonville, which it entered but did not hold. Crossing into the sector of the Thirty-fifth division, during the day it occupied Very.

First Corps Makes Progress

On the left of the army the First corps (Liggett) made excellent progress. The Thirty-fifth division (Traub) cleverly captured the strong position of Vauquois and took Cheppy against stubborn opposition. Elements of the division reached the corps objective east of Charpentry, but were soon withdrawn to a line west of Very. On the left the division captured that part of Varennes east of the Aire river, but was held up between Varennes and Cheppy. At this time a fresh regiment took the lead, giving a new impetus to the attack, and pushed the line forward to the high ground south of Charpentry.

In the Twenty-eighth division (Muir) the right brigade captured the western half of Varennes and continued about a mile farther. The left brigade, facing the easters spurs of the Argonne, which constituted the enemy's chief defense of that forest, was unable to overcome the intense machine-gun fire from the vicinity of Champ Mahaut. The Seventy-seventh division (Alexander) in the difficult terrain of the Argonne made some progress.

Advances Continue

By the evening of September 27 the Fifth corps was abreast of the First and the Third on its flanks. The Seventy-ninth division captured Montfaucon the morning of September 27 and on the next day Nantillois and the Bois de Beuge were passed despite determined resistance.

In the Third corps the Eightieth division had taken the Bois de la Cote Lamont after hard fighting, but attack after attack made with dogged determination across the open space toward Brieulles-sur-Meuse was rolled back by the galling fire of the enemy from the town and its vicinity and by the artillery firing from east of the Meuse.

The Thirty-third division maintained its position September 27 and 28 and on September 29 relieved the Eightieth division by extending its left along the northeastern edge of Bois de la Cote Lamont, where it occupied difficult ground under the dominating heights east of the Meuse.

The Fourth division captured Nantillois September 27, but was forced by enemy counter-attacks to retire. The town was retaken and held on the following day by troops of the Fourth and Seventy-ninth divisions. After three days of almost continuous fighting the Fourth had taken the Bois de Brieulles and entered the Bois de Ogons, but could not hold the latter against counter-attacks and the deadly machine-gun and artillery fire of the enemy. The fortitude and courage of the Fourth division in these operations were inspiring.

Meet Strong Resistance

The Thirty-seventh division on September 27 attempted to advance beyond the Ivoiry-Montfaucon road, but each time it reached there was driven back by heavy shelling. On September 28, however, it pushed forward to a position north of the Cierges-Nantillois road. Cierges was entered, but not held. The following day the division again attacked Cierges, but the advance was abruptly halted by concentrated artillery fire.

The Ninety-first division on September 27 encountered strong opposition at Epinonville, which was reached, but could not be retained. Eclisfontaine was taken, but evacuated, as an artillery barrage was to be laid on the road through the town the following day.

Epinonville was finally captured September 28, and the Bois de Cierges was occupied after hard fighting. Two attacks of the division from the Bois de Cierges on September 29 crumbled under fierce artillery and enfilading machine-gun fire, but on the third attack, despite severe losses, Gesnes was taken.

The full advantage of this important gain was lost, however, through the inability of the Thirty-seventh division to advance its left. This placed the right flank on the Ninety-first in a dangerous position, and it had to be withdrawn. During the afternoon the Thirty-fifth division was subjected to a heavy counter-attack, which also involved the left of the Ninety-first, but made no progress against it.

Battle Grows More Intensive

Three new German divisions had appeared by September 30 on the front of the First corps, and the battle continued with increased intensity.

The Thirty-fifth division was stopped by heavy fire soon after its attack opened, September 27, but later in the day it captured Charpentry and advanced to the ridge northeast, though suffering severe casualties. Montrebeau wood was taken September 28, and early next morning a detachment reached Exermont valley, but, being nearly surrounded, withdrew to the starting point. Encountering very heavy artillery fire and an advance of the German Fifty-second and Fifth guard divisions, the Thirty-fifth withdrew from Montrebeau wood, which it had taken the day before. The Thirty-fifth suffered heavier casualties than any other division during these four days of continuous fighting.

The Twenty-eighth division, though subjected to strong artillery and machine-gun fire from the bluffs of the Argonne, captured Montblainville September 27. It could make slight headway against firm opposition from positions in the vicinity of Champ Mahaut, but carried them on September 28, and also captured Apremont. On September 29, after repulsing a German counter-attack, a slight advance was made against the defenses of Le Chene Tondu.

The Seventy-seventh encountered stiff resistnce in the Argonne September 27, and was held to a small gain, but moved forward about a mile on September 28. Next days its right was advanced with little opposition.

During the first four days of fighting the First army, west of the Meuse, had made a maximum advance of about eight miles, reaching the Bois de la Cote Lemont-Nantillois-Apremont. The enemy had been struck a blow so powerful that the extreme gravity of his situation in France was obvious to him.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PARDON OR PAROLE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, who was convicted at Chilton County Court on the second day of April, 1931, for the offense of manufacturing liquor and possession of still and sentenced to from 14 to 15 months in State Penitentiary, will make application to the Pardon Board of Alabama for parole, or pardon.

This the 15th day of October, 1931.

10-22-2tpd. —Bernie Martin.

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NOTICE OF REFERENCE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.
Circuit Court, In Equity.

In the matter of the Last Will and Testament of James C. Jones, deceased, Lawrence F. Gerald, as Executor of the last Will and Testament of James C. Jones, deceased., Complainant, vs. B. G. Jones, et al., Defendant.

To all heirs and distributees of said estate residing out of the State of Alabama and all creditors of said Estate.

You are hereby notified that the Register of said Court will execute a decree of reference in the above cause rendered on the 6th day of October, 1931, at his office in Clanton, Alabama, on the 29th day of October, 1931, at which place and time you can appear if you think proper.

Witness my hand this the 8th day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
Register.

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Peach Tree Borers Should Be Killed

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By W. A. Ruffin,
Entomologist at Auburn.

The peach tree borer is an insect which does much damage to peach trees in Alabama. This borer is a white worm which works in the living bark either at or just under the surface of the ground, causing wax to be secreted from the tree at this point. Eventually trees are killed by it.

This insect can be controlled in trees that are three years old or over with paradichlorobenzene. This chemical is sold under several trade names. "Paracide," "P.D.B.," and "Crystal Gas" are examples of its trade names.

Crystal gas should be applied in Alabama during October. In North Alabama, it should be applied as early in October as possible. In Central and South Alabama, applications later in the month are preferred. For three and four-year trees, apply one-half to three-fourths ounce per tree; for trees five years and older, apply one ounce per tree.

It should not be permitted to remain around trees five years and younger longer than four weeks if the weather is fairly warm and open. It may remain undisturbed around older trees till spring.

To apply crystal gas, remove all stones and litter, and level the ground around the trees. Apply the proper amount in a uniform circle about two inches from the base of the tree. Soil shoud be piled on and banked around the tree. Crystal gas vaporizes and, being heavier than air, it goes downward, killing the borers.

To remove crystal gas from trees five years and younger, remove the earth around the trees and replace it with soil without packing.

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When Mrs. R. O. Johnson of Chicago took her Fall hat from its box she found it contained five mice.

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Tax Notice

Collector's and Assessors Round

WE WILL ATTEND AT THE FOLLOWING TIMES AND PLACES FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING THE STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR CHILTON COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1931 AND ASSESSING TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1932:

Mullins Academy, Beat 1	Oct. 5	Thorsby, Beat 9	Oct. 19
Jemison, Beat 2	Oct. 6	Coopers, Beat 10	Oct. 20
Mars Hill, Beat 2	Oct. 7	Cane Creek, Beat 11	Oct. 21
Benson, Beat 3	Oct. 8	Mineral Springs, Beat 12	Oct. 22
Verbena, Beat 5	Oct. 9	Robinson's Store, Beat 12	Oct. 23
Mountain Creek, Beat 5	Oct. 10	Providence, Beat 13	Oct. 26
Enterprise, Beat 6	Oct. 12	Macedonia, Beat 14	Oct. 27
Kincheon, Beat 6	Oct. 13	Pletcher, Beat 15	Oct. 28
Maplesville, Beat 7	Oct. 14	Culp Schoolhouse, Beat 15	Oct. 29
Shoults, Beat 7	Oct. 15	Providence, Beat 16	Oct. 30
Stanton, Beat 8	Oct. 16	Clanton, Beat 4	Oct. 31
Riderville, Beat 8	Oct. 17		

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct to attend in Person on the day of the appointment in your Precinct and then and there render to the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the 1st day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31st, 1931.

W. G. CULP, Tax Collector.
AKINS I. COLLINS, Tax Assessor.

HOMEGROWN FEED AND GOOD COWS WILL PAY

A two-for-one proposition is now available to Alabama farmers having homegrown feed and good dairy cows to consume it. F. W. Burns, extension animal husbandman for the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, said that $14.00 worth of this homegrown feed will produce $28.00 worth of butterfat at present prices. In addition, it will leave $4.80 worth of skimmilk on the farm, to say nothing of the manure.

"The relation between the farm price of dairy feeds and butterfat is favorable now and bids fair to remain so through the coming winter," said Mr. Burns.

"Records kept on present market conditions show that if $14.00 worth of feed is fed to good, average cows it will produce 100 pounds of butterfat. When sold for butter making purposes it is worth $28.00. In addition there will be left on the farm about 1,600 pounds of skimmilk worth 30 cents a hundred pounds. This is excellent for feeding to poultry or hogs and when so fed has a value of $4.80.

"In addition to these values, 75 per cent of the plant food in the feed stuffs will go back to the farm in the form of manure and thus save buying so much fertilizer in a sack.

"For the man who loves livestock and is looking for a market for his surplus hay, corn, and cottonseed meal, cream dairying offers possibilities at the present time that are worthy of serious consideration by Alabama farmers."

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Taking all of these things into consideration, particularly the educational angle, The News and Age-Herald, anxious to put a daily newspaper within the reach of every rural or star route box holder, have again this year made a SPECIAL BARGAIN PRICE, making it possible for every rural patron to read daily one of the South's Greatest Newspapers.

For this reason, this BARGAIN OFFER, either the daily Birmingham News or Age-Herald, one year for $2.19, or The News or Age-Herald daily and Sunday one year for $3.19, is made only to holders of R. F. D. and Star route boxes, and to people living in towns where newspaper delivery service is not maintained.

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Eastview News

Our singing society will meet next Sunday at 2 P. M. We are expecting a committee from the Mt. Pisgah society to meet with us, to consider a union of the two societies. We invite all visitors from other societies to come and sing with us.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson spent the week end in Mt. Springs community where he filled his regular appointment at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Smith motored to Montgomery last Sunday.

Our pastor announces that he will not fill his regular appointment here next Sunday night as he will be in Haleyville, Ala., preaching at Union Grove church.

Miss Maudie Ree Traywick visited Miss Ethel Griffin last Sunday.

Mrs. Sallie Strength is visiting relatives in Birmingham this week.

Mrs. Jewel Hurt visited Mrs. Mamie Griffith Sunday.

Misses Mary Sue and Emmadean Smith were the guests of Misses Lillian and Evelyn Devaughn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins were the week end guests of the formers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coggins, of Mt. Springs.

We invite all the young people who are not engaged in religious services on Sunday nights to attend our Christian Endeavor service. We have a real live society that renders a splendid program.

We have a good attendance at Sunday school, but some could help make it better by coming regular.

Come next Sunday.

Mr. J. A. Dobbs was in Birmingham on business one day last week.

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TIMBER DURABILITY IS INDEPENDENT OF SEASON

Montgomery, Ala., Oct. 20.—The season of cutting does not affect the durability of timber, says Colonel Page S. Bunker, State Forester of Alabama. Most changes in the wood formerly attributed to the time of year during which it is cut have been found to be due instead to the rate of drying or seasoning.

The portion of the wood most affected is the sapwood, since this is the part that is really living and contains the greater amount of moisture. Timber felled during the winter dries much more slowly and evenly due to the cooler temperature prevailing during that time of the year. During the warm summer season, however, the drying out of the sapwood is apt to proceed at a rapid and irregular rate with the result that the shrinkage may not be uniform in all directions. This causes splitting and checking of the material.

Winter cutting is also accompanied by less danger of sap rot, since the causative fungus does not spread during the cooler times of the year. If logs cut in the summer, however, are seasoned under the same conditions as those cut in the winter there will be no discernible differences in the properties of the timber.

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C. C. H .S. News Items

Below will be found the names of the students who made first and second honors in their school work for September:

Junior I Class—First Honor Roll, Mary Armstrong, Jane Neighbors.

Second Honor Roll, Margie Nell Jones, Mary Ruth Goodman, Louise Arnold, Edith Parrish, Annie Rea Wilson.

Junior II Class—Second Honor Roll, Eloise Rasberry, Martha Kennedy, Sarah Green, Jack Gillespie, Hariett Esco, Joe Hall Johnson, Mildred Wilkerson, Mae Vinson, Ruth Gowan, Mary Courtney Jones, Lois Foshee, Milton Diefenderfer, Elizabeth Williams.

Junior III Class—First Honor Roll, Wade Alford, Dixie Johnson, Helen Roberts, Ethel Wilkinson.

Second Honor Roll, Elizabeth Gragg, Rozelle Gentry, Alice Petty, Mary Edith Jones.

Senior I Class—Second Honor Roll, James Dennis, John Ezell, Joe Moore, Virgil Robinson, Dan Smith, James Tiffin, Mary Charles Cox, Frances Davis, Kate Fallin, Hilda Hart, Lucile Johnson, Helen Moore, Nell Neighbors, Frances Rasberry, Jeanette Sumner.

Senior II Class—First Honor Roll, Louise Knox, Pearl Vinson, Elizabeth McSwain, Myrtle Robinson.

Second Honor Roll, Mabel Harris, Imogene Simms, Jasper Cox, Floyd Devaughn.

Senior III Class—First Honor Roll, Herman Harris.

Second Honor Roll, Jane Roberts, Ethel Mae Jones, Charlsie Pyron, Mary Nell Jones, Ruth Aylene Maddox, Elizabeth Stanley, Lucile Pattillo, Joe VanDerveer, Sallye Mahan, Ottis Miller, Thomas Tiffin, Willie Maude Kelley.

Glee Club Entertains In Chapel

The Glee Club, under the direction of Miss Mary Ellis, rendered some vocal selections at the chapel period last Friday morning. These young singers are a great help to the assembly program in that they sponsor the singing. The club is progressing well under Miss Ellis' supervision and it expects to do a great deal this year.

P.-T. A. Meets

The Parent-Teachers Association held its second meeting in the high school auditorium last Tuesday evening. Mrs. Ezell opened the meeting with devotional exercises. This was followed by a vocal selection rendered by the Glee Club. The association is going to promote an art exhibit from November 30-December 4. This is a rare chance to see some specimens of real pictures of art. Some very famous paintings will be on exhibit. Details of this exhibit will be worked out at their next meeting. The public is cordially invited to be at this exhibit.

Assembly Visitors

The school was delighted to have as its visitors Thursday morning, Dr. Ezell, Dr. John Milford, and Mr. Fred Bonn. Dr. Milford is conducting a revival at the Baptist church, and Mr. Bonn is leading the singing. Dr. Milford made a very interesting and instructive talk. He impressed upon his audience in a few well chosen words, the value of honesty with one's self. He emphasized that everyone should be honest. "That if you are dishonest, you can never get away from yourself. The streak is in you, and is your chief throughout your entire life," the speaker said. Your school life is a great test of your character in regard to honesty. Without a doubt every student was very favorably impressed with Dr. Milford's address.

Sesquicentennial Observed

The 150th Anniversary of the surrender of Cornwallis to General Washington at Yorktown, Va., occurring October 19, 1781, was fittingly observed Monday morning at the chapel period. Prof. Warr read the eighth chapter of Deuteronomy. After that the entire school sang America. Herman Harris read the proclamation by the President of the United States, and then told the school the purpose of this observance. Joe VanDerveer told of some very interesting events leading up to the surrender, and described the little town of Yorktown as it is today. He showed that America really has two birthdays: October 19, 1781, and July 4, 1776. Prof. Warr then explained the new way of pledging allegiance to our Flag since the World War as compared with the old way. The program closed with the salute to the Flag.

Bibb vs. Chilton As A Student Saw It

Chilton and Centerville played a hard fought game here Friday afternoon. The final score was Bibb 6, and Chilton 0. Foshee, left tackle for Chilton, played a wonderful game, stopping nearly every play. Centerville made their only score in the first quarter, but threatened several times in the last half.

Credit is due Littlejohn and Arnold on the defense. And on the offense the outstanding playing was made by Tiffin and Taylor. However, they were unable to pierce the wall of Centerville's powerful line for a very long gain, but nipped off eight yard dashes at different times in an effort to win the count in the last quarter. The teams were fairly evenly matched, Centerville having some heavier line.

The Blue and the Gold warriors of C. C. H. S. have in this game proven decided ability to overcome handicaps and should under normal pressure merit their weight in the last color of the two that so rightly represents their school.

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POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT WILL USE DOMESTIC COTTON

Secretary of Agriculture Arthur M Hyde today cited the action of the Post Office Department in substituting cotton for jute in its specifications for large purchases of twine as an example of how government departments are cooperating to aid in the present emergency.

For the purpose of tying packages of letters the Post Office Department utilizes about 80 carloads or close to 3,000,000 pounds of twine a year.

For many years the postal service has been using jute twine. Jute is not a domestic product but is imported from India.

At the request of the Department of Agriculture the Post Office Department will specify cotton twine for use in the postal service, and an advertisement is about to be issued calling for bids for 1,300,000 pounds, covering the needs of the service for a six-months period beginning January 1, 1932. The cotton industry is cooperating also to overcome the higher price of cotton twine which has heretofore prevailed. The cotton industry has indicated that it is possible to manufacture a special cotton twine that will compete favorably with the jute as to price, quality and usefulness.

With the aid of the Bureau of Standards new specifications for cotton twine have been formulated and the Post Office Department believes that cotton twine furnished under these specifications will prove very satisfactory not only as to quality and usefulness, but also as to price.

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To you these products of scientific research mean yet greater range, sharper selectivity, finer reproduction . . . and, more important, far greater Value per dollar. Eight beautiful models from $44.50 to $290.00. Let us go over them with you . . . point out these see-able, hear-able improvements . . . give you details of our liberal time payment plan.

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Few persons would risk their lives in an airplane which they knew beforehand was defective in any of its essential working parts, yet thousands venture into traffic with defective automobile, that so many meet disaster is the direct result of such stupidity.

Daisy Simpson of Birmingham, Eng., recently appeared in police court for the 120th time and got six months for picking a truck driver's pocket.

More than 200 public houses in London have installed radio receiving sets so their patrons can enjoy music while they drink their beer and ale.

Patsy Ferracchie, a caddie at a country club at Scarsdale, N. Y., was awarded $25 for a black eye caused by a golf ball.

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The Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Section Fifteen (15) Township Twenty-one (21), Range Twelve (12), in Chilton County, Alabama.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, after the cost and expense of this sale, including a reasonable attorneys' fee shall have been deducted therefrom.

This the 21st day of October, 1931.

BLOSSOM CRUMPTON,
By Lawrence F. Gerald,
10-22-4tcG. Her Attorney.

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Mrs. J. B. Atkinson Entertains Club.

Mrs. J. B. Atkinson delightfully entertained the "As You Like It Club" at her home Tuesday afternoon. The living and dining room were tastefully decorated with autumn flowers. One of the most pleasant surprises was a H. D. K. F. Shower given to Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry by the club—with sweet memories attached with each gift. Mary Frances Atkinson presented the gift with appropriate reading.

The club regrets that Mrs. Falkenberry will leave soon for Selma to reside. Late in the afternoon a salad plate, which carried out the Hallowe'en motif was served to the following: Mesdames L. C. Warr, T. R. Burdette, G. C. Walker, L. H. Reynolds, W. W. Fox, M. A. Gore, H. C. Falkenberry, W. E. Martin. Invited guests were Mesdames A. S. Prince, W. A. Reynolds, Vernie Teel, J. E. Gowan and Miss Bettie Mullins.

The club will meet with Mrs. L. C. Warr next time.

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Rev. Ernest A. Childs, of Troy, former pastor of the Clanton Methodist church was in Clanton Tuesday of this week. It was good to see Rev. Childs in Clanton again.

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Mrs. L. E. Diefenderfer Hostess To Sewing Club.

The Thursday Afternoon Sewing Club was delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. L. E. Diefenderfer Thursday. This delightful afternoon was enjoyed by the following members: Mesdames John Browder, P. T. Hinkle, John VanDerveer, Mallie White, Hugh Simpson and H. T. Pipes. Mrs. M. Jones was a visitor.

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Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry Hostess To Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club.

Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry delightfully entertained at her home Wednesday the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge club. After the enjoyment of a series of games, a hot plate was served to the following members: Mesdames Arthur Johnson, John Browder, Napoleon Johnson, Hugh Simpson, John DeRamus, Grady Reynolds, Julius Burnett, J. H. Alred, and F. J. Callen. Mesdames Hugh Jones, John Page and George Trotter were visitors. The high score prize was won by Mrs. Napoleon Johnson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bostick and Mrs. Lusk Davis of McMinnville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Page this week.

Messrs. F. J. Callen, John Page and H. Shaw, attended cotton meeting in Birmingham Tuesday.

Miss Gwendolyn McGee has returned to the home of Mrs. J. H. Alred after a visit to relatives in Selma and Ozark.

Miss Elizabeth Browder of Montgomery was a visitor in Clanton Sunday.

Mrs. E. J. Brand has returned from a visit with her mother in Birmingham.

Mrs. Reedie Taylor and young daughter have been removed from the hospital and are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lawrence.

Mrs. Lula Mullins and daughter, Ara, of Birmingham visited friends and relatives in Clanton Sunday.

Mesdames J. W. Moore and Napoleon Johnson motored to Tuscaloosa Sunday.

Mrs. J. K. McCraney of Birmingham spent Saturday with parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Johnson.

Edwin Mullins, who is a senior at Sewanee, is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mullins.

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Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry Hostess To Wednesday Card Club.

Mrs. H. C. Falkenberry entertained the Mid-Week Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon at her home. Autumn flowers and foliage were used throughout the home. Hallowe'en colors being accented. After a series of bridge high score prize was awarded to Mrs. N. S. Johnson. A lovely salad course was served to the following: Mesdames Arthur Johnson, J. Burnette, Browder, H. M. Simpson, John Deramus, F. J. Callen, J. Hance Alred, J. C. Page, Hugh Jones, Trotter, N. S. Johnson, H. G. Reynolds.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson spent Tuesday in Montgomery.

P. Williams Sunday.

Miss Annie Lou Scarborough, of Notasulga, spent the past week end in Clanton with her sister, Miss Madge Scarborough.

Lance Franklin of Jemison, was among the visitors to Clanton last Tuesday. While in town, he was a caller at the News office.

J. V. Best, of Route 7, one of this county's well known citizens, was a visitor to Clanton recently, and called at the News office.

Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway Hostess To Young Matrons Sewing Club Thurs.

The Young Matrons Sewing Club met with Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway on Thursday afternoon. Those enjoying the afternoon together were Mesdames Horsley White, John Mullins, Dewey Rockett, and Jack McMurray and Miss Gene Raspberry. The invited guests were Mesdames Vernie Teel, Preston Vaughn, Mack Gray, Relius Franklin, Flem Higgins. A delicious salad plate was served as refreshments.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Conway, of the Mulberry Community were visitors to Clanton last Tuesday attending to business and doing some shopping.

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CENTERVILLE DEFEATS THE LOCAL BOYS ON OWN FIELD

The Chilton County High School football eleven played one of the hardest games of their 1931 schedule last Friday afternoon when they met the strong Bibb County High School team from Centerville on the local gridiron. Chilton played a hard and fast game against a heavier team and after four periods of gruelling struggle Centerville had managed to cross the goal line of the local team only once. Clanton was never able to score on their opponents.

Early in the game the Centerville team carried the ball deep into Chilton territory and soon crossed the goal line. The try for the extra point fell short and the score stood Centerville six and Clanton nothing. During the rest of the game the Chilton boys fought hard but were never able to overcome the lead of the Bibb County boys.

Chilton's line was considerably outweighed by that of the visitors but the two teams were very evenly matched. In the line the work of Foshee on the defense and offense stood out. Foshee was in every play and consistently smeared Centerville plays.

In the backfield the work of Tiffin and Taylor stood out. The whole Chilton team played a clean hard game and put up one of the best fights they have made this season.

Tomorrow afternoon the Chilton team journeys to Plantersville and encounters the strong Dallas County team. This team has always given Chilton trouble and all those who accompany the Chilton team may expect a hard and well fought game.

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Concord-Billingsley

Bro. Headley filled his regular appointment here Sunday, which is the last appointment during this conference year. He brought to us a wonderful message. He has done a great work during this conference year. If we are not fortunate enough to have him for our pastor next year, we pray God's richest blessings on him wherever he goes to preach the gospel.

We were indeed glad to have with us Sunday night Rev. P. A. Lynch and Rev. Smith from Clanton. Bro. Lynch delivered the Sunday night's gospel message which was enjoyed, I'm sure, by all who were present.

The Christian Endeavor meeting was very commendable Sunday night. The subject for discussion was the subject of "Prohibition" which was a very interesting and important subject.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Deason, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Culver of Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Owen, Messrs. J. D. and W. W. Williams of Fairview community spent a few enjoyable hours the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Y. Sims Saturday night.

Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Headley dined at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams Sunday.

Mrs. Bertha Missiltine and daughter, Augusta Claus, of Birmingham are spending a few days here with relatives.

Mrs. Gertie Mae Little dined at the home of Mrs. W. W. Williams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Herrod and family of Haynes spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams.

Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Headley and Miss Clara Dell Sims spent a few hours at the J. P. Williams home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Sidney Harris of Selma is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. ... Little.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton spent the past week end with home folks.

Miss Nina Mae Harris was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams and family last Sunday.

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Isabella F. F. A. News

The Isabella chapter of F. F. A. met October 14. Clifford Manning gave a short talk on "The Value of an Initiating Team." How to obtain new members was also discussed.

After the meeting a picture of the chapter was taken for publication. new member was received last week.

The executive committee of the Home Economics Club and the Future Farmers held a joint meeting Monday, October 19, for the purpose of planning the annual F. F. A. Banquet. It was decided that the banquet would be December 4, 1931. Each boy and girl is to invite his or her parents to this banquet.

We are striving this year to have a more active chapter than we have ever had before.

S. L. BROADHEAD,
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LAWRENCE GIVES OUT STATEMENT ON EDUC. FUNDS

Cites Attention To Harman's Letter To The State Treasurer

In a letter from B. Lawrence, Superintendent of Education of Chilton County, for publication this week, he gives out information concerning the state funds for educational purposes in response to questions being raised about that item. Following is the letter:

In order that the public may understand the present school situation as far as possible, I am giving excerpts from a letter written by Dr. A. F. Harman, State Superintendent of Education, to Hon. S. H. Blan on October 21st:

Honorable S. H. Blan,
State Treasurer,
Montgomery, Alabama.
My dear Mr. Blan:

"In my opinion your statement to Governor B. M. Miller, in your letter of October 17 in regard to educational funds is misleading. Funds for public education are of such great importance and interest to the people of the State that, as State Superintendent of Education, I feel justified in requesting you to make without delay a more completely detailed statement in such understandable terms as will reveal to the public the true situation.

"For illustration, your statement leaves the impression that payments have been made by the State to the various county and city boards of education and other boards of control, in excess of the actual amounts due by the State to these boards for educational purposes. Have you not completely overlooked or disregarded the fact that the total appropriations for educational purposes for the year ending September 30, 1931 amounted to more than $12,250,000 and that any unpaid part of these appropriations is a just and legal charge against the general revenues of the State? Is it not true that the excess payments for each and every year shown in your statement to the Governor were made in every case in accordance with legislative appropriations and were a just and legal charge against the general revenues of the State? You are doubtless aware that legislative appropriations for various educational purposes made prior to 1927 amounting annually to more than $2,500,000 have never been a charge against any special educational trust fund or other revenues specifically raised for educational purposes. Contrary to the inference to be drawn from your statement, these appropriations according to legislative mandate have always been paid from the general revenues of the State. They are not excess payments as indicated by you and could not legally have been paid from other revenues specifically raised for educational purposes.

"Are not the outstanding unpaid warrants for the year ending September 30, 1931 amounting to $3,372,187.53 ac-

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FIRE AT DENNIS GIN DOES SMALL DAMAGE LAST TUES.

Fire which is said to have originated within the roll of the J. N. Dennis gin, caused quite a stir-up in Clanton last Tuesday. The fire department answered the alarm, but due to quick action on the part of employees at the gin and others the fire did not get under way enough to do any great amount of damage.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patrick of Billingsley were visitors to Clanton last Friday.

Mr. J. B. Hicks of Maplesville was in town Saturday.

CIRCLE NO. 2 TO GIVE HALLOWE'EN PARTY

Circle Two, Mrs. Dewey Eubanks, Chairman, announces a Hallowe'en party to be given in the basement of the Baptist church on Saturday evening beginning at 6:00 o'clock.

Plans have been devised, whereby old and young will be assured an evening's wholesome entertainment of the Hallowe'en variety.

The usual games will be played, witches, a fortune-teller and many spooks will be in attendance.

The nominal fee of five cents will be charged for admission of children; grown-ups will pay ten cents for admittance. Come, bring a friend, enter into the spirit of the evening and by so doing help in a good cause and "Chase dull care away."

MEETING CALLED AT COURTHOUSE NEXT SATURDAY

All Interested In Work Of County Agent Urged To Attend Meeting

A meeting of farmers, merchants and business men of Chilton county has been called to be held on next Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, according to an announcement given the News. This meeting will be for the purpose of discussing the work of the local county farm agent, and the coming election to determine whether the work will continue in this county or not.

Everyone interested in this matter is urgently requested to attend this meeting, regardless of their opinion of the work of the farm agent. At this time, those who do not approve of the work will be given an opportunity to express themselves, as well as those who are in favor of the continuing of the work in the county. This promises to be an interesting meeting.

Rev. J. W. Jones of Thorsby was among the callers at the News office Tuesday.

Traffic Increasing On Rockford Road

Due to a recent reduction in fare to cross the Coosa River at Powell's ferry, traffic appears to be increasing to a certain extent. This also is due partially to the good condition of the new road which makes the distance to Rockford from Clanton only thirty miles, part paved.

The ferry rates were reduced Oct. 1st to 75 cents round trip during the week and only fifty cents round trip on Sundays, the latter making the fare exactly one-half of the former cost. J. P. Spain, operator of the ferry is giving excellent service day or night, using a safe, motorized ferry.

HILTON LANE ALLEGED TO HAVE COMMITTED LARCENY

Hilton Lane, well known negro of Clanton, and an employee of the Taylor Wholesale Grocery Co., of Clanton, was carried to Montgomery and placed in jail this week, alleged to have taken cigarettes from the wholesale house.

WYATT EXPRESSE APPRECIATION OF OPENING DAY RESP.

V. E. Wyatt, proprietor of the Wyatt Drug Company, of Thorsby, wishes to express his appreciation of the large patronage given him on his opening day, last Saturday. He hopes that all his friends and customers will continue to come to his place and let him serve their needs.

Raisers Of Pheasants Ask Cooperation Of Hunters, Giving Notice Of Posted Land

Now that the hunting season is about o open, those men who have been stirvng to introduce the Pheasant bird into his county and this section of the state re asking for the cooperation of all unters.

Not only are they asking the cooperation, but are giving notice of certain lands being posted and no hunting of ny kind being allowed on this land, escially in that vicinity of the home of r. P. T. Hinkle, west of Clanton, and Jim Armstrong in the same vicinity.

Dr. Hinkle, Jim Armstrong and Dr. V. J. Gragg have done some fine work in raising Pheasants and are making an effort now to stock the county with the birds. On the lands referred to above, these birds have been turned loose and are raising young birds there needing the protection from anyone who should be in that vicinity. These men state that the land in the vicinity in which they live is posted and no hunting will be allowed whatsoever.

MORE FARMERS GIVE APPROVAL OF CO. AGENT

Letters Endorsing Work Continue To Come In For Publication

Letters, resolutions and statements of various kinds, endorsing and approving the work of the County Farm Agent in Chilton County and wishes for the continuance of the work, continue to show up.

Resolutions endorsing the work and urging the continuance of it, have been published, coming from the Chilton County Post of the American Legion, the Teachers' Institute of Chilton County, the Kiwanis Club of Clanton, members of the 4-H Clubs of the county, and from various individuals, some of which are being published this week.

Much has been said and written in regard to this question, due to the election on next Tuesday to determine whether the work shall be continued in this county.

Up to the time the News goes to press this week there have been no letters or statements sent in for publication, voicing disapproval of any kind toward the work of the County Agent here.

More Farmers Favor County Agent

J. P. Montgomery, of Jemison, brings interesting reports from meetings of farmers held last week at Pleasant Grove, Oak Grove, and Collins Chapel, in which many farmers of those communities publicly attested their ap-

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Eight Arrests Reported From Sheriff's Office

Information from the Sheriff's office here states that eight arrests have been docketed since last Thursday, up to Tuesday of this week. One for bastardy, two for grand larceny, one carrying concealed weapon and two for violating the prohibition law. The two for grand larceny was a man and a woman, driving a car with an Indiana license tag, who are alleged to have had stolen property in their car, from a Montgomery concern, and were caught in Clanton.

HALLOWE'EN FESTIVAL AT HIGH SCHOOL

Big Time, Much Fun Being Planned for Friday Night At Local School

Plans are now in progress in a big way preparing for the gigantic Hallowe'en Festival to be held at the Chilton County High School on next Friday night, October 30, according to the committees in charge. Things are beginning to look like spooks and witches, as the decorating committee is at work.

A number of splendid attractions are to be presented at this festival, including a special program in the auditorium of the school. Attractions will be found at every turn, and those missing this festival of fun will certainly be missing a real treat, and a prize will be awarded to the person appearing in the best masquerade.

Such things as Clanton's broadcasting station, directed by Joe Van Derveer, the House of Horrors are among the items to make you laugh and be happy at this festival.

REV. T. O. REESE OF FLA. WILL PREACH AT MARBURY

Announcement has been made that the Rev. T. O. Reese of Perry, Fla., will soon open a revival meeting at the Baptist church, in Marbury.

The meeting will open on Monday night, November 2, at seven-thirty o'clock. The public has a cordial invitation to attend each service.

Decision Promised On Power Tax Hearing

At a hearing in Montgomery on October 22, on the mandamus proceedings of Chilton County against the State Tax Commission in regard to the Alabama Power Co., taxes, a decision was promised by S. R. Butler, State Tax Commissioner on or before November 10th, according to Omar Reynolds, of Clanton, attorney.

J. D. Culp of Clanton Route 7 was a visitor to Clanton Tuesday.

MORE STYLE IN A BETTER PRODUCT IS TODAY'S KEY TO GOOD BUSINESS

Trade Going To Keen Hustlers Who Observed Changing Conditions And Adopted Newer Methods Of Merchandising

"There is one characteristic of us Americans," says Mr. George H. Sheldon, Vice-President of Hommann, Tarcher and Sheldon, Inc., Advertising, New York, "and that is that we are consistent in only one thing, and that is our inconsistency. For example: Some of us may remember with mingled feelings the people, who back in 1928, foretold the business crash of 1929. We called them pessimists and tried our best to avoid their company. Many of these same people are today telling us that better business is definitely here and we now say they are optimists.

"But better business is here," continued Mr. Sheldon. It is here with this difference, that in few cases has it returned to the same houses.

"Business today is going to business men who have observed and adopted the newer methods. Men who have followed the indicated routes and as a result are making money. In virtually every industry there are outstanding performers who are actually showing improved balance sheets. In each case you will find that the directing heads of the business recognized changing conditions as they developed over the period of the last three years, and did not fail to adopte new methods for the old.

An Important Change

"The most important change which so many business men failed to note was that the day of easy business was past and that good, hard and consistent work of selling was again in order.

"Different communities may mean different standards in living but research disclosed that the per-capita spending power of small towns under 10,000 population is as great as in our big cities.

"Furthermore, that it is the American woman who spends or almost directly controls more than 80% of the nation's spending—or buying.

What does she want, this "purchasing agent" of the home? For what is she spending the family income? What influences or governs her selections of merchandise purchased or the store at which she trades?

"It is style. Style in merchandise and style in presentation. Style, in this instance, covers everything because it touches in on every phase of living.

"The woman wants style in her home, style in its furnishing, style in the apparel of the family, style in food, style in luxuries. She wants and will have as much style as she can get for the money she has to spend! The business which best meets her style requirements is the business which, even today, is getting her trade.

Not Changed—But Changing

"The changed business conditions are not fixed . . . but changing. New ways, . . . new wants. . . . new materials. As one great industrial leader so aptly put it, in explaining the development of new businesses, "Trade comes when the customer is made dissatisfied with what he has."

"Of first importance, of course, is a quality product. Something old, maybe but made in a new way, a new use, meeting new requirements. Then comes the task of introducing that product to the trade.

"Neither the manufacturer or the retailer can for one moment overlook the economic value of advertising in the task of introducing and keeping known the merits of their products. It is fundamental in the modern methods of trade. It is of special importance now when records disclose that these businesses which have gone ahead in the last fifteen months are those which put on steam in supply more style in a better product—and then went out to get the business.

71 CREAM CHECKS ISSUED TO FARMERS SATURDAY

The price of cream has picked up for the last two weeks. County Agent C. E. Stapp advises that 71 cream checks were issued to farmers last Saturday. He again asks us to call attention to the fact that the cream station was put in for the farmers who do not get enough cream to ship to advantage, and that the farmers who get as much as a five-gallon can of cream in a week realize more out of it to ship it to Montgomery or Birmingham than to sell it at the station at Clanton. Prior to the establishment of the station many farmers experienced trouble in selling their small amounts of surplus cream and butter.

BOB JONES TO SPEAK HERE ON NOVEMBER 10

Speech At Methodist Church In Behalf of The Coming State Revivals

Dr. Bob Jones has announced that he will preach in Clanton on Tuesday night of November the 10th. The service will be held at the Methodist church at 7:30.

Dr. Jones is touring the state in the interest of the state wide evangelistic meetings that are to be held the first of January of next year. He is preaching the introductory sermon for the meeting to be held in Clanton, and the people are urged to hear him in his message. No collection will be taken, but a strong gospel sermon will be preached.

This is not the first visit of Dr. Jones to Clanton. He has many friends here who will deem it a privilege to hear him again, and it is expected that the large auditorium of the Methodist church will be crowded to its capacity. Those who know him best, think of him as the best platform man in the South. He has but few equals before the public.

S. S. Convention At Indian Grave

A District Sunday School Convention will be held at Indian Grave, Sunday, November 1, 1931. Following is the program for the afternoon:

2:15 P. M. Devotional, Mrs. G. C. Traywick.

2:30 Stressing Evangelism in Sunday School, Mrs. J. C. Hughes.

2:45 The Sunday School Functioning as a Church Financing Agency, Rev. A. S. Bentley.

3:00 What is the Promotion Campaign, Dr. S. J. Ezell.

3:20 Does Personal Work Pay in the Sunday School? Miss Mabel King.

3:30 Reports.

3:45 Conference.

4:00 Adjourn.

DEWEY ROCKETT HAS SALE ON GUNS AND SHELLS SAT.

In this issue of the News there will be found an ad from the Clanton Building Supply Company in which they are quoting special prices on guns and shells for next Saturday only. Dewey Rockett of this store states that when he says he has reduced prices, it means just that. Find this ad and judge for yourself.

Mrs. G. L. Foshee and Mrs. Zack Lowery of Thorsby, Route One, were among the shoppers in Clanton last Tuesday. While in town, these ladies were pleasant calelrs at the News office.

COOSA COUNTY HAS AVAILABLE SCHOOL FUNDS

Report Of State Examiner Shows Large Deficit In Cullman County

In figures released Monday by Chief State Examiner of Accounts Walter K. Smith, relative to county school finances in Coosa, Covington, Crenshaw, Cullman, Dale and Dallas Counties, based on information furnished him by the respective school superintendents and county treasurers, a deficit of $33,629.37 is shown to exist in Cullman County through comparison of the total of available funds with current debts.

The status of county school funds in each county is given as follows, the balance shown as available for operation of schools in each county for the current year not including State appropriations.

Coosa—Total funds available which comprise estimated receipts for the year ending Sept. 30, 1932, are $52,911.86. Total current indebtedness, $26,805.48. Balance available for operation of schools for the current year, $26,106.38.

Covington—Total available, $115,755.37. Current debts, $48,795. Available balance, $66,960.37

Crenshaw—Available total, $84,500.45. Total current debts, $61,640. Balance available, $22,860.45.

Cullman—Total available, $166,164.34. Total current debts, $199,793.71. Excess of indebtedness over available funds is, therefore, $33,629.37.

Dale—Total available, $94,774.34. Total current debts, $49,766.03. Balance available, $45,008.31.

Dallas—Total available, $107,012.07. Total current indebtedness, $5,916.86. Balance available, $101,095.21.

ALABAMA IMPROVING POULTRY INDUSTRY

Alabama is improving her poultry industry, says R. B. Jones, State Poultry Inspector.

During the past year Alabama poultrymen had 51,937 birds in 567 flocks tested for Bacillary White Diarrhea. "This is an increase of 9,145 birds and 106 flocks over last year," Mr. Jones reports to Commissioner Storrs.

"Thirty-one accredited hatcheries had a capacity the past year of 342,610 eggs. This is an increase of 52,196 eggs in accredited matcheries capacity," he continued.

Within the past twelve months Mr. Jones and his two assistants have handled 77,372 birds, 51,937 of which were tested and 25.435 were classed as culls and sent to the market.

"In addition to out testing work in 43 counties we assisted county agents in vaccinating 13,100 birds against chicken

SERVICES ANNOUNCED FOR JEMISON BAPTIST CHURCH

There will be services at the Baptist church, in Jemison on next Sunday morning and night, according to the Rev. J. W. Jones, pastor. Sunday School at ten o'clock followed by preaching at eleven o'clock Sunday morning, and at seven o'clock Sunday night.

HOME OF BEN EDWARDS IS DESTROYED TUESDAY NIGHT

Fire of undetermined origin completely destroyed the home of Ben Edwards, located north of Clanton, last Tuesday night about nine o'clock, according to reports received Wednesday.

It was stated that the family was at home, but were unable to save any of the household furnishings, nor clothes, all being a total loss.

Prowler Gets It In The Legs When He Goes To Look Into Cabinet At Gragg's Camp

Some fellow got something he really didn't intend to get when he opened a cabinet in the cabin at the camp of Dr. V. J. Gragg, on Coosa River the other day, judging from pieces of overalls and blood stains on the floor of the cabin.

For sometime Dr. Gragg and other camp owners have been victims of burglars who have broken into their cabins and made away with supplies and other articles. A double-barrel shotgun was rigged up in Gragg's camp, and placed inside a cabinet, the cabinet locked and the door of the camp locked. The locks did not hinder the burglar, and when he removed the lock from the cabinet and opened the door, a full charge from both barrels of the shot gun struck him in the leg. It was not found until Thursday that the trap had been sprung.

It is hoped that this occurence will end the prowling and burglarizing in the privately owned camps along the river.

Legal Notices

REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton, a municipal corporation, Complainant, vs. Minnie McDaniel, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd Day Of November, 1931, the following described property, viz.: Commencing at the Southeast corner of lot owned by Robert Williams, and run 80 yds. to point of beginning, from said point of beginning, run West 35 yds. South 40 yds. East 35 yds. North 40 yds. to point of beginning, being in Northwest corner of Northwest-quarter of Section 2, Township 21, Range 14, one old build. in the Town of Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton a municipal corporation Complainant vs. Pearl Foshee, Defendant

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd Day of November, 1931. the following described property, viz.: One house and lot beginning at a point 75 feet West of the Northeast corner of South-half of Northwest-quarter of Section 2, Township 21, Range 14, run West 175 feet, South 642 feet, thence East 175 feet, thence North 643 feet to point of beginning, in Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc

This 23 day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton a municipal corporation Complainant vs. Joshua McDaniel Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd Day of November, 1931 the following described property, viz.: One 5 room dwelling house bounded on North by Bill Dickerson's property, East by Tom Robinson's property. One Lot beginning at Northwest corner of lot now owned by J. L. McDaniel and run along West line 59 feet, One watch.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs, & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

The Town of Clanton a Municipal corporation Complainant vs. G. A. Wyatt Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23, Day of November, 1931, the following described propery, viz.: Lot number 7, in Block No. 12, Dwelling and lot in Gowan addition to Clanton, Chilton County, Ala.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton a municipal corporation Complainant vs. Artense Rouse Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd Day of November, 1931. the following described property, viz.: A certain lot or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the Southeast corner of that certain lot or parcel of land sold and conveyed by Adair Mc.Daniel to O. W. Jones on the 5th, day of July, 1924, thence in a Westerly direction and parallel with First Street 100 feet. Thence at right angles in a Westerly direction 50 feet, thence at right angles 100 feet, thence at right angles in a Easterly direction to Street of beginning. In Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton A Municipal corporation, Complainant vs. E. W. Burt, alias Earnest W. Burt Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd, Day of November, 1931, the following described property, viz.: Begin at a point 75 feet from Henry William's North line and 15 feet from Wiley William's West line, and run parallel with the West line in a Northerly direction 75 feet, thence West 90 feet thence in a Southerly direction 75 feet, thence East parallel with Henry William's North line 90 feet to point of beginning. In Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County. Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton, a municipal corporation, Complainant, vs. G. D. Little, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931 by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M.,

On Monday, The 23rd Day of November, 1931 the following described property, viz.: Lot number 2, in Block 17, and dwelling house in Gowan addition to Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama. Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This the 23rd day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton, a Municipal corporation, Complainant vs. Sallie Gilchrist, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd, Day of November, 1931. the following described property, viz.: One House and Lot in West Clanton, Alabama, known as the Wash Gilchrist lot, lying between Kicker Grove and Bowden place, being Three quarters of an acre. in Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama. Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton, a municipal corporation Complainant vs. James Goldsmith Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd, Day of November, 1931. the following described property, viz.: Beginning at a point 50 feet South of the Northeast corner of Southwest-quarter of Northeast-quarter, Section 2, Township 21, Range 14, run thence West 105 feet, thence South 50 feet, thence East 105 feet, thence North 50 feet to point of beginning. In Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

The Town of Jemison, a Municipal corporation, Complainant, vs. Mrs. O. P. Scott, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 1st day of October, 1931 by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M.,

On Tuesday, The 3rd Day of November, 1931. the following described property, viz.: Lots No. 33, 34, 35 and 36 in Block B, House and Lots in Park Place in Jemison, Chilton County, Alabama. Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This the 13, day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-15-3tcS. Register.

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NOTICE

Letters of Administration on the Estate of H. T. Simms, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned on the 17th day of October, 1931, by the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or the same will be barred.

RUCKER SIMMS,
Administrator of the Estate of H. T. Simms, deceased. 10-22-3tcG.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

The Town of Jemison, a municipal corporation, Complainant, vs. J. C. Sams, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 1st day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M.,

On Tuesday, The 3rd, Day of November, 1931, the following described property, viz.: A part of the SW¼ of NE¼ described as follows: Beginning at a point where Church Street crosses Birmingham & Montgomery High-way on East side of said highway right of way 129 yds to South line of said Forty, thence East along South side of said Forty, 266 yds. to a ditch, thence in a Northeasterly direction along said ditch 108 yds. to East side of said Forty, thence North along East side of said Forty 248 yds: to wire fence, thence in a Westerly direction along wire fence to Church Street, thence along South side of Church Street, to point of beginning, Section 23, Township 23, Range 13. containing 18 acres. situated in the Town of Jemison, Chilton County, Alabama, Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This the 13th, day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-15-3tcS Register.

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NOTICE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed by Solomon Hicks and wife Mamie Hicks, to T. U. Crumpton Co., a corporation, on the 6th day of February, 1918, which said mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama. in Book 179 page 254, said mortgage having heretofore been duly transferred to and now owned by the undersigned Blossom Crumpton, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, I, Blossom Crumpton, will proceed to sell on Monday the 23rd day of November, 1931, in front of the United States Post Office in Maplesville, Chilton County, Alabama, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Section Fifteen (15) Township Twenty-one (21), Range Twelve (12), in Chilton County, Alabama.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, after the cost and expense of this sale, including a reasonable attorneys' fee shall have been deducted therefrom.

This the 21st day of October, 1931.

BLOSSOM CRUMPTON,
By Lawrence F. Gerald,
10-22-4tcG. Her Attorney.

State of Alabama
A PROCLAMATION
by the
GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the Second Tuesday next after five months after the date of the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said Amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 5th day of January, 1932, is the second Tuesday next after five months after the date of the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the Amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 5th day of January, 1932, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz;-

"The City of Mobile shall be and it is hereby authorized and empowered, without an election, to annually levy and collect a tax on the property situated therein, to pay the expenses of the City Government, at such rate as may from time to time be fixed by the governing authorities of said city, but unless and until an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama shall be adopted, permitting said City after an election or elections to levy and collect taxes amounting in the aggregate to more than one and one-tenth (1.1) per centum of the value of the property situated therein, as assessed for State taxation during the preceding year, the total of the ad valorem taxes levied in any one tax year by said municipality for all purposes (including any tax levied to pay the debt existing on the 6th day of December, 1875, with interest thereon, or any renewal of such debt) shall not exceed in the aggregate one and one-tenth (1.1) per centum of the value of such property as assessed for State taxation during the preceding year."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight successive weeks prior to the 5th day of January, 1932, in each County of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Montgomery, on this the 5th day of October, 1931.

B. M. MILLER,
Governor.

ATTEST:
PETE B. JARMAN, Jr.,
Secretary of State.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PARDON OR PAROLE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, who was convicted at Chilton County Court on the second day of April, 1931, for the offense of manufacturing liquor and possession of still and sentenced to from 14 to 15 months in State Penitentiary, will make application to the Pardon Board of Alabama for parole, or pardon.

This the 15th day of October, 1931.

10-22-2tpd. —Bernie Martin.

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NOTICE

Letters testamentary on the estate of E. F. Mead, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned on the 14th day of October, 1931, by the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama, notice is hereby given that all perosns having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or the same will be barred.

CLYDE MEAD,
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of E. F. Mead, deceased.
10-22-3tcG.

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PEOPLES TELEPHONE YEAR CLOSES LAST OF OCTOBER

October 31st brings to a close this year's work of the Peoples Telephone Company. Therefore, a meeting of the phoneholders will be held at the courthouse in Clanton on Saturday afternoon, October 31, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. Everybody interested in the company is urged to be present at this meeting. New officers for the coming year will be elected, and other business attended to. Phoneholders please take notice and bear the date of the meeting in mind.

O. R. ROBINSON,
10-15-3t President

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While hoeing in his garden in Monticello, Wis., Harvey Elmer found a gold wedding ring which his father had lost nearly 30 years ago.

His inability to digest 173 pieces of metal such as wire, tacks, coins, and nails, was given as the reason for the death of Matthew Mulcohey of Overbrook, N. J.

Refused permission to marry 17-year-old Lucille Niebergall, Harold Morgan of St. Paul stole her from bed in her home and later informed her parents they were married at Colfax, Ia.

William Stroll of London escaped from prison by carrying out a box of onions, the guards taking him for a huckster.

Tax Notice

Collector's and Assessors Round

WE WILL ATTEND AT THE FOLLOWING TIMES AND PLACES FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING THE STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR CHILTON COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1931 AND ASSESSING TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1932:

Mullins Academy, Beat 1	Oct. 5	Thorsby, Beat 9	Oct. 19
Jemison, Beat 2	Oct. 6	Coopers, Beat 10	Oct. 20
Mars Hill, Beat 2	Oct. 7	Cane Creek, Beat 11	Oct. 21
Benson, Beat 3	Oct. 8	Mineral Springs, Beat 12	Oct. 22
Verbena, Beat 5	Oct. 9	Robinson's Store, Beat 12	Oct. 23
Mountain Creek, Beat 5	Oct. 10	Providence, Beat 13	Oct. 26
Enterprise, Beat 6	Oct. 12	Macedonia, Beat 14	Oct. 27
Kincheon, Beat 6	Oct. 13	Pletcher, Beat 15	Oct. 28
Maplesville, Beat 7	Oct. 14	Culp Schoolhouse, Beat 15	Oct. 29
Shoults, Beat 7	Oct. 15	Providence, Beat 16	Oct. 30
Stanton, Beat 8	Oct. 16	Clanton, Beat 4	Oct. 31
Riderville, Beat 8	Oct. 17		

Take notice that under the 1923 Revenue Code it is the duty of every person in each Election Precinct to attend in Person on the day of the appointment in your Precinct and then and there render to the Assessor a full and complete list of all the property of which he or she was owner on the 1st day of October of that year. All taxes and assessments are delinquent after December 31st, 1931.

W. G. CULP, Tax Collector.

AKINS I. COLLINS, Tax Assessor.

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We offer you efficient service in the handling and sale of your cotton.

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My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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CHAPTER LIX

The second phase of the Meuse-Argonne operation, the period from October 1 to 11, involved the heaviest strain on me and the army.

There was little time to make readjustments among the troops, heavily engaged, without giving the enemy a respite in which to strengthen his defenses and bring up reserves.

The general attack was resumed at 5 a. m. on October 4, meeting desperate resistance by the enemy. In this attack, the Fourth division of the Third corps, in three days' bitter fighting, captured and held the Bois de Fays, making a gain of over a mile. Advances into the Bois le Peut de Faux were forced back by vicious counter-attacks. In similar hard fighting the Eighteenth division gained a foothold in the Bois des Ogons, against very heavy machine gun fire.

In the attack of the Fifth corps, the Third division pushed forward in the face of strong resistance. During the next two days this division extended its gains, but could make no headway against the Bois de Cunel. The Thirty-second division, which had taken Cierges October 1, advanced to just south of Gesnes on the fourth despite very severe hostile fire, and next day captured that town.

On the left of the army, the First corps was very successful. The First division in a fine display of power on October 4, drove a deep wedge into the enemy's line. This was of great value in affording space for the attack toward the Argonne to be launched later.

The fighting here was characterized by the stubborn nature of the German resistance and the offensive spirit of the division.

Case of the "Lost Battalion."

The right of the Twenty-eighth division fought its way down the Aire river in liaison with the First and captured Chehery. The left of the division encountered much opposition and made but slight gains, notwithstanding its repeated attacks. The division was now facing west for nearly three miles along the Aire river. The Seventy-seventh division between September 29 and October 4 continued its attacks in the Argonne, advancing about a mile over difficult terrain.

In the assault of October 2 a mixed battalion of the division moved forward more rapidly than the troops on its right and left, and became completely surrounded by the enemy. It became popularly known as the "Lost Battalion."

For four days every effort of the division to relieve this beleaguered force was unsuccessful, and every effort of the Germans to force its surrender was without avail.

French Call for Help.

In the meantime the French Fourth army on our left had been held up at Blanc Mont. As a consequence, Marshal Foch appealed to me for assistance. Although I was loath to spare any troops from our front, so serious was our own situation, I sent, in accordance with my promise, the Second division (Lejeune), which was followed later by the Thirty-sixth (W. R. Smith).

October 3 the Second division, accompanied by French tanks, in a brilliant maneuver against heavy machine gun resistance, stormed and captured the dominating German positions on the Medeah Farm-Blanc Mont Ridge, and continued on toward St. Etienne, which was taken on October 8 with the aid of one brigade of the Thirty-sixth division. This success carried forward the French divisions on its right and left and, as reported by General Gouraud, enabled the whole Fourth army to advance.

Our Second Army Organized.

The broadening of the front of attack to the east of the Meuse and the probability that we should soon become engaged along our whole line made it advisable to establish another army. Accordingly, the Second army was formed with its front extending from the Moselle to Fresnes-en-Woevre, and placed under the command of Major General Bullard on the twelfth. The remainder of our front from Fresnes-en-Woevre to the Argonne forest, inclusive, was left under the First army, to which Major General Liggett was assigned. Both commanders were recommended to me for promotion to lieutenant general.

My status now became that of commander of a group of armies. Major General Summerall was placed in command of the Fifth corps to relieve Major General Cameron, who was given command of the Fourth division. Major General Hines was promoted to the command of the Third corps in place of General Bullard. Major General Dickman, commanding the Fourth corps, was given the First corps and Major General Muir the Fourth.

These changes generally took effect October 12 but I retained direct command of the First army until the sixteenth.

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CHAPTER LX

The Meuse-Argonne operations carried out between October 7 and 11 consisted of four specific attacks, as follows:

(1) October 7. The First corps, employing the Eighty-second division between the First and Twenty-eighth divisions, attacked the eastern edge of the Argonne forest.

(2) October 8. The French Seventeenth corps, re-enforced by the American Thirty-third and Twenty-ninth divisions, attacked east of the Meuse on the front Beaumont-Brabant-sur-Meuse, with the object of seizing the heights there.

(3) October 9. The Fifth corps, re-enforced by including within its front the First division, to which was attached a brigade from the Ninety-first division, attacked the heights of the Bois de Romagne.

(4) October 10-11. A general attack on the 20-mile front from Beaumont west to the Aire river.

The French Fourth army had not been able to keep abreast of the American First army, and it was evident that clearing the Argonne forest would materially aid its advance. The opportunity presented itself just at this time. Although on October 6 the enemy continued to hold the heights of Cunel and Romagne, nevertheless sufficient space had been secured along the Aire river to warrant an attack to the west with the object of striking the rear of the enemy's positions in the Argonne forest.

There was another important factor that entered into the decision to force the withdrawal of the enemy from the Argonne. This was the predicament of the "Lost Battalion," which under Maj. C. W. Whittlesey had been holding out near Binarville since October 2.

Efforts to relieve the battalion had so far been unsuccessful, and the men had consumed their rations and expended most of their ammunition, although our aviators had tried to drop small amounts to them. The battalion was resisting heroically against great odds, without any thought of surrender.

Pursuant to the plan an attack was made by the Twenty-eighth and Eighty-second divisions against the left and rear of the enemy's positions in the region of Chatel-Chehery and Cornay. After a night march of eight miles the Eighty-second division (Duncan) entered the line between the Twenty-eighth (Muir) and the First (Summerall). In a series of daring movements to the west by the Twenty-eighth and Eighty-second divisions, Cornay, Chatel-Chehery and the dominating hills northwest of Apremont were captured.

Although the continued operation of these two divisions was attended by severe fighting the results were immediate. The enemy was forced to withdraw from that region, the Argonne forest was cleared, and the Seventy-seventh division was enabled to advance to the relief of its "Lost Battalion." It then pushed on to the north in pursuit of the retreating enemy.

East of the Meuse.

General Claudel's French Seventeenth corps, east of the Meuse, attacked October 8 with the object of seizing the heights northwest of Beaumont. At that time it consisted of two French and two American divisions, the Thirty-third and Twenty-ninth, making the corps in numerical strength two-thirds American. Though opposed by strong German resistance the assault was successfully directed by General Claudel, and our lines were advanced during the next few days to the commanding ground between Beaumont and Richene Hill.

In a well-conducted operation the Thirty-third division (Bell) crossed the Meuse early October 8 by bridges constructed during the night, captured Consenvoye, and progressed up the neighboring slopes. The following day a further advance was made, but heavy fire from the Borne de Cornouiller and the failure of the troops on the right to keep up forced a retirement to the morning line. This ground was retaken despite strong resistance, and by night of the 10th the division had established itself on the west slopes of Richene Hill.

The Fifty-eighth brigade of the Twenty-ninth division (Morton), under command of the French Eighteenth division, against considerable opposition pushed forward into the woods south of Richene Hill on the 8th, and during the next two days completed the capture of those woods. On the 11th, the Twenty-ninth division took command of its Fifty-eighth brigade. Its Fifty-seventh brigade, still under the French Eighteenth division, on the 12th made important gains in the Bois d'Ormont.

In conjunction with the operations by the French Seventeenth corps, the Fifth corps (Cameron) attacked in force October 9 and continued its efforts the next two days. The Third division (Buck) progressed on the 9th, and after fierce fighting seized Madeleine farm, which had previously proved a stumbling block, and partly cleared the Bois de Cunel. The following day it completed the capture of that wood and on the 11th extended its gains to the northwest.

The Thirty-second division (Haan) reached Romagne October 9 and penetrated the enemy trenches on Cote Dame Marie on the 10th, but was driven from the latter and established its lines on the southern slopes of the hill.

Ninety-First Suffers Heavy Casualties.

The Ninety-first division (Johnston), on the left of the Thirty-second division, fought all day on the 9th for Hill 255, suffering heavy casualties, and the following day occupied the position. The advance then continued until stopped on Hill 288 and the Cote Dame Marie. The division was relieved the night of October 11.

The First division (Summerall), in a resolute attack, captured the difficult enemy positions on and near Hill 272 on the 9th, and established its line on the 10th north of the Cote de Maldah. It also was relieved on the 11th. During the operations of the 9th and 10th, the One Hundred and Eighty-first brigade (John B. McDonald) of the Ninety-first division was attached to the First division, being transferred to the Thirty-second division on the night of the 10th.

The advance of the Third corps (Bullard) was bitterly contested by the enemy, but October 10 the Fourth division (Hines) fought its way forward beyond the Cunel-Brieulles road. Two determined assaults against the Bois de Peut de Faux were broken up, but on the third attempt the northern edge of that wood was attained. The division gained the far side of the Bois de Foret on the 11th against severe opposition.

The Eightieth division (Cronkhite) on the 9th, in the face of very heavy fire, pushed forward to a short distance north of the Bois des Ogons. The division's attacks continued, and when relieved two days later it had reached a line slightly south and east of Cunel.

On the front of the First corps (Liggett) the opposition encountered on the 10th was less determined, and the Eighty-second division (Duncan) by midnight had established its line beyond Marcq, while the line of the Seventy-seventh division (Alexander) ran westward from there. On the 11th, however, the fighting was severe, yet the Eighty-second, regardless of heavy casualties, advanced to a position north of Sommerance. This town, though in the sector of the First division, was occupied by the Eighty-second to protect its own flank.

The night of October 11 our line ran from east to west roughly as follows: Molleville farm—Bois de la Cote Lemont—part of Bois de Foret—south of Cote Dame Marie—Sommerance—Grandpre.

While these operations on our First army front were in progress, the Thirtieth division of the Second corps (Read) attacked October 8 as part of the British Fourth army, aiding materially in the general advance of that army. The attack, although meeting considerable opposition, was successful, and the progress continued three days. When relieved the night of the 11th, the Thirtieth division had driven the enemy back seven miles and had reached the Selle river.

Third Phase of the Battle.

The third phase of the Meuse-Argonne operations began October 14. During the previous phase, important gains had been made along the whole front against increasing intensity of resistance. The retirement of the enemy in front of the allies to the west, which was being accelerated by our persistent gains in the east, indicated clearly that he was trying to save himself from complete disaster, which it was urgent that we should strive all the more vigorously to hasten.

The enemy's strong defenses in the Bois de Romagne and the Bois de Bantheville had to be reduced before further considerable progress could be made. To the west of Romagne heights we faced the strongly fortified position which included Cote de Chatillon-Landres-St. Georges-St. Juvin-Bois des Loges and Grandpre.

Our attacks on the 14th, 15th and 16th in conjunction with Gouraud's French Fourth army met violent opposition, especially at the beginning, and although ground was often taken and retaken several times, our lines were steadily pushed forward.

East of the Meuse, in the French Seventeenth corps the Sixty-fifth brigade (Edward L. King) of the Thirty-third division had made some progress, and the Twenty-ninth division, despite the difficult terrain and severe casualties, had entered woods north of Molleville farm.

The Fifth division, in the face of intense fire on its front and flanks, on the 14th reached the top of the slopes northeast of Romagne and cleared the wood north of Cunel. Elements of the division pushed through to the northern edge of the Bois des Rappes, but were withdrawn.

By dint of the superior determination of our troops, the enemy's lines were broken at a vital point by the Fifth corps.

Cote Dame Marie Taken.

Unstinted praise must be given the Thirty-second division, which, notwithstanding heavy losses, October 14 brilliantly captured Cote Dame Marie, perhaps the most important strong point of the Hindenburg line on the western front. The town of Romagne and the eastern half of Bois de Romagne were also taken by this division on that day, while on the following day its line was advanced about a mile to the southern edge of the Bois de Bantheville.

The Forty-second division fought aggressively against the most obstinate defense, forcing its way through the western half of Bois de Romagne, its Eighty-fourth brigade (Douglas MacArthur) scaling the precipitous heights of the Cote de Chatillon and carrying its line on beyond that position. The desperate resistance on the left of the division, south of St. George and Landres-et-St. Georges, however, could not be overcome.

The importance of these operations can hardly be overestimated. The capture of the Romagne heights, especially its dominating feature, Cote Dame Marie, was a decisive blow. We now occupied the enemy's strongest fortified position on that front and flanked his line on the Aisne and the heights of the Meuse. Unless he could recapture the positions we held, our successes would compel the enemy to retreat from his lines to the north, as we were within heavy artillery range of his railroad lines.

(continued next week)

Letters To The Editor

Editor, Chilton County News:

I am asking you for space for a few words about the fourth chapter of Ezk. He was commanded to lie on his left side 390 days and on his right side 40 days. Each day was for a year. The 390 days was for the 10 tribes, the 40 days was for Judah and Benjamin (House). In the year 999 B. C. the 10 tribes revolted against Judah. This was 393 years before the destruction of Jerusalem. We see that King Jeroboam failed to obey and get a sure house and that he initiated a false worship and set up two golden calves. Jeroboam was warned, but he continued his false worship, which was about three years after the revolt and by subtracting the days for a year that Ezekiel lay on his left side and the 3 years we have the date 606 B. C. (393 from 999 is 606) and 606 was the beginning of the Gentiles times. It would be intruding on valuable space to give Scriptural evidence that the Gentile times is to last 2520 years and of the many things that are to come to pass after 2520 years from 606 B. C.

A well known newspaper of February 10, 1931, representing the sentiment of Organized Christianity (in part) says: "Our world presents a strange and sorry spectacle. In the cities millions of people haven't enough to eat. In the country millions of farmers facing ruin. Too much corn, too much wheat because they have no market. There are hundreds of millions going almost naked while cotton planters are on the verge of starvation. Too much sugar, too much coffee, too much cotton, too much silver, too much oil and too much of almost everything. Three-quarters of the population of the globe half naked and half starved, are yearning for the barest necessities of life, but can't afford them. What a sickening indictment of our system. The remedy is only to be found in a new order of things founded upon world peace." I will close by saying we are facing something as bad or worse than the destruction of Jerusalem.

J. C. EDWARDS.

Four Years Ago

Issue of October 27, 1927

Isabella High School played their first football game at Isabella last Friday afternoon. The Isabella team met a strong Marbury team and held them to a scoreless draw after four periods of hard and clean cut playing.

A fire originating in the home of Mr. Sam Cox in West Clanton last Thursday morning swept uncontrolled and destroyed the dwellings of Mr. Cox, Mr. J. W. Rawlinson and Mr. Robert Popwell.

The Chilton County football team defeated the team from the Sylacauga High School on the local field last Friday afternoon by a score of 19 to 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Span Jones on Mulberry were visitors to Clanton last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mallie Armstrong of Birmingham were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Armstrong.

Mr. Ashur Durham of Birmingham was a week end visitor to Clanton.

Mrs. Lande, Miss Ruth Margolis and Harry Margolis motored to Birmingham Monday.

Relax—So there was something in your wife's speech that sounded strange?

Rebux—Yes, a pause.

Weary Willie—Believe it or not, ma'am, but I am not a tramp. I'm merely walking around the country for a series of prizes.

Lady of House—And what are they?

Weary Willie—Anyone who wishes to contribute a ham sandwich may do so.

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Sardis News

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Minor spent last week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff.

Misses Lucinda and Gladys Sansom were the dinner guests of Miss Lettie Kendrick Sunday.

Mr. Garland Deason was the dinner guest of Mr. Carlos Ratliff Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sansom, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Kendrick.

Those who attended the W. M. S. quarterly meeting at Liberty Hill on last Thursday from Sardis are as follows: Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sansom, Mrs. Maggie Headley and daughter, Clara, Mrs. Maggie Williams, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ratliff, Mrs. Lula Ratliff, and daughter, Alphia, and Mrs. Ella Ratliff and daughter, Atha. Everyone present reported a nice time and a good dinner.

Miss Ola Ratliff, who is on the sick list is still improving fast.

Mr. and Mrs. George Keen of Pilgrim Rest spent Saturday night with their daughter, Mrs. John Kendrick.

Those who do not attend prayer service on Sunday night, we cordially invite you to come and be with us every Sunday night.

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FLOUR 24 lb. bag 45c
48 lb. bag 89c

JIM DANDY — MANDY OR WINNER
MEAL 6 lb. bag 12c

IONA YELLOW CLING
PEACHES no. 2, 1-2 can 15c

DAILY SCRATCH
FEED 100 lb. bag $1.49

WHITEHOUSE
MILK 3 tall cans 20c

Rajah Salad Dressing or Sandwich Spread --- Pint Jar 19c

GELATIN DESSERT
SPARKLE 3 pkgs. 19c

NBC PREMIUM
SODAS 1 lb. pkg. 13c

THE COFFEE TRIO
8 O'clock lb. 19c
Red Circle lb. 25c
BOKAR lb. 29c

SHREDDED WHEAT --- Package 10c
Kerosene Oil --- Per Gallon 13c
Hormels Sliced Bacon --- Pound 21c
Quaker Maid Baking Powder --- Lb. Can 15c

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The Public's Interest In Busses And Trucks

October, 1931, issue of The L. & N. Employes' Magazine

The reprint below is an editorial that appeared in the Louisville Courier-Journal on October 1. The injury that is done to the railroads by the inequitable competition with busses and trucks is pretty well known, especially to railroad people. This editorial shows that in another, but important, respect the general public is also suffering from the serious damage that is being done everywhere to the highways, which were constructed for ordinary travel such as private automobiles and smaller trucks, but are being destroyed by the large motor vehicles which are engaged in the regular transportation business for hire. Every citizen and taxpayer should know that what happened in the South Carolina county described in this editorial is also happening to a greater or less extent practically everywhere throughout this country. Sooner or later the public will wake up to it, though in many cases it will be too late to save the roads. Kentucky has the chance to do it at the coming session of its Legislature, which meets in January. It is hoped and believed that the great injustice which is being done by these heavy motor vehicles, not only to the railroads but to the owners of private automobiles and to taxpayers of the State generally, will be stopped by appropriate legislation enacted at our next Legislature.

Where Motor Traffic Cost Is High

Senator Barkley may seem to be bearding the lion by demanding regulation of interstate motor transportation in an address before the National Association of Motor Bus Operators, but regulation is what the organized bus men are demanding. It is their cry for self-protection, for stabilization, for control of competition. The big bus lines have suffered, along with the railroads, because of the springing up here and there of small independents who, by cutting rates, cause the whole business to be unprofitable. The bus men want the Interstate Commerce Commission to set up certain standards of equipment and service and minimum fares, so that they may not be subjected from time to time to unfair and irresponsible competition. In other words, the bus operators are getting a dose of what they handed the railroads.

Interstate Commerce Commission regulation of bus and truck lines, besides enforcing a less unfair competition with the railroads, would improve the transportation situation considerably. The railroads are being hurt by inequitable truck competition, and the taxpayers are suffering because States permit common carrier truck lines to destroy public highways that were never intended to accommodate such traffic.

An authenticated instance of such destruction, with its tragic results, recently was revealed in a public hearing. A South Carolina county voted $360,000 in road bonds for the construction of modern concrete highways. The roads were built. Huge cotton trucks —common carriers operating for private profit over the public's roads—pounded these roads night and day for a year—and reduced them to a series of "shell holes" and dust. The county's roads were destroyed, but the taxpayers will be paying off the bonds for the next twenty years.

Charles Marvin, the engineer head of the United States Weather Bureau, recently wrote an article for the press in which he showed that the best modern roads will stand up indefinitely under a maximum of passenger car and light truck traffic; that they will be damaged within a certain number of years under use by medium weight trucks, and that within a comparatively short time they will be destroyed under the pounding of a certain percentage of heavy trucks.

Interstate Commerce Commission regulation of motor transportation may not put a stop to the destruction of the public's roads by common carrier truck lines, operating vehicles of a weight and capacity too great for the best highways made, but it is up to the States to call a halt on the improper use of State-built highways.

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"Leeds Community Builder"

It is with pleasure we acknowledge receipt this week of a new weekly newspaper to our desk, the "Leeds Community Builder" which published its first issue October 15th. S. G. and R. M. Tucker are the publishers. These gentlemen need no introduction to newspaper folks of Alabama. They are widely and well known over the state, and their ability to do a good job of editing and managing a progressive newspaper goes without question. Congratulations are in order to them, to Leeds, and a hearty welcome is extended to them as they come into the weekly newspaper field in Alabama.

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Many companies are threatening to discharge married women as a means of relieving unemployment; even the children at home must snort at this.

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The action of the American Legion in voting not to press for full payment of the adjusted compensation certificates, increases the general respect for the American Legion.

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People have laughed at the weather man so long that they don't realize how often the much maligned official is correct.

PAST-PRESENT-FUTURE
IN CHILTON COUNTY

Living costs in Clanton have been greatly reduced within the past three years, according to several of our leading merchants and business men. Groceries, clothing and other necessities are as reasonably priced in the stores in Clanton as has been in a great number of years.

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Clanton, as has been said hundreds of times, is ideally situated, but—here is where some of the trouble is showing up. There appears to be little effort in this section to tell the outside world of the advantages to be found in Chilton County. In fact, I'd be almost willing to wager that there is a large number of the older citizens of the town and county who are still asleep to the fact that Clanton has advantages that are being looked for constantly by large manufacturing concerns. Yet, do we sleep on the job and wonder why?

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To this writer, it seems nothing but foolishness, to put it frankly for the Commissioners Court to listen to those persons who have been nagging the Court about the uselessness of the work of a County Agent in this county.

Foolishness, because farming is the only means whereby the merchants, business and professional men of Clanton and every other town in the county, are existing, or that is, the chief factor in their existence at this time. There are no payrolls, no factories to bring income to the county—it's farming and farmers who send money into Clanton, Thorsby, Maplesville, Jemison, Coopers, Verbena, Pletcher and all other settlements in Chilton County.

The work of a County Agent is to aid the farmer in his work, showing him new ideas, helps, in order that he may be more able to farm, and live in a better manner. Now, do away with the work, and what do you get?

Frankly speaking, its seems queer to me that since the question has been up concerning the office of the County Agent here, the Commissioners Court has not divulged the names nor the source of the request they stated was received that an election be held. Neither has one word been put before the people in a public statement by anyone against the office. And who are those "some citizens and tax payers" who requested the Commissioners Court to call an election? Who has that influence over the Court. This election in my own personal opinion, seems to be an attempt to oust the work of the County Agent in this county. The mass meeting held for this purpose sometime ago failed to accomplish what "some citizens and tax payers" wanted. Why? Apparently perhaps, because "some citizens and tax payers" did not have nerve enough to get up before the meeting and say they were opposed to the work in the county. It would have called for some nerve.

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Chilton County does not need to take any backward steps. This county needs to take as many forward steps and as often as possible. Certainly to do away with the County Agent work in this county, would be a very backward step. I rather like the letter in this issue from W. L. Sanders, a member of the County School Board, so far as the letter concerns the County Agent.

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The editor of this newspaper fell victim to a well aimed stone the other afternoon when someone took a shot at his automobile in broad open daylight, crashing one of the headlights rather badly. Fortunately for the editor, he saw the stone in time to slow his automobile down, preventing his winshield from receiving the blow. Some youngsters playing a prank, no doubt, but a rather serious and costly prank to the editor, who thought for a moment that possibly meteors were falling.

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Dewey Rockett has the right idea about reducing prices, according to his advertisement in this issue of this newspaper on guns and shells. He says when he tells the people he is putting on a special sale on any item, he means it is a sale, and his prices will prove that.

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Lande, at The Leader, and a member of the Clanton Golf Club, is running close to Dr. J. E. Edgar for honors when it comes to golf, according to a story in last week's News, where he made a hole in two shots. Dr. Edgar holds the championship right now, of the club, but if Lande keeps on, Edgar will have to do some practicing, or playing, perhaps, in order to keep his place.

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It won't be long now before Clanton optimists will be sitting by the winter's fire, swallowing all that the seed catalogs say about what spring gardens will grow.

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If a stranger suggests a way for you to make a couple of hundred thousand by lending him about five grand, and you do it, that's positive indication that you haven't got any business with $5,000.

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Some time ago we wrote a paragraph about the "average wife," and a friend wants to know what the head of our household thought about it. Well, boys, (here's hoping she reads this) she is not an "average wife."

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The merchant who advertises in the News in the manner of a man placing a bet can hardly expect to get a fair return for his money. Modern advertising is not a gamble; inefficient advertising is a loss.

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Now comes news that the postmaster general wants to increase the postal rates; what an idea!

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Every once in a while the Boss may get late to work, but nobody objects when he works overtime.

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There are some people in Clanton who will believe anything nice that you say about them.

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If all the people in Clanton who understand the theory of the gold standard would pay their bills, there would be no difference.

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Correct this sentence: "It's about time that readers of this newspaper were not asked to correct certain fool sentences."

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We see where a child, tired of school, set the school house on fire. This is what we call direct action.

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Our own idea is that if farmers were as well organized as labor the question of farm relief would not be as unsettled as it is.

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A campaign for the payment of small debts is being waged in many cities; the theory seems to be that the large ones will take care of themselves.

Lawrence Gives Statement On Educational Funds

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cording to your statement, evidence of the fact that educational appropriations have not been paid according to the law?

"May I ask what part of the $7,992,058.01 reported in your statement as 'total payments to public schools and educational institutions and for Departmental expenses and other educational activities during the year ending September 30, 1931 (not including payments of prior years' warrants)' is represented by certificated warrants? Is it not true that a substantial part of the $7,992,058.01 reported by you as payments is, in effect, an outstanding loan which so far has not been paid from receipts for educational purposes reported by you as amounting to $5,715,125.48? If it is true that this loan has not been paid from the receipts as reported by you, then should you not inform the public as to what disposition has been made of the difference between the receipts shown and the amounts actually paid out from specific school funds? Will any part of the revenues for educational purposes for the year 1931-32 be devoted to liquidating the aforesaid loan as represented by certificated warrants or to meeting unpaid appropriations for the year ending September 20, 1931?

"You will recall, that you have not replied to my letter to you of September 28 requesting an itemized statement of the Alabama Educational Trust Fund for the year ending September 30, 1931, showing the amount derived from each source of receipts as set out in Section 2 of the Revenue Act of 1927 and the amount expended for each appropriated fund as set out in House Bill No. 318 of the 1927 Legislature. I hope that you may yet find time to supply this information as requested. The information is necessary to clarify the whole situation."

(Signed) A. F. HARMAN,
State Superintendent of Education.

Another interesting item appeared in the Alabama Journal under date of Tuesday, October 20, 1931. This article was headed: "Blan Admits Schools Paid Only One-Third of State Trust Fund." One paragraph of this article reads as follows:

"Although approximately $678,000 has been collected for the trust fund since the new fiscal year began October 1, State Treasurer S. H. Blan estimated that not more than $288,000 of this money has been disbursed for school purposes and that the rest has been used in paying warrants of other departments of the state government."

I hope that the patrons and citizens of the county are keeping up with the situation as is found in the daily press. The Alabama Journal has given daily about all the information available in so far as I have been able to ascertain. The County Board of Education can make no promise as to how long we shall be able to operate our schools unless the money due us from the State of Alabama is paid.

I remind you again of the fact that we have about $17,000 due us from last year's appropriations. If this amount is added to the appropriations for this year we will have upwards of $90,000 due us from the State of Alabama. If this money is not forthcoming we cannot operate over one-half year and in fact it will be necessary for us to have some of the state money in order to operate a full half-year but it is the intention of the Board to continue the schools for one-half year in order that the pupils may be able to receive full credit for that part of the work they do. It is a deplorable situation. Our state superintendent is doing all that he can to secure the needed funds but for some reason or other the money is not available from the state treasury.

I assure you that it will be a pleasure to answer all inquiries or give such information as will enable the county to understand the situation as it is.

Trusting that something may yet happen by which we may be able to get a full term, I am,

Respectfully yours,
B. LAWRENCE,
County Supt. Education.

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FROM MULBERRY

Dear Editor:

Please allow me to say a few words about some very important work which is being forwarded by our Mulberry people. It is relative to our Every-member canvass. All of the committees have been secured and training courses arranged so that we can go immediately, into the work. We believe and trust that our people will respond in this worthy cause.

Depression does not excuse us from doing what we can to carry the Gospel of Christ into all parts of the world. Christ did not say that if times grew hard He would excuse us, but He said, "Go." Through the Cooperative Program Missionary Baptists have agreed to do this. May we appreciate Christ's salvation enough and love him so well, that we will give the world the Gospel, at any cost.

In our Master's name,
G. G. WILLIAMS.

More Farmers Give Their Approval Of County Farm Agent's Work

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proval of the work of the County Farm Agent in Chilton County.

The meeting at Oak Grove, north of Jemison, was held last Thursday night. Exery man present at the meeting expressed himself in favor of the County Agent being continued. J. D. Sutley, W. I. Lessley, T. F. Satterwhite, and other farmers made talks in which they pointed out many ways in which the County Agent has been of help to them and others in the community.

C. R. Foss, cashier of The Peoples Bank, of Jemison, was present with the farmers and urged them to support the County Agent in the election of November 3. A poll of the crowd was taken, and every man present voted for the County Agent.

Another meeting at Pleasant Grove, west of Jemison, was held on Thursday night. It was an enthusiastic demonstration unanimously in favor of the County Agent. Talks were made by Will Clements, Clarence Childress, Clyde Cofer, Hunter Rasco, Mr. Foss, and others. It was pointed out in these talks by the farmers that the work of the County Agent has been used to great advantage by the people of Pleasant Grove. When a vote was called for every man arose in favor of the work and continuing it in Chilton County.

The largest gathering of farmers held at Collins Chapel in a long time came out Saturday night to give consideration to the County Agent business. Wilbur Bean, Perry Gore, Glenn Sessions, C. R. Foss, Zac Appleton, and others made talks pointing out the effective manner in which they had mastered many farm problems through the assistance of the County Agent. General discussion and criticism of the County Agent work was invited, but no opposition was expressed.

Following are some of the endorsements sent to this newspaper with a request they be published:

4-H Club Gives Expression

To the Voters of Chilton County:

We represent more than 400 Chilton County farm boys between the ages of 10 years and 18 years, who in 4-H Club work, have taken the following pledge:

I pledge:
My Head to clearer thinking
My Heart to greater loyalty
My Hands to larger service, and
My Health to better living; for
My Club, My Community, and My Country.

We are trying to develop into useful citizens for Chilton County. Our County Agent, Mr. Stapp, is leading us in this work. We can't vote, but we plead with you to go to the polls on November the third and vote for the continuation of Mr. Stapp's work in the County.

(Signed)
CHILTON COUNTY 4-H CLUB,
CLYDE POPWELL, Pres.,
JAMES DENNIS, Vice Pres.,
OSMOND GLEN, Sec'y-Treas.
QUINTON KELLY, Reporter.

Clanton, Ala., Oct. 25, 1931.

Dear Chilton County Citizens:

We, the undersigned 4-H Club Members, are appealing to you for your support of our county agency work. Mr. Stapp has done much for Chilton County's youth and each of us have learned to love him as an older brother. By organizing clubs and promoting project work, he has made our farm life much more interesting and enjoyable, and by constantly stimulating our interest in agriculture, he has opened up the way to much great accomplishments during our future life.

It's all left up to you, dear voters. Will you vote for Mr. Stapp and support the welfare of Chilton County's youth, or will you defeat Mr. Stapp and make our way to better methods of farming much more difficult to travel? Who deserves your consideration more, the youth of today, or those few business men who's greed has brought this attack on the farmers' interest? Think it over and then help yourself and the younger generation by voting for the continuation of Mr. Stapp's work.

Sincerely yours,

—(Signed): Delos Culp, R. C. Yeazy, C. M. Manning, S. L. Breadhead Jr., Luther Mims, Marvin M. Durbin, James M. Deason, Wilbert Conway, J. P. Poole, James Calfee, A. D. Headley, Morris Keen, Hannon Owen, O. T. Scott, Carles Owen, Alton Culp and Winston Culp.

Editor, Chilton County News:

Please allow me space in your paper to express myself in behalf of the County Agent. Personally, I don't see how I could get along without him. I have had the services of a county agent for nearly 20 years, and I always find one a great help. I don't see how one could object to a county agent.

Chilton County is an agricultural county and the farmers need help with their problems. If the farmers suffer the merchants suffer, and if the farmers prosper the merchants prosper.

Before we got a County Agent we could not grow peaches. If we put them out they would soon die. Since we have a County Agent we grow more peaches than we know what to do with. The value of the County Agent can not be estimated in dollars and cents.

If there ever was a time the farmers need help with their problems it is now. I have heard several say that the county agent makes quite a bit from the store the Farm Bureau is running. I happen to be a director of the Farm Bureau and I know he does not make one penny out of it. It belongs to the members of the Farm Bureau and Mr. Stapp gives his services just like he does his other services. I don't think he gets enough for his services. He is going all the time, his expenses are heavy.

Now let us one and all lay all prejudice aside and go to the polls November the 3rd and settle this question once and for always. If we discontinue the county agent we will be sorry of it, for what we sow we shall surely reap. If we do away with the county agent, we will have no one to go to with our problems, and I think we have the best one in the State. I would not be willing to exchange him for nó one I know. He is always on the job.

The Drouth Relief could not have gotten help from the Government if we had not had a county agent, for it had to come through him.

In many ways he is a help to us. This is a serious matter when we begin to think of doing away with him. LET'S NOT DO IT!

J. L. SMITH.

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Three Years Ago

Issue of November 1, 1928

The new cotton mill which is being constructed here will sound its first whistle at high noon next Saturday.

Mr. Eric Hanson, aged 81, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. O. Johnson, in Thorsby last Saturday morning.

The Chilton County football team ran rough shod over a light Selma team last Friday afternoon at Selma. The final score being forty-eight to nothing in favor of the Chilton team.

Miss Cleo Roebuck spent the past week end with her parents in Maplesville, Alabama.

The Rev. Bob Jones, noted evangelist, spoke to a large crowd here last Saturday afternoon in the interest of the Presidential candidacy of Herbert Hoover.

There will be a Hallowe'en party at the Thomas Junior High School next Friday night.

Miss Rosa Lee Thornton, age 74, died at her home in Clanton last Saturday afternoon following a lingering illness.

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE AND SALE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Whereas, H. H. Dahl, and wife, Cora M. Dahl, executed to G. F. Harper, on towit, the 28th day of November, 1928, a mortgage upon the land hereinafter described to secure an indebtedness described therein, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Chilton County, Alabama in Mortgage Book 224, page 147, and

Whereas, said G. F. Harper, and wife, Mary E. Harper, did on the 16 day of November, 1931, transfer and assign said mortgage to G. E. Collins; And default having been made by grantors in payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage and in the performance of the terms of said mortgage;

Now Therefore, the said G. E. Collins, having declared due and payable the entire indebtedness secured by said mortgage, together with all other claims due under the terms of said mortgage will sell, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, during the legal hours of sale, the 28 day of November, 1931, at auction to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Courthouse door of Chilton County, Alabama, the lands embraced in said mortgage described substantially as follows:

The North ½ of Northeast ¼ of Southwest ¼, and the East ½ of Northwest ¼ of Southwest ¼, all in Sec. 5, Township 22, Range 14, containing 40 acres, more or less, and situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

Said sale being made, first, for the purpose of paying the expenses incident to this sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee; second, to reimburse the mortgagee or his transferee for money expended for taxes due on the property with interest thereon; third, for the payment of debts secured by said mortgage and the interest due.

G. E. Collins, Transferee.
By Raymond C. Smith, Attorney for Transferee.
Transferee. 10-29-2t

OFFICERS FOR ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 3

Officers And Managers For November 10th Election Are Also Named

Following the News is publishing the list of the officers, and managers for the various polling places in this county for the coming elections, to take place on November 3rd and on November 10th.

On November 3rd, an election will be held over the state in regard to the proposed $25,000,000 road bond issue for Alabama, which is described in a Proclamation from The Governor published elsewhere in this issue as Proclamation Number One.

Also at this same election, separate ballots will be given each voter, on which he or she will vote approval or disapproval of the continuing of the work of the County Farm Demonstration Agent in this county.

The election scheduled for November 10th will be held for the vote of the qualified electors, in the manner and form as required by law, on Article XXI, Section 219 of the present Constitution of Alabama, which is shown in the Governor's Proclamation Numbered Two, and published elsewhere in this issue.

Beat No. 1—Box No. 1: Inspectors, Ellis Ellison, J. L. Burnett, J. F. Jones; Clerks, O. R. Mullins, F. L., Martin; Returning Officer, B. F. Vines.

Beat No. 2—Box No. 1: Inspectors: J. D. Sutley, W. H. Conway, L. H. Bean; Clerks, Louis Allen, C. C. Conway; Returning Office,r, B. L. Cobb.

Beat No. 2—Box No. 2: Inspectors, W. N. Thomas, J. W. Abbott, T. G. Cofer; Clerks, C. W. Scott, J. T. Childress; Returning Officer, W. P. Cofer.

Beat No. 3—Box No. 1: Inspectors, O. O. Calfee, A. D. Martin, B. H. Jones; Clerks, Guy DeShazo, H. R. Oden; Returning Officer, D. O. Manning.

Beat No. 4—Box No. 1: Inspectors, J. D. Collins, Frank Callen, J. J. Johnson; Clerks, T. E. Wyatt, J. T. Thompson; Returning Officer, W. H. Gillespie.

Beat No. 4—Box No. 2: Inspectors, T. J. Littlejohn, H. S. Shaw, W. B. Corley; Clerks, R. M. Foshee, B. H. Duke; Returning Officer, Clarence N. Smith.

Beat No. 4—Box No. 3: Inspectors, W. H. Wilson, J. W. Littlejohn, J. L. Scroggins; Clerks, P. D. Wilson, A. J. Culp; Returning Officer, W. B. Foshee.

Beat No. 4—Box No. 4: Inspectors, O. H. McDowell, H. F. Downs, W. B. Cox; Clerks, Lena Downs, Mamie Willis; Returning Officer, W.M. Devaughn.

Beat No. 5—Box No. 1: Inspectors, Jim Plott, Judson Strock, E. L. Jones; Clerks, L. D. Hughes, Charlie Gulledge; Returning Officer, Jasper R. Robinson.

Beat No. 5—Box No. 2: Inspectors, W. S. Clark, J. W. Howard, B. J. Baldwin; Clerks, Charles Cooper, T. J. Henderson; Returning Officer, Herbert Freeman.

Beat No. 6—Box No. 1: Inspectors, T. W. Billingsley, E. G. Mullins, J. R. Owens; Clerks, L. C. Keen, Jim Cox; Returning Officer, J. I. Bice.

Beat No. 6—Box No. 2: Inspectors, S. D. Deloach, W. Y. Keel, Lee Boockholdt; Clerks, C.L. Wilkins, J.D. Yeargan; Returning Officer, C. B. Huett.

Beat No. 7—Box No. 1: Inspectors, B. G. Glass, J. O. Mize, C. M. Foshee; Clerks, J. C. Atchison, Isaac Dennis; Returning Officer, Rube Bearden.

Beat No. 7—Box No. 2: Inspectors, C. T. Walker, W. M. Oden, C. J. Littlejohn; Clerks, Moody McGee, Ben McAfee; Returning Officer, Denson Sewell.

Beat No. 8—Box No. 1: Inspectors, A. B. Jones, M. E. Dunsmore, C. C. Gay; Clerks, W. H. Harris, Joe A. Davis; Returning Officer, Charlie Mitchell.

Beat No. 9—Box No. 1: Inspectors, W. M. Benson, T. K. Littleton, Henry Robinson; Clerks, E. R. Piper, Enoch Cox; Returning Officer, D. K. Martin.

Beat No. 9—Box No. 2: Inspectors, A. F. Mims, J. M. Smith, S. M. Edwards; Clerks, W. P. Lowery, John Queen; Returning Officer, Charlie Howard.

Beat No. 10—Box No. 1: Inspectors, O. L. Devaughn, H. Calloway, G. S. Miner; Clerks, W. G. Vinson, A. J. Taylor; Returning Officer, L.T. Grant.

Beat No. 11—Box No. 1: Inspectors, P. C. Weldon, D. C. Giles, J. R. Robinson; Clerks, D. C. Littlefield, R. E. Jones; Returning Officer, John S. Dennis.

Beat No. 12—Box No. 1: Inspectors, Foster Vinzant, Henry Dobbs, J. W. Collum; Clerks, R. S. Chandler, W. J. Vinzant; Returning Officer J. P. Bean.

Beat No. 12—Box No. 2: Inspectors, J. E. Dorminey, P. M. Martin, R. T. Robinson; Clerks, E. Y. Conway, J. L. Gore; Returning Officer, G.W. Benson.

Beat No. 13—Box No. 1: Inspectors, J. D. Harrell, Burnie Killingsworth, W. R. Houlditch; Clerks, Frank Lowery, B. B. Armstrong; Returning Officer, W. G. Shaw.

Beat No. 14—Box No. 1: Inspectors, L. G. Posey, M. C. Childress, W. G. Rasberry; Clerks, Z. J. Jones, Hunter Rascoe; Returning Officer, H. H. Armstrong.

Beat No. 15—Box No. 1: Inspectors, J. F. Anderson, J. L. Abbott, E. G. Caldwell; Clerks, N. H. Harrell, G. B. Williams; Returning Officer, Walter Kendrick.

Beat No. 15—Box No. 2: Inspectors, J. C. Culp, Sam Henley, W. S. Cox; Clerks, E. H. Devaughn, Sam Broadhead; Returning Officer, M. L. Milford.

Beat No. 16—Box No. 1: Inspectors, Riley Robinson, M. J. Parrish, Sam Nations; Clerks, C. H. Robinson, Monroe Parrish; Returning Officer, J. W. Clackler.

We, the undersigned, L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate, J. Z. Mims, Circuit Clerk, and W. H. Gillespie, Sheriff, of Chilton County, Alabama, hereby certify the foregoing were duly appointed election officers for an election to be held November 3, 1931.

This, the 16th day of October, 1931.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.
J. Z. MIMS,
Clerk of the Circuit Court.
W. H. GILLESPIE,
Sheriff.

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ELECTION OFFICERS

Beat No. 1—Box No. 1: Inspectors, Mat Vines, B. G. Jones, R. A. Hudson; Clerks, Willie Barnett, Wallace Wood; Returning Officer, Mat Mahan.

Beat No. 2—Box No. 1: Inspectors, A. M. Attaway, J. N. Scott, Joe Glass; Clerks, Seabe Shaw, W. C. Ervin; Returning Officer, C. H. Robinson.

Beat No. 2—Box No. 2: Inspectors, J. N. Ervin, H. W. Gothard, N. A. Dennis; Clerks, M. Poe, V. T. Cobb; Returning Officer, Charlie Martin.

Beat No. 3—Box No. 1: Inspectors, W. F. DeShazo, D. Martin, Charlie Giles; Clerks, Will White, E. C. Grooms; Returning Officer, Charlie Cooper.

Beat No. 4—Box No. 1: Inspectors, H. V. Honeycutt, C. E. Easterling, W. D. Spigener; Clerks, Arthur Thompson, Hance Alred; Returning Officer, W. H. Gillespie.

Beat No. 4—Box No. 2: Inspectors, M. D. Foshee, B. F. Higgins, C. N. Eiland; Clerks, Mrs. Sallie Kicker, Mrs. J. D. Armstrong; Returning Officer, Will Hayes.

Beat No. 4—Box No. 3: Inspectors, J. H. Popwell, J. V. Best, W. J. Watson; Clerks, S. W. Collins, D. W. Ward; Returning Officer, H. B. Glenn.

Beat No. 4—Box No. 4: Inspectors, S. M. Devaughn, Grady Taylor, W. M. Polk; Clerks, Reese Baker, J. D. Broadhead; Returning Officer, G. N. Easterling.

Beat No. 5—Box No. 1: Inspectors, Walter Claughton, E. A. Norris, Payton C. Jones; Clerks, Lee Robinson, J. C. Pattillo; Returning Officer, J. H. Anderson.

Beat No. 5—Box No. 2: Inspectors, L. H. Gentry, T. G. Lake, G. T. Guy; Clerks, Leonard Boyd, Frank Dawson; Returning Officer, T. J. Gulledge.

Beat No. 6—Box No. 1: Inspectors, G. M. Durbin, J. H. Moore, Charlie Edwards; Clerks, J. F. Poole, F. I. Popwell; Returning Officer, C. D. Foshee.

Beat No. 6—Box No. 2: Inspectors, N. O. Stroud, Jasper Edwards, C. C. Vinson; Clerks, A. E. Neeley, A. N. Wilkins; Returning Officer, E. B. Tucker.

Beat No. 7—Box No. 1: Inspectors, John Foshee, C. N. Parnell, B. O. Glover; Clerks, J. Pope Payne, Joe Hicks; Returning Officer, P. C. Pulliam.

Beat No. 7—Box No. 2: Inspectors, Sam Shoults, Tom Wallace, Fred Oden; Clerks, Moodie McGee, C. T. Walker; Returning Officer, Ben McAfee.

Beat No. 8—Box No. 1: Inspectors, A. W. Giles, Wiley Parnell, H. R. Shurter; Clerks, J. L. Burnett, J. A. Samples; Returning Officer, Pleas Lenoir.

Beat No. 9—Box No. 1: Inspectors, Perry Gore, Sam Collins, Charles W. Burgess; Clerks, S. M. Pate, Ben Davenport; Returning Officer, Woodfin Littleton.

Beat No. 9—Box No. 2: Inspectors, Robert Scott, C. W. Wilson, R. W. Littlejohn; Clerks, Roberta Childress, Mrs. Charlie Howard; Returning Officer, Ethan Popwell.

Beat No. 10—Box No. 1: Inspectors, Ellis Mims, D. S. Robinson, Tom Allen; Clerks, J. T. Sorrell, R. E. Miller; Returning Officer, J. P. Rushing.

Beat No. 11—Box No. 1: Inspectors, Jack Gentry, John Cleckler, Joe Littleton; Clerks, Newt Tracy, W. W. Giles; Returning Oficer, J. L. Minor.

Beat No. 12—Box No. 1: Inspectors, J. T. Blow, J. D. Hilyer, Monroe Gore; Clerks, P. M. Cleckler, Andrew Blow; Returning Officer, Wash Heflin.

Beat No. 12—Box No. 2: Inspectors, J. A. Cofer, J. G. Burnett, J. A. Kelley; Clerks, Euell Robinson, O. N. Glasscock; Returning Officer, Loss Robinson.

Beat No. 13—Box No. 1: Inspectors, W. G. Conway, Cecil C. Martin, R. P. Busby; Clerks, W. G. Glasscock, Chester P. Garrett; Returning Officer, A. E. Glass.

Beat No. 14—Box No. 1: Inspectors, J. H. Hodgens, John Wright, Bob Cofer; Clerks, Hoyt Freeman, Rabie Crumpton; Returning Officer, H. H. Armstrong.

Beat No. 15—Box No. 1: Inspectors, Marion Wagoner, Ernest Mims, J. D. Culp; Clerks, E. E. Edwards, V. C. McKee; Returning Officer, A. B. Culp.

Beat No. 15—Box No. 2: Inspectors, Arthur Crane, Henry Abbott, Mac Rawlinson; Clerks, Percy Henson, W. M. Headley; Returning Officer, W. J. Moates.

Beat No. 16—Box No. 1: Inspectors, J. L. Easterling, R. M. Robinson, J. J. Pilkinton; Clerks, Thos. M. Powell, Vester Miller; Returning Officer, W. W. Robinson.

We the undersigned L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate, J. Z. Mims, Circuit Clerk and W. H. Gillespie Sheriff, of Chilton County, Alabama, hereby certify the foregoing was duly appointed election officers for an election to be held November 10th, 1931.

This October 16, 1931.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
Judge of Probate.
J. Z. MIMS,
Clerk of the Circuit Court.
W. H. GILLESPIE,
Sheriff.

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Collins Chapel News

Health of our community is very good with the exception of a few.

Mr. John Littleton is resting very well. His friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Little James Littleton is doing fine.

Mrs. Gladys Cox is improving.

Mr. Elbert Hall has returned to his work after a few days sickness.

Our school is doing fine. All children and teachers are putting forth every effort to make this the best school year.

Mr. and Mrs. Dungan and son, Donald of Wetumpka were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hall.

A farmers' meeting held at the school house was well attended Saturday evening. There were about fifty farmers present. The subject discussed by J. P. Montgomery and C. R. Foss was the Farm Bureau and its work in our county.

Don't forget that next Sunday is the regular preaching day at Salem, so come on folks, in time for Sunday school.

There wil lbe a singing practice at Collins Chapel church Thursday night, so singers, be there and bring your Morris and Henson books.

AN ORDINANCE

To levy a tax of Five Mills on each dollar's worth of taxable property and on all subjects of taxation liable therefor within the corporate limits of the Town of Clanton, Alabama, for the tax year 1931, and to provide for the assessing and collecting of said taxes.

Be it ordained by the Town Council o the Town of Clanton, Alabama, as follows:

Section One.

There is hereby levied a tax of Five Mills on each dollar's worth of property and on all subjects of taxation within the corporate limits of the Town of Clanton, Alabama, for the tax year of 1931, which are not by law exempt from taxation. Said tax is levied for the purpose of raising revenue with which to pay legal obligations and expenses heretofore created or which may be hereinafter created by the said Town of Clanton, Alabama.

Section Two.

The Town Clerk of the Town of Clanton, Alabama, be and he is hereby directed to make the assessment of said taxes. Said assessment to be made as provided by Article 31 of the Political Code of Alabama, 1923, upon the completion of the assessment, the Clerk of the said Town is hereby directed to return the assesment to the Town Council, which shall thereupon give ten days notice by publication in some newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Alabama, that the assessment has been completed and that the Council will hear and determine objections thereto upon a day not more than thirty days from the date on which said notice was directed to be made.

Read, adopted and approved this the 23rd day of October, 1931.

J. LEE SMITH,
Mayor.

Attest: C. H. PIPES, Clerk.

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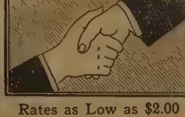

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"A Fool Thinketh"

Being the views and opinions of one who has time to think things over while leisurely confined at home.

It looks like winter just hates to pinch us all up again and puts off his arrival from day to day.

An airplane flew very low through my backyard the other evening, so low, in fact, that I invited the flying boys to come in and have supper with me. There was no place they could land out here and so they had to decline. So, you see, I saved my politeness as well as my supper. I went in to my supper table and looked at the poor, pitiful thing and wondered how long I would have lived if those flyers had landed and accepted my invitation. It would have been a case of justifiable homicide when they got through with me.

Mr. Hoover made quite a nice little talk over the radio Sunday, to the great international Conference of the Methodist church in Atlanta. As usual he rode the top rail on the fence. He always delivers a beautiful oration but never commits himself to anything.

Hon. Owen D. Young, of New York, delivered an appeal for the poor and out of work people at the Birmingham Municipal Auditorium Sunday afternoon. Like everything he does or says it was a masterpiece.

There are good arguments in favor of that bond issue, but just think whose hands the money will have to pass thru.

The cotton crop is about harvested. Let us hope that there will not be more than half that much to gather next year. Grow strawberries, tomatoes, both kinds of potatoes, melons, sugar cane, radishes, onions and with a few chickens and eggs on the side. Then get your county agent to arrange cooperative sales and shipments for you and then watch your pocket book grow and your smile spread. All of this in place of your cotton. Then grow hay, hogs, having enough to feed everything that eats on your place and happiness will put up at your home as a regular boarder.

Let everybody apologize to God for the awful way we have all been carrying on and humbly and earnestly ask Him to take the steering wheel again and watch how quick the "depression" will vanish and everybody be fed, clothed and happy once more.

The present administration of Miller and Feagin at the capitol astounds the people. They are actually stricken dumb with amazement that a supposedly civilized and democratic people would quietly put up with any such childish spite and personal egotism as is being dealt out to us daily by that wonderful pair of manipulators. If there ever was a time when the people needed to have a clean and honest show down, that time is right now. An audit by a pair of auditors from the far North will not appeal to the public, for, no matter how accurate and correct it might be, the fact of importing auditors from afar smells loudly of trickery, especially when Alabama could supply men equally as able, equally as honest and ten times better qualified because they live here, know the conditions and would take a personal pride in putting the business of their own state on a true and equitable basis. There must be a wonderful lack of confidence by the Governor in the people who put him in office when he fears to meet their duly chosen representatives in session and is likewise afraid for the people to assemble in mass meeting. What a sublime travesty on a supposedly democratic administration. Wonder if he is fearful of allowing the people to assemble for fear some man might mention that word "impeachment."

Mr. Hoover has some 10 or 12 "committees" or "commissions" out now to do something to tide over this terrible depression and provide for the poor and needy of our land, who have another six months of winter facing them immediately, without a dime in their scant and ragged pockets nor the faintest possibilities of a job of any kind. He has had these and similar organizations at work on their very important and pressing job for two years with not a thing done yet, nor even a suggestion made. In the meantime thousands of children have actually died from hunger and malnutrition, while the weaker class of women and the aged have passed away in like proportion and from the same cause. A few years of delay does not seem to mean anything to Mr. Hoover and his opulent "committees". They all have all the comforts of life and winter without food or shelter does not mean anything urgent to them, but to the pauperized millions who are right now dying and seeing their loved ones die, it means everything and this waiting policy is making the fires of bloody revolution burn brighter and brighter, as the clods drop into the pauper graves of these pitiful victims.

State Treasurer Blan told a reporter for the Birmingham Post that he knew it was against the law to pay out any of the School Fund money to anybody but the proper school authorities, still, he said it was "customary" down there not to observe that law so he thought it best to keep up the "customs." What do you think about that? It has been a "custom" for years to make and sell moonshine liquor, consequently, I suppose, the whisky men have adopted the same view held by Blan. They have equal rights and equal ground for doing so that he had.

For the past four years both our State and Federal governments have encroached, more and more, on the personal rights and even the domestic privileges of the individual citizen. They have taken over our fishing and hunting rights and you have to pay to fish or hunt on your own premises and only certain times are your permitted to enjoy these sports. But in spite of all that protective interference the supply of fish and game becomes more rare as the years roll by. There are a number of other more drastic and more personal laws, but they all break down like the game law. They won't work because they have no place in a land of freedom. If I was to go into this matter somebody would say "whiskey head" and that's a lie.

The weather is becoming quite dry in these parts. Wells are drying up and water is becoming quite an object in some localities. I remember one year when it did not rain a drop from August 31 to December 26, but we all got along somehow. However, that was before the 18th Amendment happened and the breweries kept at work.

Please let all readers understand that the Chilton County News, nor its editor, is at all responsible for anything the "Fool" may say in these squibs.

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Pleasant Grove News

Miss Maggie Franklin of Montgomery is visiting relatives here. She arrived Thursday, October 15, but has not announced her return.

Mr. and Mrs. Vollie D. Glass have moved back to Pleasant Grove to the home of Mrs. Glass.

Mr. Allen Waldrop has been ill, but is now improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dawson became the proud parents of a baby girl Saturday night, October 10th.

Mr. Dainwood Freeman, Mrs. Mattie Freeman, his wife, and Miss Eula Freeman, daughter, are back to see relatives.

Mr. Enoch Davenport was resting better today after receiving a few bruises and broken bones from a car collision.

Mr. J. P. Montgomery, teacher of vocational agriculture at Jemison, and Mr. C. R. Foss, banker of Jemison, held a farmers meeting at Pleasant Grove to discuss the future maintenance of our county agent C. E. Stapp, and the vote for Mr. Stapp to remain county agent was unanimous, by a crowd of twenty or more men.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cleckler and family, Misses Lorine and Lucile, Mr. Raskus and Mr. Eugene entertained several of their friends. There was a half bushel of parched peanuts, and several games were played. The guests of Mr. Cleckler were Ira Davenport, Harvey Davenport, Charlie Miskelley, Vernon Miskelley, Louie Wright, Ullman Atchison, James Maddox, Earnie Childress, Lee Hayes, Edward Cook, Rasco Maddox, Oscar Pate, Lance Franklin, Mrs. R. B. Hall and daughter, Mary Louise, Mildred Hayes, Martha Hayes, Emmie Pate, Annie Bell Atchison, Maude Wallace, Rubye Maddox, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Zuber.

Bro. J. C. Miller and family, pastor of Pleasant Grove church, were at church on time to perform his usual duty. His morning message was taken from Matthew, 25th chapter. His evening message was from the second chapter of the Acts.

The B. Y. P. U. lesson was splendid.

Little Bobby Franklin has been ill for weeks and doesn't seem to make such rapid improvement. His illness was reported to be minor.

Visitors at Pleasant Grove were as follows: Mr. Robert Perry of Montgomery, Mr. Osteen Lenoir and mother, Mrs. Lela Lenoir, were a few. We also had our high school teacher from Jemison, Miss Bessie Jesse, Miss Marian Hanvey, Miss Leacy McNeil, home economics teacher. We also had two of our well known grammar school teachers, Miss Mary Clements, daughter of Mr. W. R. Clements, and Miss Margy Murphy. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Clements, one of Jemison high school trustees. Mr. Clements played a very important part in the establishment of the school.

Miss Ada Rasco was carried home from church Sunday night on account of suddenly turning sick.

RECORD TRUCK CROP SHIPPED FROM STATE

Alabama farmers this year shipped 9,625 cars of truck crops, breaking an all-time record by 1,400 cars, reports the market division of the department of agriculture.

Truck crops shipped from the state this year includes 4,674 cars of Irish potatoes, 1155 cars of cabbage, 1148 of strawberries, 811 watermelons, 578 green corns, 456 cucumbers, 400 sweet potatoes, 224 of peaches, 80 beans, 48 of mixed vegetables, 43 pears and 9 of apples.

The previous high mark in truck crop shipments from the state was made in 1926 when 8,220 cars were shipped.

Statistics show that in 1920, 3315 cars moved from the state; in 1921, 4198; 1922, 7839; 1923, 5501; 1924, 8070; 1925, 6888; 1926, 8220; 1927, 8031; 1928, 7370; 1929, 8840; and 1930, 6766.

To prove to his employes that they could get business if they tried, E. F. Stark of Naperville, Ill., a taxi company owner, drove a cab himself, but his first passenger robbed him of $30, his pants and his cab.

A good many actors seem to be competing for the title of "the ham what am."

We would like to see all radio crooners embrace Gandhi's religion if it would cause them to observe a "day of silence" each week.

INDIGESTION

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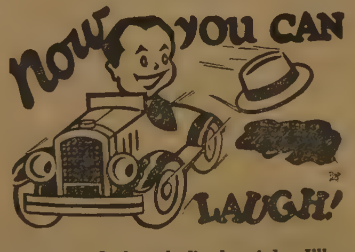

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EACH COUNTY WOULD BE GUARANTEED $275,000.00 UNDER ROAD BOND ISSUE

Alabama good roads advocates attending the United States Good Roads Convention at Birmingham last week were overwhelmingly in favor of the proposed $25,000,000 bond issue amendment which will be voted on at a special election Tuesday, November 3. Many of them so expressed themselves in interviews given to convention reporters.

Following Governor Miller's address advocating a three and one-half cents additional tax on gasoline to finance a pay-as-you-go highway construction and paving program, Former Governor W. W. Brandon, called upon to address the convention, stated that the bond issue is necessary to match federal highway money, which otherwise will revert to other federal uses and be lost to Alabama forever.

Probate Judge John Gamble of Pike County, attending the convention, stated that the good roads amendment carried a provision for increasing the gas tax only one cent; that revenue from this one-cent additional gasoline levy will raise, on the present basis, more than $1,500,000 a year. The interest on the bonds will run about $1,250,000 per year, leaving about a quarter of a million dollars annually to apply towards paying the principal.

"But the bond issue will help pay for itself in another way," said Judge Gamble. "Together with the $14,000,000 which the federal government will advance to match the proceeds from the bonds in the next three years, it will hard-surface about 2,000 miles of highways that are now going to pieces in this state."

At an informal meeting during the convention, Alabama road advocates called attention to the fact that each county is guaranteed $275,000 under the bond issue program, but no county would be assured of any part of the funds raised by an additional gas tax of three and one-half cents per gallon, to be expended at the will of the governor, or highway director.

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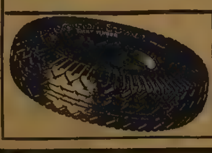
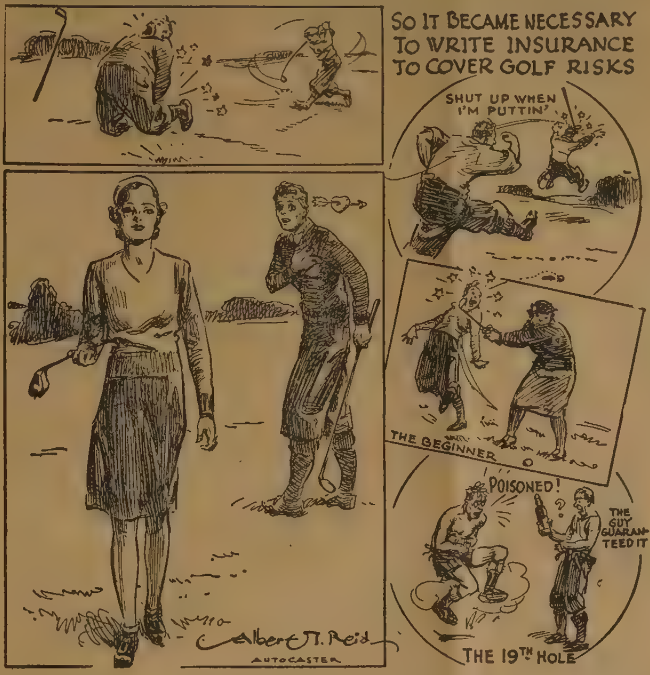


Some Golf Hazards— By Albert T. Reid



Sunday School Lesson

for November 1
WORLD'S TEMPERANCE SUNDAY
Galatians 5:13-26
Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

Special interest will center in a discussion of organized liquor traffic for this World's Temperance Sunday. The date is fixed to occur on the Sunday preceding the usual election day in the United States. Plenty of up to date facts will be found in the newspapers. Two books are suggested for special research. They are "Prohibition at its Worst," by Prof. Irving Fisher, and "Prohibition and Common Sense."

"Galatians," from which the lesson text is taken, comes naturally before us as it is one of the letters written by Paul from Corinth during his third missionary journey. It is always interesting to note how the Bible, written so long ago, meets the issues in everyday living at the present time. The biggest argument put forth by those who want to sell alcohol, which is always to be labeled Poison, is that of personal liberty. Paul writes here about "freedom," but makes the distinction between using it as "an occasion of the flesh" or "through love, be servants of one another." Christianity teaches that we are to give up our individual rights that we may be of real help to humanity.

Wickednesses are listed under "lust of the flesh" and it is the use of liquor which dulls mental activity that aggravates al lthe sins that are named. In marked contrast the "fruit of the Spirit" is pictured.

Almost unbelievable progress has been made in temperance reform during the past twenty years. The Eighteenth Amendment is enforced to at least 60% and 80% enforcement of any law is very good. When those who call themselves Christian demand better enforcement it will come.

Marbury Chapter Of F.F.A. Holds Meeting

The Marbury chapter of the Future Farmers of America held their first meeting of the year Monday, October 26th, to elect officers for the coming year. The officers elected were, Gray Peek, President; Jack Price, vice-president; Edward Mitchell, secretary; Herschell Dennis, treasurer; Pierce Culver, reporter; B. L. Martin, voc-agri. teacher, advisor.

Other business discussed was the time for meeting. It was decided to meet on the second and fourth Wednesdays of every month. Some of the things we expect to accomplish are: Visiting experiment station at Auburn and camping during the summer, besides many other similar activities.

Twenty-two members were present at this meeting with the determination to make this year the greatest year we have ever had.

PIERCE CULVER,
Reporter.

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Beef Cattle Seen As Opportunity

F. W. Burns, extension animal husbandman at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, has received inquiries about the prospects for profits in feeding steers this winter. To make it profitable, Mr. Burns said that "the feeder should have an abundance of home-grown feed."

In conjunction with this cattle must be cheap when entering the feed lot. "Remember that cattle bought right are more than half sold," he said.

If common cattle are used feed cottonseed meal and rough or unsalable hay. "High grade steers can be fed better feed such as corn, cottonseed meal, ensilage, and hay because if they are properly finished they can supply the demands for choice beef in our larger cities," he added.

Wintering long yearlings of good breeding and quality on stalk fields and cheap hay or hulls and cottonseed meal and finishing on grass and meal for market in July or August will make greatest profits.

Beef cattle are a means for converting cheap feed into cash. Farmers who have cheap feed and feed it to good cattle bought right should make money.

"Buying both steers and feed even at present prices is strictly a gamble and is to be recommended with caution," he warned.

Mr. Burns advised feeding cottonseed meal instead of cotton seed because 1000 pounds of cottonseed meal is equal in feeding value to 170 to 200 pounds of cotton seed.

News-Age Herald Offer Rapidly Nearing Close

The Birmingham News and Age-Herald big bargain offer is drawing to a close. This was a special October offer, made to rural and star route box holders, with a special bargain price of $2.19 for a year's subscription to either The News or Age-Herald daily only, or $3.19 for The News or Age-Herald daily and Sunday. This offer is meeting with an enthusiastic response.

"We are indeed gratified at the response to this offer," The News-Age-Herald states. "In order that people living on rural and star routes may have the advantages of a big daily newspaper, the same as those living in larger towns and cities, believing that such a paper gives them informative and educational advantages for which they are anxious, we have during the past few years, made a similar Bargain Offer, but never before have the results been so gratifying. It looks as if every one wants the News or Age-Herald, and is rushing in the subscription before the expiration of the offer. This, of course, is the wise thing to do. There is only a short time left, and those who postpone mailing their subscription may put it off until it is too late. Our advice to those who have not already mailed the subscription is 'do it now.' Your neighbor has mailed his subscription and you and your family will enjoy The News or Age-Herald, with its excellent news columns, entertaining and instructive editorial features, the work of the highest paid writers and artists in the world, the farm and society departments, the market news, sports news, and many other features, just as much as he will. You are just as progressive as he is, so don't let him get ahead of you!

"Parents find that The News or Age-Herald not only serve to keep them abreast with State and World events, but that their children are also helped from a general informative standpoint, and from the standpoint of laying a foundation for the better understanding of school studies.

"This Special Bargain Offer is positively only to rural and star route box holders, and those living in towns where no News-Age-Herald carrier delivery is maintained." (Adv.)

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Maplesville News

The W. M. S. was indeed fortunate in having Mrs. S. J. Ezell Monday afternoon. Her subject was "Stewardship." Her message was wonderful. We appreciate such a Christian character and wonderful speaker.

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The dining room table continues to be a popular filling station.

More lights are to be placed in the Statue of Liberty. Too many bright lights have given many a man his liberty.

It's all right to enjoy a good joke, but Americans should quit electing some of them to office.

Noah is the envy of every poker player. He was the first to have a pair of every kind.

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Norman Flood of Oakland, Calif., admits 29 marriages in 20 years and declares he had more than 400 sweethearts.

Shoals Operation Would Save Great Sum Yearly On Fertilizer Expenses

Saving On Plant Food Would Amount To $52 Out of Every $96 Now Spent, with Freight Costs Also Being Slashed 75 Per Cent, Member Commission Shows

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The following article was prepared by W. F. McFarland, of Florence, member of the Muscle Shoals Commission. Mr. McFarland is well qualified to write on the subject of fertilizer and agriculture, having had long experience in intensive farming. This article shows the advantage to the farmers of the South, to all interests of the South and of the nation, in the operation of Muscle Shoals for fertilizer production.)

Recently the Muscle Shoals commission visited a chemical plant where concentrated fertilizer containing 32 per cent of phosphoric acid, 16 per cent ammonia, and 16 per cent potash, was being produced. The process being used is patented but will be available to a lessee of Muscle Shoals on most favorable terms.

Muscle Shoals is more favorably situated for economic production of this concentrated fertilizer than the chemical plant visited, because cheaper power is available and all the heavy raw materials, coal, coke, limestone, sand, and phosphate rock, are located nearby.

This concentrated fertilizer can be manufactured at Muscle Shoals and sold to the farmers at not more than $2.20 per hundred pounds, f.o.b. One hundred pounds of this concentrated fertilizer contains the same amount of plant food as four hundred pounds of 8-4-4 commercial fertilizer which costs $1.20 per hundred pounds at present prices, or $24 per ton. One ton of the concentrated fertilizer will cost $44 and contains the same amount of plant food as four tons of the 8-4-4 commercial fertilizer costing $96.

The saving on each ton of concentrated fertilizer purchased would therefor amount to $52, plus a saving of 75 per cent of the freight charges. All figures on the saving to the farmer are based on the plant food content of the fertilizer. The plant food is the only part of the ton of fertilizer that has any value.

In order to illustrate the economic value of operating the Muscle Shoals properties in the production of concentrated fertilizer and other chemicals essential to successful operation, we call the reader's attention to the following facts:

The principal cause of the depressed condition of agriculture in the Southern cotton states is the one crop idea: Growing cotton to sell to get the money to buy the food and feed which should have been grown at home has brought disaster. To remedy this condition the amount of cotton which can be profitably marketed should be grown on a greatly reduced acreage under more intensive fertilization and cultivation. To accomplish this abundance of cheaper and better fertilizer is necessary:

Four hundred and fifty thousand tons of concentrated fertilizer can be produced under full capacity operation at Muscle Shoals when the additional power which can be developed from the storage water from Cove Creek dam becomes available. This amount of fertilizer will fertilize 6,000,000 acres at the rate of one hundred and fifty pounds per acre, and will double the yield of farm crops where the soil is properly prepared and cultivated.

The liberal use of cheaper concentrated fertilizer and better cultivation, will greatly reduce the production costs of the farmer. The saving in the cost of fertilizer and freight charges, the saving of the rent, the cost of preparing, planting and cultivation of 6,000,000 acres of land which could be profitably used for pasture and growing food and feed crops for home consumption, would soon bring prosperous conditions.

Employment

The employment benefits will not be confined to the Muscle Shoals district in the production of fertilizer and essential chemicals. Employment will be increased in the coal mines, at the coke ovens, and at the limestone quarries of Alabama, and in the phosphate rock area of Tennessee.

Full capacity operation at Muscle Shoals in the production of nitrogen and the phosphoric acid necessary to make a properly balanced fertilizer will require annually the following raw materials: 58,000 tons of coal, 212,000 tons of coke, 360,000 tons of limestone, 500,000 tons of phosphate rock, 100,000 tons of silica (clean sand), 64,000 tons of muriate of potash, and 85,000 tons of coal for the steam plant during the low water period which occurs each year in the Tennessee river. Total raw materials required—1,379,000 tons.

The employment benefits will be continuous, because there will be a ready demand for all the concentrated fertilizer that can be produced at Muscle Shoals on account of the low cost.

The employment benefits will not be confined to the worker who receives the pay envelope. Railroads will handle the enormous tonnage of raw materials and finished products; increasing the employment of railway workers, and employment will also be increased among those who produce the food, clothing, and other necessities of those who mine the coal, limestone and phosphate rock, make the coke and produce the finished fertilizer and other chemicals

The Muscle Shoals commission has unanimously agreed that the Muscle Shoals properties should be used primarily in the quantity production of concentrated fertilizer: that the best results can be attained through a private leas: that a farmers corporation should be given the preference in leasing; that the net proceeds from the lease and the sale of power should be used in financing the storage and distribution of the fertilizer produced, and for scientific research for the benefit of agriculture.

The benefits which can be derived from the operation of Muscle Shoals primarily in the production of concentrated fertilizer will be widespread.

The fertilizer can be economically shipped to every state in the union.

The benefits to agriculture will be reflected in every line of business.

Prompt settlement of the Muscle Shoals problem during the next session of Congress should be included in the plans for relief of the unemployed.

Our government developed a great natural resource at Muscle Shoals which belongs to the people of the Tennessee Valley and the South. Wilson Dam was built to supply power to operate the nitrate plants. After thirteen years of delay and poltical bickering, the people who own this great natural resource should assume leadership during the next session of congress in the settlement of this great problem in the interest of agriculture and the unemployed.

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Billingsley News

Those who attended the Quarterly W. M. U. at Marbury last Wednesday were Rev. and Mrs. A. S. Bentley, Mesdames Traywick, Baxter, Vinson, Upton, Downs, Carter, Culp, W. J. and T. L. Patrick, Green, Hughes, Donahoo, Golson, C. A. Marlar and Mattie Lou Carter. Billingsley won both the Mileage and Attendance banner.

Mrs. J. A. Boozer of Tuscaloosa was the Sunday guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Downs.

Mr. Morris Willis of Selma and Mrs. T. W. Willis and Mrs. Costagen and Mrs. Vassar of Jones spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Smedley.

Mrs. Ralph Upton and Mrs. J. N. Carter visited Miss Lula Raspberry at Clanton Monday

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bylas and children, Bobby and Howard, of Bessemer, and Mr. J. B. Marlar and Mrs. Annie Thacker of Clanton visited Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar Sunday.

Misses Inez and Willie Jeanne Patrick had as their guests Sunday Mr Martin of Clanton and Mr. Lewis of Montgomery

Miss Mabel King and Mrs. F. E. Overstreet spent Sunday with relatives at Plantersville

Mr. Leon Mills happened to a painful accident Sunday afternoon by falling through a trestle and fracturing his left leg.

Mrs. Lucindy Turner died at the home of her son, T. L. Turner, Friday Funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. H. Limbrick at Concord church Saturday morning, interment at the McCord cemetery, Martin & Sons of Clanton weer in charge. The many friends of this good woman extend sympathy to the bereaved ones.

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A press dispatch from Buenos Aires says that 400,000 Argentine turkeys have been shipped this fall to the United States to compete with native birds for "places of honor on the tables of the Nation which innovated Thanksgiving Day." Before being shipped they were killed and plucked and crated eight to the crate. They were shipped in refrigerated holds of ocean vessels.

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Dad—I wonder where the stepladder is.

Ma—Willie had it a little while ago.

Dad—Oh, then it must be in the preserve pantry.

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GOOD NEWS

for the

HOUSEWIFE

The housewife has been called America's most thrifty and most extensive buyer, and correctly so. She is the usual buyer of the grocery supplies in the home, she selects the furniture and other household fixtures, she usually selects the color of the automobile for the family. At times she is a great factor in the choosing of men's wearing apparel, and is certainly a critic in that line. So, she has been correctly called America's Most Thrifty and Extensive Buyer.

To the housewife there is good news to be found in the advertisements of business concerns that are occupying space in the News week after week. Good news because there are bargains being offered, and bargains are the object of a most extensive and thorough search of every housewife. Watch carefully, each week, those spaces occupied by business concerns advertising clothing of all kinds, groceries and other items. The expression, "Thars gold in them hills," may ring true in some sections, but in this section it is, "There's bargains in the News."

Good news, not only for the housewife, but for everyone on whom rests the responsibility of buying. Look through the pages of this issue of the Chilton County News. There are not only bargains to be found in the advertisements, but every column carries live, wide-awake, informative reading material, from spot news to feature articles.

Eastview News

The Mt. Pisgah singing society met with us last Sunday evening and we had a real good singing. We are invited to meet with them next Sunday afternoon and sing with them.

Rev. A. C. Nelson returned home Monday from Haleyville, Ala., where he conducted services at Union Grove church. He was accompanied on the way by Mr. J. F. Nelson, Rev. John Smith and daughter. Mr. Smith and his daughter visited Mr. Smith's son at Haleyville, who is manager of the 5c and 10c store there.

Mrs. S. P. Smith had for her Sunday dinner guest Mrs. A. C. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Lott of Sylacauga have moved into our community. We welcome them into our community.

Mr. J. A. Dobbs made a business trip to Birmingham Monday.

The church met last Friday and finished picking the cotton patch cultivated by the church. We made two bales of cotton on the patch, which will go for church expenses.

We received three new members in our Sunday school last Sunday. Who will try to bring a new one next Sunday?

Mrs. Jocie Williams, Mrs. Jimmie Williams, Mrs. Willie Williams, Mrs. A. C. Nelson, another Mrs. Williams, were guests of Mrs. John Devaughn Monday.

Mr. John Devaughn and family spent the week end in Birmingham visiting relatives.

Come to Sunday school and Christian Endeavor next Sunday.

Mitchell Dam News

Mr. and Mrs. Ross had as their guests last week their son, Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Ross, of Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stanley entertained evangelist John J. Milford, the singer, Mr. Fred Bond, and Dr. S. J. Ezell of Clanton last Saturday week. They enjoyed fishing for a while, but we haven't learned whether Dr. Ezell caught those big fish this time or not.

Mrs. J. G. Newton gave Mr. Newton a surprise birthday party at the club last Monday night, which was indeed a great surprise to him. They had a great feast and everybody had a wonderful time. Dancing was enjoyed until a late hour. The out of camp guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Page, and Mrs. Page's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Hance Alred and her cousin, Miss McGee, all of Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Ellison of Jordan Dam spent a few hours with Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Ellison Sunday afternoon.

"All Saints Day" "All Fools Day" What Have You?

According to Thomas Paine: "The sublime and the ridiculous are often so nearly related, that it is difficult to class them separately. One step above the sublime makes the ridiculous, and one step above the ridiculous makes the sublime again."

Commonly we express the idea: "One step from the sublime to the ridiculous."

In ancient times, folks were more deferential than now; probably there was more time for such. Good folks not only went to Heaven after death, but the bereaved invariably had the satisfaction of beholding another bright star added to the firmament after each death.

A day was set aside to revere the memory of various good souls that had been deified. Then came confusion: there were not enough days. There was Saint Jonathan of the Gauls, St. Patrick of Ireland, St. Vitus of the dance, ad infinitum. Saints must not be overlooked by these good folks; neither were fools forgotten. It became necessary to appropriate a special day to take care of the situation. Accordingly, November first was set aside as "All Saints' Day", and April first was set aside as "All Fools' Day."

The evening preceding "All Saints' Day" was given over to various ceremonies in a worshipful way, and the as "All Hallows Eve", or "Hallowe'en."

If those good folks are allowed to behold from the spirit word, the miscarriage of their splendid plan to: Pay honor, where honor is due, there might be weeping, then it were best for the veil to be drawn.

Divorcee—Won't you permit your daughter to marry my son?

Bjones—No, but she can be a sister to him, if you wish.

Divorcee—Oh, dear Mr. Bjones! This is so sudden.

News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Puckett and Mrs. Hernandez of Birmingham called by to visit Mrs. A. N. Laurell when returning from Montgomery, where they attended Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star of the State of Alabama.

Mrs. N. Laurell and little Christine were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Laurell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Harris of Defuniak Springs, Fla., spent Saturday night with their aunt, Mrs. G. F. Harper, en route to Chicago.

Miss Lillian Fitzpatrick and Mr. and Mrs. Cross and daughter of Ensley spent Monday morning with Mrs. G. F. Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bentley returned from Foley, Ala., where they spent a week fishing.

Mr. Marcelle Wilder spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Higgins were called to Montgomery Monday on account of their grandson who is in the hospital there with appendicitis. He is the six year old child of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Berry of Deatsville, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Amundson and their daughter, Mrs. M. S. Davidson, of Evanston, Ill., arrived in Thorsby Tuesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Amundson will spend the winter in Thorsby, as usual, and Mrs. Davidson will return to her home in a few days.

A group of about forty members of the Lutheran Church, and friends, gave Mrs. C. R. Foss a surprise party Monday night, the occasion being her birthday. At the same time they wanted to show their appreciation of Mrs. Foss's services as organist in the church for the past year. Refreshments were brought by the lady guests and thoroughly enjoyed by all. Mrs. J. F. Peterson and Miss Ruth Peterson of Birmingham made the trip down Monday night for the occasion.

Mrs. Leonard Hayes spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. W. W. Robinson of Lay Dam.

There will be stereopticon views of China next Sunday night at the Congregational church. The public is invited. The usual collection will be taken to defray expenses.

Mrs. John R. Boyd left Monday morning for Columbus, Ohio, after spending three weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Goddard.

Dr. F. L. Adams of Tampa, Fla., was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Each Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Norton, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Petersen and Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Each called on Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Laurell Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Knight of Birmingham were the guests of Mrs. T. W. Robinson Sunday.

Mr. D. L. Mixon and Mrs. C. M. Mixon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mixon.

W. M. S. met at the Baptist church Tuesday. Mrs. F. J. Lee was in charge of the program.

Miss Louise Robinson spent the week end in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Connatser and family and Miss Nell Stubblefied spent Sunday in Birmingham as the guests of Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Leslie.

Mr. Broadus Connatser spent Sunday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Connatser.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Howard moved into their bungalow Monday.

Mrs. Karl Petersen of Fairfield returned Monday after spending a few days with relatives in Thorsby.

Mrs. Herbert Adams returned to her home in Gadsden Sunday after spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Lela Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith of Clanton spent the week end in Thorsby with her mother, Mrs. Lela Martin.

Miss Baldwin spent the week end in Maplesville.

Mrs. R. R. Franklin, and Mr. and Mrs. Calloway of Clanton spent Monday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mims and daughter, Jessie, spent Saturday in Selma.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lucas returned Sunday from a six months stay with relatives in Michigan. Mr. Lucass daughter, Mrs. Clarence Mills and her husband drove down, bringing Mr. and Mrs. Lucas.

Next Sunday there will be singing at the Thorsby Baptist church beginning at two o'clock in the afternoon. The Clanton male quartet will furnish the special music. The public is cordially invited.

Mr. Gresham Lowery left last Thursday for Dora, Alabama.

Miss Hattie Davenport spent the week end in Thorsby with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davenport.

Miss Marion Fairbanks spent the week end in Birmingham.

We are sorry to say that it has been reported that Mr. Charles Peterson's condition is not so good. We hope that he will soon be back on the road to recovery.

Mrs. V. E. Wyatt and Mrs. R. R. Franklin and Peggie Mims motored to Montgomery Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray spent Sunday in Prattville.

Miss Mable Colley arrived Tuesd to visit her sister, Mrs. C. M. Gra for a week.

Thorsby Public School News

The Parent - Teachers Association meets at the Thorsby Public School Wednesday of this week.

The enrollment of the Public School has reached approximately two hundred this year.

A Hallowe'en party will be given at the school auditorium this Friday night. A very interesting program has be prepared by the Fourth and Fifth grades. Admission free.

Mr. Percy Johnson and Mr. Bea took thirty-four boys on a possum h last Friday night. Although no p sums were caught, the boys enjoyed the hunt very much.

A miscellaneous program was given the last period on Friday of last we in which the following participat Piano solo by Miss Jennye Robins violin solo by Mary Louise Reinhardt; harmonica solo by Bill Honeycutt; reading by Arlene Middlebrook; pi solo by Miss Calar Vines; and reading by Mary Louise Reinhardt.

Thorsby Institute News

The young people of the Helen Keller Literary Society of Thorsby Institute are practicing for the operetta "Christina of Greenland" to be given Saturday night, November 14. Save tha date. Admission for all not teachers o pupils at the Institute will be twenty five cents for adults and fifteen cents for children.

Term tests will be given at Thorsby Institute Thursday and Friday of thi week. A new term will begin nex Monday.

Miss Helen C. Jenkins accompanie her mother to La Grange, Ga., where she spent the week end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Jenkins.

The Christian Endeavor met last Sunday evening at 6:30 P. M. The lea were Miss Lorena Primm and Carrie Smith. The topic discussed wa "How is our County Helping and Hindering the Spiritual Growth of Oth Countries?" After a few brief dis cussions of the topic the leaders gav reports of the convention which the attended at Millbrook. This was ver interestingly told. It made us all fe as if we had attended the meetings Millbrook also.

The worship service of Sunday evening was very impressive. It was mo tivated by the convention.

Next Sunday night the Missiona Committee will be in charge of a pr gram on China. This meeting will followed by steropticon pictures and lecture on China by the pastor, Re Each. The public is cordially invit to listen in on us at any convenie time, and join us if you can do so.

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RESOLUTIONS ON DEATH OF REV. A. D. HUETT

Whereas, it has pleased our Heavenly Father in His infinite wisdom and goodness to take from our midst and to call to his eternal reward, our beloved brother and fellow minister, A. D. Huett, who has labored so conscientiously in his service, and

Whereas, he has been a faithful member of the ministerial association of Howard College and a loyal pastor for these years, and,

Whereas, his life of service and kindness will linger as a blessing and remembrance in the future years, and his absence will be the loss of one who was inured with that which is noblest, best, highest and tenderest in the heart of mankind; a devoted brother, a sympathetic friend, a consecrated Christian, and,

Whereas, our hearts are torn by the thought of giving him up and we feel that he can never be replaced in our ranks, be it,

Resolved. That we bow our heads in humble submission to God's inevitable, omniscient plan, and,

Be It Further Resolved, That the ministerial association of Howard College extends its heartfelt sympathy to the family of brother A. D. Huett in its bereavement, and

Be It Further Resolved, That these resolutions be entered in our minutes, a copy be sent to the grief-stricken family, and a copy published in the Howard Crimson and in the Alabama Baptist.

Fraternally submitted,

—Richard L. Lyon, Chairman, J. Paul O'Neal, C. DeWitt Mathews, Com.

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Office Over Robinson Department Store
Clanton, Alabama

Prop. No. 1.

State of Alabama

A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the Second Tuesday after the expiration of three months from and after the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, as provided by Section 287 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Act proposing the amendment was not submitted for the approval of the Governor but was valid upon its adoption by the Legislature without his approval, and

WHEREAS, the Legislat ure adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 3rd day of November, 1931, is the second Tuesday after the expiration of three months from and after the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 3rd day of November, 1931, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:—

"ARTICLE XX-B. Section 1. The State is authorized to engage in the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways and bridges in the State of Alabama. To this end and for these purposes, the State is authorizzed to appropriate funds and for constructional purposes only the State is authorized also to issue and sell interest-bearing negotiable State bonds in addition to those already authorized and sold under Article XX and XX-A, as amendments to the Constitution of 1901, in an amount not to exceed the sum of twenty-five million dollars ($25,000,000.00), to be issued under such denominations, numbers and series, maturing at such times as may be provided by law, and all such bonds shall bear a rate of interest not greater than six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and shall be sold at a price not less than par value thereof.

Section 2. The State Highway Commission or Highway Department shall locate, construct and maintain highways, bridges and State trunk roads so as to connect each county seat with the county seat of the adjoining county by the most direct or most feasible route by a permanent road, having due regard for the public welfare, and shall connect the county seats of the several border counties at or near the state line with a public highway in the border states. Provided, that in counties which are divided into two or more judicial divisions in each of which regular terms of the circuit court are held, the places where said terms of court are held, shall likewise be connected with each other.

Section 3. The proceeds of said bonds shall be used for constructing and/or surfacing of roads and constructing and/or repairing bridges, but not for maintenance or discharging of contract debts, liability or obligations existing prior to the adoption of this amendment.

Section 4. Eighteen million four hundred twenty-five thousand dollars ($18,425,000.00) of the proceeds of said bonds shall be set aside by the Governor and apportioned in amounts of Two Hundred seventy-five thousand dollars ($275,000.00) to each of the respective counties of the State which must be expended by the State Highway Commission or Highway Department in each of said counties for construction, which shall include hard surfacing, of existing and also new public roads and bridges therein. The remaining proceeds of said bonds shall be used for the construction, which shall include surfacing, of existing, or new highways and constructing or repairing bridges in the State.

Section 5. The proceeds of such bonds shall be kept separate and apart from all other funds and no part of the same shall ever be used in honoring a warrant not legally drawn against such proceeds.

Section 6. There is hereby levied and every distributor, re'ail dealer or storer shall pay an excise tax of one cent per gallon upon the selling, distributing or withdrawing from storage for any use gasoline, provided, however, that the excise tax is not levied upon the sale of gasoline in interstate commerce, and provided further that where this excise tax shall have been paid by a distributor or by a retail dealer or storer such payment shall be sufficient, the intention being that this tax shall not be paid but once. The terms 'distributor', 'retail dealer', 'storer', 'selling', 'distributing', 'withdrawing' and 'gasoline' are used as the same are used in existing gasoline excise tax laws of the State and shall be so construed, and all rights, duties, liabilities, penalties, powers and methods pertaining to the collection of gasoline excise taxes under such existing laws of the State shall apply to the collection, payment and accounting for the within excise tax, provided, the Legislature may limit, extend or further define the same. The excise tax of one cent herein levied shall be in addition to the excise gasoline taxes provided by existing laws of the State, but this section shall not be construed in any way as limiting the power of the Legislature to increase or decrease this or any other gasoline tax.

Section 7. The one cent excise tax hereinbefore levied shall be used first to create a sinking fund for the prompt and faithful payment of the principal and the interest on the bonds herein authorized, and, second, by the State for the construction, improvement, repair and maintenance of public roads, highways and bridges of this State.

Section 8. The bonds herein authorized when issued shall be a direct obligation of the State, and for the prompt and faithful payment of the principal and interest thereon the full faith and credit of the State is hereby irrevocably pledged and such bonds shall be exempt forever from taxes of every kind.

Section 9. The bonds herein authorized shall be issued and sold in the same manner by a Bond Commission as set forth, defined and prescribed in Article 5 of Chapter 32, Code of Alabama, 1923.

Section 10. That House Bill No. 1204 by Mr. Tunstall, if and when passed by both houses of the Legislature of Alabama of 1931 and approved by the Governor and being, "A bill to be entitled an act to impose, for the use and purpose of surviving, preserving, maintaining, constructing and regulating the use of public roads and bridges in the State of Alabama, an excise tax on all persons, companies, agencies, corporations, and associations who sell, distribute, store or draw from storage for any purpose whatsoever, gasoline or any other liquid motor fuels or devices or any substitute therefor within the State of Alabama; providing for the collection of such excise tax and the payment of same into the State Treasury; providing for the enforcement of this act and fixing a penalty for the violation of the provisions hereof; providing that the said excise tax so imposed shall be in addition to all other excise tax now imposed by law; and, providing that freight agents or railroads and all agents of all transportation companies operating within the State of Alabama and who transport motor fuels shall report to the State Tax Commission all shipments of gasoline or any substitute therefor, received at any of their stations within the State", be and the same is hereby ratified, confirmed and validated and made constitutional as a law, and such ratification, confirmation, validation and constitutionally as a law, shall, according to the terms thereof when finally passed, in the manner aforesaid, take effect and be effective on the day of the passage of said bill by both houses of the Legislature of Alabama of 1931, and approved by the Governor, as fully as if said bill was set out in words and figures herein."

I further direct and proclaim that notices of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight consecutive weeks prior to the 3rd day of November, 1931, in each county of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the great seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the city of Montgomery, on this the 3rd day of September, 1931.

B. M. Miller,
Governor.

Attest:
P. B. Jarman, Jr.
Secretary of State.

Mt. Pisgah News

I wish to call to your attention that on next Sunday afternoon, November 1st, our singing society will meet again. We are expecting help from Eastview, Samaria, Maple Springs and maybe others. We cordially invite everyone who can to come and help us. Your presence wil lbe greatly appreciated.

Music is the praise service of the church, a joy in the home, a passport to society. It conduces to culture, contributes to refinement and tends to elevate the heart, mind and soul. To have excellent music we must toil together, stay active and wide awake, to succeed in the race for knowledge. For knowledge is the gateway to eminence, a willing heart and active mind are the levers; perseverance the fulcrum and knowledge the power to overthrow the walls of ignorance.

There is joy in the race for knowledge especially in building our singing classes. One who does not enjoy good singing would not enjoy being in heaven, for we are told, there is singing in heaven. Some say, "Times are so gloomy, we are in no mood for singing. Here we should learn a lesson from Paul and Silas, who were beaten with many stripes and cast into prison with their feet fast in the stocks. At midnight they prayed and sang praises unto God and suddenly a great earthquake came and all the doors were opened and everyone's bonds were loosed. Let us sing that in this gloomy hour, with skies bedimmed by doubt, by hate, by fear. We can rejoice that good alone has power, can prove it true, and thus win heaven here.

We thank the editor for the space to advertise our society.

BIRDIE EDWARDS,
Secretary.

A small does of sodium amytal is said to make a person tell intimate things about himself. Most folks tell too much without artificial stimulation.

Prop. No. 2.

State of Alabama

A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the second Tuesday in November after the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, as provided by Section 287 of the Constitution of Alabama, the Act proposing the amendment was not submitted for the aproval of the Governor but was valid upon its adoption by the Legislature without his approval, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 10th day of November, 1931, is the second Tuesday in November, such day being more than three months after the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday, the 10th day of November, 1931, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:—

"ARTICLE XXI. Section 219 of the present Constitution is hereby annulled and set aside and hereafter the Legislature of Alabama may provide for the assessment, levy and collection of a tax upon inheritances and for the levying of estate taxes not to exceed in the aggregate the amounts which may by any law of the United States be allowed to be credited against or deducted from any similar tax upon inheritances or taxes on estates assessed or levied by the United States on the same subject. The Legislature shall have the power to levy such inheritance or estate taxes in the State of Alabama only so long as and during the time an inheritance or estate tax is enforced by the United States against Alabama inheritances or estates, and shall only be exercised or enforced to the extent of absorbing the amount of any deduction or credit which may be permitted by the laws of the United States now existing or hereafter enacted to be claimed by reason thereof as deduction or credit against such similar tax of the United States applicable to Alabama inheritances or estates."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight successive weeks prior to the 10th day of November, 1931, in each county of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the great seal of the State to be affixed at the Captol, in the City of Montgomery, on this the 3rd day of September, 1931.

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P. B. Jarman, Jr.
Secretary of State.

W. L. Sanders Writes Views On Bond Issue And County Agent

W. L. SANDERS
Member County Board of Education

To the Voters of Chilton County:

As the election of November 3rd is drawing near and two important questions are to be settled I wish to express my views on them.

First, we shall take the $25,000,000 Bond Issue and see if it is worthy of our support.

I do not believe it will be wise to borrow this large amount to spend on the highways and let so many other things of greater importance go lacking.

The first thing the state officials should have done was to make provisions to pay off its just obligations and by so doing might have gained the confidence of enough voters in Alabama to carry the Bond Issue.

But to the reverse—and to our regret—we hang our heads and call for a half term of school. Why?

All because the state could not pay her just obligations. Then why should we go to the polls on November 3rd, and increase our indebtedness when it looks like we are already on the brink of bankruptcy.

These Bonds, if voted in, will have to be paid some day and whenever that time comes the taxpayers will tremble.

It will be a great task for the people to pay their taxes this year and if we keep voting in more Bond Issues what can we expect in the future?

Now let us go to the polls on November 3rd and vote the Bond Issue down for the state's burdens are so great at present it cannot meet its just obligations.

Now a few words in regard to the County Agent. It appears to me that it would be taking a backward step to discontinue the county agent because he is the mediator between the farmer and the experiment station. He has in the past been a great help to the farmers of Chilton County, for he has given the facts direct from the experiment station.

Some will say the county agent has never benefitted them. This may be true, but if so it's all because they haven't called upon him

I've never heard of anyone seeking information of him but what he got it.

He helps the farmer get a market for his cream, chickens and eggs. He helps him get the best market price for his strawberries. He insists on getting a pure breed of livestock and will help to get them if called upon. He will help you cull your hens that do not lay, thereby reducing feed cost which means a greater profit to the poultryman.

He has carried his terracing machine into many sections of the county, laying off terraces for the farmers which has resulted in a great soil saving and better profit on the rolling land. I remember one lot of terraces the county agent run for Mr. E. C. Traywick—for I was flag carrier. Mr. Traywick said the terracing he did for him had been worth $50.00 because the work had been done right.

Doing things right, or in a practical way, is the real necessity of having a county agent. The theory of the county agent is not of his own, but is of men who have made experiments at a higher cost than most farmers can afford. Farmers have not the time to make experiments as do the institutions that are paid by the state or government.

Now if a part of our taxes go to support those experiment stations and we discontinue our county agent we lose the reward for which we have paid.

It seems that some are awfully worried about the salary paid the county agent, but never stop to think how small it is compared to that of the tax assessor, collector and some of the other officials.

Let us think of the county agent as a teacher for the farmer and compare him with the teachers of the county in the different schools.

Some of the teachers draw a salary of $200.00 per month for their service in one community, while our county agent's service reaches over the entire county. And the county pays him only one hundred dollars per month. There is quite a contrast in the salary as well as in the service.

The county agent works six days a week while the other works five.

It's all right to economize if started at the right place, but it wouldn't be very economical for a man to cut off his feet to keep from buying shoes.

So let us go to the polls on November 3rd and show somebody they have started at the wrong end to economize.

Yours for the County Agent and better farming,

W. L. SANDERS.

STATE PRODUCED RECORD PEACH CROP SINCE 1918

By growing 1,445,000 bushels of peaches Alabama this year produced the largest peach crop since 1918, reports the State Department of Agriculture.

Statistics show that in 1918 the state grew 2,440,000 bushels, that third largest crop produced in the state since 1910.

The record on peach production during the past dozen years shows that in 1931 that state grew 1,445,000 bushels; in 1930, 1,105,000; 1929, 504,000; 1928, 1,350,000; 1927, 540,000; 1926, 1,159,000; 1925, 1,312,000; 1924, 1,230,000; 1923, 779,000; 1922, 810,000; 1921, 1,230,000; 1920, 974,000; 1919, 1,083,000; and 1918, 2,440,000 bushels.

Fairview News

The many friends of Woodrow Durbin will be glad to learn that he is improving. He had the misfortune of getting hooked by a milch cow Thursday. We hope he will soon be well.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Wagner dined with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Boone Sunday.

Miss Jewel Foshee came home Sunday from Selma where she has been working for three weeks.

Mr. Morris Keen spent Saturday night with Cecil McKee.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Giles and little daughter, Glois, spent last Friday and Saturday with Mrs. Lizzie McDonald of near Sardis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cox and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Poole of Clanton Sunday.

The C. E. Society of Pleasant Hill church of Autauga County came up last Wednesday night and gave Rev. and Mrs. N. H. Culp a surprise social. It was enjoyed by a large crowd and all reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Blanco Durbin and little son, M. B. Jr., Mr. Rasco Durbin motored down from Birmingham Sunday and brought Miss Myrtle Durbin home, who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. M. L. Warren.

Inez McKee was the dinner guest of her sister, Mrs. L. C. Keen, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Limbrick and daughter, Sarah Maud, spent last Wednesday night with Rev. and Mrs. Harvey Culp.

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Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

We want you to hear Dr. N. B. McLeod next Sunday night at 7 o'clock. After the sermon he will hold our 4th quarterly conference. If you are a Methodist, or interested in the Methodist church, will you not come next Sunday at 11 A. M. prepared to make a sacrificial offering on the Benevolences of the church. Our Annual conference meets in Montgomery on the 19th of November, and we have much yet to be done. Do your part.

Gradually our Sunday school is developing. We have recently added a home department with 35 members, a cradle roll department with 15 members and a young men's Bible class with a growing membership. Mrs. J. Q. Wade has been selected to teach the young men's class and she is the right leader in the right place. Let the young men of the city take due notice and govern themselves accordingly.

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Mr. Ben Tyus and Fred Geiger, Jr., of Birmingham were the guests of their parents and grandparents Sunday.

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Mrs. C. E. Stapp and Miss Madge Scarborough motored to Columbus, Miss., last Sunday to visit friends and relatives.

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Prof. J. P. Montgomery, vocational instructor at the Jemison High School, was in Clanton Tuesday.

Pleasant Valley News

The Bethsalem and Pleasant Valley Sunday schools united together at Pleasant Valley Sunday. A wonderful program was rendered and it was enjoyed by all.

Miss Mildred Neeley has returned home from a two weeks visit in Montgomery.

Rev. J. D. Hughes was the Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Griffin.

Mr. Lavert Strength of Montgomery was a week end guest of this place.

Messrs. Carey and Newton Burkhalter were the dinner guests of their brother, J. J. Burkhalter, Sunday.

Mr. Hubbard Griffin left for a pleasure trip in Kentucky Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Neeley spent a few enjoyable hours with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stroud Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Elsie Williams of Montgomery spent Sunday with Mrs. Susye Courtney.

Mrs. Leon Brigance entertained a host of friends at her home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Strength was the afternoon guest of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Morris, Sunday.

Mr. Virgil Morris spent Monday night with Mr. Samuel Burkhalter.

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John A. Boockholdt, former chief of police of Clanton, was in Clanton on business last Tuesday. While in town he was among the callers at the News office.

Gin Notice

Beginning Monday, November 2nd, 1931 we will gin only on Wednesdays and Saturdays of each week.

Farmers Gin & Whse. Co.

Maplesville, Alabama

Concord-Billingsley

On last Thursday morning God called to her reward Mrs. Sindy Turner. She lived to the age of seventy-five years. She was a good old Chritsian woman and was loved by everyone who knew her. She leaves to mourn her absence two sister, seven sons and a number of grandchildren and friends. Funeral services were held here Friday morning at ten o'clock, with Rev. J. H. Limbrick and Rev. A. S. Bentley conducting the services and Martin & Sons of Clanton in charge.

Our Sunday school is progressing nicely, but we would like to have a larger attendance. We have been trying to think of a solution to get the people who do not attend Sunday school to come. So we are putting on a contest between the male and female and the side that has the most new members at the end of this quarter will be winner and will be entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Weldon.

Misses Connie and Sallie Shaw were the guests of Miss Allie Williams Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Williams dined at the home of Miss Lena Pearl Shaw Sunday.

Mrs. W. W. Williams and niece, Allie, visited Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton Saturday afternoon.

Remember that next Sunday is our regular singing afternoon. We extend to all a special invitation to come and be with us and help us in our singing.

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COTTON REPORT

According to the Government cotton report from R. J. Jones, there were 14,482 bales of cotton ginned in Chilton County, from the 1931 crop prior to October 18, 1931, as compared with 15,091 bales ginned to October 18, 1930.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE

Three year old mule; 900 pounds. Will sell for $100 cash or on terms. See Norman L. Roberts, Clanton. 10-29-1tc

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The coming generation seems to be the one always going.

Another good thing about the automobile bumper is that they keep the driver from smearing up his radiator with pedestrians.

Being president of Chile is something to shoot at, my boy!

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Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Byrd of Birmingham were visitors here Monday.

Tom Hand and sister, Miss Mattie Hand, of Jemison visited Mrs. J. Q. Wade Saturday.

Miss Willie Byrd, secretary of the Girls Training School of Birmingham, visited Mrs. J. Q. Wade Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Powers of Lay Dam attended church here Sunday.

Mrs. Newton of Mitchell Dam attended Sunday school and church here Sunday.

Mesdames Dewey Rockett and Napoleon Johnson attended the Parent-Teachers Association conference in Huntsville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Crit Jones of Lay Dam were in town Tuesday.

Misses Alma Gentry and Ruth Hand spent Sunday in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Tyus and family Mr. A. J. Tyus and family spent the day with their father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tyus.

Mrs. F. B. Shannon and children of Birmingham were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson last Saturday.

Miss Ruth Sessions attended the Alabama-Sewanee game in Birmingham last Saturday.

Misses Dewey Branch, Lona Thompson, Delilah Kelly and Zora Guy spent Sunday in Birmingham.

Mrs. C. R. Lamar of Montgomery visited her sister, Mrs. G. L. Phillips, last week.

Mr. Julian Evans is visiting in Birmingham this week.

Ralph Jones and Wallace Jones, both of Birmingham spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Willie Jones.

John D. Mullins attended the football game between Sewanee and Alabama in Birmingham Saturday.

Aubrey Taylor spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Willis and Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Foshee attended the State Fair in Montgomery Sunday.

Miss Elsie Busby of Birmingham is visiting her sister, Mrs. Earl Gore, of Clanton.

Mrs. Anna Gardner spent Wednesday of last week in Birmingham.

Mesdames Grady Broadhead, Arthur Johnson and L. F. Gerald motored to Birmingham Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Haskew returned Friday after attending a conference in Atlanta last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Ellison of Lay Dam visited her parents this week.

Mrs. Renfroe Mullins is visiting relatives in Huntsville.

Messrs. W. W. Fox and Broadus Connatser spent part of last week in Tuscaloosa.

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Mrs. Dewey Rockett Hostess To Sewing Club.

The Young Matrons Sewing Club was delightfully entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Dewey Rockett. After an enjoyable afternoon a salad plate was served to the following members: Mesdames John Mullins, Joe Higgins, Loren Smith, Milton Smith, Jimmie Taylor and Horsley White.

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Mrs. J. P. VanDerveer has returned after spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Pow, of Woodward, Ala.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Powers of Thorsby were in town Monday.

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A good place to give Northwestern University's "lie detector," a thorough trial will be at the convention of the two major political parties next year.

P. Baer Store In Calera Celebrates

A large order of full page circulars was delivered by the News this week to the P. Baer Department Store in Calera to be used in that section in advertising that store's thirty-third anniversary.

The P. Baer Store is one of the oldest establishments in Shelby County, and they are celebrating their thirty-third year in business with a huge sale, beginning next Saturday, October 31st, according to Max Baer, general manager. This Shelby County concern is also one of the largest stores in the county, carrying a most complete line of clothing, all kinds of dry goods, and groceries. Their grocery department is among the neatest to be found.

Since the death of the founder of this business, Phillip Baer, a few years ago, his sons have successfully conducted it and are continuing to grow to a larger concern. They are to be congratulated.

25c LUNCH

You can get a big plate of good food here at this price.

A

REGULAR DINNER

25c LUNCH SHOPPE

Next To Mullins Ins. Agency

Announcement - -

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Voters Overwhelmingly Endorse County Agent

RIMINAL COURT ONVENES HERE OVEMBER 9TH

pens Next Monday Morning With Cases On Docket Through Friday

The July term of Jury Criminal Cir- uit Court of Chilton County will con- ene in Clanton beginning next Mon- ay, November 9th. The docket shows 0 cases that are to come up for trial efore Judge George F. Smoot, judge f the 19th Judicial Circuit, and con- nuing through next Friday, November 3th, with Hon. Winston Huddleston of 'etumpka, prosecuting for the state.

Following are parties and charges for is term of court:

Set for Monday, November 9th

Ben Traywick, non-support; Mitch ate, V. P. L.; Samuel Cook, grand rceny; James Graham, manslaughter, t degree; Timothy Morris, grand rceny; Timothy Morris, grand lar- ny; Robert Cleckler, assault and bat- ry; Victor Henley, V. P. L.; N. L. wens, V. P. L.; Arthur Mims, V.P.L; anuel Cook, V. P. L.; Dewey Price, . P. L.; Delius Roper, V. P. L.; Sallie elle Abercrombie, V. P. L.; Kermit urphy, V. P. L.; Jay Foshee, V. P. L; lmer Wallace, public drunkenness; iny Wallace, public drunkenness;

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EAT SUM REALIZED BY SR. CLASS FROM FESTIVAL

The Senior Class of the Chilton Coun- High School reports a pleasing door ceipt from the Hallowe'en festival eld at the high school last Friday ight. Something over forty dollars as cleared from all expenses by the lass sponsoring the affair. This mon- will be applied as payment on the lectric clock the class donated to the chool this year.

DUCATIONAL BUILDING IS SLIGHTLY DAMAGED BY FIRE

The local fire department was called ut last Friday to answer a call to the ffice of the County Superintendent of ducation. A spark from the chimney et fire to a shingle on the roof of the uilding, doing small damage. It was uickly extinguished.

BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETS

The Chilton County Board of Educa- on met in regular session last Friday the office of the superintendent.

. S. Teachers And Supts. To Meet Soon

Following is an announcement from r. S. J. Ezell which is of interest to unday School teachers and superin- ndents:

"On Monday, afternoon, November th, 3:00 P. M. a conference of all of- icers, teachers, superintendents, and lass officers working in the Intermed- te and Adult departments, will be eld at the Clanton Baptist Church. All orkers in these departments in all the unday Schools in both the Unity and hilton Associations are urged to come. here will be a conference at 7:00 clock that night also. Mr. W. A. Harrell, Young People-Adult Specialist om our Sunday School Board will ad the conferences assisted by Mr. avis Cooper Jr., and Mrs. Sam Heath. he Superintendents are asked to an- ounce these meetings Sunday morn- g, and to bring all their Sunday chool forces to these conferences."

SHE RODE THE RUMBLE

Rowena rode in the rumble seat of their snappy roadster, even after they had been married, they took separate rooms at hotels in which they stopped on their eventful ride for the Rackfuff Motors.

"Rowena Rides The Rumble" is the title of the new serial story to begin in the News soon. Ethel Hueston is the author of this new serial story and handles the plot and the hundreds of interesting and amusing events leading up to the climax, in an unusual manner. Watch for the date this story begins, and start with the first installment.

Dr. O.C. Carmichael To Address P.-T. A. Meet

On next Thursday afternoon, November 12, at three o'clock, Dr. O. C. Carmichael, President of Alabama College, at Montevallo, will address a joint meeting of the Grammar and High School Parent-Teachers Association. This meeting will be at the high school auditorium.

We especially urge every parent to make a sacrifice on this occasion and come out to hear Dr. Carmichael. He is in addition to his special training, a man of unusual experience, and a wide range of travel. Clanton will be honored to have a man the calibre of Dr. Carmichael address them on this date.

ALABAMA TO GET TRIBUTE OVER RADIO

General Motors To Broadcast Tribute To State Nov. 9, National Hook-Up

Alabama is to be recognized in a big way on the night of next Monday, November 9th, when General Motors will broadcast over a national hook-up of broadcasting stations "A Tribute To Alabama." This program will come over stations with National Broadcasting Company hook-up, from 8:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. next Monday night.

In announcing this tribute to Alabama, Alfred P. Sloan, president of General Motors Corporation says, "We cannot, of course, express adequately the spirit and significance of a state in a half-hour program. That would be

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Sheriff's Office Has Eight Arrests Shown

Books at the office of Sheriff W. H. Gillespie show that he and his forces have docketed eight persons on various charges since Wednesday of last week and up to Tuesday afternoon of this week.

The arrests include one for grand larceny, three for violating the prohibition law, three for concealing stolen property and one for carrying concealed weapon.

"TRIPS AROUND THE WORLD" IS CLASS ENTERTAINMENT

The Home Makers Sunday School Class of the Clanton Baptist church announce that tickets are now on sale for their "Trip Around the World" entertainment to be given on next Friday afternoon and night.

The meeting place and station for busses is at Mullins & Moore's store, beginning at five-thirty in the afternoon. Busses will leave approximately every fifteen minutes to take sightseers 'around the world.' Various homes in town will represent various counties, and this is something new in the way of entertainment. Refreshments will also be served at the various 'countries' visited. Charges for the trips are fifteen and twenty-five cents.

UPCHURCH DRUG CO. HAS ON HUGE ONE-CENT SALE NOW

"A penny is as big as a dollar here this week," says Dr. Upchurch, in commenting on the huge Rexall One-Cent Sale now on at the Upchurch Drug Company.

This sale, which is being advertised in this issue of the News, will also be advertised over the air on a national broadcast. The Upchurch Drug Company is holding this sale simultaneously with all other Rexall dealers in the United States.

ENTERPRISE DEFEATS STANTON LAST FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The eleven from the Enterprise school met the team of the Stanton school on the former's field last Friday afternoon for the first game of the season. The game ended giving Enterprise the victory with a score of 2 to 6. Marion Smith is coach of the winning team, with W. H. Stewart coaching the Stanton team.

BOND ISSUE IS DEFEATED BY LARGE MAJORITY IN COUNTY

Unofficial Reports From Boxes Tuesday Night Show That County Agent Work Is Endorsed By Large Majority In Almost Every Beat

Returns, which are unofficial, coming in last Tuesday night after the polls had closed in this county, began to show a steady mount of votes cast in favor of retaining the work of the County Farm Demonstration Agent in Chilton County. Late Tuesday night, with only six boxes not heard from, the unofficial count gave the County Farm Agent a majority of 981 votes, with 1687 ballots cast on the question.

Beat Four, Clanton, polled 639 votes according to the unofficial count in the four boxes; 555 voted in favor of the County Farm Agent and 84 against; 90 for the bond issue and 549 against. Voting in the entire county was light.

Unofficial returns on the voting on the $25,000,000 Bond Issue of the State, in Chilton County, show that it was overwhelmingly defeated here. Following are figures, given as unofficial reports from various polling places in this county:

Unofficial Returns On Farm Demonstration Work

Beat 1—Mullins: For Farm Demonstration Work, 23; against, 3.

Beat 2—Box 1 Jemison: For Farm Demonstration work, 73; against, 61.

Beat 2—Box 2 Mars Hill: For Farm Demonstration work, 4; against, 18.

Beat 3—Isabella: For Farm Demonstration work, 61; against, 5.

Beat 4—Box 1 Courthouse: For Farm Demonstration work, 185; against 20.

Beat 4—Box 2 Mims Store: For Farm Demonstration work, 179; against, 16.

Beat 4—Box 3 West End: For Farm Demonstration work, 68; against 20.

Beat 4—Box 4 High School: For Farm Demonstration work, 123; against 28.

Beat 5—Box 1 Verbena: For Farm Demonstration work, 100; against, 12.

Beat 5—Box 2 Mt. Creek: For Farm Demonstration work, 13; against, 23.

Beat 6—Box 1 Kincheon: For Farm Demonstration work, 33; against 2.

Beat 6—Box 2 Enterprise: For Farm Demonstration work, 39; against, 7.

Beat 7—Box 1 Maplesville: For Farm Demonstration work, 52; against, 1.

Beat 7—Box 2 Shoults: For Farm Demonstration work, 15; against, 0.

Beat 8—Stanton: For Farm Demonstration work, 44; against 8.

Beat 9—Box 1 Collins Chapel: For Farm Demonstration work, 74; against, 61.

Beat 9—Box 2 Pates Chapel: For Farm Demonstration work, 51; against, 25.

Beat 10—Cooper: For Farm Demonstration work, 84; against 26.

Beat 11—Cane Creek: For Farm Demonstration work, 25; against 12.

Beat 12—Box 1 Mineral Springs: For Farm Demonstration work, 18; against, 11.

Beat 13—Providence: For Farm Demonstration work, 22; against, 1.

Beat 14—Macedonia: For Farm Demonstration work, 36; against, 9.

Beat 15—Box 1 Pletcher: For Farm Demonstration work, 65; against, 28.

Beat 15—Box 2 Culp School: For Farm Demonstration work, 45; against, 6.

Beat 16—Providence, East: For Farm Demonstration work, 23; against, 0.

Unofficial Returns On The Bond Issue Election

Beat 2—Box 2 Jemison: For Bond Issue, 4; against, 133.

Beat 2—Box 2 Mars Hill: For Bond Issue, 0; against, 22.

Beat 3—Isabella: For Bond Issue, 6; against, 59.

Beat 4—Box 1 Courthouse: For Bond Issue, 31; against, 174.

Beat 4—Box 2 Mims Store: For Bond Issue, 31; against, 166.

Beat 4—Box 3 West End: For Bond Issue, 10; against, 78.

Beat 4—Box 4 High School: For Bond Issue, 18; against, 131.

Beat 5—Box 1 Verbena: For Bond Issue, 17; against, 95.

Beat 6—Box 1 Kincheon: For Bond Issue, 1; against, 34.

Beat 8—Stanton: For Bond Issue, 19; against, 35.

Beat 9—Box 1 Collins Chapel: For Bond Issue, 28; against, 106.

Beat 9—Box 2 Pates Chapel: For Bond Issue, 13; against 54.

Beat 10—Cooper: For Bond Issue, 8; against, 102.

Beat 13—Providence: For Bond Issue, 10; against, 13.

Beat 16—Providence, East: For Bond Issue, 0; against, 23.

JAMES SIGN SHOP PUTTING ON HUGE SALE OF PAINTS

Elsewhere in this issue of the News will be found an ad from The James Sign Shop, in which they are quoting reduced prices on various kinds of paint for household purposes. In looking over these prices, one can readily see that Mr. James is truly putting on a sale of good paint.

The James Sign Shop is one of the most attractive places of business in Clanton. Find this ad and see for yourself that it is a paint sale.

Dr. H. M. Nix, dentist of Maplesville, was a visitor to Clanton Tuesday.

LOCAL PILOT CLUB WILL HAVE "BOSSES NIGHT" NOVEMBER 24

Something new in the line of entertainments will be held on the night of November 24th in Clanton when the Clanton Pilot Club will hold what is known as "Bosses Night."

Each member of the club will invite her boss, if any, and the affair will be in the form of a banquet at the basement of the local Baptist church.

C. L. Baker, who resides on Clanton Route 2, was among the visitors to town last Saturday.

W. G. Cooper of Thorsby Route 1, was a visitor to Clanton Saturday.

1918 --- *Lest We Forget* --- 1931

Wednesday, Nov. 11 --- Armistice Day

WASHINGTON, Monday, Nov. 11th, 1918, (AP).—The Armistice between Germany, on the one hand, and the allied Governments, and the United States, on the other, has been signed. . . . . The World War will end this morning at 6 o'clock Washington time, 11 o'clock Paris time. . . . The Armistice was signed by the German representatives at midnight. . . . This announcement was made by the State Department at 2:50 o'clock this morning in the form: "The armistice has been signed. It was signed at 5 o'clock A. M. Paris time, (midnight, New York time) and hostilities will cease at 11 o'clock this morning, Paris time, (6 o'clock New York time). . . . .

In observance of this day we honor the memory of heroes whose sacrifice bears witness that there is character in humanity, ' ' ' faith in men, . . . courage in the world. . . . Let us read again the names of those who died for the preservation of the American tradition of Independence, . . . of spirit, . . . of thought, . . . of action. . . . As we review their deeds may we acquire in our own hearts some part of their valor. . . . May they live again in our renewal ofcourage. . . . We fail to live up to our heritage when we cease to pay tribute to those who gave their all in carrying through to victory in the dark days of the World War.

Bob Jones To Speak Here Next Tuesday

Dr. Bob Jones, nationally known preacher of Florida, is to be in Clanton on next Tuesday evening, November 10th, at seven-thirty o'clock at the Methodist church.

His visit here is one of a series he is holding over the entire state, preparing for the coming State-wide Revivals to be held in January. Dr. Jones needs no introduction to the people of this section. His message next Tuesday will no doubt be an inspiring one, and the public is invited to attend.

ALABAMA VOTES THUMBS DOWN ON BOND ISSUE

Partial Returns Point to Two To One Rejection; Victory For Governor

Alabama voters last night had apparently turned thumbs down on a proposed constitutional amendment for a $25,000,000 bond issue for construction of paved highways.

Returns from 43 out of 67 counties giving 648 boxes of the 2,115 in the State gave 13,918 votes for ratification of the amendment and 26,804 against.

"It is the answer of Alabama's voters to a proposal to pile another bonded indebtedness on the State while its other debts remain unpaid," was the interpretation placed by Gov. Miller Tuesday night on the result of the $25.-

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Local Scouts Have Finance Drive On

Scouts are beginning their second year of activity in Clanton and the surrounding communities. Wednesday and Thursday of this week has been set aside as 'Finance Campaign Days' for the Districts accepted quota of $350.00. By raising this amount the work will be carried on for another year. The Scout Executive who has been visiting here will continue his work of troop organization and scout-leaders training. While we only started with one troop a year ago we now have a Cub Pack at Mitchell Dam, a scout troop at Lay Dam and another scout troop at Thorsby, besides Clanton Troop 47.

Give to the Boy Scouts. They have a fine group of officers under the leadership of County Agent C. E. Stapp The local Scout Movement is under sponsorship of the Kiwanis Club. The members of the Kiwanis Club and of the District are seeing folks and business firms with the hopes of completing the drive Thursday.

Next week we shall list in this paper names of all those who contribute to the maintenance fund of Scouting in the campaign underway. Clanton Scouts in uniform with John Sigwald, will give a program at the Kiwanis club luncheon today at the Methodist church.

O. O. ROPER IS ABLE TO BE OUT AGAIN AFTER ACCIDENT

The many friends of O. O. Roper of Clanton will be glad to learn that he is able to be out again after meeting with an accident that was almost serious. Mr. Roper was knocked into a ditch by his son's car recently and sustained several bad bruises about his body.

MISS MADELYN ORR TO OPEN THIS MORNING WITH PROGRAM

Miss Madelyn Orr announces this week that her kindergarten will open this morning at the Exchange Hotel. Miss Orr's school for little tots is very popular here, and it is expected that the enrollment for this time will exceed other enrollments of this kindergarten.

G. C. Weldon of Route Six was in Clanton Saturday, and while in town was a caller at the News office.

Miss Louise Reynolds of Helena is expected to arrive Friday afternoon to be the week end guest of Miss Ruth Sessions.

STATE SCHOOLS GET $846,000 SAYS HARMAN

Coosa County Gets $4,345.97, Chilton County Receives $7,933.23, Report

Montgomery, Ala., Nov 3—The State of Alabama is ready to pay to the common schools of the State $846,000 of the $2,151,000 it owes them on obligations of last school year

Dr. A. F. Harman, State superintendent of schools, announced last night that letters notifying the county and city treasurers of school funds that he has been advised by State Treasurer S. H. Blan that the State Treasurer is ready to pay warrants held against the attendance fund, will be mailed at once.

The warrants against the attendance fund were issued last Spring, with warrants against other State funds due the cities and counties. In many instances the counties and cities borrowed money with these warrants as security while other counties, less fortunate, have been forced to hold the warrants to await such time as the State could afford to pay them.

Outstanding Obligations

The other outstanding obligations of

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SHELL GASOLINE STATION IS OPEN FOR BUSINESS NOW

Announcement was made this week that Mr. T. F. Parrish will act as manager of the new Shell Service Station located on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway, across the street from the Ford Building.

This station was recently erected and is the latest addition to the business of Clanton. Mr. Parrish is well known throughout this county and invites his friends in to see him at his new place of business.

NEGRO CHURCH AT SHILOH BURNED LAST THURSDAY

Sparks from a defective flue are said to have been the cause of the destroying by fire of the negro church at Shiloh last Thursday, according to reports coming in this week.

Mt. Pleasant Defeats Baker Last Friday

The Mt. Pleasant basket ball quintet rode to an easy victory over the Baker five last Friday afternoon, on the Baker court, 31 to 4.

The game opened with Traywick, the stellar little forward for the winners, netting the ball for eight points the first three minutes of play. His running team mate, Burnett, accounted for 12 points for the game. Traywick was, however, the usual high scorer, getting 17 points to his credit for the game.

Littlejohn made a nifty crip shot for the other two markers.

Cecil Traywick, regular running guard for the winners, was out of the game, due to an injured knee. Melton filled his place in a creditable manner, breaking into Baker's clever pass work throughout the game, and with Parker at his usual position, the Baker team could not break through the defense. Their four points came by virtue of fouls.

The half closed with the count 25 to 1 The Union Grove team comes to Mt. Pleasant next Friday, November 6. This will be a close game. A large crowd is expected.

BRING IT IN

Although the News office resembled a produce store last Saturday, with eggs, chickens, potatoes and turnip greens coming in for subscriptions, we still say, "Bring it in."

Any day during the week, the News will accept chickens, eggs or potatoes as payment for subscriptions, either new, or renewal. This offer will last through next Saturday, November 7th, and applies only to those who live and receive their paper on a rural route. Thirty cents per dozen will be allowed for eggs, twenty-five cents per pound for chickens and market price for other produce.

My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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CHAPTER LXI

The pressure of the American army in the great Meuse-Argonne offensive had profoundly impressed the enemy. October 3 Marshal Von Hindenburg sent the following letter to the German chancellor:

> The High Command insists on its demand of September 29, for the immediate forwarding of an offer of peace to our enemies . . . There is now no longer any possible hope of forcing peace upon the enemy. . . The situation grows more desperate every day and may force the High Command to grave decisions. . . ."

The chancellor yielded, and October 5 telegraphed, through the Swiss government, to President Wilson:

> "The German government requests the President of the United States to take in hand the restoration of peace, acquaint all belligerent states with this request, and invite them to send plenipotentiaries for opening negotiations. It accepts the program set forth by the President in his message to congress January 8, and in his later addresses, especially the speech of September 27, as a basis for peace negotiations.
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> "With a view to avoiding further bloodshed, the German government requests the immediate conclusion of an armistice on land and water and in the air.
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> "(Signed) Max, Prince von Bedan,
> "Imperial Chancellor."

The President's reply was not satisfactory to the German government and the exchange of notes continued until finally the Germans accepted the very frank statement by the President conveyed in a State department message October 23, that "the nations of the world do not and cannot trust the word of those who have hitherto been the masters of German policy," and that "the government of the United States cannot deal with any but veritable representatives of the German people, who have been assured of a genuine constitutional standing as the real rulers of Germany.

"If it must deal with the military masters and the monarchial autocrats of Germany now, or if it is likely to have to deal with them later in regard to the international obligations of the German empire, it must demand, not peace negotiations, but surrender."

Meanwhile, with these peace negotiations in progress, and with our own and allied offensive continuing to produce favorable results, it became more and more evident that the time soon must come when we should have to consider terms and conditions under which hostilities might cease. The discussion of armistice terms in a general way by the allies had in fact begun.

The enemy's most important defensive position on the Romagne heights was in our firm possession, and his final defeat was only a question of time. He had fought desperately to hold his ground, but had been compelled to give way steadily before our effective blows. We could have gone forward without special preparation and succeeded in driving the enemy from the field, but the situation led to the conclusion that his defeat could best be accomplished by one powerful stroke by a well organized offensive.

The difficult and continuous offensive from September 26 had been very trying on our troops and had resulted in a certain loss of cohesion. It was, therefore, deemed advisable to take a few days for the replacement of tired troops, the renewal of supplies, and the improvement of communications.

French Delay Attack.

October 28 was tentatively designated for the beginning of the next general advance, the fourth phase of the Meuse-Argonne offensive, but the French army, which was to support our attack on the left, could not get ready in time, so the attack of both armies was fixed for November 1.

In accordance with my instructions on October 16, two important preliminary operations were carried out during this period. (1) operations against the bois des Loges and Bois de Bourgogne to clear the woods east of the Aisne and north of the Aire and thus flank that part of the hostile line on the Asine, and (2) local operations to secure a suitable line of departure for the general attack.

During the Meuse-Argonne battle my personal quarters were on my train, which lay partially hidden in the woods on a spur near Souilly. While there I spent a portion of each day at official headquarters giving directions regarding operations and deciding other important questions. I usually occupied the rest of the day at the front in close touch with corps and divisions. Although I had now relinquished the immediate command of the First army, its activities and those of the Second army, carried out under my direction, required close supervision.

Farther west, our Second corps (Read), with the British Fourth army, was engaged October 17 south of Le Cateau in the Battle of the Selle. This corps, with the Thirtieth (Lewis) and Twenty-seventh (O'Ryan) division in line from right to left, crossed the Selle river and advanced four miles in the face of strong resistance, capturing 1,600 prisoners and 12 guns.

The main objective of our initial attack September 26 had been reached. Failing to capture it in our first attempt we had deliberately, systematically and doggedly stuck to the task in the face of many difficulties and discouragements.

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CHAPTER LXII

The demands of incessant battle had compelled our divisions to fight to the limit of their capacity. Troops were held in line and pushed to the attack until deemed incapable of further effort because of casualties or exhaustion; artillery once engaged was seldom withdrawn. Many batteries fought until practically all the animals were casualties, leaving the guns to be towed out of line by motor trucks or by hand.

Our men as a whole showed unrivaled fortitude in this continuous fighting during inclement weather and under many disadvantages of position.

Consider Armistice Terms.

My diary records:

> "Paris, Monday, October 28, 1918. Met Marshal Foch and allied commanders at Senlis Friday to consider terms of armistice. Petain's views were stiffer than Marshal Haig's and mine more stringent than either.
>
> "Have been laid up with grip since Saturday."

At the opening of the conference Marshal Foch said in substance: "You are doubtless aware that the Germans are negotiating for an armistice through the intermediary of the American government, and declare themselves ready to accept the fourteen points of President Wilson as a basis."

He went on to say that he had called us together to obtain our views, and that he thought "the terms should be such as to render Germany powerless to recommence operations in case hostilities are resumed." One of his officers then read aloud from a newspaper the fourteen points.

Defers to British and French.

Foch then asked my opinion as to conditions that should be imposed, and I replied that as it was a matter of greater concern to both Great Britain and France than to the United States, and that as their armies had been engaged longer and had suffered more than ours, I thought it appropriate for Sir Douglas Haig and General Petain to express their views first.

Marshal Haig said in substance that the German army was far from being disintegrated and was still capable of withdrawing to a shorter front and making a stand against equal or greater forces. On the other hand, the allies were pretty well exhausted. The total shortage of men for the British and French armies, he said, was about 250,000 each, with none available to fill the gaps. The American army, he further said, was not yet complete, and some time must elapse before it would be large enough to relieve the diminishing allied armies. He thought the terms should be such that the Germans would not hesitate to accept them.

He then proposed immediate and complete evacuation of invaded Belgian and French territory; occupation by the allies of Alsace, Lorraine, and the fortresses of Metz and Strasbourg; restitution of all rolling stock seized by the Germans in France and Belgium, or its equivalent, and repatriation of inhabitants of invaded territory.

Marshal Foch then asked my views. I replied, in effect:

"The general view that an armistice should provide guarantees against a resumption of hostilities, give the allies a decided advantage, and be unfavorable to Germany in case hostilities should be resumed, meets with my approval. I think that the damage done by the war to the interests of the powers with which the United States is associated against Germany has been so great that there should be no tendency toward leniency.

"The present military situation is very favorable to the allies. The German forces since the beginning of the counter-offensive July 18 have been constantly in retreat and have not been able to recover since that time. The condition of the French and British armies can best be judged by the fact that they have been continuously on the offensive since then and that they are now attacking with much vigor.

"As to the American army, the part it has taken in the operations since July 18 has not been inconsiderable. It is constantly increasing in strength and training; its staffs, its services and its higher commanders have improved by experience, so there is every reason to suppose that the American army will be able to take the part expected of it in the event of resumption of hostilities. I therefore propose:

> "1. Evacuation of France and Belgium within 30 days and of all other foreign territory occupied by Germany without delay.
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> "2. Withdrawal of the German armies from Alsace-Lorraine and occupation of those territories by the allied armies.
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> "3. Withdrawal of German armies to the east of the Rhine and the possession of such bridgeheads on the eastern side in the Rhine by the allies as may be necessary to insure their control of that river.
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> "4. Unrestricted transportation of the American army and its material across the seas.
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> "5. Immediate repatriation of all nationals of foreign territory now or heretofore occupied during the war by Germany.
>
> "6. Surrender of all U-boats and U-boat bases to the control of a neutral power until their disposition is otherwise determined.
>
> "7. Return to France and Belgium of all railroad rolling stock that has been seized by Germany from those countries."

Marshal Foch expressed his thanks for what I had said, and added that while it was true the American army was still young, its spirit was splendid and it was tremendously increasing every day in efficiency and in numbers.

He then asked Marshal Haig whether, in view of what General Petain and I had said, he cared to modify his views on the terms of an armistice, to which Haig replied in the negative. The conference ended here with Marshal Foch's request that each of us submit in writing what we had proposed.

Legal Notices

NOTICE

Letters testamentary on the estate of E. F. Mead, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned on the 14th day of October, 1931, by the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama, notice is hereby given that all perosns having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or the same will be barred.

CLYDE MEAD,
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of E. F. Mead, deceased.
10-22-3tcG.

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE AND SALE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Whereas, H. H. Dahl, and wife, Cora M. Dahl, executed to G. F. Harper, on towit, the 28th day of November, 1928, a mortgage upon the land hereinafter described to secure an indebtedness described therein, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Chilton County, Alabama in Mortgage Book 224, page 147, and

Whereas, said G. F. Harper, and wife, Mary E. Harper, did on the 16 day of November, 1931, transfer and assign said mortgage to G. E. Collins; And default having been made by grantors in payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage and in the performance of the terms of said mortgage;

Now Therefore, the said G. E. Collins, having declared due and payable the entire indebtedness secured by said mortgage, together with all other claims due under the terms of said mortgage, will sell, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, during the legal hours of sale, on the 28 day of November, 1931, at auction to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Courthouse door of Chilton County, Alabama, the lands embraced in said mortgage described substantially as follows:

The North ½ of Northeast ¼ of Southwest ¼, and the East ½ of Northwest ¼ of Southwest ¼, all in Sec. 5, Township 22, Range 14, containing 40 acres, more or less, and situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

Said sale being made, first, for the purpose of paying the expenses incident to this sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee; second, to reimburse the mortgagee or his transferee for money expended for taxes due on the property with interest thereon; third, for the payment of debts secured by said mortgage and the interest due.

G. E. Collins, Transferee.
By Raymond C. Smith, Attorney for Transferee.
Transferee. 10-29-2tch.

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NOTICE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed by Solomon Hicks and wife Mamie Hicks, to T. U. Crumpton Co., a corporation, on the 6th day of February, 1918, which said mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 179 page 254, said mortgage having heretofore been duly transferred to and now owned by the undersigned Blossom Crumpton, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, I, Blossom Crumpton, will proceed to sell on Monday the 23rd day of November, 1931, in front of the United States Post Office in Maplesville, Chilton County, Alabama, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Section Fifteen (15) Township Twenty-one (21), Range Twelve (12), in Chilton County, Alabama.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, after the cost and expense of this sale, including a reasonable attorneys' fee shall have been deducted therefrom.

This the 21st day of October, 1931.
BLOSSOM CRUMPTON,
By Lawrence F. Gerald,
10-22-4tcG. Her Attorney.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton, a municipal corporation, Complainant, vs. Minnie McDaniel, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd Day Of November, 1931, the following described property, viz.: Commencing at the Southeast corner of lot owned by Robert Williams, and run 80 yds. to point of beginning, from said point of beginning, run West 35 yds. South 40 yds. East 35 yds. North 40 yds. to point of beginning, being in Northwest corner of Northwest-quarter of Section 2, Township 21, Range 14, one old build. in the Town of Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.
W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton a municipal corporation Complainant vs. Pearl Foshee, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd Day of November, 1931. the following described property, viz.: One house and lot beginning at a point 75 feet West of the Northeast corner of South-half of Northwest-quarter of Section 2, Township 21, Range 14, run West 175 feet, South 642 feet, thence East 175 feet, thence North 643 feet to point of beginning, in Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.
W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton a municipal corporation Complainant vs. Joshua McDaniel Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd Day of November, 1931 the following described property, viz.: One 5 room dwelling house bounded on North by Bill Dickerson's property, East by Tom Robinson's property. One Lot beginning at Northwest corner of lot now owned by J. L. McDaniel and run along West line 59 feet, One watch.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs, & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.
W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

The Town of Clanton a Municipal corporation Complainant vs. G. A. Wyatt Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23, Day of November, 1931, the following described propery, viz.: Lot number 7, in Block No. 12, Dwelling and lot in Gowan addition to Clanton, Chilton County, Ala.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.
W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton a municipal corporation Complainant vs. Artense Rouse Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd Day of November, 1931. the following described property, viz.: A certain lot or parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the Southeast corner of that certain lot or parcel of land sold and conveyed by Adair McDaniel to O. W. Jones on the 5th. day of July, 1924, thence in a Westerly direction and parallel with First Street 100 feet. Thence at right angles in a Westerly direction 50 feet, thence at right angles 100 feet, thence at right angles in a Easterly direction to Street of beginning. In Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.
W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton A Municipal corporation, Complainant vs. E. W. Burt, alias Earnest W. Burt Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd, Day of November, 1931, the following described property, viz.: Begin at a point 75 feet from Henry William's North line and 15 feet from Wiley William's West line, and run parallel with the West line in a Northerly direction 75 feet, thence West 90 feet thence in a Southerly direction 75 feet, thence East parallel with Henry William's North line 90 feet to point of beginning. In Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.
W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton, a municipal corporation Complainant vs. James Goldsmith Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd, Day of November, 1931. the following described property, viz.: Beginning at a point 50 feet South of the Northeast corner of Southwest-quarter of Northeast-quarter, Section 2, Township 21, Range 14, run thence West 105 feet, thence South 50 feet, thence East 105 feet, thence North 50 feet to point of beginning. In Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.
W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton, a Municipal corporation, Complainant vs. Sallie Gilchrist, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd, Day of November, 1931. the following described property, viz.: One House and Lot in West Clanton, Alabama, known as the Wash Gilchrist lot, lying between Kicker Grove and Bowden place, being Three quarters of an acre. in Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama. Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.
W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

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NOTICE

Letters of Administration on the Estate of H. T. Simms, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned on the 17th day of October, 1931, by the Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law, or the same will be barred.

RUCKER SIMMS,
Administrator of the Estate of H. T. Simms, deceased. 10-22-3tcG.

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REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County. Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton, a municipal corporation, Complainant, vs. G. D. Little, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931 by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M.,

On Monday, The 23rd Day of November, 1931 the following described property, viz.: Lot number 2, in Block 17, and dwelling house in Gowan addition to Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama. Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This the 23rd day of October, 1931.
W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF FIRST MEETING

No. 7185 In The District Court of T
United States for the Middle Distr
of Alabama—In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Florence Gra
Taylor, and Florence Grady Tayl
formerly doing business as West E
Grocery Company, Bankrupt. Po
office Clanton. County Chilton, Al
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The aforesaid party having been a
judged a Bankrupt, under the Act
Congress entitled "An Act to Establi
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Throughout the United States," appro
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office of the undersigned Referee,
the United States Court House, Mon
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vember, next at 10 o'clock A. M.,
make proof of debts, and for the ele
tion of a Trustee, and such other ma
ters as are necessary and required
the Act of Congress aforesaid.

Montgomery, Ala., October 29, 1931
M. S. CARMICHAEL.
11-5-1tpd. Refer

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF FIRST MEETING

No. 7186 In The District Court of T
United States for The Middle Di
trict of Alabama—In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Virgil Headl
Bankrupt. Postoffice Clanton, Coun
Chilton, Alabama.

The aforesaid party having been a
judged a Bankrupt, under the Act
Congress entitled "An Act to Esta
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Montgomery, Ala., October 29, 1931
M. S. CARMICHAEL.
11-5-1tpd. Refer

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

State of Alabama, Chilton County

Default having been made in t
payment of the indebtedness secur
by that certain mortgage executed
July 1, 1930, by J. H. Johnson and w
Rosalie Johnson, to the undersign
mortgagee, to secure the paymen
one note in the sum of Twenty-Thr
Hundred Thirteen and 49|100 Doll
and which note and mortgage was pa
able on September 12, 1931, with 8% i
terest on said note from February 1
1930, which said mortgage is record
in the office of the Judge of Proba
of Chilton County, Ala., in volume
of Mortgages at page 444. The und
signed mortgagee will, on Monday, t
7th day of December, 1931, in front
the Court House door of Chilton Cou
ty, Ala., in Clanton, Ala., during t
legal hours of sale, under and by vir
of the power of sale contained in s
mortgage offer for cash, at public o
cry, to the highest bidder, the followi
described property, to-wit:

The Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of t
Northwest - quarter (NW¼); T
Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of t
Southwest-quarter (SW¼); The Sout
west quarter (SW¼) of the Southea
quarter (SE¼); and thirty-three
acres in the Southeast-quarter (SE
of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼),
ing that part of said forty acres wh
lies East of the Clanton and Ma
ville Public Road, all in Section T
(10); Also the East Half (E½) of t
Northwest-quarter (NW¼) and t
Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of t
Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Secti
Fifteen (15), all in Township Twen
One (21) Range Thirteen (13), Ch
County, Alabama, and containing in
Two Hundred Seventy-Three (2
acres, more or less.

Said sale will be made for the
pose of paying the expenses thereof
cluding a reasonable attorney's fee a
for the payment of the indebtedn
secured by said mortgage.

This the 31st day of October, 1931.
MRS. MARY CRAIG.
Mortgag
J. B. ATKINSON, Attorney for Mo
gagee. 11-5-3

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29x4.50-20	5.60	5.45
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29x4.75-20	6.75	6.57
29x5.00-19	6.98	6.80
30x5.00-20	7.10	6.90
28x5.25-18	7.90	7.65
31x5.25-21	8.57	8.35
28x5.50-18	8.75	8.50
29x5.50-19	8.90	8.65
32x6.00-20	11.47	11.15

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30x4.50-21	$4.85	$4.70
28x4.75-19	5.68	5.57
29x5.00-19	5.99	5.83
30x3½	3.75	3.65

MARBURY-MT. CREEK HONOR ROLL

The following Marbury-Mt. Creek school students made Honor Roll for the first month. This means that they have been neither absent nor tardy during the entire month; all grades, including conduct, have been above ninety:

Third Grade—Sibyl Hand, Katie Bell Hayes, Carolyn Johnson, Rubye Parsons and Carlton Pyron.

Fourth Grade—Dorothy Gene Balinger.

Junior I—Helen Kicker.

Junior II—Chester Culver and Gene Ellis.

Junior III—Sarah Fike and Elizabeth Parsons.

Senior III—Donald Burns.

COTTON LAWS FUTILE

Passing laws to restrict cotton production is unconstitutional and futile, in the opinion of Harvie Jordan, general secretary of the American Cotton Association. He says:

"The agricultural classes of no nation have ever been benefited by governmental interference. The past two years' history of the complete collapse of the Farm Board's efforts to overcome and set aside the immutable trade laws of supply and demand are now well known."

Instead of depending on legislation or political panaceas for farm relief, Mr. Jordan urges farmers to voluntarily reduce their acreage of cotton and other crops of which there is now a surplus, and raise more food and feedstuffs next year.

This is sound advice. The farmer who raises his own food and stock feed need never suffer for the necessities of life, even if the prices of so-called "money-crops" are low. A good garden, a cow or two, some pigs and chickens, with home-raised feed in abundance, will make any farmer virtually independent of market conditions.

It is encouraging to note that more and more farmers are learning this important lesson. The adoption of a live-at-home plan would be worth more to any farmer than all the laws that might be enacted. Those who depend upon politicians for relief will be disappointed in the future as they have been in the past, and the sooner all farmers realize this fact the better off they will be.

ABOUT MONEY

Some facts about money may be of interest, although that commodity itself is rather scarce so far as most of us are concerned. Our word "dollar," by the way, is from the German term "thaler," a piece of money first coined in Bohemia about the year 1518.

The United States silver dollar was first minted in 1794. Its intrinsic value is less than half its face value, ás it contains only 412.5 grains of silver. The origin of the dollar mark ($) is not known with certainty.

The motto, "In God We Trust," first appeared on a bronze 2-cent piece in 1864, and since 1865 has been used on gold and silver coins. The eagle appeared on the first coins issued, and on most coins ever since. Coinage of silver dollars has practically ceased in recent years.

It may not be generally known that half-dollars, quarters and dimes are legal tender only for debts not exceeding ten dollars, while nickels and cents are legal tender only up to twenty-five cents. Any old kind of money would be accepted as legal tender in any amount just now, we imagine—especially on subscription accounts.

J. B. ATKINSON
Attorney-At-Law
Office Over Robinson Department Store
Clanton, Alabama

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Sardis News

P.-T. A. met on Thursday night of last week with a good crowd attending and an interesting program as follows:

1. A song, by audience.
2. Prayer:
3. Business:
4. Music:
5. A Parting Tribute to Arkansas, by Louise Samson.
6. Pockets, by Herman Sansom.
7. Children.
7. Children's Song:
8. The place for a Child, by Birtie Grant.
9. October at Soloman, by Clara Headley.
10. Music:
11. Cottage, by Van Buxton.
12. Worthwhile, by Arland Deason.

We invite everybody to come and be with us at our meetings.

Mr. Carson and Willie Clyde Williams and Mrs. Lurain Klinner, and Mrs. Mae Adams celebrated their birthday together at their mothers, and had as their guests Misses Alphia Ratliff and Melda Sansom and Mrs. Susie Roper. This was celebrated on November 1st.

Mr. C. J. Ratliff and father, Mr. G. W. Ratliff, and little sister, Margene, and Mr. Kent Minor motored to Selma Sunday and spent the day with their brother, Mr. Floyd Ratliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Minor is spending a few weeks with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratliff.

Mrs. Celia Klinner spent Friday of last week with Mrs. Lula Ratliff.

Mrs. Lula Ratliff spent Thursday of last week with Mrs. Alice Deason.

Mrs. Lois Deason and children spent Sunday with her sister at Plantersville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kendrick spent a few hours Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Scott.

Next Saturday and Sunday are our regular preaching days, and we invite all who will to come and bring someone with you; and also come to prayer service and B. Y. P. U. every Sunday night.

A SUBSCRIBER.

Three Years Ago

Issue of November 8, 1928

The Chilton County High School football tigers held a highly rated Lineville team to a 6-6 draw on the local gridiron last Friday afternoon.

In the recent national and county elections, the returns from which are just coming in, the Republican party seems to have won by a landslide.

Mr. Curtis Guy of Birmingham was among the visitors to Clanton last Tuesday. He visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Guy, of Mt. Creek, Ala.

The Hallowe'en party which was held last Friday evening at the local high school was a decided success. The party which was sponsored by the local P.T. A. was well attended and over $45.00 was cleared.

Rudolph Scarborough was seriously injured in an automobile accident which took place just south of Clanton on the Main highway last Saturday afternoon.

SEVEN BEST FEEDS FOR LIVE STOCK

Says the Progressive Farmer:

"The seven feed essentials for livestock are: water, air, protein, carbohydrates, fats, mineral matter, and vitamins.

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Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

There are two special subjects to be discussed at the Methodist church next Sunday. At 11 A. M. the subject is "The Prince of Peace," and at seven o'clock, "Don't Worry." We extend an invitation to all enlisted men to worship with us. It matters not when and where you served you should hear this message. If you are inclined to worry about things, be sure to worship with us Sunday night.

We are looking for you at Sunday school at 9:45. We have good teachers, a well organized school and plenty of heat to keep you warm. Our church is commodious, and for you we have a cordial welcome.

Three were united with our church last Sunday, Miss Lona Thompson, Mrs. E. C. Powell and Ront Winston Powell. We have a large place for these new members.

Sunday School Lesson

for November 8
PAUL IN EPHESUS
Acts 19:8-20

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

Begin your reading with Acts 18:18 and continue through chapter 19. Note the two similar incidents where a total of thirteen who had known only the baptism of John enter into the larger experience in Christian truth when they know about Him, the Holy Spirit. Paul returned to Ephesus after having been to Antioch that he might report on the second missionary journey.

Three years were now spent in Ephesus as the third journey is entered upon. After three months the school of Tyrannus became the general meeting place. Fine results came from the two years of preaching and teaching at that center. In fact, many points in the surrounding country were reached and these places were later addressed by both Paul and John in their letters.

The bonfire at Ephesus revealed the growing influence that Paul gained over the superstitious who used all sorts of charms to try and offset evil. It was quite like the rabbit's foot idea with some today, and there are still many who give up good money to have a palmist or other fortune teller hoodwink them. Multitudes brought their charms and soothsaying books for the fire and about $1000,000 worth was destroyed.

All this cut into the sale of the images of Diana, whose massive temple and licentious worship was dominant in Ephesus. The mkers of these idols had their part in starting the uproar as the people rushed to the open temple and shouted themselves hoarse as they cried "Great is Diana of the Ephesians." Paul wanted to talk to the crowd but cooler minds dissuaded him and Paul decided to work elsewhere.

With the Alabama Law

By Ala. Department of Agriculture

Q. Is it law to burn or bury all farm animals that die?

A. Carcasses or parts of carcasses of all animals that die from disease shall be burned or buried, and when buried, covered with not less than four feet of dirt over the top part of the carcass in the hole or rendered or cooked in a pressure rendering tank where the temperature may be held not lower than 220 degrees Fahrenheit for not less than four hours.—Livestock Rules and Regulations.

Q. How long is a farmer permitted to leave a dead animal in his barnyard?

A. In no case shall a city resident or farmer permit dead animals to remain in barn, lot, yard or anywhere in the city or upon the farm, longer than 24 hours after the death of the animal or animals before disposing of said carcasses or parts of carcasses.—Livestock Rules and Regulations.

Q. Is there a law prohibiting a dead animal being placed in a running stream?

A. No dead animals or solid waste or offal shall be thrown, flushed or placed in any way into running brooks, creeks, streams, ponds, lakes or pools of any kind.—Livestock Rules and Regulations.

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"I'll bet that took down his pride a bit, didn't it?'

"Naw. He asked their names and addresses and then set out to find them.

Dumb Dora—I was awfully lucky at the party last night.

Mamma—In what way, dear?

Dumb Dora—We played a game in which the men either had to kiss a girl or forfeit a box of chocolates. I got 10 boxes.

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lost their spirits.

A Dallas, Texas, doctor says modern fashions make the women live longer. And they make the men look longer.

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OUR SCOUT TROOPS TO ENTER 'BLOUNT EFFICIENCY CONTEST'

The 'Blount Efficiency Contest' for Boy Scouts in the Central Alabama Area Council began November 1st The troop in the Council which has secured the largest number of points as of May 1st next year—an interval of six months—will be the first to receive the beautiful silver loving cup offered by Mr. Roberts Blount. ational Representative of the local Boy Scout Council. Local Boy Scout troops will have an active part in this contest and C. E Stapp, Chairman of this District feels confident that one of our troops will merit the first award. This contest will be conducted each six months until some troop wins the cup three times in succession, which gives the troop the cup as its permanent possession. Mr. Blount will present the cup for the first time at the Boy Scout Jamboree next year.

Yesterday Scoutmasters of this district received a personal letter from John J. Sigwald, Scout Executive, which enclosed the report blank for the month of November. Points are to be given for meeting regularly, wearing the Scout uniform, registering new Scouts, for activity in day and overnight hikes, participation in individual, patrol and troop Good Turns and advancement before the local Court of Honor.

The Council office has a large chart on its walls which will give the progressive points month by month of each troop. Reports must be entered not later than the 10th of each month if the troop is to receive credit for activities during the past month

With the Scoutcraft Jamboree in May calling on the boys for physical participation in many events it is very appropriate that this type of troop efficiency contest should run each month calling for the Scoutmaster and Scouts to be continuously 'on their toes.'

Forest Fires Are Enemies Of Trees

By Lyle Brown, Auburn, Forester

While visiting the woods where fire has been allowed to go through even occasionally during the lifetime of the trees that occupy the land just take a look at the butts of these trees and note the yawning fire scars that are seriously holding in check the growth of these trees and which will render almost worthless the "butt cut" when harvested.

Limbs and young trees that are naturally shaded out in the woods die and fall to the ground. Many of these, together with the "lightwood knots," will be found lying against the base of the larger trees; and, when fire creeps thru the woods, they kindle a hot flame against them. As they burn out they leave a big dead spot, frequently half way around the tree. Rot enters and works its way up into the tree to make a big hole for a rabbit and a worthless butt log for a farmer. When these scars are formed on young trees they frequently grow up so that they are not noticeable from the outside, but when cut for timber a rotten center tells the story.

In addition to scarring these older trees fires burn the cover of humus which is laid down each fall and winter. Therefore, fire robs the trees of a great deal of moisture, which is held for the trees by this blanket over the soil, and destroys the plant food to be furnished by this cover of leaves and show when it decays.

A careful study of forest fires reveals only harm and destruction. They ruin trees, they rob the soil, they cheat the owner of trees and land.

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Fairy Story: Once upon a time there was an insurance agent who never worried people about taking out a new policy.

One-Cent is as big as a Dollar at the Rexall One-Cent Cash Sale at Upchurch Drug Co., Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday this week.

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Why Did Hoover Wait?

President Hoover called an impressive delegation of both Republican and Democratic Congressmen to Washington to hear his outline of a legislative program for arresting the banking troubles that have become manifest as a natural consequence of the industrial and economic depression. Obviously this was done for the purpose of assuring himself of a non-partizan approval of his ideas. Some curiosity has been displayed as to why the President thought such a gathering necessary.

It would seem to be perfectly plain that no political faction would oppose any program that was demonstratably of value in improving the existing situation, and it must, of course, be assumed that the President believes that his suggestions would have this effect. There is nothing inherently political in the extension of the rediscount privilege of the Reserve Banks to securities of undoubted value or to providing further capital for the Federal Land Banks, or even to the tentative proposal of bringing into being an organization similar to the War Finance Corporation to reinforce the banks' revolving fund, which he suggested. The value of these expedients is something for the economists to determine. If they are wise they will be accepted. If they are otherwise they will undoubtedly be modified by Congress. In neither event can politics have anything to do with the decision. Nobody is going to, at such a time as this, either accept or object to the proposals because they emanated from the President of the United States.

An interesting element of the situation is that the President's decision to have Congress legislate on these matters shows a seeming discrepancy between such action and what has been accepted as the President's position in the past that governmental enactments could not correct the business malady. For example, the President informed the Indiana Republican Association last June in a speech that "there is no sudden stroke of either governmental or private action which can dissolve these world difficulties." He seemed to have the same idea when he addressed the annual convention of the American Bankers' Association at Cleveland a year ago, for he told the bankers that he had never believed that our form of government could satisfactorily solve economic problems by direct action, and added "that government can and must cure abuses. What the government can do best is to encourage and assist in the creation of institutions controlled by our citizens and evolved by themselves from their own needs and their own experience and directed in a sense of trusteeship of public interest."

If the President's program will produce the loosening of frozen credits and so induce the resumption of the revolution of the wheels of business—and everybody hopes that these things can be brought about—it is to be regretted that he did not advance the plan when he was talking about these things last year. That the frozen credits were in his mind then is evidenced from the context of his speech to the bankers, for among other things he said, comparing the present depression with that of 1922, "our difficulties at that time were far more severe than they are at present. The commercial banks particularly were sufferers from a large amount of frozen credits, and enjoyed nothing to compare with the comfortable liquidity that prevails today."

However, if he has finally found the method of breaking the credit dam the general verdict will be one of satisfaction rather than of criticism because he waited so long to enunciate the formula.

Editors Renew Fight

Continuing its long fight against the encroachment of the government upon private business, the National Editorial Association recently launched a new campaign, one feature of which is furnishing members attractive colored stickers bearing the words:

"Government in business cuts the heart out of private enterprise and kills individual effort."

Circulars containing arguments against government operation of business enterprises are also being widely distributed by the Association, and members are asked to aid in the fight for the freedom of private business by calling attention to the injustice of using the taxpayer's money to set up government subsidized and tax free enterprises to compete with him. The circular says:

"The government seems to have embarked more and more into socialistic experiments that have been mighty expensive, as indicated by the Federal Farm Board's costly experiments in marketing grain, cotton and other products, and the losses experienced in Michigan in the manufacture of cement by convict labor. The time has now arrived when publishers should point out to their constituency the danger of government encroachments upon private business, which have become so outstanding that the life of our nation is threatened."

In this campaign the National Editorial Association is fighting for every legitimate private business in the country, and it should have the support of everyone who believes in Americanism, as opposed to Socialism, Communism and other isms which seek to destroy our national structure.

PAST-PRESENT-FUTURE
IN CHILTON COUNTY

To many, the fact that the election set for last Tuesday is over, is quite a relief. To some it is a disappointment while to others it is a pleasant thought, that is, speaking of the results.

I have heard many persons, even after the election was over Tuesday night, ask the question, "Why did they have to call an election about the county agent?" Many times that same question came into my mind, but knowing the conditions, it was not difficult to understand.

To me, the result of this election in regard to our County Agency Work is a pleasant thought, although I have listened attentively to many persons who wished to argue against the office, telling of their various reasons for wishing to do away with it, none of which I really agreed with. I was pleased to note that Clanton went over strong in favor of the work, as did Maplesville, Stanton, Mullins, Isabella, Verbena, Kincheon, Cooper, Providence near Jemison, and Providence east of Clanton, and others.

In my mind, it is hoped that this result will end the belliaching 'some citizens and tax payers' have been doing in regard to the County Agent Work here. It should and if those who have the say-so in such matters are broadminded, it will.

However, now that it is decided that the County Farm Agent is to be retained, then I have several ideas I am going to suggest to the man holding the place. These ideas in my opinion, are good, and have come to me from those persons I have so often heard arguing the question.

Frankly, I was somewhat surprised to see the count on the box at Jemison. With a strawberry association there that brought money into the surrounding country this past season and great strides being made in the agricultural line there, it is difficult to understand why the vote resulted as it did. However, possibly some of the older politicians could explain that matter.

Heard the following conversation took place between two men the other day: One said, "All Stapp does is to teach these young Republican boys." The reply he received was this. "Well, that's all right. Let him teach them something and then they'll be Democrats. It's better to try to teach a young person than to try to change an old one, ain't it?"

I note that this county will receive something over seven thousand dollars for educational funds from the state right away. This money is not to be used for this year's work, as it will be applied on a $15,000 loan made by the educational system of this county to pay items last year. In fact it is a part of last year's appropriations, or warrants, just now being paid by the state, according to Buford Lwrence, county superintendent that will make our educational department just that much less in debt.

Something tells me that there is no reason for worry in regard to our school situation, as I believe that the schools will continue on, although it is true that it will mean a great sacrifice on the part of the educational employees. That fact should be recognized by everyone.

The Capture of Yorktown

The hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the surrender of Lord Cornwallis at Yorktown has just been made the occasion of an A-1 celebration. The President of the United States on the U. S. S. Arkansas headed a naval procession that was participated in by French ships. On shore the atmosphere of patriotism was rampant. In reenacting the surrender to Washington all the glories of Revolutionary America were emphasized.

The George Washington Bicentennial celebration will be formally opened on February 22, and for nine long months exercises and ceremonies will be staged in Washington and in every part of the United States. The whole American Nation is to be immersed in a tremendous patriotic wash-up. And it won't be confined to Saturday nights either.

Undoubtedly the Nation is ready and the time is ripe for a renaissance of those heroic days when the people did not hesitate to offer their lives in order that they might be Freemen.

Honey Mush

There is a lot of hokum being printed throughout the country advising people to use concoctions of honey in automobile radiators. The Department of Agriculture says that it takes two parts of honey to one part of water to prevent freezing at zero, and the solution does not circulate readily at low temperatures in automobile radiators. Better stick to your glycerine and alcohol, and eat your honey—on cakes and waffles.

Stop Skidding and Slewing

Improperly adjusted brakes often cause a number of mechanical ills, according to W. T. Palmer, an official of the company making Rasco brake linings. Among them are warped brake drums, front wheel alignment trouble, spring breakage and bent axles.

"In addition to the safety promoted by properly adjusted brakes in order to forestall skidding and slewing, brake neglect frequently costs the car owner a great deal more in garage bills than regular inspection and care of his brakes would amount to," Mr. Palmer says.

"Four-wheel brakes, while considerably more powerful than the formerly used two-wheel brake, require extra attention in order to keep them in proper repair and adjustment. The car having a tight front brake on the left wheel and a loose brake on the right front wheel may bring about wheel alignment problems in addition to causing skidding on wet pavements and dangerous sudden twisting into oncoming traffic.

"Efficient brake inspection at a reputable service station usually costs nothing and it may save thousands of dollars and weary weeks in a hospital. Periodical brake care is only a trifling tap on the family budget; an automobile accident is a wallop that may knock it out for years and cause endless misery."

Letters To The Editor

BIBLE HAS REMEDY FOR HARD TIMES

Editor, Chilton County News:

Please allow me a little space in your paper. Hard times have been the cry so long that everyone, I believe, is wishing for a change of mental diet. Everyone has an idea to express about the cause of the hard times, but most people stop there with an apathetic attitude of helplessness and think they can do nothing to hasten the return of better times. Greed, selfishness, wickedness, indifference and carelessness have all had their part in the cause of the present situation. There is a supreme remedy for the situation in the Bible. It is expressed in Isaiah 55:7, in these words:

"Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts: and let him return unto the Lord, and He will have mercy; and to our God, for He will abundantly pardon."

Even though warning and exhortation is so faithfully given from the pulpit, over radio and through Christian literature, and above all—the Bible is in reach of the majority of the people; our nation is not wholly the Christian nation that it should be, could be, and has the name of being.

In studying the Bible, we read that in all ages where God's people forgot Him and went into wickedness, they got into trouble. If they repented and turned from their evil ways, God forgave them and brought them out of their troubles. The Bible is full of such instances—full of promises of mercy and blessing to the person or nation that turns from sin to the Lord, and walks righteously.

Since it takes individuals to make up a nation, it will take repentant individuals to make up a repentant nation. The humble, consistent, righteous man is the happy man, whatever his surrounding situation; so with the nation. If every person will search his own heart, repent of the wickedness, indifference or carelessness which he finds there and consistently live the Golden Rule, God will hear and answer his cry for mercy; and again—so with the nation.

—A READER.

Alabama Voters Thumbs Down On Bond Issue

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000,000 bond issue vote when informed of it by The Advertiser.

Majority of Two to One

Barring an unexpected heavy vote in some of the counties unreported and a change in the trend of some from which only a few votes were reported Tuesday night, the proposal seemed defeated by a majority of about two to one.

In the two most populous counties, Jefferson (Birmingham) and Mobile, the vote was overwhelmingly against it. Montgomery County with two rural precincts missing, showed a margin of 55 votes for ratification.

Voting throughout the State was extremely light, with probably not more than 75,000 votes cast out of nearly 300,000 in the State, indicating the lack of interest in the proposal.

Tuscaloosa, Houston, Morgan, Madison, and Etowah, all populous counties joined Jefferson and Mobile in piling up heavy majorities against the amendment, returning from two to one to four to one majorities against the proposal. Cullman County piled up a 14 to 1 vote against the bonds.

Many of the smaller counties, early returns showed, favored the measure which would have guaranteed $275,000 in paving for each county.

Counties Against It

Counties, early returns indicated had voted against the issue included: Autauga, Bibb, Cherokee, Chilton, Clay, Colbert, Covington, Crenshaw, Cullman, Elmore, Escambia, Etowah, Geneva, Houston, Jefferson, Lamar, Lauderdale, Lawrence, Madison, Mobile, Morgan, Pickens, Pike, Shelby, Tuscaloosa, Walker—26.

Counties giving majorities for the issue: Blount, Bullock, Calhoun, Conecuh, Chambers, Dallas, Hale, Limestone, Lee, Marion, Monroe, Montgomery, St. Clair, Sumter, Tallapoosa, Winston, Greene—17.

In some of the counties in both lists only one or two boxes had been reported, and these were close enough for a shift in trend to be made either way.

Experienced politicians, however, either smiled and looked at the result or shook their heads, but agreed that the issue was defeated and some indicated they believed the ratio of defeat would be increased with laggard boxes.

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Misses Faye Coates, Dorothy Reynolds, Lettie Snider of the Maplesville high school faculty were visitors to Clanton last Monday.

Miss Bertha Dennis, a member of the Isabella school faculty, was in Clanton Monday.

Criminal Court Convenes Here November 9th

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Hugh Lockhart, V. P. L.; Wilson Judkins, V. P. L.; Stephen Pate and Mary Pate, assault and battery; William Helton, murder; Opel Morris, grand larceny; Forrest Littleton, V. P. L.; Berry Rutland, D. M. V. while intoxicated; Cecil Willis, V. P. L.

Dixie Wilson, bastardy; Martin Wright, assault and battery; John Headley, carrying concealed pistol; J. C. Headley, V. P. L.; Jodie Wright, V. P. L.; J. C. Skinner, presenting firearms; Russell Cooper, assault and battery; Russell Cooper and Clarence Cooper, A. & B.; Russell Cooper and Clarence Cooper, A. & B.; Dock Gamble, V. P. L.; Pearl Deason Vickers, V. P. L.; Dock Coggins, assault with a weapon; Filmore Lockhart, V. P. L.; Zelard Bolton, D. M. V. while intoxicated; Jack Nix, public drunkenness; Walter Glass, public drunkenness; Raymond Johnson, V. P. L.; Dyer Schurter, disturbing religious worship; Nimrod Horton, mfg. liquor and poss. still; Paul Robinson, grand larceny; Paul Robinson, grand larceny; Walter Traywick, A. and B. with weapon; George Traywick, A. and B. with weapon; John Houston, A. I. O. L.; George Traywick, assault and battery; Horace Busby et al, defaulting bond.

Set For Tuesday, November 10th

Winston Mims, V. P. L.; Ervin Thomas, assault and battery; John Sims, V. P. L.; Joe Smitherman, burning woods wilfully; Andy Smitherman, burning woods willfully. Clifford Vines, V. P. L.; Clifford Vines, reckless driving; Jade Traywick, burglary and Erby Traywick, burglary and grand larceny; Leonard Traywick, burglary and grand larceny; Cleveland Driver, mfg. whiskey and poss. still; Dock Coggins, attempt to murder; Emmitt Thomas, V. P. L.; Emmett McKee, V. P. L.; Alphus Downs, V. P. L.; General Lee Oden, V. P. L.; Mack Baker, V. P. L.; J. L. Crawford; Johnnie Plier; Boss Jones, V. P. L.; Duncan Wells, (Appeal from Mayor's Court) V. P. L.; R. A. Downs alias R. A. Downs, selling mortgaged property; Henry Davis, V P. L.; J. T. Arant, V. P. L.; Ben Traywick, V. P. L.; Ben Traywick, carrying concealed pistol; Jim Thompson, V. P. L.; Tillian Niamon, V. P. L.; Martin Wright and Clarice Wright, assault to murder; J. A. Dobbs, V. P. L.; Robert Cleckler, V. P. L.; T. R. Tolbert, V. P. L.; P. G. Parker, V. P. L. Albert Robinson, V. P. L.; Joe Gore, D. M. V. while intoxicated; Melvin Mims, V. P. L.; Lester Powell, V.P.L.; Lonie Cleckler, V. P. L.

Set For Wednesday, November 11th

Elijah Thomas, V. P. L.; Burl Pierce, disturbing religious worship; Clarence Cooper et al, defaulting bond; Gaither Bryant, petit larceny; Hershel Hayes, V. P. L.; Magnus Taylor, D. M. V. while intoxicated; Lonnie Cox, D. M. V. while intoxicated; Dolby Robinson, Sr., public drunkenness; Arguness Robinson, public drunkenness; Jimmie Lee Cox, public drunkenness; Sam Littleton, V. P. L.; Albert Tillery, assault and battery; Gattis Deloach, V. P. L.; J. D. Broadhead, assault and battery.

Leonard Gilmore, V. P. L.; Dewey Lucas, V. P. L.; J. R. Glenn, D. M. V. while intoxicated; Irby Burkhalter, V. P. L.; John Glasscock, V. P. L.; Mack S. Mahan, V. P. L.; George M. Bowden, V. P. L.; Wm. A. Wooley, V.P.L.; Julian Letcher, V.P.L.; Paul Wooley, V.P.L.; Cecil Huett, V. P. L.; Burtis Hambrick, V. P. L.; Arthur Dean, V. P. L.; John Thomas Lewis, D. M. V. while intoxicated; J. T. Reynolds, petit larceny; Charlie Edwards, alias Doll Edwards, V. P. L.; Hilton Lane, trespass after warning; John Lee Jackson, assault and battery; Ed Goodgame, V. P. L.; Charlie Edwards, D. M. V. while Intoxicated; Harry Nelson, defaulting witness; Herman Patterson, V. P. L.; Albert Thomas, V. P. L.; C. A. Johnson, V. P. L.; Otis Scott, V. P. L.; Henry Scott, V. P. L.; Thomas Lewis, V. P. L.; Willie Smith, public drunkenness; Andy Cleckler, V. P. L.; Lee Mims, V. P. L.

MR. AND MRS. CRANE ENTERTAIN, HONORING MISS WELLS

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Crane entertained a large crowd at their home last Thursday night at a peanut parching and cake guessing, in honor of Miss Ruby Wells of Liberty Hill. Music was played by Mr. Fonzie Smith and Ira Scott. Many games were played. They had a cake for matching paper dolls. Mr. Henry Smith and Miss Ruby Wells won the cake. Miss Zannio Hayes guessed what was in the second cake, a flag seed. The cakes were cut by the winners and served with peanuts to the following: Mr. Tolbert Rasberry, Barnie Patterson, Arthur Rasberry, Ira Scott, Obie Patterson, Marvin Smith, Thomas Brazier, Lyon Hayes, Raymond Hayes, Henry Smith, Fonzie Smith, Herman Smith, J. T. Crane, Hudson Crane, Miss Ruby Wells, Mrs. Hudson Crane and Daisy Crane. Everyone had a jolly time and plenty of peanuts and cake to eat.

State Schools Will Get $846,000 Says Harma

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the State for its debts to the comm schools for the last school year a $900,000 for the equalization fund a $405,000 for the High School Educati Fund, or what is often referred to the Rural High School Fund.

Payment of obligations against t attendance fund follows the announc ment by Gov. Miller about a month a that he hoped to be able to release the schools a substantial sum by Nov.

Officials of the Alabama Educati Association, who discussed the scho problem with Gov. Miller, anticipat that the "substantial sum" referred would be the high school educati fund, which was the least of the thr funds past due.

The announcement that the sch will receive $846,000 instead of $405,0 it was said, will lend strong encourag ment to the school authorities a greatly strengthen the morale of t unpaid teachers, according to offici of the Association, although the reli given will be of a temporary nature.

The report gave a list of the count and the amount of money each recei ed. This list included Coosa Coun receiving $4,345.97, and $7,933.23 goi to Chilton County.

PILOT CLUB MEMBERS ENJOY MOONLIGHT HIKE RECENTL

Members of the Pilot Club of Cla ton enjoyed a delightful moonlight hi last Thursday night. Their route ca ried them to a wooded spot on t Birmingham - Montgomery hi south of Clanton where a picnic lun was served.

SALLIE JANE MADDOX DIED AT HOME HERE RECENTL

Funeral services for Sallie Jane Ma dox, age 78, widow of the late Warr F. Maddox, were held last Monday Pates Chapel near Thorsby, with t Rev. Honeycutt officiating. Mar Sons in charge.

D. L. GILMORE BRINGS IN POTATO WITH LETTE

D. L. Gilmore, who resides east Clanton brought to the News' office l Saturday a large sweet potato w marks on it resembling the letters S. and R. The letters are clearly visi on the potato, the first of its kind se at the News office.

SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTA

The State of Alabama, Chilton Coun

By virtue of an execution issued o of the Circuit Court of Chilton Coun Alabama, and to me directed, where I, as Sheriff of said County, was co manded to make the sum of I Hundred Sixty-Six and 94|100 Doll less a credit of Four Hundred and 00 Dollars, principal and interest, the c of which suit has been paid, the amo of a certain judgment and costs the obtained at the November Term, 1 of said Court, against Irby Deram John Deramus, Barnett Deramus, H vey Deramus, Mrs. Kate Deramus B ton, and Mrs. C. G. Deramus, do business as The Estate of D. I. ramus, in favor of Geo. D. Witt S Co., a corporation, I have levied u and will sell to the highest bidder cash at public sale, at the Court H door of said County, between the of 11 o'clock, A. M., and 4 o'clock M., on Monday, the 7th day of Dece ber, 1931, all the right, title and the terest of the above named Irby I us, John Deramus, Barnett Deram Harvey Deramus, Mrs. Kate Deram Barton and Mrs. C. G. Deramus, do business as the Estate of D. I. Der us, in and to the following descri real estate, viz:

Lot No. 12 as shown by the map C. A. Pickett of Verbena, Alaba dated Sept. 24th. 1914, and which is same Lot conveyed by W. M. Wa worth and wife to D. I. Deramus March 13th, 1900, by deed recorded book 55 at page 509 in the o the Judge of Probate of Chilton Co ty, Alabama, said Lot being the sa Lot upon which the store buil known as the D. I. Deramus Store located.

Also that certain Lot in the Town Verbena, Chilton County, Alaba known as Lot B6, on which is, or located the Zimmerman Store H and which is the same Lot conveye Mary Carr Gibson Comer and husb B. B. Comer and S. L. Gibson and Mary Lee Gibson to D. I. Deramus, by deed dated August 31st. 1925, recorded in the office of the Judge Probate of Chilton County, Alaba in Book 203, at page 168.

This, the 4th day of November, 1

W. H. GILLESPIE,
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Posted at the Court House door, vember 4th, 1931.

W. H. GILLESPIE,
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News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mills, Mrs. E. R. Piper and Mrs. G. F. Harper spent Saturday in Birmingham.

Mrs. Frank Higgins spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Burt Higgins.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Perry of West Blocton spent Thursday with Mrs. E. R. Piper.

Circle No. 2 met at the home of Mrs. Sam Pate Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Sumner Gerald spent the week end in Thorsby with his mother, Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald.

Mr. Arnold Soberg and Miss Sorrell of Birmingham spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Soberg.

There will be services at the Thorsby Baptist church next Sunday.

Mr. Clinton Arthur of Montgomery spent Sunday afternoon with his sister, Miss Odie Lee Arthur.

Miss Mary Ella Gerald took a position as teacher at the Jemison school Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Villadsen and children and Mr. Henry Robinson of Lincoln are spending a few days in Thorsby with Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

The Eastern Star Spend-the-Day will be at the home of Mrs. Oscar Bean next Friday, November 6.

Miss Mable Colley of Prattville spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray last week.

Mrs. Hubert Powell of Prattville and Mr. Fred Price of Wadsworth spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray.

Mr. Howell Vann of Wadsworth spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray spent Sunday in Prattville.

Mrs. Janie Sutlive was taken to the St. Vincent hospital Monday morning by her son, Vincent. She has been confined to her bed for some time and has shown no improvement. We hope that she may have a speedy recovery.

Miss Edna Raybon spent the week end with Miss Mable Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Horst and son, Fred, florists of Birmingham, were the guests of Mr. Charles Howard and family Sunday.

Mr. Charles Howard, Lloyd and Mr. Fred Howard made a business trip to Birmingham and Leeds Friday.

Mrs. Fred Howard and daughter, Mabel, spent Sunday with Mrs. Kenneth O'Barr at Morris, Ala.

Mr. E. N. Steiner of Marion Junction spent Sunday in Thorsby.

Miss Marion Fairbank visited the Jemison school Thursday. She was much interested in the Agriculture and Home Economics Departments.

Miss Jennie May Thurman spent Saturday in Birmingham.

Mr. Ralph Pate had the misfortune of cracking a bone in his wrist last Friday playing football.

Rev. M. A. Long of Midland City visited his son, Don, Friday afternoon.

Dr. Horace G. Franklin has moved his office from the Masonic building to a new location in the building occupied by the Wyatt Drug Company, facing the highway.

Little Onita Bice is seriously ill at her home with scarlet fever.

Mrs. Frank E. Mastin was taken to the Central Alabama Hospital at Clanton one day last week for appendicitis operation and is reported to be resting well.

Miss Willo Dean Bean and Miss Linnie Bell Reinhardt spent the week end in Wilsonville.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin, Dorothy Von, and Peggie Mims motored to Montgomery Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zac Appleton of Collins Chapel visited at the home of D. H. Gentry Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Charlie Swanson entertained the following guests at a House Warming on his farm last Saturday night: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howard and daughter, Mabel, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Howard and children, Lloyd and Ella; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson and daughter, Edith, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hanson; Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Johnson and family. During the course of the evening about twenty-five people from the neighborhood dropped in. Square dancing and other games were enjoyed. A fine lunch and coffee were served to all late in the evening.

Mr. James Kincaid of Birmingham visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Hodgens, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson and Roy Raybon spent the week end in Birmingham.

The Louisville & Nashville railroad advises that their low week end rates will be continued in effect indefinitely, instead of being discontinued October 25, as previously advertised.

Mrs. Roberta Childress returned on Monday after spending a few days in Clanton.

Mr. J. L. Foss who has been ill at his home for the past several days is reported to be improved, but is still confined to his bed.

Misses Lola and Jessie Martin and Edna Childress spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith of Clanton.

Mrs. Freeman Jones and mother of Birmingham spent Sunday with Mrs. J. H. Honeycutt.

The Florida boys and girls of the Institute were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Each Sunday.

Rev. F. P. Ensminger spent a few days in Thorsby on his way to Birmingham.

Mrs. Anna Villadsen spent Sunday in Aldridge, Ala.

Mrs. Anderson Marcus and family desire to publicly express our grateful appreciation of the many kindnesses and helpful services being rendered by their friends and neighbors during the illness of their husband and father. We especially want to thank Dr. Horace Franklin and the nurse, Mrs. Irene Jones. Mr. Marcus is improving splendidly at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Bean and daughter, Ruby Mae, spent the week end in Thorsby with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mims.

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Thorsby Institute News

The new term of Thorsby Institute began this week Monday. In next week's paper will be the names of those on the Honor Rolls.

Wednesday morning at chapel Mr. Sigwald, District Scout Master, gave a most interesting talk. Thorsby Institute is sponsoring a troop now under the leadership of Mr. H. R. Maddox as Mr. Sutlive resigned from the position.

Monday afternoon the mothers of the members of the Freshman and Junior Classes were invited to the Campus Cottage for a social hour with the faculty. Light refreshments were served.

Saturday night at the Dining Hall a Hallowe'en Social was given by the Social Committee of the Chritsian Endeavor Society. Evie Lee Rowe, Janie Kelley and Miss Mary Ella Gerald constituted the committee. The Dining Hall was very effectively decorated. Several games appropriate to Hallowe'en were played and fortunes were told. After the refreshments a hymn was sung and Rev. Jos. E. Each offered a prayer of benediction.

A week from Saturday night at 7:30 the operetta, "Christina of Greenland" will be given at Thorsby Institute by the Helen Keller Literary Socity. Admission 15 cents and 25 cents for all, not pupils or teachers at the Institute.

Ida Lou Pate, a Sophomore at Thorsby Institute, spent the week end with her brother, Rev. James Pate, of Calera.

Helen Albert, a boarding student at Thorsby Institute, spent the week end with her parents at Green Pond, Ala.

Douglas Surls returned to Thorsby Institute Sunday after a few days' visit with his mother in Prattville, Alabama.

Elwyn Robinson, a Junior at Thorsby Institute, spent the week end with her parents at Lay Dam.

ALABAMA'S LARGEST HILL'S FOOD DISTRIBUTORS

Specials For Friday & Sat.

OCTAGON
SOAP 6 bars 16c

Lard compound lb. 7½

COMPOUND
Lard 6 lb. bucket 52c

SPLIT SILK—PLAIN or SELF RISING
FLOUR 24 lb. bag 49c

GRANDMA'S WONDER
FLOUR 24 lb. bag 69c

HAMS Picnic, lb. 12½c

Bacon squares lb. 12c

IRISH COBBLERS
Potatoes 5 lbs. 10c

BEST GRADE
Shorts 100 lb. bag $1.20c

Peanut Butter 1 lb. Glass Jar 15c

Matches 10 large Boxes 25c

Crackers 2 lb. box 29c

Salmon per can 10c

BLUE ROSE
RICE 5 lbs. 25c

Bring Us Your Chickens and Eggs.
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BUY
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With Each Purchase of $1.50 or More, We Will Give Absolutely FREE One Good Quality 2-Inch Brush --- Regular 50c Value.

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HOUSEHOLD ENAMEL
Lucas Best Grade, Dries in 4 Hours—
15 Beautiful Shades To Select From

Quarts	Reg. Price $1.55	Special $1.39
Pints	Reg. Price .85	Special .73
½ Pints	Reg. Price .50	Special .44
¼ Pints	Reg. Price .30	Special .24

LUCAS AUTO TOP DRESSING

Pints	Reg. Price $ .70	Special $ .59
½ Pints	Reg. Price .45	Special .33

LUCAS HOME HELPS VARNISH STAINS

Quarts	Reg. Price $1.25	Special $1.00
Pints	Reg. Price .75	Special .60
½ Pints	Reg. Price .45	Special .34

ALL PURPOSE GREEN PAINT

Gallon	Reg. Price $2.00	Special $1.75
Quarts	Reg. Price .75	Special .65

WAGON & IMPLEMENT PAINT

Qts. Red	Reg. Price $1.20	Special $ .99
Qts. Black	R. Price 1.10	Special .89
Pts. Red	Reg. Price .70	Special .57
Pts. Black	R. Price .60	Special .47

DIXIE LINE VARNISH STAINS & PAINT

Quarts	Reg. Price $ .75	Special $ .55
Pints	Reg. Price .50	Special .32
½ Pints	Reg. Price .25	Special .18
¼ Pints	Reg. Price .15	Special .10

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For Wood or Cement Floors—Interior or Exterior
COLORS: GRAYS and BROWNS

Gallon	Reg. Price $3.60	Special $3.20
½ Gal.	Reg. Price 2.00	Special 1.65
Quarts	Reg. Price 1.05	Special .85

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Quarts	Reg. Price $1.70	Special $1.55
Pints	Reg. Price .95	Special .80
½ Pints	Reg. Price .55	Special .40

GOLD & SILVER ENAMEL
Just the thing for bric-a-bracs — Ideal for Beds, Stoves, Grates, Picture Frames, vases, etc.

Small Cans	Reg. Price 35c	Special 24c
LePages Glue	Reg. 30c Seller	Special 19c

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½ Gal. Liq.	Reg Price $2.40	Special $2.08
Qts. Liq.	Reg. Price 1.40	Special 1.12
Pts. Liq.	Reg. Price .75	Special .61
½ Pts Liq.	Reg. Price .50	Special .39
1-Lb. Paste	Reg Price 90c	Special 71c
½ Lb. Paste	Reg Price 50c	Special 39c

LUCAS 4 HOUR CLEAR VARNISH

Gallon	Reg. Price $4.50	Special $4.10
½ Gal.	Reg. Price 2.75	Special 2.39
Quarts	Reg. Price 1.50	Special 1.38
Pints	Reg. Price 1.00	Special .70
½ Pints	Reg. Price .50	Special .42

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CLANTON

Concord-Billingsley

A number of the members from this church attended the fourth quarterly conference which was held at Pleasant Grove last Saturday. All who were present reported a nice time and especially enjoyed the sermon that was delivered by the president of the Alabama Conference, Rev. C. W. Walton.

The singing was very good Sunday afternoon. We had with us a number of visiting singers, which we were indeed glad to have with us.

Several directors rendered a lesson and two quartets weer arranged by the class.

We are glad of the cooperation shown by the visiting singers.

Our Christian Endeavor meets every Sunday night at 6:30 o'clock and Sunday school at ten o'clock every Sunday morning. You are always invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Victor Cowart.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Williams and children spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Herrod of Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw and family made a business trip to Prattville, Ala., last Saturday.

Misses Bessie Williams and Thelma Chandler were the guests of Miss Virginia Little Sunday.

Mrs. Willie Tindell spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams.

Mr. T. L. Williams spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

Phone 119 for Best Dyeing.

PROGRAM
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CLANTON, ALABAMA
"When they make 'em better, we'll show 'em"

FRIDAY and SATURDAY — NOVEMBER 6 and 7
Mary Nolan and Owen Moore In
"OUTSIDE THE LAW"
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MONDAY, TUESDAY, WED.—NOV. 9, 10, and 11
Dick Barthelmess, Douglas Fairbanks, Jr. and Neil Hamilton In
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Also Comedy

BEGINNING FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30TH
1st Show Will Start at 6:30 Sharp
2nd Show Will Start at 8:00 Sharp
Will run two complete Shows each day; Matinee on Saturday at 2:30 o'clock.
Adm.—Matinee 10c-25c — Adm. Night, 10c, 25c, 30c

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Lady—Why, you are the same man that lost his family in the Galveston flood and was shell shocked during the war.

Weary Willie—Ain't it so, lady? I'm the unluckiest guy on the face of the earth.

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Pennies play a great part at the Rexall One-Cent Cash Sale at Upchurch Drug Co., on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

PRICES
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GOODYEAR
SPEEDWAY
Lifetime
Guaranteed
Genuine Supertwist
$4.35
EACH
29x4.40-21
$4.25
EACH IN PAIRS

Size	Price of Each	Each in Pairs
30x4.50-21	$4.85	$4.70
28x4.75-19	5.68	5.57
29x5.00-19	5.99	5.83

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Size	Each	In Pairs
29x4.40-21	$4.98	$4.80
29x4.50-20	5.60	5.45
30x4.50-21	5.69	5.55
28x4.75-19	6.65	6.45

Isabella F.F.A. News

The Isabella F. F. A. boys went on a weiner roast to Lover's Lane, which is a few miles northeast of Jemison, Saturday night, October 24. All enjoyed a nice time.

Another new member was received last week. The regular meeting was held Wednesday, October 28. On account of the absence of some of the members, part of the program was omitted. James Deason gave a talk, and plans for the program of the banquet to be given December 4, 1931, were discussed. There being no further business, the meeting was dismissed.

S. L. BROADHEAD,
Reporter.

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ISABELLA UTOPIAN SOCIETY HOLDS REGULAR MEETING

The Utopian Literary Society held its regular meeting in the Isabella high school auditorium on October 29. After roll call and reading of minutes by the secretary, the following program was presented:

Devotional: Willie B. Cox.

Song: Assembly.

The Origin of Hallowe'en, Maggie Pierce.

Poem: Be the Best of Whatever You Are, Pauline Durbin.

The Life of Thomas A. Edison, Odell Higgins.

Song: Assembly.

Critic's report.

There being no further business the society adjourned.

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SHILOH CEMETERY CLEANING

All who are interested in Shiloh cemetery are requested to meet there Thursday, November 12, to clean off same.

B. M. DEASON.

Billingsley News

Miss Mary Collier, one of the high school teachers, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Collier, in Prattville.

Rev. A. S. Bentley and Prof. R. E. Upton were in Montgomery Saturday on business.

Mrs. J. C. Hughes and Mrs. A. J. Marlar visited relatives at Clanton on Thursday.

Miss Bettye Jane Gregory spent the week end with her parents at Tuscaloosa attending the football game on Saturday.

Mrs. B. W. Thompson who has been with Mrs. W. A. Gandy left Friday for Birmingham where she will visit relatives and from there she will go to York, Pa., where she will join her husband and reside there in the future.

Mrs. John Wonder of Tuscaloosa is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar.

Mrs. W. C. Wilson and baby, W. C., Jr., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Wilson in Birmingham.

Mrs. W. A. Powell and children of Scottsboro are with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baxter, for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Apperson and Mr. Claude King of Jones were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. King Sunday en route to the S. S. Convention at Indian Grave church Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. C. L. Harrell of Raburn Gap, Ga., returned home Sunday after a two weeks visit with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Patillo. She was accompanied home by her mother, and Mr. Harrell's mother, Mrs. E. J. Harrell, who wil lspend a short time there.

Miss Edna Simpson of Autaugaville is the guest of Miss Ethel Harrell.

The District S. S. Convention held at Indian Grave Church was well attended by the members from the Baptist church here.

NEW WAYS OF BEATING THE DEPRESSION

Nothing is more dangerous in business than to assume that there is nothing new on the horizon, suggests Dr. Julius Klein, Assistant Secretary of Commerce, in his latest comment on the depression.

"Do you think things stand still in a depression?" he asks in the American Magazine. "Do you think it's just a matter of standing by and waiting for better times? If you do you may have a long wait before better times hit you. For a depression is just the time when things happen to business with increased speed."

Every business slump, it appears, has been the signal for new inventions, new methods of doing business, even new industries. And the men who were able to see what these new inventions meant in terms of their own jobs, who sensed the significance of these new ideas, who saw the possibilities of these new industries, were the men who got ahead during the depressions and went on to leadership in the new days of prosperity that followed.

Today history is repeating itself, Dr. Klein declares. "And if you want more money or a better job or increased business," he adds, "then strap on your watch and keep an eye on what old Father Time is doing. Make him work for you, because if you don't, he's pretty likely to work against you.

"Look what he's doing now. He's changing the sales map of the world with the aid of constantly improving transportation and communication facilities. He's changing the whole system of marketing, with new ideas in merchandising, chain stores, cooperatives, new installment systems. He's opening up all sorts of magic possibilities in the field of production, through the work of efficiency engineers, research workers and chemists."

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Organized War On Rats Is Planned

Rats by the thousands are scheduled for extermination this fall. They will not be allowed to feast upon and destroy much of the big crop of things to eat made and being stored by farmers.

W. A. Ruffin, extension entomologist at Auburn and Roy Moore, leader in rat control for the U. S. Biological Survey in Alabama, Mississippi, and Louisiana are state leaders in rat destruction. They are working with the county agents and teachers of vocational agriculture in their respective counties with a view to conducting town and county rat-killing campaigns.

Several towns in Alabama put on rat poisoning campaigns last year and it is expected that a greater number will do so this winter. It is very probable also that several county-wide rural campaigns will be conducted as a means of reducing rat infestations on farms and plantations.

The campaigns are conducted under a cooperative arrangement in which the city or other cooperating agency purchases the bait materials used, while county agents, teachers of vocational agriculture, and the U. S. Biological Survey furnish personal supervision without cost. Experience in controlling rats has indicated the value of poisoning campaigns in which effective baits are applied on all infested premises in a given area under trained supervision.

Many Alabama towns and communities will conduct effective rat-killing campaigns this year, Mr. Ruffin said.

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Miss Ouri—You never go out at night with your husband any more.

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Pleasant Grove News

(Jemison)

Little Elizabeth Wells has been ill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodge, Mrs. Padge and daughter, Miss Vivian Padge, were guests of Mr. W. R. Clements Sunday.

Mrs. Sally Maddox of Pates Chapel, the neighboring church, died at her home Sunday, November 1. An unofficial report stated that she died at ten o'clock.

Mr. Wilson Clements took the duties of our B. Y. P. U. president last Sunday night because of the absence of Mrs. W. E. Miskelley, president. Wilson's action was pleasing to everyone.

Mr. Ershel Spivey, Mr. James Rasco, Mr. Bascomb Morgan motored over to Aldridge Sunday evening.

Miss Edith Champion entertained friends at her Hallowe'en party Saturday night.

Our visitor at church was Mr. Curtis Jones of Union Grove.

The negro church, Shiloh, burned down last Thursday. It was due to some little mischief sparks of fire from the stove pipe, which was due to the decayed covering.

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DEATH CALLS AWAY JOHN LITTLETON, COLLINS CHAPEL

The Death Angel again visited our community and severed the life cord of one of our dear friends. This friend was Mr. John Littleton. Mr. Littleton had lived in and near the Collins Chapel community most of his life. He was one of the oldest members living here could remember much of our community when it was not what it is today. He has been influential in making our community what it is today.

Mr. Littleton was born December 12, 1859. He died Friday night, October 29, 1931, at 10 p.m. Had he lived until December 12, 1931, he would have been 72 years old. Mr. Littleton is certainly going to be missed in our community, because he was a friend to all. For to know him was to love him. A true and faithful husband and father.

Mr. Littleton is survived by his wife, three daughters, two sons and eighteen grandchildren.

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Body by Fisher is a mark of excellence. But give us the kind that Ziegfield picks out.

State of Alabama A PROCLAMATION by the GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the Second Tuesday next after five months after the date of the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said Amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 5th day of January, 1932, is the second Tuesday next after five months after the date of the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the Amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 5th day of January, 1932, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz;-

> "The City of Mobile shall be and it is hereby authorized and empowered, without an election, to annually levy and collect a tax on the property situated therein, to pay the expenses of the City Government, at such rate as may from time to time be fixed by the governing authorities of said city, but unless and until an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama shall be adopted, permitting said City after an election or elections to levy and collect taxes amounting in the aggregate to more than one and one-tenth (1.1) per centum of the value of the property situated therein, as assessed for State taxation during the preceding year, the total of the ad valorem taxes levied in any one tax year by said municipality for all purposes (including any tax levied to pay the debt existing on the 6th day of December, 1875, with interest thereon, or any renewal of such debt) shall not exceed in the aggregate one and one-tenth (1.1) per centum of the value of such property as assessed for State taxation during the preceding year."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight successive weeks prior to the 5th day of January, 1932, in each County of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Montgomery, on this the 5th day of October, 1931.

B. M. MILLER,
Governor.

ATTEST:
PETE B. JARMAN, Jr.,
Secretary of State.

Collins Chapel News

Sunday, being our regular preaching day at Salem, we had a large attendance at both morning and evening services, but there is always room for more.

Agnes Bean was the Sunday guest of Zalia Hall.

Cecil Marcus was the guest of Kermit Gore Sunday.

We, the children of Collins Chapel, use this method of expressing our sympathy to our school mate in the death of their grandfather, Mr. John Littleton.

Little James Littleton is still improving.

We are glad to see Alpha Plier at school again after being out with a spreained ankle.

Rev. Norris, former pastor of Collins Chapel, will preach Sunday morning, November 8th.

We are glad to see Victor Davis at school again after being out with a broken arm.

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One Year Ago

Issue of November 6, 1930

Edison R. Thompson arrived in Clanton last Monday after an extended cycling trip to various points of interest in the East. Mr. Thompson using only his bicycle visited a number of the larger cities of the eastern coast among them New London, Conn.

The proposed county health unit which was voted upon in this county in the recent general election was defeated by a vote of almost three to one.

Chester Cassel of Thorsby is in the Central Alabama Hospital suffering from knife wounds said to have been inflicted in an affray in Thorsby Tuesday night. His condition is considered very critical.

Miss Loris Calloway of Birmingham was a viistor to Clanton last Sunday.

Rev. J. W. Jones, pastor of the Thorsby Baptist church, was a visitor to Clanton last Monday.

Miss Gladys Williams attended the football game in Auburn last Saturday.

W. S. Parrish of Mitchell Dam was in Clanton Monday of this week.

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Jazz originated in China, says a musician. But all evils shouldn't be attributed to the heathens.

A penny is as big as a dollar when it comes to buying at the Rexall One-Cent Cash Sale, Upchurch Drug Co., on Wed., Thurs., Fri., and Sat., of this week.

A CARD OF THANKS

Our minds are unable to express in words our many thanks to the many people of Collins Chapel community and adjoining communities for all their deeds of kindness shown to us during the recent illness and death of our beloved husband and father. May God's richest blessings be yours, is our prayer.

—Mrs. John Littleton and Family.

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Clanton, Alabama

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MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

The Lord was looking down from his throne, and he saw a strange thing taking place among the children of men. His servant, the one whom he had called to preach his gospel, was out in search of funds with which to extend the borders of his kingdom. God saw this messenger as he approached a church member and asked for a donation to a righteous cause. He heard the man say, "I have nothing that I can give." Shortly after this statement this same church member walked up to a cold drink stand, and ordered a Coca-Cola, he drank it, down. Then he bought two packages of cigarettes, and paying for his purchases, he walked out smoking like a freight train. When people think more of God than they do of tobacco, they will pay to the church before they buy things to smoke and chew. Chilton County has many men and women in it who pay twelve dollars a year for snuff and tobacco, and less than five dollars to the church. Surely, the good Lord wonders at our folly.

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I was walking down the side walk of a certain city in Alabama, and came upon a grocery dealer, standing on the side walk. He had a bill folder under his arm, and on his face there was an expression that indicated that he was sour with the world. I said to him, "Friend, why all this golom?" He replied, "Do you see that man walking yonder?" "Certainly" said I. "That fellow owes me for three months grocery bills, and he can write a check for a thousand dollars and it would be good, and yet he refuses to pay me." Then he added, "He is sure pay but he is slow pay." That kind of dishonesty borders close to actual stealing. When a church, when a club, when a business house, when an individual, defers a payment, when it can be paid, honesty tells me that a legal interest is due. The most of us are sorry for a man who owes a debt and can not pay it, but we have little sympathy for those who owe and can pay and then will not. When you owe a thing, walk up and pay for it when it is due. If you are sure pay, for heaven's sake do not spoil it all by being slow pay.

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Many years ago I went out with a company of men to muddy a pond. We shoved our way through briars and rubbish, and finally reached the edge of the water. One of the fellows stepped off into the water and went down to where his head was all that could be seen. We expressed surprise, and informed him that we did not think that the water would be that deep. He told us that the water was not so deep, but the mud seemed to have no bottom. He squirmed about in the water and mud for a few moments and then said to us, "Fellows, you will have to pull me out." When he was safe on the shore we decided that we could get along without the mud cats in that pond. Since that day I have seen hundreds of men jump into the awful pond of debt. They hoped to bring up many good fish, but they were doomed to disappointment. There is no bottom to the pond of debt. Many jump into it and flounder about for years and then go down. Very few are ever able to get out when they get in. Friends, let me give you a word of good advice, "Stay out of debt." You may strike it hard for a short time, but in the long run you will benefit by this decision.

I was standing on the side walk and close to me were two men in a heated discussion. I did not want to make their business my business, but I could not help hearing what they were talking about. One of the men was a merchant, the other looked to be a farmer. The merchant was trying to collect a bill past due. The two men parted, and then the one who owed the bill was heard to say, "He wants me to pay him, and that is his worry." I inferred from the expression used that the man was not concerned about the debt that he owed. Not many days ago a man in Clanton met me and this is what he said, "Brother Haskew, I owe money and I can not pay it. I have tried everywhere for work and I can not find it, and I just do not know what I am going to do. I am losing my appetite, I can not sleep, can't you tell me what to do?" When a man is in the pond of debt he is in an awful bog. Friends, I want to say to you again, "Stay out of debt." If you are in debt be sure that you do not dismiss it as a matter of no weight. Get out of debt as soon as you can and then stay out.

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A white man was seen in a public gathering. His clothes were rather shabby. He was renting land and his calloused hands indicated that he was working hard. The summer sun had parched his brow. Twelve o'clock came and the crowd dispersed for the noon meal, but this man walked the street until time to go home. He told me this short story, "Parson, I am hitting it hard. My wife and I are saving all we can. We are doing without many things that we need, and we are going to buy us a place with our savings." That winter, this farmer took the money he had made and saved, and bought a home for himself and that brave little woman who had walked by his side. God bless the men and women of that type. It is better to wear rags and eat bread and drink water and be out of debt, than it is to wear silk and broadcloth and be in debt. May God give us more sure enough honest men and women. Thrice, I would tell you to stay out of debt. Work hard, practice economy, save your money and pay as you go. The debt system, the credit system, in our country is the greatest curse of our day. It makes servants and slaves out of many a good man.

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We have reorganized our B. Y. P. U. and have changed Sunday school until in the afternoon at two o'clock. Everybody come and bring someone with you. Group No. 2 had a very good program last Sunday, and we expect a better one next Sunday. Prof. Bone gave a short talk on "The Importance of Daily Bible Reading," which was very good.

Miss Marie Penton is visiting friends and realtives in Coosa.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. DeVaughn and little daughter, Mary Ruth, spent Saturday night with their parents.

Miss Jewel Williams spent last week end with Miss Ruth Oden.

Mrs. H. J. DeVaughn, Rena and Ressie DeVaughn, Mrs. John Collins visited Mrs. A. S. Johnson Thursday afternoon.

Miss Ila Mae Cox spent part of last week with her brother.

Mrs. Agnes Baker and Miss Ollean Terrell spent Friday afternoon of last week with Mrs. Tom Henley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. DeVaughn, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. DeVaughn spent Sunday with Mrs. Lula Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Jones spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henley.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Edwards spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Burnette.

Mrs. Alice and Janette Burnette spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. J. F. DeVaughn.

Remember Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. next Sunday.

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THE NEW PROMOTION PLAN OF THE BAPTISTS

The new promotion plan of the Baptist Denomination is unique in that it seeks to provide for the needs of the local churches first.

In the every member canvass that will be put on in all churches of the Southern States, November 29th thru December 6th, the first idea is to get a living budget subscribed for the local churches, which, of course includes the pastors' salary.

The denominations hope to raise $31,000,000 for local church expense and $9,000,000 for missions, education and benevolence. In addition to this they hope to enlist one million tithers during 1932.

It is said that Pastors and Laymen are alike pleased with the plan and that more enthusiasm is being shown than with any movement the Baptist have known in recent years.

The district associations have been organized and now the local churches are preparing for the canvass. In many churches classes are being taught in Stewardship and the Pastors and Deacons of the local churches are receiving envelopes and canvass cards which will be simultaneously used in all churches on the canvass date—November 29th-December 6th.

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The power of speech, lost several years ago as the result of disability from was service, was restored to William King of Fredericton, Canada, when he received a severe shock while working on his automobile.

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Why not have Tuesday for wash day? That gives time on Monday to pick up the Sunday newspapers, put the books away, and otherwise straighten the house, as well as to mend necessary rips and ears, remove unusual stains, and put to soak any clothing that needs it. Early Tuesday morning a good start can be made without hurrying.

"INSIDE" INFORMATION

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Plain bacon sandwiches can be put together in a very few minutes when time is short and other fillings are unavailable.

The kitchen is, above all else, a place to prepare and serve food. Limit it to this use if possible, and arrange for laundering and such work to be done in another place.

Cut raw potato will sometimes remove a mud spot from black silks of firm weave. The thin film of starch left when the potato has dried can be brushed off. This treatment leaves a spot on all but black materials.

Corn meal may be substituted for a part or all of the wheat flour in many recipes for quick breads, muffins, griddlecakes, and cookies, using a scant cup of meal for a level cup of flour, baking more slowly and longer, and dropping rather than rolling out biscuits.

Cottage cheese is good in a great many ways. Serve it with rich cream and a little salt, or with sugar, and cream or whole milk. Try combining it with pears, peaches, or other fresh fruits; raisins, cut dates, or figs; brown sugar, maple sugar or sirup, honey, jam, or marmalade; or chopped fruits. You can mix cottage cheese with broken nut meats, chopped pimientos, finely cut green peppers, diced cucumbers, or other crisp vegetables. Horseradish onion juice and parsely make a good combination with cottage cheese.

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THOMAS A. EDISON

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Since the death of Thomas A. Edison on October 18, many thousands of articles dealing with his life and work have been published. The tributes paid to his genius by leaders all over the world have been unprecedented. And he deserved them all, and more.

To Edison came the satisfaction of seeing his inventions revolutionize the conditions under which mankind lives and works and plays. His most important invention was the incandescent light in 1879, which made possible the electrical industry. He invented the phonograph in 1876, and was a pioneer in developing motion pictures. Nearly 1,200 inventions were the product of his fertile brain.

Edison had not more than two or three months of schooling, but received some early instruction from his mother. Aside from this, he was self-taught, and remained a student thruout his 84 years. The results of his tireless energy and infinite patience can not be measured, but it is safe to say that he did more for the advancement of civilization than any other man who ever lived.

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Marriage Licenses

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Elmer Scott and Miss Lyndia Davenport.

Arthur R. Scott and Linnie Headley.

P. W. Denson and Miss Jennie Blankenship.

Ray Patterson and Miss Era Collins

J. B. Baker and Miss Mary Lynette Bradford.

Mr. James Parker and Miss Dorothy Elizabeth Large.

Lewis Collins and Miss Ella Johnson.

Harvey D. Pattillo and Miss Clara Cook.

Earl Barrett and Miss Ollie Mims.

Carey Ray and Miss Unibell Wilson

Roland Bryant and Miss Bertie Patterson.

R. W. Foshee and Mrs. Annie Mae Baker Foshee.

Visker 'Robinson and Miss Lucile Blow.

Bealie Monroe Billingsley and Miss Sarah James Jones.

Claudie Scott and Miss Urlie Mae McGraw.

Thomas M. Zuber and Mrs. Nora Franklin Maddox.

Zed Vines and Miss Dora Cleckler.

C. E. Wilson and Miss Carrie Glass.

J. L. Matthews and Miss Frances Collum.

Donald Ray McLean and Miss Agnes Durbin.

Elijah Easterling and Miss Dora Jones.

J. H. Logan and Miss Teresa Baker.

C. A. Frazee and Miss Berniece Wheeler.

R. R. McAfee and Miss Rena Lawley.

F. M. Chambers and Miss Era Carter.

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When Emilia Martino of Udine, Italy, who suffered from stomach-aches of a violent nature, was operated on the doctors extracted 25 nails and tacks

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The letter John Kyner of Eustis, Nebr., wrote to T. E. Dyson of Manila, Ia., 44 years ago has just been answered.

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On last Sunday afternoon, November the 1st, at two o'clock, our singing society was called to order by our presidetn, Mr. Jake Henley. Prayer by Rev. Ollie Hayes. Mr. Henley directed a few songs while the committee was arranging the program.

Directors for the afternoon were Dr. Williams, Mr. Jake Henley, Mr. Tom Wells, Rev. Ollie Hayes, Mr. Cornelius Hand and Prof. J. M. Williams; organists were Miss Birdie Edwards. Closing prayer was by Mr. G. W. Edwards. The singing was fine. Visitors were from Eastview, Clanton, Maple Springs, Samaria, Highland, Bethsalem, Liberty Hill, Pleasant Valley and Floyd. We were very glad to have you all with us, and welcome you back every first Sunday afternoon. Your presence and help is a great encouragement to us to press forward for a better singing class.

All who were not at the debate here Sunday night missed hearing some fine speaking. The subject was, Resolved That the bootlegger is worse than the booze buyer. Affirmative, Mr. Eugene Aldridge and Rev. Ollie Hayes; negative, Mr. Dave Adams and Mr. Elmer Hayes. All four made some fine points. Mr. Adams made a beautiful word picture of the cross of Christ, that one full of booze can't look to that cross, and may lose his last chance. Also with two ears of corn, one yellow, with a few white grains and the other ear white, he proved traits to be hereditary.

Mr. Elmer Hayes told in an eloquent way how the drinker starves his family, has no respect for the sabbath and that the boy gets his first drink from the drinker.

Mr. Eugene Aldridge makes plain that the bootlegger is dishonest, tempts the appetite of those who would quit drinking and that the government works harder after the bootlegger.

Rev. Ollie Hayes makes it plain that the bootlegger both drinks and sells, is guilty of all the bad things that go with booze and is responsible for all the trouble caused by booze. I've only mentioned a few of the things each speaker made plain. I'm afraid I'm calling for too much space. I believe such speeches will be uplifting, for how can a man or boy touch booze after hearing such talks?

There will be another debate here Saturday night, November 7th, at seven o'clock. Subject: Resolve that the Prohibition Law is a benefit to the United States. We invite all who can to come and be with us.

Respectfully,
BIRDIE EDWARDS.

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PEOPLES TELEPHONE COMPANY ELECTS OFFICERS SATURDAY

At the annual meeting of the Peoples Telephone Company, held at the courthouse last Saturday afternoon, new officers and Board of Directors were elected. Jesse Baker was elected president, and T. E. Wyatt was re-elected secretary-treasurer. One change was made in the Board of Directors; the place held last year by Lee Popwell was filled by the election of J. P. Jackson. The other two members of the board who were re-elected are: James Mose Robinson and E. H. Mims.

The meeting last Saturday afternoon had to be set back over an hour on account of the farmers meeting at the courthouse, and was therefore not very well attended. A number of people had to go home before the farmers meeting adjourned. However, a good interest in the telephone business was manifest in the meeting.

The Board of Directors held a meeting Monday afternoon, and the matter of an operator for the coming year was considered. Six people had placed their bids with the secretary, all of which were taken under consideration by the Board. In the mind of the Board, the best and most feasible proposition was made by the present operator, Mr. A. L. Giles.

A proposition is being considered of moving the switchboard to new quarters, and at present it seems that such removal will be to the interest of better service to the patrons of the company. Complete plans for this have not as yet been worked out, however, it is almost certain that the switchboard will be moved between this and the first of the year.

The Board of Directors desire to give the very best service possible considering the condition of the system. Not much work can be done toward repairing just now, but what money that is collected will be used to the best advantage that it can. Phoneholders are urged to pay their central fees as early as possible, as funds are needed to start off the new year. The company does not owe a penny, but there are no funds in the treasury to start off the new year.

T. E. WYATT, Secretary.

Friends of Mrs. J. Watts Moore will be sorry to learn that she is ill.

Mrs. S. J. Ezell and Mrs. J. P. Hayes accompanied by Miss Katherine Hayes attended the Baptist Missionary conference at Alexander City this week.

A London steeple-jack's wife is his assistant—a steeple-jill, so to speak.

"Explosives made from corn." And some of the liquid kind resembles T. N. T.

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Isabella Home Ec. Club Met Oct. 26th

The Home Economics Club of Isabella High School met October 26 for its program which consists of our club song, sung by the club, and recitations by different members of the club. It was decided that Myrtle Durbin should give our creed and Gertie Mae Owen our aims and accomplishments for the annual banquet, which will be December 4th.

The Senior II Class in Home Economics is studying a very interesting unit, Child Development. The first period of our home economics class is given to the children from grades one to four. We teach them rhythm and how to play different games. Each girl gave something in the way of blocks, sacks for tents and hammocks, and tires for the boys to roll. We hope to have permanent playground equipment such as sand piles, etc. We have had three weeks of this study and find it very interesting.

HARGITT INFANT DIED AT HOME IN MOUNTAIN CREEK

Leonard Arthur Hargitt, four months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Hargitt of Mountain Creek, died Wednesday of last week at his home. Funeral services were held at White City. Martin & Sons, Clanton, in charge.

STATE SCHOOL INSPECTOR INSPECTS NEW ADDITIONS

Max Faulkner of Montgomery, State School Building inspector, was in Clanton last Tuesday to look over the recently completed additions to the Maplesville school and the Isabella school. Mr. Faulkner's report was not made at this time, and will be made later.

Goodyear Puts On Fine Radio Program

Pioneers in making the world "deep harmony" conscious, the members of the new Goodyear Quartet, to be heard every Tuesday and Saturday night beginning October 31, over a nationwide N. B. C. network, also can trace their growth as headliners along with the growth of radio.

It was back in 1918 that Lewis James and Wilfred Glenn, still members of the quartet, joined forces with Elliot Shaw and Charles Hart, to make up what was to become the most famous men's singing organization in the United States if not in the world. They then were known as the Shannon Quartet and prior to making their entry into radio they had distinguished themselves as recording artists. In the first broadcast ever given in the New York district by artists themselves this same Shannon Quartet was heard from the Westinghouse Factory in Newark, N. J. This was in October, 1921, over the station which was later to become WJZ.

Frank Black, arranger and pianist, joined the quartet in 1925, and James Melton, who had met with success in appearances with Roxy, came into the group in 1927. Because of Black's inclusion in almost all of the trips made by the quartet, it has come to be referred to as the only quartet in the country made up of five members. Will Rogers referred to it sometime ago as "the only quartet in the world that carried a spare."

Phil Dewey, baritone and newest member of the quartet, replaced Elliott Shaw when the latter retired some weeks ago.

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Gin Notice

After November 7th, the following gins at Clanton will not be operated except on the following days: Friday and Saturday, November 13th and 14th and Friday and Saturday, November 20th and 21st.

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Mrs. P. T. Hinkle Hostess To Sewing Club.

The Thursday Afternoon Sewing Club was delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. P. T. Hinkle last Thursday. After an enjoyable afternoon a salad plate with hot coffee was served to the following members: Mesdames M. White, T. C. McSwain, John Browder, John Armstrong, L. E. Diefnederfer, J. W. Moore, Hugh Simpson, and H. T. Pipes. The invited guests were Mrs. Walter White, a visitor of Mrs. M. White, from Birmingham and Mrs. E. E. Upchurch.

Mrs. J. H. Alred of Clanton, Mrs. John Hollis and Mrs. Steve Stanley of Mitchell Dam spent several days last weeks with Mrs. Jake Benzeiger in Atlanta.

Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club Entertained By Mrs. Gerald.

Mrs. L. F. Gerald was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon of last week. After a series of games a salad course was served. Those enjoying this occasion were Mesdames A. Johnson, John Browder, Julius Burnett, F. J. Callen, Grady Reynolds, J. W. Moore, and H. C. Falkenberry. Mrs. O. Roper was a substitute. The high score prize was won by Mrs. Falkenberry.

'The many friends of Mrs. Frank Mastin regret to know that she is confined in Central Alabama Hospital with appendicitis.

Mr. Julian Evans has returned home from a visit in Birmingham.'

Mrs. L. Parker from Birmingham was a visitor of Mrs. McNair here Sunday.

Mrs. W. I. Mullins and Mr. and Mrs. John Deramus were in Montgomery Monday.

Miss Elizabeth Browder of Montgomery visited friends here Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Ezell spent last Wednesday in Birmingham.

Mrs. Louis Reynolds spent the day in Montgomery Monday.

Mr. Evan Parrish was in Birmingham Sunday.

Mrs. L. F. Gerald Hostess To Thursday Contract Bridge Club.

After an enjoyable series of games a delicious salad plate was served to the following members: Mesdames Omar Reynolds, Grady Reynolds, Grady Broadhead, J. Lee Smith, Julius Burnett, H. Downs and Arthur Johnson and Miss Mary Ella Gerald of Thorsby.

Mrs. Lonza Robinson and sister, Mrs. Smith, visited their sister, at the Baptist hospital in Birmingham Sunday.

The Methodist Women's Missionary society held a delightful program at the Methodist church Tuesday. This was an all day prayer meeting. Dr. Haskew delivered the morning devotional and Mrs. J. Q. Wade gave the afternoon devotional. Other speeches and readings were also given.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Taylor and Miss Janice Danforth attended Homecoming day at the University of Alabama Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Armstrong and Mrs. Arthur Johnson motored to Birmingham Monday.

Messrs. Fred and Pratt Busby of Birmingham were visitors here Monday.

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Miss Ruth Sessions and Mrs. Arthur Willis attended the Alabama-Kentucky game at Tuscaloosa Saturday.

Mrs. Marion Smith visited parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Polk, here last week end.

Miss Elsie Busby returned Sunday after a visit to her sister, Mrs. Earl Gore.

Mrs. Renfroe Mullins is expected home this week after visiting her haughter, Mrs. Frank Scott of Huntsville.

Mrs. A. S. Prince and Miss Eloise Raspberry spent Saturday in Montgomery.

Mrs. Randolph Chandler returned to her home in Florida Sunday after a stay with her sister, Mrs. J. Q. Wade.

High School Faculty Entertained.

The Executive Board of the Chilton County High School gave a faculty dinner, complimenting the teachers, on Thursday evening at the Baptist church. Covers were laid for twenty-four. The place cards and dinner favors were confined to the Hallowe'en colors, which were used throughout. Baskets of dahlias and Hallowe'en symbols centered the table.

Between courses, toasts were cleverly given by the following ladies: Mrs. Lawrence Gerald, Mrs. J. Watts Moore, Mrs. John VanDerveer and Mrs. Ezell. Mrs. Hugh Jones, president of the P.-T. A. graciously presided and introduced the speakers. Preceding the dinner Mrs. Jones gave a toast to "The Faculty." Mr. Warr, principal, gave quite a nice response, thanking the ladies for the graciousness of the occasion.

Mrs. L. F. Gerald, Mrs. Grady Broadhead, Mrs. Hugh Jones, Mrs. Grady Reynolds and Mrs. Arthur Johnson motored to Birmingham Monday and viewed the Italian Art Exhibit.

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Mrs. W. J. White of Birmingham is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. White.

Mrs. Julius Reynolds and children of Greenville are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds.

Misses Edna Childress, Jesse Martin and Lola Martin of Thorsby spent the past week end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith.

Miss Madge Scarborough spent the past week end at her home in Blue Springs, Ala.

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Zack Lowery who resides near Thorsby, was in Clanton on business last Saturday. While in town Mr. Lowery was a pleasant caller at the News office.

J. M. Culp of Route 7 was among the visitors to Clanton Saturday.

A. J. Culp of Route 6 was in Clanton last Monday.

John Childress of Thorsby was in Clanton Tuesday attending to business.

H. H. Sharp of Thorsby was in Clanton last Friday.

Miss Ruth Sessions spent the past week end in Tuscaloosa and attended the Alabama-Kentucky game there on Saturday afternoon.

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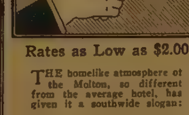

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J.A.DRIVER, MANAGER.

Alabama To Get Tribute Over Radio, November 9

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impossible. But we do hope that the members of our national audience may catch enough of the spirit and flavor of Alabama to wish to visit it and know it better."

This program will not only be of interest to every adult citizen of Alabama, but will be of especial interest to children. Following is the program for the thirty minutes:

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French Crusaders March, Gounod, Orchestra.

Plantation Scene, Quartet with Banjos.

Old South, Zamecnick, Orchestra.

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Deep River, Spiritual, Phil Dewey with Orchestra.

Southern Rhapsody, Hosmer, Orchestra.

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AUTOACCIDENTS OVER WEEK-END THIS SECTION

Three Are Burned, Several Are Injured In Individual Accidents

Several automobile accidents over a period of five days or so in this section have placed several in bed and one in the hospital. Most of the accidents were minor ones and caused only slight damage to vehicles and slight injuries to persons, while others were more serious.

Leonard Glasscock, of Jemison is in the Central Alabama Hospital in Clanton, suffering with a fractured hip and cuts and bruises, as a result of an automobile accident last Thursday night, north of Jemison, at Oak Grove on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway. Reports state that Glasscock's car left the highway, striking a post and overturning. A Martin & Son's ambulance answered the call and rushed him to Clanton. He is the son of E. L. Glasscock, rural mail carrier of Jemison. Latest reports state that Glasscock is resting well.

An accident occurring on the Montgomery road, north of Montgomery, injured one man painfully and bruised others reports state. Information stated that a wheel on the car became lock-

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SENIOR CLASS GIVES ELECTRIC CLOCK TO HIGH SCHOOL HERE

The electric and automatic clock, which regulates the class periods at the high school, presented by the 1931 Senior Class, was installed last Monday, according to Joe VanDerveer, president of the class.

This clock is of modern developments and will be quite an asset to the school. It is of more importance due to the fact that it is being presented to the school by the class. The Senior class makes a down payment of one hundred dollars on the clock, leaving a small amount to be paid later. This money was brought in to the class by individual effort and they are to be congratulated.

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CHICKEN SUPPER AT MOUNT PLEASANT SCHOOL NOV. 21

An announcement was made this week that a chicken supper will be held at the Mount Pleasant School House on Saturday night, November 21, from six o'clock until ten. Plates will be piled high with good things to eat for only twenty-five cents each. This is being sponsored by the P.-T. A. of the school.

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POWER CO. TAX APPEAL RULING BEEN DELAYED

Butler Promises Decision In Assessments of Power Co. Last of Week

Decision in the appeal of Chilton and oosa Counties for a reassessment of he Alabama Power Company properies in those counties, S. R. Butler, tate tax commissioner, said Monday ould not be ready this week.

After a public hearing in Montgomry on Oct. 22, at which the counties resented their arguments against reuctions of more than $1,000,000 in valations in each county, Mr. Butler said e would try to reach a decision by Nomber 10.

The hearing followed requests by citens of the two counties who protest the reduction in the valuation of the wer company properties.

The reduction for Chilton County toled $1,66,042 and for Coosa $1,103,272. his, the petitioners claimed, reduced e assessment to 45 per cent of its luation while the constitution prodes for assessments at 60 per cent of e reasonable and fair market value.

In announcing the reductions, Mr. tler said the power company assessents throughout the state had been vised on a uniform rate of 45 per nt valuation, showing an increase of 8,568 for the state.

Four suits asking writs of mandamus force raising the power company asssments to 60 per cent in Chilton and osa Counties now are pending be e the Montgomery Circuit Court un Mr. Butler announces his decision.

WINGARD'S STORE IS VISITED BY BURGLARS THURS. NIGHT

For the first time in several months a store in Clanton was visited by burglars last Thursday night, when someone entered the store of Wingard Brothers in Clanton. Entrance was gained by breaking one of the glasses in a front door.

Mr. Wingard stated that they could not find anything to amount to much that was missing. The cash drawers had been removed from their sockets and rifled, it was stated.

Saturday Is Last Auto Tag Day

Automobile license tags will become delinquent on November 15th, which is next Sunday. There are still a large number of automobile owners in Chilton County who have not yet bought new tags.

After November 15th, all auto owners who are supposed to buy new tags, and have not, a penalty of fifteen per cent additional will be placed on them, at the same time subjecting themselves to arrest. Up to last Monday there had been approximately six hundred tags issued from the courthouse here.

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Prof. J. D. Griffin, principal of the Isabella High School, was in Clanton on business last Monday.

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Fire Dept. Receives Three Calls Recently

The volunteer fire department of Clanton had a busy time for awhile last week, answering alarms. Three alarms came in, two of them in one day.

The home of Leonard Williams in Clanton was slightly damaged by fire last Thursday morning, on the roof. The blaze was soon extinguished by the firemen.

The home on Second Avenue, North, belonging to William Patterson, and occupied by the family of Fred Holcombe was almost destroyed Wednesday night of last week. It was stated that no one was at home at the time, and it was not until the house was burning furiously, that the blaze was discovered shortly after midnight. Several hose lines were stretched by firemen, in extinguishing the blaze and protecting nearby homes at the same time. The house and furniture became practically a total loss. Good work was done in preventing the spread of the flames.

Dry weeds, rubbish and wooden slabs, became ignited last Thursday about noon, near the Seventh Day Adventist Tabernacle, and the fire department was called out to prevent further damage by the fast spreading flames. Short work was made of this.

The home of Charlie Cox, west of Clanton on the Lay Dam road, its contents, a garage and woodshed, were a total loss last Thursday afternoon from a blaze, origin of which has not been determined, according to information. It was stated that the family was away from home, and the house was burning all over when discovered. Mr. Cox and family will occupy another one of his houses in the same vicinity, it is stated.

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MR. AND MRS. S. S. GANTT WILL MAKE THEIR HOME IN CLANTON

Among the new comers to Clanton are Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Gantt, and their charming little son, who are formerly of Selma. Mr. and Mrs. Gantt are making their home in the house formerly occupied by Luther Bean, in the Gowan Addition on Second Avenue, South.

Mr. Gantt is connected with the circulation department of The Birmingham News, and he, with his charming wife and young son will mean quite a bit to Clanton and are receiving a hearty welcome.

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JULIUS BURNETT UNDERGOES APPENDICITIS OPERATION

Julius Burnett, of Clanton underwent an operation for the removal of his appendix at South Highlands Infirmary in Birmingham last Friday. Mr. Burnett holds a responsible position with the Clanton Motors, local Ford dealers. Latest reports yesterday, stated he is getting along all right.

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COTTON REPORT

There were 17,822 bales of cotton ginned in Chilton County from the crop of 1931, prior to November 1, 1931, as compared with 19-187 bales ginned to November 1, 1930.

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Mrs. E. M. Hayes of Birmingham arrived Thursday to spend a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hand, of North Clanton.

CHILTON HIGH NETS VICTORY LAST FRIDAY

Montevallo Defeated on Own Field By Fine Local Playing

The Chilton County High School Tigers unleashed a tornado of hitherto latent power and scoring punch last Friday afternoon and ran wild to crush a gallant Montevallo high school team by a one-sided score of thirty-two to nothing. The game was played on the Montevallo eleven's own field last Friday afternoon at three-thirty and after four periods of spectacular running by the Clanton team and excellent passing by the Montevallo boys, Clanton had managed to cross her opponent's goal line for five touchdowns and two extra points.

Chilton elected to kick off to Montevallo and taking the ball when Montevallo punted on the first play drove the ball over behind the spectacular running of Arnold, fullback for Clanton, for the first score of the game. Sumner's try for the extra point was good and Clanton held a lead of 7 to 0 with the game hardly started. This lead was increased to thirteen points very soon when Clanton drove across the line for her second counter, a few minutes lat-

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L. E. Barton Will Speak At Thorsby

The people of Thorsby and surrounding communities will soon have the privilege of hearing Dr. L. E. Barton, of Montgomery, Secretary of the Alabama Baptist Convention. Dr. Barton is scheduled to speak at the Thorsby Baptist church on Sunday, November 22, at the eleven o'clock hour, according to an announcement this week from the Rev. J. W. Jones, pastor of the Thorsby church.

Rev. Jones stated that he invited and urged the people of the various communities in the Thorsby and Jemison section to finish with their Sunday School classes in time to come to Thorsby to take advantage of this rare privilege of hearing a man of the calibre of Dr. Barton.

Dr. Barton will speak in behalf of the "Every Member" canvass of the state. This address will be very helpful to all churches, and members are urged to hear it.

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HEALTH HONOR ROLL VERBENA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

The following girls under the direction of Mrs. Pattillo scored A-1 in the Health Game and sportsmanship for the week ending November 6th.

Idelle Anderson, Pauline Barron, Ludie Brooks, Earline Courtney, Vera Mae Culver, Olivia Dansby, Henrietta Esco, Pearl Hughes, Marguerite Johnson, Nancy Jones, Rosa Lee Jones, Mary Lou Kelly, Pauline Littleton, Loraine McKinney, Helen Patterson, Florence Sawyer, Nell Frances Scott, Mildred Louise Smith, Louise Smith, and Elsie Thornton.

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NOTICE TO CREAM SHIPPERS

Those persons who are shipping small quantities of cream through the local farm bureau are requested to bring their cream in as early as possible on Saturdays, due to a rush of orders coming in in the afternoon, just before the time for the cream to be shipped. It will be all right to bring the cream late Friday afternoon as it will keep during the cold weather.

COURT IS IN SESSION HERE ON CRIMINALS

Will Helton Gets Year And A Day, Appeals; Many Being Carried To Kilby

The July Term of Criminal Court of Chilton County is still in session here, with Judge George F. Smoot, of Wetumpka presiding and Hon. Winston Huddleston, prosecuting for the State.

The case of Will Helton, age 71, went to trial last Monday and continued thru Tuesday, with several witnesses taking the stand. Helton was charged with the murder of Hubbard Glass, age 60, on Monday afternoon, August 25, 1930, at Oak Grove, near Jemison, Alabama. The jury returned a verdict Tuesday afternoon about six o'clock of guilty of manslaughter in the first degree. A sentence was pronounced of a year and a day, it was stated, and Helton's defense has appealed the case.

Many of those who received fines from Judge Smoot last Monday have been carried to the State penitentiary, due to failure to pay the fine. Below are disposals of cases tried last Monday:

Mitch Bates, V. P. L., fined $50 and costs; Samuel Cook, grand larceny, withdrawn; Timothy Morris, grand

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Clanton Fire Fighters Have Banquet Recently

Fifteen members of the Clanton Fire Fighters enjoyed a barbecue and banquet last Wednesday night at Matt's Lunch Shoppe, in Clanton. Only one member of the outfit, Sleepy Miller, was absent, being in Florida at the time.

The occasion was the end of an attendance contest among the members, where the losing side had to set up the winners to a feed. Points in determining the winners were based on the number of each side at the regular practice meetings of the Fire Department every Wednesday night over a period of two months.

At the conclusion of the banquet last Wednesday night it was voted to start another contest which will end on the 23rd of December with another barbecue and banquet.

The firemen wish to publicly acknowledge their thanks to Mr. Matt Ware and the personnel of his cafe for providing such a bounteous feast for them on this occasion. Everything was perfect and right on the dot.

The boys disbanded at the conclusion of the banquet, everyone feeling full to the brim. By a strange coincidence, it was only about an hour later that they were all together again fighting a fire which had broken out in a residence on east Second Avenue. Some of them found out that it is not good to have such a full stomach when fighting fire. They might have had worse results, however, if they had been at home trying to sleep in that condition.

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NO HUNTING SIGNS

Cardboard and wooden signs with the words "Posted" No Hunting" and "No Trespassing" on them are for sale at the News office. These signs are durable and reasonable in price. Come in and select the size you want.

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MR. AND MRS. J. R. OWEN HAVE VISITORS FROM MONTGOMERY

Mrs. J. H. Elliott and sister, Miss Virgia Owen from Montgomery are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Owen of Fairview community this week.

Stapp Publicly Expresses Thanks To People of Chilton Co. for Their Efforts During Election

Following is a letter from C.E. Stapp. County Farm Demonstration Agent of Chilton County, in which he expresses his thanks to voters for their endorsement of the County Agent work in this county at the polls November 3rd:

'I wish to take this opportunity to thank my many personal friends as well as the friends of County Agency Work for their splendid support and cooperation during the recent campaign and the election on November the 3rd.

"I sincerely regret that more than four hundred saw fit to vote against the continuation of the work. I assure those who voted against the work that I am just as conscientious now in wanting them to see the value of the work as I was prior to the election.

"If those who voted against the work will come to me or call a meeting I will be more than anxious to meet with them and be of service to them.

"As I stated during the campaign there are only two classes opposed to county agency work. One is the fellow who is opposed because of some personal greed; the other is the fellow who has not given the work thought and consideration.

"I am more anxious than ever to make the work of greater value to Chilton County."

C. E. STAPP, County Agent.

PRESIDENT OF ALA. COLLEGE TO ADDRESS LOCAL P.-T. A.

Dr. O. C. Carmichael, president of Alabama College, Montevallo, is to speak to a joint meeting of the Parent-Teachers Associations of the Clanton grammar school and high school, this afternoon at three o'clock, at the high school auditorium. Every parent is urged and invited to be present and hear this distinguished visitor to Clanton this afternoon.

Only Six More Weeks For Santa

Phew! How time does fly. Only six more weeks and it will be about time for Santa Claus to be filling his pack for his rounds. Why not start now, collecting all those things that [illegible] unfortunate child, mother or father, would like to get—save it and give it Christmas.

The Christmas season brings thoughts of others, and this year, more than ever, the word "Others" should mean those who are not going to be so fortunate as perhaps you are. It is not too early to give this a little thought now and be ready to make some unhappy person very happy, and it won't take much to do that.

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Inheritance Tax Is Approved Of Here

Although it was difficult to determine just what the unofficial count on the election last Tuesday was, on the inheritance tax, it is firmly believed that the issue was heartily approved of in Chilton County.

From approximately sixteen boxes out of the 27 in the county, the majority of ballots were cast in favor of the issue, which does not mean any additional tax for anyone. A complete count will be given in next week's issue.

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ENTERPRISE DEFEATS THOMAS JUNIOR LAST FRIDAY

Enterprise defeated the Thomas Jr. team with a score of 20 to 13 in a game at Thomas Jr. Friday, November 6. The game was very interesting because of the keen rivalry between the two schools.

James Griffin on the Enterprise team is little but loud. He went through the defense of the Thomas Jr. team and made 9 of the 20 points. He played as right forward. Cecil Yeargan on this team also showed his ability to shoot goals. By shooting backward or forward he added 6 points to the score. L. C. Cagle, Guy Silas and Lois Stroud also showed the Thomas Jr. boys they were on the field by holding them to the losing score. Cagle and Silas made 5 points by pitching field goals and brought the Enterprise score to 20.

Ray, playing as center on the Thomas Jr. team made 6 of the 13 points for Thomas Jr. George Wilson also demonstrated his ability as left forward by piling up their score 6 points more. Jim made 1 field goal, making a total score for Thomas Jr. of 13.

Mr. G. C. Weldon is coach of the Thomas Jr. team and Marion Smith is coach of the Enterprise team.

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WADESONIAN HAS ON REAL ENTERTAINMENT PROGRAM

Find the program of The Wadesonian Theatre elsewhere in this issue and see what they are offering in the way of entertainment for the coming week. One of the features is "Behind Office Doors" with Mary Astor.

The Wadesonian is also announcing some bargain nights, with big reductions in prices of admission. This item should be of wide interest to theatre goers. Also the program this week states that they have regular comedy nights. These nights will be shown comedies only. Find the program and notice the reduction in prices on specified nights, and matinees.

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THE FAIR PUTTING ON HUGE "NO - PROFIT" SALE THIS WEEK

In this issue of the News will be found a full page ad from The Fair Store, announcing their No Profit Sale which opens today. Mr. W. H. Sartor, manager of the store states that they have really reduced prices on their merchandise for this sale, and want the people to come and see for themselves before buying.

Read this large ad from The Fair. Mr. Sartor stated also that the sale will continue for seevral days, but that he believed it advisable to shop early, as soon as the sale opens.

MORE CASH FOR TEACHERS BY NEXT MONTH

Another Slice of Treasury Income By December Probable, Say Reports

By George L. Davis
In The Montgomery Advertiser

While the question most frequently heard among employes at the State Capitol yesterday was "when will the State pay off?" word came down by the customary grapevine route that the workers may have to bide their time while the State makes arrangements to give the common schools another slice of the treasury income in payment of obligations that have been outstanding since last Spring.

The State of Alabama still owes to the counties $1,306,000 after having paid within the past week nearly $846,000. The $1,306,000 represents the amount for which certain counties hold warrants against school funds, just as many employes at the Capitol who are paid out of the general fund of the State, are now holding salary warrants and it is known that it is Gov. Miller's purpose to pay the outstanding debts to the common schools at the earliest possible moment.

Payment Probable

In view of this fact it is considered

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D. H. GENTRY DIED ON LAST TUESDAY AT HOME

D. H. Gentry died November 9, 1931, at the age of seventy-three years and six months. He was born April 11, 1858. He is survived by his widow, one daughter, Mrs. Ida Bean, four sons, Dolphus, Arthur, J. D. and Sidney, one step-son, E. E. Porter, three sisters, Mrs. Josie Pierce, Mrs. Dora Bates, and Mrs. Fannie Nix; thirteen grandchildren; one step sister, Miss Lucinda Thacker; and a niece, Mary Louise Bates who has lived with them since she was three years old. Mr. Gentry's first wife was Emma Bates and his second wife was her first cousin, Cora Bates, whom he married about thirty years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Gentry were members for many years of the Salem Baptist church, but moved their membership to Thorsby upon their moving here. The funeral was held at 11 o'clock Wednesday and burial was at the Collins Chapel cemetery with Rev. Ezell of Clanton officiating.

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NELL ROSS MULLINS OPERATED ON FOR APPENDICITIS MONDAY

Little Nell Ross Mullins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jones, underwent an operation for appendicitis last Monday in Florence. Latest reports state she is doing nicely.

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'SAFETY FIRST' AT HIGH SCHOOL FRIDAY NIGHT

Grammar School Here Presents Three-Act Comedy Tomorrow Night, 7:30

Coming at a time when entertainment seekers are on the go, the Clanton Grammar School presents "Safety First" a comedy in three acts at the high school auditorium in Clanton tomorrow night, November 13th, promptly at seven-thirty o'clock.

Judging from a synopsis of the comedy it promises to be full of hearty laughs for those who see it. Characters in the play are being made up from local talent, and below will be found several of the outstanding players. Admission will be fifteen and thirty-five cents.

Jack Montgomery, Mr. Walker.
Jerry Arnold, Mr. Varnell.
Mr. McNutt, Mr. Quinn
Elmer Flannel, John Ponder Lawrence.
Abon Ben Mocha, Sam Martin.
Mabel Montgomery, Mrs. Burnette.
Virginia Bridges, Sarah Pollard.
Mrs. Barrington Bridges, Mary Louise Pack.
Zubika, Berniece Williams.
Mary Ann A'Finnerty, Ruth Sessions.

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J. E. Lett of Verbena, his son G. E. Lett of Birmingham, and Archie Burkhalter, were among the visitors to Clanton last Monday. While in town, they were callers at the News office.

Pilgrims Rest News

Miss Evelyn Deramus spent last week end with Miss Mollie Belle Ousley.

Mr. Jim Chandler has returned to Wetumpka after spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Chandler.

Miss Leila Belle, our teacher at Pilgrim Rest school, spent last week end at her home in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Kendrick, Madge and Mrs. G. B. Williams spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Browning.

Mr. Claude Traywick and Mr. G. B. Williams attended the singing at Alpine Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Abbott spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Apper[illegible]

On Monday evening of last week, Miss Leila Belle Smith, assisted by Miss [illegible] Belle Ousley and Miss Su[illegible] [illegible] Party [illegible] games and contests were [illegible]ed in the house [illegible] the yard in a pine forest, [illegible] been made for the occasion. Everybody seemed to have the Hallowe'en spirit, as they sat in the dark forest, lighted only with Jack-o'-Lanterns, eating peanuts and telling ghost stories. In the meantime several balls of fire came over the forest and ghosts wer seen at intervals. At a late hour everybody enjoyed a weiner roast and hot coffee.

Those who attended this affair were the following: Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Headley, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Traywick, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Henson, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ousley, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ousley, Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hill, Messrs. M. C. Rawlinson, J. F. Rawlinson, Henry Ousley, Claude Traywick, Andrew McCullough, Bruce Ousley, Mrs. J. S. Carter, Misses Louise Rawlinson, Leila Belle Smith, Sudie K[illegible] and Molile Belle Ousley.

A READER

V. M. PRICE, (Col.) DIED AT HILLMAN HOSPITAL SUN.

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Funeral services were held [illegible] Cross Road [illegible] were conducted by Rev. P. DeJarnett assisted by Rev. F. V. Watson. Interment took place in the Cross Road colored cemetery.

Price was born August 17, 1868, and lived in the same community all of his life. He was a farmer and public school teacher. He began his teaching career in [illegible] and taught for more than twenty years in Autauga and Chilton counties. He was a faithful member of the Golden Rule Society.

He is survived by his wife, three daughters, three sons and a host of relatives.

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S[illegible] insect pests in the United States cost [illegible] million dollars a year. If it excluded the two-legged ones it would be worth it.

On Display At Dief's Service Station As Prize For Sales

Unusual photograph of the giant Navy airship "Akron" and the Goodyear Zeppelin airshop dock where it was built, taken by Margaret Bourke White, famous photographer. The picture, framed in duralumin, the metal of which the ship's framework was constructed, was recently the prize award to Dief's Service Station, Clanton, Ala., Goodyear dealer who won a summer sales contest known as the Third Annual Zep pelin Race.

An unusual picture of the giant Navy airship, 'Akron' taken by Margaret Bourke White, famous photographer, and framed in duralumin, was received by Dief's Service Station here recently and is attracting considerable attention.

The picture showing the big dirigible emerging from the air dock at Akron, Ohio, was taken during the "walkout" of the ship, just before starting its trial flights. By a curious fore-shortening effect which Miss Bourke White caught, the dock or hangar, which is three full city blocks long is narrowed almost to an arch, the rear doors of the building being open at the time accentuating this effect.

Scrap duralumin from the ship itself was used in the frame of the picture and held into place by a hundred duralumin rivets.

The picture was presented to Dief's Service Station, Clanton, Ala., winner in a summer merchandising contest instituted by the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., constructor of the airship.

Presentation of the prize winning picture to the local concern was made by L. J. Teijelo, sales representative of the Goodyear company who congratulated the recipient on his aggressiveness and fine character of service that had won the award for him in a depression year.

Explaining the anomoly of a tire manufacturer being in the unusual business of airship building, Mr. Teijelo explained that some 21 years ago, President P. W. Litchfied, of Goodyear, then superintendent of the company, was looking about for new products to manufacture, and was attracted to aeronautics for two reasons. The company was already experienced in impregnating cotton fabric with rubber in connection with making tire plies and belting. This is also the first step in building balloons. And as a more important reason, he was already impressed with the importance of improved transportation, whether by land or air, and felt that aircraft were destined for an important future in economic history.

MINING ACCIDENTS OVER ALABAMA CUT BY TWO-THIRDS, REPORT SHOWS

The Alabama Mining Institute, at a recent meeting in Birmingham, adopted resolutions of pleasure over the remarkable accident-prevention record achieved by the Alabama industry, the [illegible] in the first nine months of 1931 were reduced [illegible] per cent over the same period [illegible]

The United States Bureau of Mines has made public commendation of the excellent prevention work done in the coal mines of Alabama by the awarding of certificates of honor. Among certificates of honor awarded was one to the Alabama Mining Institute "for its effective work in forwarding safety in the coal mining industry of that State."

Another honor certificate was awarded by the bureau to the Hull Mine of the DeBardeleban Coal Corporation of Alabama for having worked 11 months and 20 days "producing 100,699 tons of coal, with 301,763 mine hours worked without a lost time accident."

A certificate was awarded William B. Hillhouse "for excellent safety record extending over a period of approximately five years' service as chief mine inspector of Alabama. During this time the number of accidents occurring annually in the Alabama mines has been greatly reduced."

At the meeting of the Mining Institute the following members were elected on the board of Governors for a term of three years: Clarence L. Moss, Horace Hammond, George F. Peter. Hold-over members of the board are Harold McDermott, D. E. Wilson, H. M. Brooks, R. T. Daniel, L. E. Geohegan, and Milton Fies.

Resolutions of the Mining Institute, a copy of which has reached the Governor's office at the Capitol follow:

"Whereas, during the past four and one-half years the number of casualties to the workmen employed in and about the coal mines of Alabama has been materially diminished in proportion to the number employed, man days worked and tons of coal mined; and

"Whereas, the safety record of the coal mines in this State for the first nine months of this year is unexcelled; and

"Whereas, this most remarkable reduction of accidents in and about the Alabama coal mines is due, in great measure, to the efficient, intelligent, conscientious and praiseworthy service of the State Mine Inspectors, in pointing out and recommending the abandonment of unsafe practices, the elimination of physical hazards, and the maintenance of safe working conditions in and around the mines; as well as, in requiring strict observance, by the operating officials and workmen, of the Mining Law and the working rules, designed and put in force to protect the workman against personal injury;

"Therefore, Be It Resolved, by the members of the Alabama Mining Institute, in meeting assembled, that the chief and associate mine inspectors of Alabama be and are hereby commended most highly for the effective efforts constantly exerted by them, during their past tenure of office, to protect the coal mine employes of Alabama against personal injury and or death occasioned by work accidents, and that they be and are hereby complimented for their impartiality, and courage in enforcing compliance with the provisions of the Mining Law and working rules, mentioned in the preamble hereto.

"Be It Resolved, Further, that the members of the Alabama Mining Institute do hereby pledge their continuing and fullest cooperation in the future, with the Chief and Associate Mine Inspectors of Alabama in their accident prevention activities and in the proper and effective discharge of the duties devolving upon them under the law or implied therefrom."

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Maybe the economists could get some pointers from that New York official who saved $200,000 out of a salary of $12,000.

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Don't hurry back to work too quickly after illness. Taxing the heart in that way makes folks die young.

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How To Kill Rats Is Told By Ruffin

By W. A. Ruffin
Extension Entomologist, Auburn

There is now stored in Alabama barns, corn cribs, and granaries an unusually large amount of food and feed products for people and for domestic animals. Unless it is protected against rats they will destroy and damage a lot of it. It can be protected by storing it in ratproof buildings or by applying poison to kill rats.

Powdered Red Squill is the most satisfactory poison to use. There are two grades of red squill used in poisoning rats. The K-R-O brand is prepared by a special process and is slightly more toxic than the second grade, which is commonly known as Sun Dried Squill. The K-R-O (Kill Rats Only) costs 75c for a two-ounce can. The Sun Dried Squill sells for about 60c per pound. See your county farm bureau or local druggist and if they do not have the squill on hand they will be glad to help you secure it.

It is recommended that three kinds of bait be used. The best materials for bait are raw hamburger, canned salmon, and oatmeal. Each kind of bait should be mixed separately with the proper amount of squill. One pound of K-R-O is mixed with sixteen pounds of food. If the Sun Dried Squill is used one pound of squill is mixed with ten pounds of food.

Mix each kind of food separately with the squill in the proper proportions. The powder should be mixed through the food thoroughly. Drain the liquid off before mixing with canned fish. Mix oatmeal with the poison dry, then add water or milk to make heavy dough. Squill sometimes causes a stinging sensation to the hands for a short time.

1. Remove other foods in so far as possible.
2. Distribute baits late in the day.
3. Place each kind of bait in separate half teaspoonful lumps at numerous places about the entire premises where rats may frequent.

About one-half pound of each of the above mentioned baits is required to poison the rats on the average size farm.

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Pleading guilty under a statute adopted in 1803, W. R. Courtney of Athens, Tenn., was fined one cent for shooting a cow.

Short selling may be bad, but the prevailing short buying is even worse.

Is History A Dry Old Subject In School?

(Not in the Maplesville school where the 5th grade pupils began the years work in History and Geography by making a study of their town and of Chilton County. Below is the story of Maplesville as clipped from the Alabama Booklet written by Willard Hayes, a member of the fifth grade class.)

Maplesville is situated on the western border of Chilton County near Mulberry Creek. The M. and O. and Southern railroads run through Maplesville. It is a convenient place to market the lumber and agricultural products.

The citizenship of Maplesville is of original Southern stock. There is located in the town two churches, a Baptist and a Methodist. Maplesville has a strong and substantial bank which carries the town name, "The Bank of Maplesville." We have a modern Senior High School building. All the grades are being taught here from the first through the twelfth. We have eight teachers.

This town was first settled three miles east of here in 1822. It took its name from a prominent pioneer named Maples. In 1850 when the railroad was completed from Selma to Dalton, Ga., the town was moved so that it would be more convenient. Mr. Reding Hicks was the pioneer merchant.

We have now about twenty business houses and a population of about five hundred law-abiding citizens.

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Chilblains often mean poor nutrition. Build the body with nourishing food and lots of sleep in fresh air and they will disappear.

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Clanton, Ala.

Dr. J. B. Williams' reply to an article which appeared in the Union Banner of Thursday October the 29, 1931. Styled, "Preacher's Neck Broken"

This man, Elder Cox, has been telling it around I broke his neck in making an adjustment on him. He has also told others, viz.: Mr. Will Cox a nephew of his, and Mr. Frank McCary that the condition was caused by his splitting stovewood and pitching it back over his shoulder. And I have been informed that a daughter of his said the same thing. I further have been informed that he had been treated by three or more medical doctors of Clanton for that trouble before coming to me. It also can be proven that after I had given him the adjustment he was over at Mr. Jim Dunlap's store and stated, that it made him feel better, and showed them that he could move his head more freely.

The facts in the case. About twelve months ago, the old man came into my office with a stiff neck and asked me if I could help his condition. I told him I believed I could but that it would take several adjustments, perhaps, to do him much good. He took one and I heard no more from him until this movement by the Medical doctors to oust us Chiropractors. Then reports began to come; this one's ribs were broken, this one's neck was broken and another was killed. If ever a Chiropractor touches a person and he happens not to improve immediately or dies, of course he is charged with causing whatever follows. Of course most of it is lies, told to prejudice the public against Chiropractic. However, the public is awaking up to such schemes. Who killed Cock-Robin? Who killed [illegible] McMurray? Who killed Eld. A. D. Hewett and countless others [illegible] young and middle aged who have filled the cemeteries all over the country? Do medical doctors injure and kill people? Here is what the leading men of the medical profession have to say about the two methods of healing:

"All curative agents are poisons and as a consequence every dose diminishes the patient's vitality. In their zeal to do good physicians have done much harm. They have hurried thousands to the grave who would have recovered if left alone to nature." Dr. Alonzo Clark, Prof. of New York College of Physicians and Surgeons.

"The Science of Medicine is founded on conjecture and improved by murder." Sir Astley Cooper, Surgeon to King George IV.

"How rarely do our medicines do good! How often do they make our patients really worse! I fearlessly assert that in most cases the sufferer would be safer without a physician than with one." Dr. Francis H. Ramage, Member of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons, London.

"We have assisted in multiplying diseases, we have done more, we have increased their fatality." Dr. Benj. Rush, University of Penna.

"It is my firm belief that the prevailing mode of practice is productive of vastly more evil than good, and were it absolutely abolished, mankind would be infinitely the gainer." Dr. Cogswell, Boston.

"Thousands are annually slaughtered in the quiet sick room." Dr. John Marshall Hall.

"I declare my conscientious opinion founded on long observation and reflection, that if there were not a single physician, surgeon, apothecary, mid-wife, chemist, druggist or drug on the face of the earth, there would be less sickness and less mortality." Dr. James Johnson, Surgeon to Wm. IV.

"All medicines which enter the circulation poison the blood in the same manner as do the poisons that produce disease." Joseph M. Smith, M. D., Prof. in New York College of Physicians and Surgeons.

"Medicine never cured any malady except probably cases of tape worm or some other parasite, in which case it proved its power to kill but not to cure." J. H. Kellogg, M. D. Battle Creek Sanitarium.

"The effects of medicine on the human system are in the highest degree uncertain and unsatisfactory, except indeed, that they have destroyed more lives than war, pestilence and famine combined." John Mason Good, M. D., London.

The above statements are from outstanding medical doctors and surgeons. I could give similar testimony from local men but it is unnecessary.

What about Chiropractic and Drugless Theropy, I seem to hear you say! Read the testimony.

"The drugless healer is one of the best things that has come into the life on the present." Charles Mayo, M. D., Rochester, Minn.

"Chiropractors are obtaining results that I could not have obtained with medicine or surgery." E. G. Rutherford, M. D., Birmingham, Ala.

"Clinical records show that there is hardly a recognized form of disease that cannot successfully be 'treated' by Chiropractic adjustments." R. C. Ellsworth, M. D., Astoria, Oregon.

"The Chiropractor uses nothing but his bare hands to realign bones that are misplaced in the spine, thus releasing pressure of harder substances from the nerve trunk to restore normal tension to individual nerve fibres. The application of such adjustments is practically painless and leaves no ill effect with the patient." G. H. Patchen, M. D. New York City.

"There is no comparison whatever, as I cannot promise any definite results when treating a patient medically, but when I adjust them, I feel certain that I am going to get results." A. B. Hender, M. D., D. C., Ph. C., (16 years a medical physician and medical instructor and 15 years a Chiropractor), Davenport.

"The Chiropractic theory of the cause of disease appeals to the educated judgment of the people as no theory of medicine ever can." Dr. Frederick Terry.

"Chiropractic is not a "cure all" and should never be claimed as such, but it reaches successfully a larger number of so called chronic diseases than any known mechanical method, and is so much superior to the "drug method" that it is truly laughable to compare them." Alfred Walton, M. D., D. C., Philadelphia. (Surgeon for 20 years and rendered the use of oxygen possible in the medical profession.)

"Medicine knows no specific remedies for disease of any kind, while, on the other hand, Chiropractic adjustments answer the heart's earnest desire for a specific for the cause of dis-ease." A. F. Hall, M. D., D. C., Indianapolis.

"Results are what count and Chiropractic adjustments, when scientifically given, bring them, nothwithstanding what our medical friends (?) may say to the contrary." Wm. A. Seeley, M. D., Tipton, Ia.

"I have by Chiropractic adjustments obtained wonderful results in acute appendicitis, rheumatism, constipation, stomach and kidney trouble, goitre, headache and the pelvic diseases peculiar to women." R. E. Ellsworth, M. D., Astoria, Oregon.

To compare a Medical doctor with a Chiropractor would be like comparing a Gas-Filling Station operator to a good Auto-Mechanic. All the Medical man and the Station operator know to do is to pour in drugs and gas but when your bodies—human and auto—get out of order it takes a Mechanic and a Chiropractor to make the adjustment.

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Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

Next Sunday is the last day of this conference year, and we urge the people of Clanton to hear two special messages. At 11 A. M. come and learn about "God's Tomorrow." At seven o'clock Sunday night come and hear the message that tells about "Sweeping the Clouds Away." There are many people in Clanton who have not heard the pastor of the Methodist church preach this year. Are you going to let the year go by without this? We have room and a welcome for you.

Be in Sunday school at 9:45. Our school has been above the hundred mark for some time. Let's break the record of the year next Sunday.

Preaching at Isabella Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

The pastor leaves next Wednesday for conference in Montgomery. The people of Chilton county are invited to visit the conference session at Dexter Avenue church the last part of next week. Hear Bishop Ainsworth next Sunday.

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Mrs. F. W. Mosher of Hallowell, Me., found a penny inside a potato she was cutting up to cook.

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MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by mortgage made by Henry T. Gregg to The Federal Land Bank of New Orleans, dated October 1st, 1918, and recorded in Book 161, at page 34 of the records in the Probate Office of Chilton County, Alabama, and which said mortgage has been duly transferred to Mrs. Stella M. Gregg, and said default continuing, I, the undersigned, Mrs. Stella M. Gregg, as transferee, will sell at public auction, for cash, at the Court House door of Chilton County, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, under the power of sale ,contained in said mortgage, on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7TH, 1931, the following described property situated in Chilton County, Alabama, namely: That part of the SW¼ of SW¼ of Section 18, Township 20, North, Range 12, east, beginning on the west line of said Section at a point 7.58 chains north of the southwest corner of said Section, thence S. 86.3' East, parallel to the south line of said Section, 7.20 chains thence north parallel to the west line of said Section 7.45 chains to the north edge of a branch thence in a westwardly direction up said branch and along the north edge thereof 8.80 chains more or less, to the west line of said section; thence south 7.68 chains to teh point of beginning, containing 4.96 acres. Eleven acres on and along the south side of the NE¼ of SW¼ which lies east of the Southern Railway.; eighteen acres on and along the north side of the SE¼ of SW¼ which lies east of the Southern Railway. Eleven acres on and along the south side of the NW¼ of SE¼. Eleven acres on and along the south side of the NE¼ of SE¼. Eighteen acres on and along the north side of SW¼ of SE¼. Eighteen acres on and along the north side of SE¼ of SE¼. A roadway 10 feet wide on the north side of the SW¼ of SW¼ of said Section, beginning at the east side of a public road, 7.60 chains, East of the northwest corner of SW¼ of SW¼, thence east 13.19 chains, to the right of way line of Southern Railway, containing 0.2 acres; all of said lands lying and being in Section '18, Tp. 20, N. Range 12, E. of St. Stephens Meridian, containing in the aggregate 92.16 acres, more or less.

This sale is made for the purposes provided for in said mortgage.

MRS. STELLA M. GREGG,
Transferee.

Pettus, Fuller & Lapsley, Attorneys.
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Sunday School Lesson

for November 15
PAUL IN JERUSALEM
Acts 21:27-39

Really romantic incidents about the third missionary journey of Paul are found in Acts, chapters 20 and 21. Follow with him on his return from Corinth. You will not go to sleep as did the man at Troas who fell out of the window. A final good bye was said to the Ephesian elders at Miletus, for Paul was aware that he was advancing to his own deth when he proceeded to Jerusalem. Keep track of the "we" passages, for then Dr. Luke, the author of Acts, was with Paul.

Plenty .of trouble awaited Paul at Jerusalem. The people scarcely said "thank you" for the fine offering he brought for the poor saints there before they told him of the criticism scandal-mongers were delighting in.

To offset this Paul agreed to undertake a vow and, pay the costs for others making a similar vow. While they were in the Temple courts the cry was raised that Paul had brought others than Jews into the sacred area. Then there was an uproar indeed and soldiers rushed down from the castle of Antonia to rescue Paul from the mob.

As the prisoner was being dragged up the stairs into the castle he saw the fine opportunity to speak once more in behalf of Jesus Christ. Here was the crowds surging about and the stairs furnished an ideal pulpit. Paul rehearsed his own conversion and the hissing broke out again and Paul was taken within to be examined by scourging. But just as the lash was about to descend on his bare back, Paul asked a question that had a startling effect. He asked: "Is it lawful for you to scourge a man that is a Roman and uncondemned?" 22:25. Read all the record and especially about the vision of commendation, encouragement and promise that came the next night, 23:11.

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Mitchell Dam News

A very enjoyable affair of last week, for the younger set of Mitchell Dam, was a farewell party given Miss Bessie Warren by the girl and boy scouts of this place. Games were enjoyed and refreshments served to a large number of guests. A number of young people from Verbena were also present.

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Mrs. McCary's mother, Mrs. Watkins, returned to her home in South Alabama last week.

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Miss Pearl Hand of Clanton spent several days last week with her sister. Mrs. F. O. Robinson.

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Since the hunting season opened the sport has changed from fishing to hunting. Woe be unto the squirerls.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Robinson spent Thursday night in Clanton with their parents.

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Mr. McRay's mother returned to her home in Wetumpka last week.

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We regret very much to lose Mr. Warern's family from our camp.

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Daddy Hollis returned to his home in Lincoln, Ala., after spending a few days with his son, Mr. J. L. Hollis.

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Russia has a species of sheep that grows no wool. Must resemble the lambs formerly seen coming out of Wall Street.

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There's some fine comic opera material in that Louisiana governorship squabble.

Liberty Hill News

Rev. J. S. Holland of East Tallassee filled his regular preaching service here last Sunday at the eleven o'clock hour. Rev. J. W. Jones of Thorsby did the preaching Saturday, bringing a wonderful message.

Miss Maggie Rollins of Clanton spent the week end visiting relatives here.

Mr. Marvin Lowery, who is working for Alabama School Supply Co., was home for a short visit Sunday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. L. Lowery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Littlejohn were the dinner guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. Grady Cooper, Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Prince Gardner and little daughter were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Ward Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Maddox of Clanton visited the former's mother, Mrs. J. N. Minor, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Wiley Cooper and daughter, Mrs. Grace Glass, and small son left Monday for the return trip to South Alabama where Mrs. Glass lives.

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Collins Chapel News

There will be a singing practice at Thorsby church Wednesday night. So come on singers, be there and bring your Henson and Morirs books.

Mr. O. R. Gore of Pratt City visited his brother, Mr. L. A. Gore, Saturday night and Sunday.

Sunday will be our regular preaching day at Collins Chapel church. Everybody invited to come and bring some one with them. Sunday school will be at ten o'clock and preaching at eleven. So come on folks, and let's have a large crowd.

Friends of Mrs. W. W. Hall will be glad to know that she is able to be at her sons in this community after haying been confined in the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. J. Atkinson, of Ensley for five months with a broken hip.

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MT. PLEASANT WINS OVER UNION GROVE BY SCORE 18-9

In a swift and interesting game of basket ball the Mt. Pleasant Junior High School boys swept the fast Union Grove quintet down to an 18 to 9 defeat last Friday afternoon on the former court.

Cecil Traywick opened up the scoring with a beautiful shot from the side—close to the center line, his teammate, Burnett, soon followed with a nice crip shot. This four-point lead was held until the third quarter when the Union boys gained a one-point margin only to lose it shortly, as the Mt. Pleasant lads settled down to a fine exhibition of pass work, which led them through the opponent's defense where they netted 8 more points. The half closed with the winners clinging to a slim lead of 8 to 7, but after Union had registered 2 points by foul shots soon after the opening of the second half, the Mt. Pleasant team began their real drive through their opponents defense. H. Littlejohn gave the large crowd a surprising thrill when he dribbled the ball from back of center-mark to the goal where he made a beautiful looping shot, netting the ball.

The Union team made 2 points the last half, these coming by fouls. The intense rivalry between the two teams led to excessive fouling on both sides. Mt. Pleasant committing 7 and the Union boys 4. Retherford led the scoring for the losers, getting 2 field goals and 2 foul goals for 6 points. Burnett led the winners with 6 points to his credit. The Union boys took particular pains in guarding his running teammate Curtis Traywick, holding him to 5 points. Mt. Pleasant goes to Enterprise next Friday with Enterprise returning the game the following Friday, November 20.

Verbena School News

(By Senior I Class)

Hubert Hammel, Verbena's foremost prognosticator, has just completed a four-hundred line essay, "Procrastination is the Thief of Time," which will be dedicated to Mrs. W. C. DuBose. He considers this his masterpiece.

Mr. Hammel is widely known by his pseudonym, "Spinney." Another of his unusual achievements is a Thousand-Line Thesis, "I am a part of all I have met."

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The English Club of Verbena High School met last Saturday night in the High School Auditorium to initiate the new members. The new members were Josephine Barrett, Aubrey Boone, Excell Howard, Mell Pattillo, Lilla Baron, J. R. Robinson.

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The Verbena Dramatic Club is giving a hilarious comedy, 'Mrs. Tubbs of Shantytown" at the School Auditorium Friday night, November 6. The following are the characters:

Mrs. Mollie Tubbs, Elizabeth Hubbard; Clingie Vine, Serena Mitchell; Mrs. Ellen Hickey, Mell Pattillo; Mydelle Campbell, Katy Myrtle Glenn; Simon Rubbels, Mr. Hiten; Tom Riordan, Ernest Williams; Queenie Sheba Tubbs, Mamie Meroney; Methusalem Tubbs, Excell Howard; Billy Blossom Tubbs, Billy Barrett; Victoria Hortensia Tubbs, Gertrude Gibson; Elmira Hickey, Evelyn Caffey; Children and Neighbors, Florence Sawyer and Orvid Hughes.

Act 1.—Mrs. Tubb's front room Shadows in Shantytown.

Act 2.—Same scene as Act 1. A month later. Mr. Rubbels comes a wooing.

Act 3.—Same scene—Thanksgiving Day: Sunshine in Shantytown.

The admission will be ten and twenty cents.

The boys of Verbena School have organized a Boxing Club and will start practicing before long. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

On Wednesday, November the fourth Mrs. W. C. DuBose made mention to the Senior High School boys of two men whose birthdays were on the 4th. These two men were, the poet, Montgomery, who wrote a thought entitled "Procrastination," and Toplady who wrote "The Rock of Ages." The boys then sang "Rock of Ages" in memory of Toplady.

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The Music Club met last Tuesday night in the auditorium. There was a large group and the meeting was made both interesting and educational.

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Who's Who of Verbena High School

Prettiest Girl: Catherine Gaines.

Handsomest Boy: Wayne Hiten.

Most Popular Girl: Katie Myrtle Glenn.

Most Popular Boy: Ernest Williams.

Best All Around Pupil: Ethel Cagle.

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Two Verbena football players were hurt in the game with Holtville, Friday October 30, namely, Gaston Jones and Aubrey Boone.

Gaston was able to come back to school Monday by the use of a walking stick. Aubrey is improving rapidly and will be back with us soon we hope.

The [illegible] Literary Society will meet November 13 The society will be called to order by the President. The following program will be rendered:

Roll Call:
Business:
Program:
Bible Reading: Sarah Boyd.
Song: Pack up your trouble.
Life of General Pershing: Lena DeLoach.
Poem, "In Flanders Field": Margret Glenn.
Song: Keep the Home Fires Burning.
A Patriotic Creed: Dovard Huett.
Show the Flag: John Eiland.
Report of Critic:
Announcements:
Adjournment.

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The following students were perfect in attendance for the month of October in the Verbena High School:

Junior One: Boys: Marshall Anderson, Oscar Barron, W. P. Champion, Welton McKinney, Leonard Robinson, Junior Rutland, Rollie Sharp.

Junior Two: Boys: Excell Howard, Dovard Huett, Hugh Jenkins, Andrew Jones, Carl Pinson, Joseph Thrailkill, Herbert Williams, Marshall Williams, Robert Williams, Jack Wise.

Junior Three: Boys: Herman DuBose, Lane Allen, John Jr. Eiland, Robert Jenkins, Carl Vinson.

Junior One: Girls: Katherine [illegible] Dorothy L. [illegible] [illegible] Lois Partridge [illegible] Emma Thrailkill. Mattie [illegible], Dora Jones

Junior Two: Girls: Lillian Barron, Irene Driver, Margaret Glenn, Eunice Grant, Margie Grant, Lura Mae Littleton, Grace [illegible]

Junior Three: Girls: Celia Baker, Sarah Hollis, Mattie Mae Hopper, Kate McKinney, Clara Pinson, Ollie Sharp, Era Bullard.

Senior One: Boys: George Gulledge, Ralph Hughes, Veston Jones, Samuel Morris.

Senior Two: Boys: Wayne Hiten, Marvin Huitt, Woodrow Reaves, John Abb Scott.

Senior Three: Boys: Aubrey Boone, Ottis Gulledge, Batson Culver, Andrew Dennis, Clarence Gray, Gaston Jones, Ernest Williams.

Senior One: Girls: Helen DuBose, Frances Strock, Bessie Warren.

Senior Two: Girls: Virgie Robinson, Elena Thrailkill.

Senior Three: Girls: Eunice Bullard, Ethel Cagle, Katie Myrtle Glenn.

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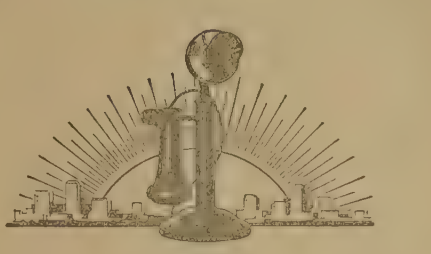
When an aviator violates the safety rules at the airport in Grand Rapids, Mich., he is presented with a medal bearing the picture of a winged jackass.



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The telephone is such a familiar part of daily life that its convenience and value are often overlooked until it is out of service.

This is the experience of those who discontinue their service for one reason or another. They soon find that the small cost of the service has been repaid many times each month in convenience, in time and actually in money saved.

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There have doubtless been times in your own experience when your telephone service has proved priceless—when the ability to call instantly a doctor, a policeman or the fire department, could not be measured in terms of money.

But it is not alone the emergencies that give the telephone its true value. There are the commonplaces of every day conversations—the twenty-four hour a day convenience in the home, the shop, the office, whenever you wish two-way communication with anyone almost anywhere.

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The chance of an automobile accident is much greater if the driver is under twenty than when he or she is over thirty, according to statistics compiled by one of the large accident insurance companies. The records of some four million licensed automobile drivers were examined and it was found that by far the highest percentage of accidents occurred when children under age were driving a car.

There are still a good many states and communities where very little or no inquiry is made into the qualifications of anyone who wants to drive a car. In the majority of the states today licenses are required, but the examinations and driving tests vary. And there are still a great many places in which any child who is physically able to hang on to the steering wheel and reach the pedals is allowed to drive.

Of course, the earlier in life one learns to drive, the more confidence the motorist acquires and the better he or she is likely to be as time goes on. But we think there is a great deal of wisdom in the law which obtains in some states, under which no one under eighteen may be licensed to drive, and then only after a severe road test of ability. In order to learn to drive before applying for a license, young people in states where this law obtains must always have with them on the front seat an experienced licensed driver.

There will always be parents who will let their children talk them into taking out the car, whether really fit to drive it or not, and children will always want to get out on the road and "step on it." That is human nature, and it would not be anybody else's concern if people driving cars were not a menace to other motorists and pedestrians.

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Armistice Day

Thirteen years ago the greatest war in all history came to a sudden termination with the declaration of the Armistice on November 11, 1918. The hopes of the world ran high. This was to be the last of war. The Peace Treaty was to be such a masterpiece of statesmanship that all future grounds for war would be eliminated. Our soldiers came back from France with the feeling that they had played a victorious part in a war to end war.

After thirteen years, how far has the world got toward ending war? Every nation in the world, including our own, is staggering under a crushing burden of taxation to maintain greater armies and navies than ever before. As we write this the machinery set up by the Treaty of Versailles for the prevention of war is being subjected to its first serious test, and it is still in doubt whether war between Japan and China can be averted. President Hoover's effort to reduce the cost of keeping up a larger navy than we are ever likely to have use for has aroused a storm of protest on the part of people who fail to realize that preparation for war always breeds war. It is absurd to believe that any nation can train hundreds of thousands of fighting men and not create a "war party" which will welcome any excuse to put this military and naval training into practice.

There are circumstances under which no nation can refuse to go to war, just as there are circumstances under which a man must fight whether he wishes to or not, but those circumstances so seldom arise, and their consequences when they do arise are so disastrous even to the victor, that the sober thought of the whole world is turning more and more against war as a means of settling international disputes. When war was merely a glorious adventure for youthful fighters, and had no serious effect upon the rest of the population, it had a romantic appeal. But war today touches every man, woman and child, and we believe that we are expressing the thought of those who participated in the last war, as well as of the vast majority of others, when we hope that our country shall never again have to go to war.

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Dry Weather --- Dust and Smoke

Dry weather is bringing dust and smoke to this section of the state, as well as other sections. Both are becoming dangerous, and in some instances, real serious.

Dangerous because dusty roads make it so for those who travel dirt roads. Several accounts of automobiles and wagons almost having accidents due to dusty highways have been coming in lately. Drivers of automobiles and those who ride in wagons on dirt roads should be more cautious during this dry season.

Woods are being burned off considerably. Whether these fires are started intentionally or accidentally is not known. Regardless of how they originate, they are becoming serious, not only by destroying nature's beauty and efforts and injuring the land, but by creating such a density of smoke that the air is becoming thoroughly saturated with it in many sections. Roads are becoming dangerous at night for auto drivers due to smoke hovering close to the road, making it almost impossible to see over five feet ahead of the automobile.

People who are apt to start one of these woods fires, should take a second thought and remember that the smallest of fires built in the woods or on the side of the road, can soon be fanned into a dangerous, devouring blaze that will cover a country-side, endangering crops and homes. Be careful where you throw that lighted match—be sure you extinguish that road-side fire, and that the pile of trash you burn does not spread its blaze.

PAST-PRESENT-FUTURE
IN CHILTON COUNTY

For some of the past of Chilton County this week, we will recall the good old days, remembered by many, when there were board walk-ways over near the Wilson Hotel and one over there by the Aldridge home, and when the place now occupied by the buildings of The Dixie Cafe, Jones Place, and the filling stations, were occupied by large and beautiful oak trees.

Those were the good old days when many of our older citizens now, were probably just putting on long trousers. Those, most of us, who remember these places and how they looked, can possibly recall to mind many other interesting things that occurred in those days.

And who remembers when the streets of Clanton would get in such bad condition during wef, winter months that it was almost impossible to get through them? No doubt some of our old time mail carriers can tell something about that. If it rained here on Saturday, we really had a mess. And when the weather was dry and hot, the merchants almost had to keep their store doors shut to keep the dust out. And now, how many persons who use our fine paved streets reflect back to recall such things?

It hasn't been so very many years ago when Clanton was protected by fire fighting apparatus with only two or three small hose wagons, hand-power. Now, we have a modern fire truck, an organized fire department.

Go back in your mind—think of ten years ago, or even eight years ago. How many vacant lots and disreputable buildings were in Clanton then? Now, count them and see how many nice modern little stores are located on those vacant lots.

It will do one good to stop and think over these things. It will show immediately that Clanton is going forward. There is one thing, however, that Clanton is lacking in. That is, one thing I'll mention here. It is the fact that our citizens are allowing the young men and women to go to other fields to go into business, too much. In my opinion, some day some of our older, substantial citizens are going to pass away, and should have some young person to take up and carry on where they left off, and there is nothing like a home boy or girl to do these things.

Understand that Kiwanis activities in Clanton are still going on with a snap. Also understand that this newspaper will soon publish an account of activities of the Clanton Kiwanis Club over a period of years, its age. From looking over some of these activities, already compiled, I am under the impression that it is going to be interesting.

Unwanted fires in homes in Clanton are increasing lately. However, few ever do much damage, but nevertheless they do get started. Residents of Clanton might do well to take a little more care in how they build fires, have their wiring checked, etc., and guard against this dangerous item.

W. H. Sartor, at The Fair Store, says, "Boys, I'm selling goods at a price lower than I believe I have ever placed on goods." Notice in this issue a full page ad from The Fair telling of some of the bargains there.

Hosea Downs, once one of our residents, has shown some real taste in landscaping at his home south of Clanton. We kind of envy Mr. Downs there. But, lest we forget, I really believe that Mrs. Downs plays a great part in the attractive appearance of their fine little country home.

Clanton's C. Fenn Jones is still that Gentleman of Leisure, one reads so much about and seldom sees. As yet, we have not grown accustomed to separating Mr. Jones from the hardware and furniture business, but maybe we will sometime, and class him along with other retired capitalists.

There is no question about it, this town would not seem the same should we have to do without Dr. Hayes. He is one who stands out. It is not necessary to say Doctor J. P. Hayes of Clanton. All one has to say to be understood is Dr. Hayes, or "Sie" Hayes.

Now that we are assured the county will have a County Farm Agent, I will endeavor to talk a little more freely about the matter. I sincerely hope that the man now holding the office will be broadminded enough to understand the comments I might make. He will, because he is a type of man who can understand things. In my opinion, C. E. Stapp is worth his salary to Clanton alone. I happen to know of many of his enterprising activities in this town, and I will say that he is worth his salt.

Some of these days I might take the pleasure of compiling a list of names of persons who should be placed in Clanton's book of immortals. Those people who go about day after day, doing good, and asking nothing in return. Little is said of these people of Clanton. But when they will pass to the Great Beyond, then will the people begin to realize what these few people have meant to Clanton.

Mrs. Samuel J. Ezell, church worker, Christian woman, and I wish I could command words enough to express the esteem I have for her, with her untiring work in behalf of that which is best at all times.

Was thinking the other day of the Callen family of Clanton, past and present. William T. Callen's photo hangs in the Peoples Savings Bank here, directly over the large vault, a very appropriate place for it. To many of the people of Clanton W. T. Callen will always occupy a warm spot in their hearts. Nothing is amiss to say that the present president of The Peoples Savings Bank is occupying a warm place in many hearts today. "Democracy, for the right always."

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A Break For The Men --- Or Is It?

One of Birmingham's daily papers, or perhaps we should say The South's Greatest Newspaper, The Birmingham News, is giving the men a break, when it comes to style, so we see lately. Some enterprising advertising man up there got the idea that the men should have a break in regard to style in wearing apparel, so it seems, and originated the idea of "Personal Appearance."

Now, is that a break for the men, or is it ain't? So far the men have not been bothered so much with style. They have been allowed to go along and get by without having attention called to what they wear or how they wear it. Now, here comes this "P. A." idea and the men will have to have things just right, or they don't have Personal Appearance. No doubt, members of the male sex will now become more self-conscious of their dress and if the advertising man of "The South's Greatest Newspaper" succeeds in putting this idea across nationally, the men are either going to have to stay at home, or wear just 'so and so" or—what difference does it make.

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The Seabury investigation seems to have helped Tammany to get its vote out.

Letters To The Editor

Editor, Chilton County News:

A few words to correct the erronious impression of "A Reader" in your paper of November 5th inst. Please allow me to say that the writer of that article overlooked the cause of our trouble and God's remedy therefor. "In the days o these kings shall the God of heaven set up a kingdom, which shall never be destroyed: and the kingdom shall not be left to other people, but it shall break in pieces and consume all these kingdoms, and it shall stand forever." Dan. 2:44. This is what shall come to pass in the latter days. ver. 28. Satan is the cause of all our troubles, and we shall have no complete remedy therefor until he is destroyed. Heb. 2:14.

For some six thousand years man has governed himself by various forms of government, and all of them have been unsatisfactory. Theocracy is the only remedy. When this comes, a sad day will have dawned for the doctors. Jer. 33:6, Isa. 33:24. I have not space to tell what will be the results to all classes of professional men of this evil world, but the clergy will have to hunt other jobs. Heb. 8:10-11. They (the preachers) can peddle their creeds no more. God speed the day! Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done in earth as it is in heaven. Mat. 6:10.

W. C. HUBBARD,
Thorsby, Ala., Rt. 1., Nov. 10, 1931.

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Auto Accidents Over The Week End, This Section

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ed, causing the car to swerve from the road and overturning. The occupants were enroute to Birmingham Saturday night when the accident occurred, and later stopped in Clanton.

Charlie Simpson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Simpson, received severe cuts about the face and head last Sunday morning, and Mr. Simpson received slight bruises, when their car was struck by another car, said to have been driven by Grady Gillespie, of Clanton. This accident occurred on the Lay Dam road, near the gates of the power company property. Both cars were badly damaged.

Ruphus Brown's Car Burns

Arthur Broadhead of Clanton, son of J. D. Broadhead, received severe burns about the face and head last Sunday night when the car belonging to Ruphus Brown of Clanton caught fire and was destroyed.

Ruphus Brown is believed to have received broken ribs and a bruised arm, while Miss Dody Wells, of Jemison received slight burns about the face and head. All were confined to bed Sunday and Monday, Broadhead's condition believed to be most serious.

Information states that the three had just left the Wells home in Jemison to meet other girl friends who were to arrive on the bus at Jemison. The bus being slightly behind schedule, the party drove up the highway just beyond Jemison, with Broadhead driving. In attempting to turn the car around, one of the back wheels slipped off the road, and when they attempted to exchange drivers, a ring of keys belonging to Brown, dropped from his pocket to the ground.

While the car was sitting in its inclined position, gasoline from the full tank had apparently overflowed onto the ground near the car, and in striking a match to locate the bunch of keys, the gasoline flamed up on the ground, immediately catching fire to the tank and car. The gas tank is said to have shortly exploded, enveloping the car in flames.

Several other minor accidents were reported from the past week end, most of them being attributed to dense smoke on the roads, caused by woods burning.

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More Cash For School Teachers Next Month

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probable that the State will pay another portion of its indebtedness to the common schools early in December. The indebtedness represented by the outstanding warrants in the hands of the various county boards of education is payable from two school funds—one the high school education fund of $406,000 and the other the equalization fund of $900,000.

All counties in the State will share in the High School Education Fund, and officials consider that this fund probably will be the next to be paid by the State.

The equalization fund, designed to aid the poorer counties of the State to permit the children of these counties to attend schools for terms more nearly equal with those of the more prosperous counties, is payable to the school treasurers of 33 counties. It is expected that the State will pay this amount as soon as possible.

No Definite Statement Monday

State Treasurer S. H. Blan Monday night said he could not state definitely when the other outstanding debts to the common schools could be paid but corroborated in part, the fact that it is the policy of Gov. Miller to pay these debts as fast as possible.

"We are going to do everything we can for the schools as fast as we can," Mr. Blan said.

Mr. Blan pointed out that the State had many obligations this month, among them amounts of interest due on the first issue of highway bonds, Alabama Bridge Corporation Bonds, port bonds and the "old bonded debt" of the State. These funds must be paid by Dec. 1, he said, but they are not paid from the same source as the amounts due the schools.

"A Fool Thinketh"

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Being thoughts of one who has time to think about things while confined at home.

You see so many farming renters that do not have an idea as to what they will do nor where they will live another year. They are the people who have my sympathy. That state of uncertainty is horrible, especially when you have a wife and a few children depending on you. Get close to God. He can and will arrange everything for you if you will only trust him.

Cash is so very scarce these days that even our courts see the point and are giving time instead of fines in almost every conviction. What will the state do with all these new boarders? A report on prisons a week or so ago gave to Alabama prisons a very large number more than the State had accommodations for—Kilby with over 1400 more than they had room for.

They talk a whole lot about "cooperation" now. Who is going to "cooperate" with the thousands who are absolutely down and out now? Cooperation with God is the only kind that many of us can secure and the assured remedy for hard times.

People talk too much. If you have nothing else to talk about but to scandalize your neighbors, you better sew up your mouth.

It is an encouraging sign in these dark days of depression to see so many thousands of people all over our country beginning to realize the true cause of our conditions and turning back to God and begging for His help. Before long now this tide of repentance will sweep the country and the gladsome days will return again.

Take deception, lying, misrepresentation and greed out of our politics and both the old parties would be much safer for us to trust than they are at present. They have both fallen into the hands of "robbers and thieves" as things stand today.

Society may not be any worse today than it used to be, but all night "joy rides" with a pint or two "on your hip" were unheard of or even dreamed of in those old fogy days.

We have entirely too many laws these days, hence, the slack enforcement. For instance, we have so many school laws now that the system has actually run aground.

It is estimated that it would require more than half our population to enforce all of the laws and that would put the other half in jail.

It is about as silly for the average editor to try to tell the farmers how to farm as it is for the big man in Washington to undertake to sit in their offices and fix the acreage, the variety and amount each farmer must plant.

Every man in the country wants to "help the poor farmer." Yes, that's right. They want to help him dispose of it and they generally do—corn at 50 cents and cotton at 5. They "help" him all right—help him into bankruptcy.

When is the last time you have seen a really disinterested act of kindness performed?

It's funny how both drivers are always innocent when two autos collide.

We are living in an age when we do not have time to consider the right or wrong of any matter. The only question is "Can we get by?"

You can say what you please about Dr. Bob Jones, but you can hardly fail to admit that he is doing a most wonderful work for the Master these days. Without money and without price he is certainly spreading the great story of salvation to thousands and tens of thousands these days. All honor to him.

The way the Bond issue was attended to last week is the most cheering piece of news I have heard of in a long time. The people certainly woke up that time and may they never slumber again.

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Mrs. B. A. Mull, Harvey Mull and little Wilbert Grove, of Stanton were among the visitors to Clanton Tuesday. While in town, they were pleasant callers at the News office.

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O. F. Davenport, who resides on Maplesville, Route One, was among the visitors to Clanton Tuesday, and was a caller at the News office.

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Come and see Berniece Williams as a Turkish maiden, in "Saftey First" at high school.

Chilton High Nets Victory Over Montevallo Team

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er. The extra point was not made after this goal.

At this point Montevallo in possession of the ball unleashed a deluge of long passes which caught the Clanton team flat footed and which advanced the ball into the shadow of the Chilton goal. There their drive was stopped by the stand of the Chilton team and the end of the quarter period.

In the second period Chilton tallied again on a long sweeping end run by Harris. Harris went over standing up and hardly a Montevallo tackler came near to him. The try for extra point also fell short this time and Chilton had a one sided lead of 19-0.

Chilton opened the half with more driving and fast running plays and soon Burdette carried the ball over the left side of the line for the fourth score of the game. During this period Clanton held the ball and Montevallo was hardly given a chance to open up again with a passing attack.

The last tally of the game came during the last minutes of play when Chilton advanced the ball up the field behind the spectacular running of Arnold and the other stellar Clanton backs and Arnold drove across for the score. There were only a few more minutes to play and Chilton had a commanding lead which could hardly be overcome. Coach Walker rushed in an almost entirely new second team of Subs. These subs drove the ball across the line thru their opponents for the extra point bringing the score to thirty-two to nothing.

Montevallo seemed to take heart at the substitutions and after the next kick-off took possession of the ball and deluged the Chilton subs with a barrage of passes which ended only when a Montevallo player dropped a pass as he was standing behind his own goal. This was Montevallo's last scoring threat and as the game ended Chilton was starting back up the field for another touchdown.

The entire Chilton team functioned well. The Chilton lads outweighed the Montevallo boys by a good many pounds in the line and kept the Montevallo line off its feet during almost all the game.

Chilton's backfield showed up well during the game, functioning with with hardly a hitch. Arnold at fullback was the most outstanding player in the Chilton backfield. Time and again he shot outside his tackle and round end for gains of ten and fifteen yards which meant touchdowns.

Chilton was hardly called upon to do any kicking and tried only one pass which was knocked down by Montevallo. The whole game was cleanly and hard fought and Montevallo played a heads up game, but was unable to stem the Clanton tide.

Clanton meets Holtville here on the Chilton field next Friday afternoon and a good game may be expected. Chilton should not experience much difficulty with the Holtville team. Holtville has met the Isabella team this year and defeated them by a score of seven to nothing. Clanton has defeated Isabella twice, once by 18 and again by 19 points. This would prove Clanton to be two touchdowns better than Holtville. But then scores don't mean so much and Holtville will probably not be as easily tripped as it seems at the present. Everyone who is interested in the Clanton team should come out next Friday afternoon and see the Clanton team in action.

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Goodyear Has On A Weekly Prize Contest

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"Car owners in Chilton County are urged to tune in their radios November 10, for a weekly prize contest announcement that is certain to interest everyone who operates a car," declares Dief's Service Station, Goodyear tire dealer located at Clanton.

"Over a nation-wide hookup of 54 stations in the NBC network through WEAF, the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. of Akron, whose tires I have sold for _ years, is putting on a splendid radio program each Tuesday evening at 7:30 p.m., and each Saturday night at 8:00 o'clock featuring John Phillip Sousa and his band, Arthur Pryor and his band, the famous Melton, James, Dewey and Glenn quartet and a complete concert-dance orchestra," said Mr. Diefenderfer.

"The contest is an added feature, and I hope that everybody in the city will listen for the announcement which will be made every night starting November 10."

National attention was created by the first broadcast in the Goodyear biweekly radio program with the commissioning ceremony of the airship U. S. S. Akron by the Navy at Lakehurst, N. J. Goodyear-Zeppelin Corp., a subsidiary of the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., designed and built this new air cruiser, Mr. Diefenderfer said.

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See Ruth Sessions as the sympathetic Irish maid in "Safety First."

Enterprise School News

We have a fine enrollment of nearly three hundred in school this year and had fine attendance for the first month, our average for the entire school being 92%. Miss Campbell's room led in attendance, their average being 97%.

We have two new teachers this year, Mr. Marion Smith in the Junior High Department and Miss Mabel Wilkins, the first grade teacher. Mr. Smith is coaching our boys team and under his able direction the boys are showing much progress.

We are glad to have Gulma Traywick back with us after being out two weeks with an infected foot.

The boys and girls that do not play basket ball are organizing a volley ball team. We soon hope they will have their ball and net.

Our boys will meet the Mt. Pleasant team on the home court Friday afternoon. We expect this to be a very interesting game and we want a large crowd.

The Junior III Club will have its second meeting Friday morning. Everyone has been asked to suggest a name for the club and the members will vote on the most appropriate one. The slogan is "Better Every Day English."

There will be a Christian Endeavor social at the home of Miss Lottie Edwards Saturday night. All members are cordially invited.

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Miss Edith Hand who holds a position with the Public Adjustment Agency in Birmingham, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hand.

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See Mr. Quinn as a defective detective in "Safety First."

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Relieves a Headache or Neuralgia in 30 minutes, checks a Cold the first day, and checks Malaria in three days.

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HOWARD GARAGE

Verbena, Ala.

News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

M. J. Barrett of Selma, Ala., who for many years resided in Thorsby, was fatally injured Tuesday morning while working with a hay press and died the same day at four o'clock. The remains will be brought to Thorsby for burial Thursday. He will be buried in Thorsby at the Concordia Cemetery, Rev. J. E. Each in charge. Mr. Barrett is survived by his widow.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin and little Peggy Mims spent Thursday with Mrs. C. M. Gray.

Miss Dorothy Von Franklin spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gray of Ensley spent the week end in Thorsby with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Adams.

Miss Anna Werness spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mr. Jim Honeycutt of Atlanta spent the week end in Thorsby with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kendrick of Birmingham spent Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kendrick.

Miss Cecila Baldwin spent the week end in Mt. Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Devaughn Strock of Chattanooga visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Merchant the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bean spent the week end in Thorsby with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mims.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Oliver of Verbena spent Wednesday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Taylor of Birmingham spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Laurell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Townsend of Birmingham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Laurell.

There will be a chicken supper at the Mt. Pleasant Junior High School November 21st. Everyone bring your quarters and be there.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. John Childress, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Williams and Basaline and Guin Williams spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Foss and daughter, Edith, motored to Birmingham Thursday.

Miss Naemi Turnquist of Selma spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Bosworth and son Sydney, spent Sunday in Thorsby with Mr. and Mrs. James Bosworth.

Miss Theresa Bosworth of Selma spent the week end in Thorsby with Mr. and Mrs. James Bosworth.

Mr. T. R. Primm returned to his home in Tuskegee, Ala., last week after spending three weeks with his sister, Mrs. W. H. Raybon.

Miss Christine Bosworth spent the week end in Thorsby.

Miss Martha Williams spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. C. M. Williams last week.

Miss Winnie Garrett is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. M. Williams, for a few weeks.

Miss Sallye Thompson is spending a few days in Thorsby.

Mr. Cecil Each visited his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Each, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard and Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Each were the guests of Mrs. A. K. Horn of Montgomery last Friday.

Miss Esther Johnson of Birmingham spent the week end in Thorsby with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson.

Little Onita Bice is improving from her attack of scarlet fever.

Mrs. J. S. McNeil and children and Mrs. C. C. Horton and children spent Saturday in Birmingham.

Circle No. 2 met at the home of Mrs. B. T. Franklin Tuesday afternoon. Circle No. 1 met with them and they completed their study course at this meeting.

Dr. L. E. Barton of Montgomery will speak at the Thorsby Baptist church at eleven o'clock, the last Sunday of this month, November 29. All the neighboring churches are invited to attend this service.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mills returned to their home in Flint, Mich., Monday morning after spending some weeks with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Lucas.

The Baptist Social will meet at the home of Mrs. G. C. Wilder Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williams and two grandchildren of Mulberry community spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Williams.

The Union Prayer meeting meets at the Congregational church Wednesday night, following which the Chilton County Song Society wil lhave song services at the Baptist church.

Mr. Erchell Martin has secured work at the Texaco Filling Station in Clanton.

Mr. Willie Scott spent the week end in Thorsby with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Rushon D. Gibbons spent the week end in Thorsby with relatives.

Mrs. T. W. Robinson and Jennie spent Saturday in Birmingham shopping.

Burton Filmore Berry, six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Berry of Deatsville and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Higgins of Thorsby, died in a hospital in Montgomery last Saturday at midnight following an operation for appendicitis. Interment was held at Deatsville Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Howard and daughter, Mabel, spent Sunday in Morris, Ala., with Mrs. Kenneth O'Barr.

Mrs. John Johnson, son George, and Mrs. Scogan of Ensley visited friends in Thorsby Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Each and Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Butler left Tuesday to attend a convention at Phoenix City, Ala., for a few days.

Mr. Harry Thompson has moved his machine and jewelers shop from the old Franklin Garage to the rear of the Thorsby Drug Company building previously occupied by the Jeffries Shoe Shop.

All those who have news which they would like to have put in the paper, please leave it at the Thorsby Depot.

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Thorsby Institute News

The Christian Endeavor Society was led last Sunday by Odell Rowe. World Peace was the general subject considered. Flags of various nations were on the wall and the leader told to which nation each flag belonged. One thought brought out was that if the amount spent in the World War had not been so spent it could have provided everyone a home costing $4,000 apiece, a $5,000,000 hospital, $5,000,000 library, and $10,000,000 college for each city of 20,000 or more inhabitants and still have left a sum equal to the value of all private and public property in France and Belgium before the war. The money so spent would have been constructive rather than destructive.

Next Saturday night everyone is invited to come to Thorsby Institute to the Helen Keller Literary Society meeting. The Operetta, "Christina of Greenland," will be presented at 7:30. Admission will be 15 cents and 25 cents to all not pupils or teachers at the Institute.

On November 28 the school will have its Annual Stunt Night. This is always an enjoyable occasion. A small admission of ten cents will be charged.

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Maplesville News

Rev. Stafford filled his regular appointment at M. E. church Sunday evening. The people have appreciated Bro. Stafford and the church has paid up and ready for conference.

The many friends of Mr. Jack Northrup will indeed regret to learn of his death on Sunday morning at 3:15, November 1. at his home at Kerville, Tex. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Northrup, accompanied by Mr. Charlie Smith reached Kerrville on October 31. They are expected to return to Maplesville some time this week.

Those attending Sunday School conference at Clanton Baptist church Monday afternoon were Mesdames C. N. Parnell, J. W. Foshee, F. A. Shanks, T. R. Edmondson, Frankie Seales.

Miss Betty Baldwin spent the week end with parents at Mt. Greek.

Charlie Haggard, student at Livingston, spent the week end with parents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cobern, Miss Kathrine Deramus and Mrs. Sallie Perry spent Sunday in Birmingham as guests of Dr. and Mrs. Fred Cobern.

Mrs. H. S. Watkins has returned to her home at Robertsdale, Ala., after several days visit to her daughter, Mrs. Dudley Nix.

Miss Ruth Mize, teacher at County Line, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Mize.

Miss Elizabeth Parnell, teacher at Guntersville, and Miss Lucy Parnell, student of Alabama College, Montevallo. Ala., were week end guests of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. N. Parnell.

Miss Estelle Davis spent the week end with her parents at Cox, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Davis.

The many friends of Mr. Walker and his sisters, Misses Margaret and Sallie, hope for them a speedy recovery of serious illness.

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C. C. H .S. News Items

Junior I: First Honor Roll: Thelma Arant, Margie Nell Jones, Jane Neighbors, Edith Parrish, Annie Rea Wilson Second Honors: Mary Armstrong, Helen Eubanks, Mildred Popwell.

Junior III: First Honors: Rozelle Gentry, Dixie Johnson, Helen Roberts, Elsie Vinson, Wade Alford, Alice Petty. Second Honors: Evelyn McKee.

Senior I: Second Honors: Maralyn Hardy, Lucile Johnston, Nell Neighbors, Jeanette Sumner, Joe Moore, Virgil Robinson, Hilda Hart, Frances Rasberry, John Ezell, Renfroe Price, Dan Smith.

Senior II: First Honors: Margaret Johnston, Louise Knox, Myrtle Robinson. Second Honors: Faye Petty, Dorothy Sessions, Mary Robinson, Dewey Williams, Grady Carter, Mabel Harris, Tina Hyman, Pearl Vinson, Flora Jones, Clara Mae Mims, Elizabeth McSwain.

Senior III: Second Honors: Tom Tiffin, Ruth Maddox, Joe VanDerveer, Delene Durbin, Ethel Mae Jones, Elizabeth Stanley, Herman Harris, Sallye Mahan, Jane Roberts, Mary Nell Jones.

Mr. Sigwald Visits School
(By Nell Neighbors)

Mr. Sigwald, Boy Scout Executive, was here Thursday. He talked on the subject of scouting, which was enjoyed by all. The scouts were asked to stand at attention and repeat the scout oath

He then asked John Ezell to talk on the progress that troop 47 has made during the last year. J. C. Connel, Lay Dam Scout, talked on the progress that troop 51 has made in the last year.

Everyone enjoyed these talks and we want to thank Mr. Sigwald for his splendid talks and to visit our school again.

Boy Scouts Speak at Kiwanis
(John Ezell)

Last Thursday at 12:00 the three local patrol leaders of the Clanton troop and the Lay Dam troop were guests of the local Kiwanis Club along with the Scout Executive, Mr. Sigwald. The following topics were spoken on by the following scouts: The History of Troop 47, by Morgan Reynolds. What Troop 47 Has Done the Last Year, by Joe Moore. What Scouting Has Meant to Me, by John Ezell. What Troop 51 Has Done Last Year by J. C. Connell. The Value of a Scout Executive, by Thomas Marcus.

The purpose of these talks was to create an interest in raising the proper funds to carry on scout work during the coming year.

C. C. H. S. Glee Club Entertains

The entire student body enjoyed very much the entertainment given Friday morning at assembly period by Miss Mary Ellis and the high school glee club. They rendered a beautiful song entitled: "Mighty Like A Rose." Several new pupils have joined the club, and it is showing progress every week.

We are deeply indebted to Miss Ellis and her glee club, for their enthusiasm and interest shown since the organization of the first of school back in September.

Masterpieces of Modern Art Put On Exhibit

Traveling Gallery comes to C. C. H. S. with 150 Subjects represented. Many latest workers are included.

The Art Exhibit to be held at the Chilton County High School during the week of November 30-December 4, is creating quite a bit of comment. This exhibit will no doubt attract many visitors and is eliciting the praise of all who are familiar with this type of art work.

This collection of 150 fine prints reproduced directly from the original is said to be the most artistic exhibit ever displayed here. The original of these are in the most famous Art Galleries of the world.

This Art Exhibit will be fostered by the P.-T. A. of the high school, and will be open to the public each afternoon from 3:00 to 5:00 o'clock.

"Tell me what pictures hang upon his walls and what books are his companions and I will tell you what manner of a man he is," the words of a wise man.

That the school should train for the use and choice of good books is accepted and every school does this obviously, to a greater or less extent. But to be well educated means a many sided development and the knowledge of art is one of the prerequisites of modern education.

Dr. Carmichael Addresses Local Meeting of P.-T. A. This Afternoon

It is generally known that Dr. O. C. Carmichael is one of the leading educators of the South. This man is to lecture to a joint meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association at the High School Auditorium this afternoon at 3:00. We especially urge every parent and others interested in the promotion of education in general to be present on this occasion.

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Eastview News

Mr. L. Prickett and Miss Catherine Strength united in the bonds of holy matrimony Sunday a.m. at the home of Rev. Culpepper.

Mr. J. A. Dobbs and family and Mr. Charlie Mims and family and Mr. and Mrs. Riley Culpepper made a business trip to Prattville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Newman of Sylacauga were the week end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Nelson.

T[illegible]ian Endeavor rendered a good program Sunday night. The topic was "Our Share in Making World P[illegible]."

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[illegible] ill meet again next [illegible] afternoon. We are ex[illegible] ms from Clanton and other visiting singers. Let's all come and ha[illegible]

All visitors are welcome.

Rev. J. E. Each and son, William, were visitors in our community Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mims had for their guests Sunday Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson and Mr. and Mrs. Obe Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Henson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Glenn Saturday night.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson, Mr. S. P. Smith and Miss Jessie Bell Speer left Tuesday for Phoenix City to attend the United Conference of Congregational and Christian churches.

Mr. J. A. Dobbs and family were the dinner guests of Mr. O. P. Henson and family.

Rev. A. C. Nelson has accepted a call to a church at Haleyville, Ala., where he will go once each month to conduct services.

Come to Sunday school and Christian Endeavor next Sunday.

Mr. Easterling Henson spent a few days last week with his brother, Mr. O. P. Henson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Nelson of Tallassee, Ala., are visiting their son, Rev. A. C. Nelson.

Mrs. A. C. Nelson and daughter, Carmelia, were the dinner guests of Mrs. M[illegible] Teel Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Nelson were the all-day guests of Mrs. Sallie Strength last Thursday.

Several from here attended the singing at Mt. Pisgah last Sunday. They [illegible] good singing.

Mr. [illegible]rd Rushing of Billingsley visited his mother, Mrs. Clara Rushing, of Eastview.

[illegible] Riley Culpepper have moved into our community. We welcome them into our midst.

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Sardis News

[illegible] Homer Carroll filled his regular appointment Saturday and Sunday. A good crowd attended both days.

Misses Lela and Ellen Minor are spending a few days with relatives in this community.

Mrs. John Kendrick spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Keen.

Mr. F. G. Ratliff and family of Selma spent last week end with homefolks.

Mrs. John Kendrick, Mrs. Lurain Klinner, Mrs. Celia Klinner and Mrs. Maggie Williams spent a few hours Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Lula Ratliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Elige Deason and little son, Otto, of Selma spent Sunday with parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Deason.

Friends of Mrs. Zora Headley will regret to hear that she was carried to Selma Hospital Sunday for an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Elonza Hayes of Selma spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Short.

Billingsley News

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Apperson spent Sunday with their sons, Henry Milton and Otto Apperson, at Jacksonville, Ala.

Messrs. T. L. Patrick, G. T. Dickinson and E. B. Mills attended services at Big Springs church Sunday speaking in interest of the Every Member Canvass.

Mrs. P. L. Donahoo was the guest of her sister at Talladega Sunday.

Prof. and Mrs. R. E. Upton visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Vinzant at Vida Thursday evening.

The elementary teachers were in Prattville Saturday taking the Extension Course.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Williams of Montgomery were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. C. A. and L. A. Marlar were in Tuscaloosa Monday on business.

An interesting game of basket ball was played here Friday afternoon between the high school here and the Maplesville team, Maplesville being victorious.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Overstreet, Mrs. J. F. King, Mrs. E. H. Downs, Mrs. J. C. Hughes, Rev. A. S. Bentley and Mr. B. M. Durden attended the funeral of Mrs. W. A. Overstreet at Evergreen church Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. King have had their home remodeled into a modern bungalow and are welcoming their friends in their new home.

Preaching service at the Baptist church next Sunday morning and evening by the pastor. Everyone cordially invited to attend.

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Mrs. L. E. Diefenderfer Hostess To Thursday Sewing Club.

The Thursday Afternoon Sewing Club was delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. L. E. Diefenderfer last Thursday. Those enjoying this event were Mesdames John Browder, John Armstrong, Hugh Simpson, T. C. McSwain, P. T. Hinkle and Mallie White. A delicious salad plate was served.

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Mr. Davis Cooper, State B. Y. P. U. Director, of Montgomery, is attending Sunday School Institute here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Callen and daughter, Ann, Mr. Alec Callen and Mrs. P. C. Smith spent Sunday in Fitzpatrick with Mrs. W. F. Moss.

Miss Zora Guy accompanied the Griffins of Isabella to Montgomery last Saturday, attending the football game between Auburn and Tulane.

Mrs. C. E. Stapp is with her father, Dr. Seay, who is ill at his home in Fernbank, Ala.

Master Billy Callen reports a very enjoyable week end spent in Fitzpatrick as the guest of Mrs. W. F. Moss.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Gantt who have recently moved to Clanton spent Sunday in Selma, their old home.

Mr. Willie Scott of Montgomery was in Clanton Sunday visiting friends.

The many friends of little Miss Lillian Smith regret to learn of her illness.

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Mrs. Napoleon Johnson Hostess To Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club.

Mrs. Napoleon Johnson entertained at her home last Wednesday afternoon the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club. Those enjoying this afternoon of games were Mesdames John Deramus, H. C. Falkenberry, Julius Burnett, Grady Reynolds, Arthur Johnson, F. J. Callen, Hugh Simpson and L. F. Gerald. They were served a delicious salad plate. The high score prize was won by Mrs. Callen.

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Mr. Leroy Horn of Birmingham visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Scott of Huntsville is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mullins.

Mr. James Roberts, a student at A. P. I., spent the week end in Clanton with friends and relatives.

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Mrs. T. C. McSwain Hostess To Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club.

The Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club was delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. T. C. McSwain. A delicious salad plate was served to the following members: Mesdames Omar Reynolds, Grady Broadhead, Norman Roberts, Hosea Downs, and Miss Madelyn Orr. The invited guests were Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway and Mrs. Flem Higgins. High score prize was awarded to Mrs. Broadhead.

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Misses Gladys, Delene, Berniece Williams, Mr. James Roberts, and Grover Williams attended the Howard-Spring Hill football game in Montgomery Friday night.

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Mrs. L. C. Warr Hostess To The "As You Like It Club."

The following members were delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. L. C. Warr last Thursday: Mesdames D. W. Haskew, J. B. Atkinson, W. W. Fox, W. A. Reynolds, L. H. Reynolds, Percy Pitts, T. H. Neighbors, G. C. Walker, Flem Higgins, W. E. Martin, Tom Burdette, H. C. Falkenberry, V. J. Gragg, M. A. Gore and D. C. Alred, Mrs. V. J. Elmore and Mrs. Parker Taylor.

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Mrs. Sam Huett of Hartselle, Ala., is attending Sunday School Institute at the local Baptist church.

Mr. William Hester spent the week end at home.

Miss Delene Williams, a student at Howard College, spent the week end with her parents and had as her guest Mr. Grover Williams, also a student at Howard.

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Young Matrons Sewing Club Entertained at Home of Mrs. John D. Mullins

Mrs. John D. Mullins delightfully entertained the Young Matrons Sewing Club. Those enjoying this occasion were Mesdames Milton Smith, Dewey Rockett, Grady Heflin, Joe Higgins, Loren Smith, Spurgeon Calloway, Horace Jones, and Horsley White and Miss Irene Raspberry. Mrs. Frank Scott was a guest. A delicious salad plate was served.

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Misses Gladys and Delene Williams, Mrs. N. L. Roberts, James Roberts and Grover Williams attended the Auburn-Tulane game in Montgomery Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Trotter of Martin Dam were in town Monday.

Miss Ruth Sessions spent the week end in Birmingham with friends.

Mrs. J. C. Jones and Mr. Reed Mullins left Sunday by motor on an unexpected call to Florence where Mrs. Jones's neice, Miss Nell Ross Mullins, is seriously ill.

Little Marion Smith, Jr., grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Polk, is critically ill at a Birmingham hospital.

The many friends of Mrs. Chester Mims will be sorry to learn that she is ill at her home.

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Mrs. L. F. Gerald Hostess To Friday Night Bridge Club.

The members of the Friday Night Bridge Club enjoyed a delightful evening at the home of Mrs. L. F. Gerald. Those enjoying this occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Hosea Downs, Mr. and Mrs. Fen Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Roberts, Dr. and Mrs. Napoleon Johnson, High score prizes were awarded to Mr. Hosea Downs and Mrs. Jones.

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Mrs. Louise Kadow of Vancouver, Wash., owns a cat which eats raw sauerkraut in addition to regular cat fare.

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A. G. Morse of Chicago, who testified in his divorce suit that he had to do all the housework, has remarried his former wife.

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Lawrence Collins of Paulton, Eng., was fined $50 for taking into church a rooster that stopped the service by its crowing.

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Rector Farnell. of Exter College, declared in an address that "jazz music comes from the devil, not so criminal as murder, but more degrading."

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"We represent the charities. Give until it hurts," said one of two men poking a pistol into the ribs of J. A. Falk of Chicago.

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A good many of us would like to settle on the basis of capacity to pay.

Walter Muller of Seattle, Wash., asked to be sentenced to Walla Walla state prison because the climate there suited him better.

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The only thing a burglar who entered the home of E. S. Frash of Ocala, Fla., took was a bath.

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The chairman of the national music committee of the American Legion auxilary is Mrs. S. M. Singer.

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WINESAP APPLES Nice Size	Dozen	13c
SLICED BACON Sunlight Rindless	Pound	25c
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W. E. Baker vs. Alabama Machinery & Supply Co., ejectment, judgment for plaintiff.

The H. C. Whitmer Co., a corp., vs. W. C. Mims, et als., account, continued.

International Projector Cor. vs. Earle Thomas, note, dismissed.

W. B. Giles vs. J. L. and Ervin Crawford, damage, dismissed.

Bankers Bond Co., a corp., vs. W. M. Polk, notes, continued.

Benson Paint & Varnish Co., vs. P. G. Marcus, Etc., account, continued.

S. M. & R. Co., Inc., a corp., vs. Mrs. W. C. Robinson, etc., account, judgment for plaintiff.

Ellis Rhodes vs. D. C. and J. Hance Alred, account, judgment for plaintiff.

R. Moates vs. Farmers Gin & Warehouse Co., etc., detinue or damage, judgment for plaintiff.

Edward Rogers, etc., vs. L. & N. R. R. Co., and W. A. Geiger, damage, judgment for plaintiff.

J. E. Rogers vs. L. & N. R. R. Co., and W. A. Geiger, damage, judgment for plaintiff.

J. E. Rogers vs. L. & N. R. R. Co., and W. A. Geiger, damage, judgment for plaintiff.

George McCain vs. Farmers Gin & Warehouse Co., etc., detinue or damage, ocntinued.

E. Robinson vs. Farmers Gin & Warehouse Co., etc., detinue or damage, continued.

Lue Langston vs. Southern Railway Co., a corp., continued.

J. R. Peek vs. J. L. and Ervin Crawford, damage, dismissed.

Mrs. Ida J. Bradford vs. Mrs. Evelyn W. Christ, damage, non-suit.

Lee Edwards vs. Dr. E. G. Hyman, damage, non-suit.

Consumer's Roofing Co., a corp., vs. J. Freddie Dennis, account, judgment by consent for plaintiff.

Central Alabama Hospital, a corp., vs. Capital Coaches, a corp., account, judgment for plaintiff.

Taylor Wholesale Co., etc., vs. Estate of D. I. Deramus, etc., note, continued.

Cleve Adams vs. W. E. Smith, damage, judgment for plaintiff.

J. D. Cleckler vs. J. S. Williams, appeal from J. C., judgment for defendant.

J. A. Maddox, et als., vs. A. L. Giles, note, dismissed.

John Sparks vs. W. L. Mikiel & Sou. Natural Gas Co., damage, continued.

Arley Sparks, a minor, etc., vs. W. L. Mikiel & Sou. Natural Gas Co., damage, continued.

Wampold Loeb Shoe Co., etc., vs. W. C. Robinson, etc., account, continued.

N. C. Peterson, et als., vs. Drennen Motor Car Co., a corp., damage, continued.

Tiffin-Klinner, a Partnership, etc., vs. J. M. Wright, damage, judgment for plaintiff.

Burnice Hubbard vs. J. M. Wright, damage, continued.

K. V. Klinner vs. J. M. Wright, damage, continued.

Mrs. Francis D. Edwards vs. Lee Edwards, et als., contest of Will of J. W. Edwards, judgment accordingly.

Plosser Knecht Flour & Grain Co. vs. S. J. Reynolds, note, judgment for plaintiff.

Alabama Machinery & Supply Co., a corp., vs. John Rockett, doing business, etc., account, judgment for plaintiff.

C. W. Beggs Sons & Co., vs. G. W. Moore, doing business, etc., account, continued.

Prometheus Electric Cor., a Body Corp., vs. J. E. Edgar, note, judgment for plaintiff.

W. I. Mullins vs. Tom C. Cleckler, et als., account, judgment for defendant.

J. A. Maddox and A. D. Maddox, etc. vs. Grady Sawyers and D. Y. Johnston, judgment for plaintiff.

A. C. Smith vs. J. D. Ray and M. F. Blankenship, etc., claim suit, continued.

J. N. Scott vs. J. E. and S. A. Lovett, appeal from J. P. C., continued.

The J. R. Watkins Co., a corp., vs. J. P. Parrish, et als., account, continued.

F. L. Headley vs. W. G. Blow, note, judgment for defendant.

J. M. Johnson vs. E. E. Plier, damage, judgment for plaintiff.

The H. C. Whitmer Co., vs. W. A. Jones, et als., account, judgment for plaintiff.

Alice Lee vs. W. A. Sellers, damage, judgment for plaintiff, $200.

Annie Gross vs. W. A. Sellers, damage, judgment for plaintiff, $45.

C. E. Lee vs. W. A. Sellers, damage, judgment for plaintiff, $350.

The John Deere Plow Co. vs. N. O. and W. Buster Roebuck, note, judgment for plaintiff.

Southern Holding Co., a corp., vs. H. H. Webb, note, transfer to Equity Court.

J. P. Lawrence vs. Eric Hart, detinue, property ordered sold for judgment.

Moore & Handley Hardware Co., vs. Eric Hart, doing business, etc., account, judgment for plaintiff.

B. M. Inzer vs. Mrs. A. S. Boyd, damage, continued.

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New Cedron News

Our B. Y. P. U. is improving. We have another new member. We also had some visitors Sunday whom we invite back.

We are glad to learn that little Jettie Myrle Owen is improving.

Mr. Lon Busby and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Collins.

Miss Ollean Terrell spent Saturday night with Mrs. E. E. Rollins.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cox spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Baker.

Miss Pauline Collins spent Sunday night with Miss Myrle Busby.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Cox spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brown.

Myrtle Jones spent Saturday night and Sunday with Lela Devaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Moates visited Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Jones Thursday night.

Mr. Joe Williams spent Sunday night with Mr. J. F. Devaughn and family.

Ressie Devaughn spent Thursday night with Mrs. G. B. Jones who has been ill.

Mr. Joe Bowman spent Saturday night with Mr. Joe Terrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Rainey Jones and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rollins.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burnett spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Burnett.

Remember Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. next Sunday at two o'clock. Come and bring someone with you. Everyone is invited.

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The successful operation of the railroads is of vital importance to every American. You, as an individual, may not own any railroad securities but all over the Nation, financial, educational and charitable institutions are, because of large holdings of railroad securities, seriously concerned in the earning power of railroad stocks and bonds. Thus both our business and social structure are linked with the prosperity of our railroads. Their prosperity is your prosperity and railroad problems your problems.

Present economic conditions and unregulated competition have placed the railroads of the United States in a perilous position. If these conditions are permitted to continue, we may face even greater economic disturbances than are now harassing the Nation.

Read these startling figures. In 1930 the number of cars loaded with revenue freight fell 7,000,000 below the figure for 1929, and the freight revenues decreased $742,000,000, or 15 per cent.

Passenger revenues decreased $144,000,000, and the total revenues, including mail, express, etc., decreased approximately one billion dollars. The rate of return earned on railroad property invested, fell from 4.84 per cent in 1929, to 3.30 per cent in 1930—and for the first 8 months of 1931 the rate of return was 2.14 per cent.

To what extent the railroads have been involved in the present unemployment situation, can be seen by the fact that the number of railroad employees has declined from 1,661,000 in 1929, to 1,488,000 in 1930.

Payrolls and purchases of materials and supplies have decreased to such a degree as to entail a loss of $637,000,000 in the purchasing power of the railroads and their employees.

These significant figures tell briefly the railroad story.

In spite of such tremendous losses the railroads have kept faith with the public and are rendering more satisfactory service, in safety, speed, and luxurious equipment than ever before in their colorful history.

It is time to consider the railroad problem, honestly and without prejudice. Your patronage and good will is the foundation upon which their success depends. They also need, and ask, your cooperation in obtaining legislative relief for yourself and for them. If that success, which has meant so much to the Nation at large, is to be maintained in the future, the traveling and shipping public must lend their active support by patronizing the railroads.

The Railroads Must Earn To Spend L-6

LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE R.R.

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE AND SALE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Whereas, H. H. Dahl, and wife, Cora M. Dahl, executed to G. F. Harper, on towit, the 28th day of November, 1928, a mortgage upon the land hereinafter described to secure an indebtedness described therein, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate, Chilton County, Alabama in Mortgage Book 224, page 147, and

Whereas, said G. F. Harper, and wife, Mary E. Harper, did on the 16 day of November, 1931, transfer and assign said mortgage to G. E. Collins; And default having been made by grantors in payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage and in the performance of the terms of said mortgage;

Now Therefore, the said G. E. Collins, having declared due and payable the entire indebtedness secured by said mortgage, together with all other claims due under the terms of said mortgage, will sell, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, during the legal hours of sale, on the 28 day of November, 1931, at auction to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Courthouse door of Chilton County, Alabama, the lands embraced in said mortgage described substantially as follows:

The North ½ of Northeast ¼ of Southwest ¼, and the East ½ of Northwest ¼ of Southwest ¼, all in Sec. 5, Township 22, Range 14, containing 40 acres, more or less, and situated in Chilton County, Alabama.

Said sale being made, first, for the purpose of paying the expenses incident to this sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee; second, to reimburse the mortgagee or his transferee for money expended for taxes due on the property with interest thereon; third, for the payment of debts secured by said mortgage and the interest due.

G. E. Collins, Transferee.

By Raymond C. Smith, Attorney for Transferee. 10-29-2tch.

NOTICE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain mortgage executed by Solomon Hicks and wife Mamie Hicks, to T. U. Crumpton Co., a corporation, on the 6th day of February, 1918, which said mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 179 page 254, said mortgage having heretofore been duly transferred to and now owned by the undersigned Blossom Crumpton, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, I, Blossom Crumpton, will proceed to sell on Monday the 23rd day of November, 1931, in front of the United States Post Office in Maplesville, Chilton County, Alabama, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) of Section Fifteen (15) Township Twenty-one (21), Range Twelve (12), in Chilton County, Alabama.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the indebtedness secured by said mortgage, after the cost and expense of this sale, including a reasonable attorneys' fee shall have been deducted therefrom.

This the 21st day of October, 1931.

BLOSSOM CRUMPTON,
By Lawrence F. Gerald,
10-22-4tcG. Her Attorney.

REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton, a municipal corporation, Complainant, vs. Minnie McDaniel, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd Day Of November, 1931, the following described property, viz.: Commencing at the Southeast corner of lot owned by Robert Williams, and run 80 yds. to point of beginning, from said point of beginning, run West 35 yds. South 40 yds. East 35 yds. North 40 yds. to point of beginning, being in Northwest corner of Northwest-quarter of Section 2, Township 21, Range 14, one old build. in the Town of Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

REGISTEX'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton a municipal corporation Complainant vs. Pearl Foshee, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd Day of November, 1931. the following described property, viz.: One house and lot beginning at a point 75 feet West of the Northeast corner of South-half of Northwest-quarter of Section 2, Township 21, Range 14, run West 175 feet, South 642 feet, thence East 175 feet, thence North 643 feet to point of beginning, in Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton a municipal corporation Complainant vs. Joshua McDaniel Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd Day of November, 1931 the following described property, viz.: One 5 room dwelling house bounded on North by Bill Dickerson's property, East by Tom Robinson's property. One Lot beginning at Northwest corner of lot now owned by J. L. McDaniel and run along West line 59 feet, One watch.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs, & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

The Town of Clanton a Municipal corporation Complainant vs. G. A. Wyatt Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23, Day of November, 1931, the following described property, viz.: Lot number 7, in Block No. 12, Dwelling and lot in Gowan addition to Clanton, Chilton County, Ala.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton A Municipal corporation, Complainant vs. E. W. Burt, alias Earnest W. Burt Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd, Day of November, 1931, the following described property, viz.: Begin at a point 75 feet from Henry William's North line and 15 feet from Wiley William's West line, and run parallel with the West line in a Northerly direction 75 feet, thence West 90 feet thence in a Southerly direction 75 feet, thence East parallel with Henry William's North line 90 feet to point of beginning. In Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton, a municipal corporation Complainant vs. James Goldsmith Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M.,

On Monday, The 23rd, Day of November, 1931. the following described property, viz.: Beginning at a point 50 feet South of the Northeast corner of Southwest-quarter of Northeast-quarter, Section 2, Township 21, Range 14, run thence West 105 feet, thence South 50 feet, thence East 105 feet, thence North 50 feet to point of beginning. In Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama.

Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed on July 1, 1930, by J. H. Johnson and wife, Rosalie Johnson, to the undersigned mortgagee, to secure the payment of one note in the sum of Twenty-Three Hundred Thirteen and 49|100 Dollars and which note and mortgage was payable on September 12, 1931, with 8% interest on said note from February 1st, 1930, which said mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Ala., in volume 239 of Mortgages at page 444. The undersigned mortgagee will, on Monday, the 7th day of December, 1931, in front of the Court House door of Chilton County, Ala., in Clanton, Ala., during the legal hours of sale, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage offer for cash, at public outcry, to the highest bidder, the following described property, to-wit:

The Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of the Northwest - quarter (NW¼); The Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼); The Southwest quarter (SW¼) of the Southeast-quarter (SE¼); and thirty-three (33) acres in the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼), being that part of said forty acres which lies East of the Clanton and Maplesville Public Road, all in Section Ten (10): Also the East Half (E½) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) and the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Section Fifteen (15), all in Township Twenty-One (21) Range Thirteen (13), Chilton County, Alabama, and containing in all Two Hundred Seventy-Three (273) acres, more or less.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the expenses thereof, including a reasonable attorney's fee and for the payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage.

This the 31st day of October, 1931.

MRS. MARY CRAIG,
Mortgagee.

J. B. ATKINSON, Attorney for Mortgagee. 11-5-3tch

SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of Eight Hundred Sixty-Six and 94|100 Dollars less a credit of Four Hundred and 00|100 Dollars, principal and interest, the cost of which suit has been paid, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the November Term, 1931, of said Court, against Irby Deramus, John Deramus, Barnett Deramus, Harvey Deramus, Mrs. Kate Deramus Barton, and Mrs. C. G. Deramus, doing business as The Estate of D. I. Deramus, in favor of Geo. D. Witt Shoe Co., a corporation, I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the Court House door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M., and 4 o'clock, P. M., on Monday, the 7th day of December, 1931, all the right, title and the interest of the above named Irby Deramus, John Deramus, Barnett Deramus, Harvey Deramus, Mrs. Kate Deramus Barton and Mrs. C. G. Deramus, doing business as the Estate of D. I. Deramus, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

Lot No. 12 as shown by the map of C. A. Pickett of Verbena, Alabama, dated Sept. 24th. 1914, and which is the same Lot conveyed by W. M. Wardsworth and wife to D. I. Deramus on March 13th, 1900, by deed recorded in book 55 at page 509 in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, said Lot being the same Lot upon which the store building known as the D. I. Deramus Store is located.

Also that certain Lot in the Town of Verbena, Chilton County, Alabama, known as Lot B6, on which is, or was, located the Zimmerman Store House and which is the same Lot conveyed by Mary Carr Gibson Comer and husband B. B. Comer and S. L. Gibson and wife Mary Lee Gibson to D. I. Deramus, Jr., by deed dated August 31st, 1925, and recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 203, at page 168.

This, the 4th day of November, 1931.

W. H. GILLESPIE.
Sheriff.

Posted at the Court House door, November 4th, 1931.

W. H. GILLESPIE.
11-5-3tc Sheriff.

REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County. Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton, a municipal corporation, Complainant, vs. G. D. Little, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931 by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M.,

On Monday, The 23rd Day of November, 1931 the following described property, viz : Lot number 2, in Block 17, and dwelling house in Gowan addition to Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama. Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This the 23rd day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register.

REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

Town of Clanton, a Municipal corporation, Complainant vs. Sallie Gilchrist, Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 22nd day of October, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M.,

On Monday, The 23rd, Day of November, 1931. the following described property, viz.: One House and Lot in West Clanton, Alabama, known as the Wash Gilchrist lot, lying between Kicker Grove and Bowden place, being Three quarters of an acre, in Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama. Will sell for taxes, penalties, costs & etc.

This 23 day of October, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
10-29-3tcS. Register

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CLANTON, ALABAMA
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SAME PRICE forever 40 years
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25 OUNCES FOR 25¢
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ALL WE HAVE FOR WHAT WE CAN GET --- EXISTING DIFFICULT CONDITIONS, LOW PRICE OF COTTON AND FARM PRODUCTS FORCES US TO SACRIFICE OUR PROFITS AND THEN SOME --- OUR ENTIRE STOCK MUST BE RAPIDLY CONVERTED INTO READY CASH --- THE PRICE ROUTE IS THE ONLY WAY.

Special Opening Day

Thursday, November 12th

10 Yards Best Grade Yard-Wide LL 10-Cent Sheeting For

59 Cents

25c FREE 25c

Clip This Coupon

And bring it to our Store Opening Day—Thursday, November 12th. We will accept it as 25c on all purchases of $1.00 or over -- Only one coupon from a Customer

Special Opening Day

Thursday, November 12th

200 Pairs Ladies Pumps, Straps, and Slippers; worth up to $7.50—Take Your Choice

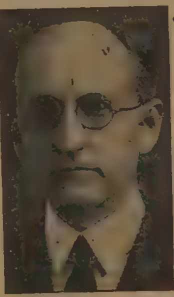
for $1.00 pr.

Special Opening Day

Thursday, November 12th

Good Grade 9|4 Bleached, and Unbleached Sheeting

SHEETING PER YARD 25c



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COME THURSDAY

You Will Be a Big Loser Sure if You Miss This

SALE

BOYS' SHOES: Special Lot Out On Tables	$1.48
SWEATERS: For men, women and children	49c & up
UNION SUITS: Boys' 75c Union Suits at	49c
UNION SUITS: Men's $1 Union Suits, Best Grade	75c
COTTON FLANNEL: 15c Cotton Flannel	10c
HOSIERY: Complete lines for all at Sale Prices from	10c & up
UNION SUITS: Children's 50c Union Suits	39c
WORK SHIRTS: Men's 75c Work Shirts; all sizes	45c

Sugar 1c lb.

Octagon Soap, 1c Bar

With every dollars worth of goods you buy during this Sale, we will sell you 1 lb. of Sugar for 1c or 1 bar Octagon soap for 1c. No Limit --- Nothing Like This Ever in Clanton Before.

DON'T MISS IT!!!

DRESS SHIRTS: Men's $1.00 Dress Shirts; all sizes	75c
CREPE: 50c Newport Crepe at	25c

MEN'S HATS: Men's $3.00 Hats Very Special	$1.50
LILLY SEWING THREAD: 400-yard Spools, Per Dozen	$1
50c SANTO NAPKINS Per Box	25c
LADIES DRESSES: Ladies' New $10.00 Dresses for	$4.95
HOSE: Ladies' Full Fashioned Hose	78c
SHOES: Come Here for Your Winter Shoes. You'll appreciate the great savings	
DRESS SERGE: $1.50 Dress Serge, Per Yard	95c
LADIES' DRESSES: Ladies' new $7.50 Dresses for	$3.95

The Sale Begins THURS., NOV. 12th

SALE CONTINUES UNTIL PRESENT STOCK IS SOLD

LADIES' WASH DRESSES	35c & up
DRESS LINEN: 75c Pure Dress Linen	45c
DRUID LL SHEETING Per Yard	6c
50c PIQUES: Solid Colors	35c

MATTRESS TICKING: Buck 10c Mattress Ticking	6c
TABLE DAMASK: 65c Fancy Border Table Damask	45c
FEATHER TICKING: Best 25c Feather Ticking	16c
CHILDREN'S BLOOMERS	15c & up

CRETONNE: 25c Yard-Wide Cretonne	18c
LADIES' BLOOMERS	29c & up
PRINTS: 20c Yard Wide Guaranteed Prints	15c
GOOD SUIT CASES: Sale Price	87c

The Sale Is On As Soon As You Get To The Store Thursday

Plenty of Bargains For All --- But The Best Goes First --- So COME EARLY

LADIES' RAYON UNDIES	39c & up
SILKS	SPECIAL SALE PRICES TO MOVE THEM ALL
DRESSES	EVERY DRESS IS Marked to sell in a hurry
BABY BLANKETS: Special at	45c & up

CHILDREN'S DRESSES: at	49c & up

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"No Profit Sale"
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LADIES' PURSES: Ladies Fine $1.50 Purses; Special	88c

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MILLINERY
At Special Clean-Up Sale Prices

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We thank you, one and all for your Patronage, which has made our business a Success In Clanton.

THE TIME HAS COME

In these Days of Panic and Hard Times for us to Show Our Appreciation for the Good Business Given us and Help You This we are doing in a Big Way in Our *"No Profit Sale"* Beginning Thursday

WE URGE ALL TO COME

and Share in These Savings. It Will Be Time and Money Well Spent.

Very sincerely,

W. H. SARTOR,
Manager.

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Clanton, Alabama
W. H. SARTOR, Mgr.

The FAIR

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My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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CHAPTER LXIII

Returning to Paris from the conference of allied commanders-in-chief at Senlis, October 25, 1918, I cabled a report of the proceedings to Washington, including my proposals in detail as enumerated in the previous chapter.

Marshal Foch did not definitely express his views at the conference, as may be recalled, but the following day he submitted his report to Prime Minister Clemenceau. Marshal Foch's recommendations embraced the main points proposed by the commander-in-chief, and were accepted by the supreme war council with practically no change.

In the light of later events we know Germany was more nearly beaten than the allied leaders realized at that time, and was, in fact, in no position to resume the fighting even had her government remained intact. Her last division was in line, her supply system was demoralized, and the congestion behind her lines made it practically impossible for her to move her armies in the face of the aggressive allies.

Instead of requiring the German forces to retire at once, leaving material, arms and equipment behind, the armistice terms permitted them to march back to their homeland with colors flying and bands playing, posing as the victims of political conditions.

If unconditional surrender had been demanded, the Germans would, without doubt, have been compelled to yield, and their troops would have returned to Germany without arms, virtually as paroled prisoners of war. The surrender of the German armies would have been an advantage to the allies in the discussion of peace terms and would have greatly facilitated their execution.

In conversation with M. Poincare some time after the war, he told me that, as president of the republic, he was in favor of demanding the surrender of the German armies, but that M. Clemenceau, his prime minister, insisted upon granting them an armistice.

The last phase of the Meuse-Argonne operations was to begin November 1. The American army was now able for the first time to prepare for an offensive with some deliberation, under reasonably normal conditions and more nearly on an equal footing with the other armies.

We had learned from reports and from photographs taken by our aviators that the enemy had greatly strengthened the most prominent points back of his lines, while captured documents indicated his intention of organizing a position along the west slopes of the Barricourt ridge. The eastern spurs of this ridge commanded all the crossings of the Meuse and formed a connecting link with the high ground east of the river about Cote Saint-Germain.

The infantry advanced to the assault at 5:30 the morning of November 1, following an accurate barrage of artillery and machine-gun fire, which beat down German resistance over a zone of 1,200 yards in depth. Squadrons of swift-flying combat planes drove the enemy planes from the air and fired on the hostile infantry, while the bombing squadrons harassed important points behind the enemy's lines. The attack went forward with precision, gaining momentum with every mile.

Enemy Badly Beaten Everywhere.

For the first time the enemy's lines were completely broken through. Although he had been badly beaten on all parts of the front he had hitherto been able to avoid this disaster. By the magnificent dash of our First army, however, the enemy now found himself in the same situation that had confronted the allies earlier in the war.

The Fifth corps in the center drove a wedge into the German defenses, swept through the zone of their artillery, and by night had reached the heights of Barricourt, five miles from the front of departure. The enemy's lines had been decisively crushed, thanks to the splendid performances of the Eighty-ninth and Second divisions.

The Third corps had strongly supported the Fifth corps, the Ninetieth division carrying all its objectives without a reverse, and the Fifth division on its right reaching the Meuse, north of Brieulles, and capturing Clery-le-Grand.

On the left of the army in the First corps the Eightieth division co-operated with the Second division in the capture of Imecourt and reached the corps objective north of Sivry. The remainder of the corps was unable, in spite of great efforts, to make much headway against the Bois des Loges, although the Seventy-eighth division did gain a foothold in that wood.

By the evening of November 1 the situation of the enemy was so serious that he had either to deliver a strong counter-attack or to withdraw from all territory south of Buzancy-Boult-aux-Bois. The blow struck by the First army had, however, given him such a shock that he was unable to take strong offensive action, although he still offered serious resistance.

Germans Hurled Beyond Meuse.

The attack continued with vigor November 2 and 3, the Third corps hurling the enemy beyond the Meuse near Dun-sur-Meuse and Stenay. The Fifth division on the 2nd captured Doulcon and the Ninetieth took Villers-devant-Dun. The following day the Ninetieth pushed through the woods on its front and established its line along the heights overlooking the river in the neighborhood of Villefranche.

In the Fifth corps the Eighty ninth division November 2 captured Tailly in the face of heavy machine-gun fire, and the following day seized Barricourt and drove the enemy backward to Beauclair. The Second division made a slight advance on this date, resuming the attack the 3rd.

That night the Third brigade (Col. James C. Rhea), by a perilous night march through the extensive Foret de Dieulet passed completely beyond the enemy's lines and captured German troops in their billets. By midnight the head of the column was in firm possession of la Tuilerie farm, just south of Beaumont.

The success of the attack in the center, November 1, compelled the retirement of the enemy on the entire front of the First corps. The Eightieth division on the 2nd reached the new German defensive position, broke through it and took Buzancy. The following day, against heavy fire, the Eightieth established its line along the road running southeast from St. Pierremont.

The Seventy-seventh division now succeeded in passing Champigneulles, and by the night of the 2nd had reached Harricourt. The following morning it drove the enemy to the hill north of St. Pierremont, where it was held up by heavy machine-gun fire.

Pershing Spends Day at Front.

The Seventy-eighth division captured the Bois des Loges the 2nd, and established its line along the eastern edge of the Bois de Bourgogne north to Briquenay, and continuing on the 3rd, captured Germont and Verrieres.

My diary notes:

> "Souilly, Thursday, November 7, 1918. Had long talk with Stettinius about ordnance on Monday. Visited Second army headquarters and found indications of withdrawal on that front.
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> "Spent the day at front. Went through Grandpre, overtaking Dickman's First corps headquarters at Harricourt; he was pushing troops toward Sedan. Returned through St. Juvin and found traffic in difficulties, many trucks having run off the road in the darkness. Gave directions to use lights on all motor transport.
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> "Received letter from Marshal Foch today asking for six American divisions for new offensive south of Metz. Our advance has been continuous. Recommended Harbord and McAndrews for promotion to grade of lieutenant general."

By November 4, the enemy, greatly disorganized, was retiring before the vigorous pursuit of our troops on the entire front of the First army. His withdrawal was strongly protected by cleverly placed machine guns and well-organized delaying operations.

The following telegram came to me on the afternoon of the 5th:

> "The operations begun November 1 by the First American army, due to the valor of the command and to the energy and bravery of the troops, have already assured results of great importance. I am happy to send you my congratulations.
>
> "FOCH."

CHAPTER LXIV

Our success had been so striking since the beginning of the November 1 attack that I felt full advantage should be taken of the possibility of destroying the armies on our front and seizing the region upon which Germany largely depended for her supply of iron and coal. In accordance with these views the following order was issued to the First and Second armies:

> "The energetic action of the First army should completely expel the enemy from the region between the Meuse and the Bar within the next few days. The results obtained by this army have been felt on the entire front from the Moselle to Holland. . . .
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> "It is desired that, in carrying out the directions that are outlined herein, corps and division commanders push troops forward wherever resistance is broken, without regard for fixed objectives and without fear for their flanks. Special attention will be given to impress upon all officers and soldiers that energy, boldness and open warfare methods are demanded by the present situation.
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> "2. The First and Second armies will at once prepare to undertake operations with the ultimate purpose of destroying the enemy's organization and driving him beyond the existing frontier in the region of Briey and Longwy. . . ."

Between the Meuse and Chiers rivers, north and northeast of Stenay, there was a very strong position which commanded the crossings in that vicinity. I believed that if we should cross the river south of Stenay and move in the direction of Montmedy we could turn this position and have an excellent opportunity to capture large numbers of German troops driven back on the line Sedan-Montmedy. By this maneuver we would also be in an advantageous position to advance on the important supply areas of Longwy and Briey.

An attack by the Third corps to the east across the Meuse, south of Dun-sur Meuse, in conjunction with the northward movement by the French Seventeenth corps, was prepared as a preliminary to a new line of advance to the east.

November 3, 4 and 5, the Fifth division of the Third corps in a brilliant maneuver on a wide front effected crossings of the Meuse and established bridgeheads south of Dun-sur-Meuse. The heights of the Meuse were gradually cleared by the Third corps and the French Second Colonial corps, which had relieved the French Seventeenth corps. Now for the first time since 1914, the French positions around Verdun were completely free from the menace of these heights.

In these operations the Fifth division, assisted by a regiment of the Thirty-second, on November 5 had captured Milly and established its line from there south to the Bois de Chatillon. By night of the 9th it had advanced to Remoiville and north of Mouzay.

Our front was also extended to the south, and by November 10 an excellent line of departure was secured for an offensive in the direction of Montmedy. The Seventy-ninth division (Kuhn), in the French Second Colonial corps, met decided opposition in its attacks of the 4th, 5th and 6th against the Borne de Cornouiller, and this strong point was finally taken on the 7th. On the following day the Seventy-ninth, with units of the Twenty-sixth division (Bamford) attached, advanced on its entire front, and on the 9th took Wavrille.

Between November 3 and 7 the Twenty-sixth division, on the right of the Seventy-ninth, made no attack. On the 8th it took up the pursuit of the retiring enemy, and by night of the 9th occupied a line which included Ville-devant-Chaumont.

The Eighty-first division (Bailey) entered the line as the right division of the French Second Colonial corps, November 7, relieving the Thirty-fifth division (Traub). Attacking on the 9th against stiff defense, it captured Manheulles and Moranville.

Reaching the Meuse.

The Eighty-ninth division, Fifth corps, overcoming stubborn opposition, captured Beaufort on the 4th and reached the Meuse. The Foret de Jaulny was cleaned up the following day, and Cesse was occupied. The Second division in its attack of the 4th suffered heavy losses and made slight headway, but during the next two days it continued rapidly, and by night of the 6th reached the Meuse south of Villemontry.

In the First corps the Eightieth division, on the 4th, in spite of the enemy's stand, captured Vaux-en-Dieulet and Sommauthe. The enemy retired during the night and the division took up the pursuit, overcoming vigorous rear guard resistance until reaching a line north and west of Beaumont. During the night of the 5th its progress continued, the division being relieved the next morning.

The Seventy-seventh division was effectively opposed on the 4th north and east of Oches, but on the 5th its line was pushed forward to the north of Stonne and La Besace. By night of the 6th the Seventy-seventh had reached the Meuse, Remilly and Villers being entered by its patrols.

The Seventy-eighth division on the 4th captured Les Petites Armoises, and on the following morning advanced more than a mile to the north. The Forty-second division relieved the Seventy-eighth on this line, and by the 6th established itself north of Bulson.

It was the ambition of the First army, and mine, that our troops should capture Sedan, which the French had lost in a decisive battle in 1870. I suggested to General Maistre that the prescribed boundary line between our First and the French Fourth army might be ignored in case we should outrun the French, to which he offered no objection, but on the contrary warmly approved.

To reach the objective the left boundary of the First army would have to be ignored, as Sedan lay to the northwest beyond that limit. The afternoon of November 5, the First corps was directed to bend its energies to capture Sedan "assisted on its right by the Fifth corps."

A misconception in the Fifth corps of the exact intent of my orders resulted in the First division erroneously going beyond the left boundary of the Fifth corps and marching directly across the sector of the First corps during the late afternoon of the 6th and throughout the night. The troops of the First division carried out this unnecessary forced march in fine spirit, despite their tired condition.

Considerable confusion resulted in the Forty-second and Seventy-seventh divisions, and their advance was delayed as roads became blocked by the columns of the First division. The Forty-second and the First then began a race for the honor of capturing Sedan. Part of these divisions had entered the zone of the French Fourth army and were waging a fight with the enemy for the possession of the heights south and west of Sedan.

The morning of November 7 found men of the Forty-second and the First divisions on the heights overlooking the city. Under normal conditions the action of the officer or officers responsible for this movement of the First division directly across the sectors of two other divisions would not have been overlooked, but the splendid record of that unit and the approach of the end of hostilities suggested leniency.

The enemy's main line of communications was now within range of the machine guns of the First army, which had driven him 24 miles since November 1. His position on the western front was no longer tenable and he urged immediate consideration of an armistice.

Late on November 9 Marshal Foch, then in conference with German representatives regarding the terms of the armistice, sent telegraphic instructions to all allied commanders in chief from which it might be inferred that he was uncertain regarding the outcome of negotiations and wished to let the enemy know that there would be no further delay. The following was the message received:

> "The enemy, disorganized by our repeated attacks, retreats along the entire front.
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> "It is important to co-ordinate and expedite our movements.
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> "I appeal to the energy and the initiative of the commanders in chief of their armies to make decisive the results obtained."

(continued next week)

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THE OLDEST CHURCH IN THE UNITED STATES

By Pleasant Grove Correspondent

The church of San Miguel was erected at Santa Fe, New Mexico, seventy-seven years before the landing of the Pilgrims on Plymouth Rock; twenty years before the founding of St. Augustine, Fla., and fifty-three years after the landing of Columbus.

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Georgia leads all states in the production of turpentine and resin with Florida second.

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Eighty-five per cent of the world's nickel supply comes from the Georgian bay region in Ontario

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For the 55th time since 1920, James [illegible] of Long Branch, N. J., recently went to jail on a disorderly conduct charge

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Pleasant Grove News

Mrs. Andrew Hatchett spent the day Sunday with her brother, Mr. G. W. Spivey.

Mrs. Laura Franklin has been having a cancer treated on her face, and has almost destroyed it. Mrs. Franklin has been troubled from others in the past.

Mr. Guy Hatchett is looking for friends from Wilton, Ala., to spend the week end with him. Among them are Mr. Pat Nolen and Miss Louise Nolen.

Hyman Franklin was bitten by a squirrel while getting it after a friend had shot it out of a tree

Mrs. Maggie Hodgen, Horace Hodgen, son, and Arless V., daughter, spent Saturday night and Sunday with mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mi[illegible]kelle[illegible]

Miss Rubye Wright spent the former part of last week in Birmingham

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Franklin spent the day with Mrs. Davie Dawson and son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dawson

Miss Willie C Clements was guest of Miss Ruby Wright Saturday night

HOW THE TWELVE APOSTLES DIED

By Pleasant Grove Correspondent

According to the generally received traditions of the church Andrew suffered martyrdom at Patrae, in Achaia, on a cross of the form known as St. Andrew's Cross; Bartholomew James, the elder son of Zebedee was beheaded. James, the brother of our Lord, was probably starved to death; Matthew died a natural death; Phillip died a violent death at Hiorapolis; but by what mode is uncertain; Simon Peter was crucified at Rome; Thaddeus or Jude, probably suffered martyrdom in Persia; John the beloved disciple, lived according to Jerome to be about 100 years old, and died at Ephesus; Simon Zelotes was crucified at 129 years of age; Thomas was put to death in India, and Judas Iscariot hung himself.

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ARMISTICE DAY

November 11 marked the 13th anniversary of the Armistice which ended the world's greatest tragedy. Yet the effects of the war are still felt everywhere, and unrest is as widespread as it was before that great struggle

In spite of the efforts which have been made since 1918 in the interest of peace the outlook for the future is not reassuring. The needs and aspirations of nations are unsatisfied, and the desire [illegible] can not be met without encroachment upon its neighbors.

[illegible] Manchuria and Mongolia, where the conflicting interests of China, Japan and Russia menace the peace of the Far East

While less acute for the moment, the racial and economic antagonisms among European nations still exist, and the political air is filled with distrust

In view of these conditions, Armistice Day this year should remind all people of the horrors of the last war, and cause them to pause before taking any aggressive step which might lead to another.

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Wanted --- Pine Knots

The boys who build fires down at the News office every morning need some kindling. Pine knots of any kind that can be chopped up will be satisfactory. Will accept any kind on subscription, allowing 25% above market price.

There are two sides to every question and it is a mighty sorry politician that doesn't usually get on both sides.

Missing Something

Early to bed,
Early to rise,
And you will miss
The regular guys.

Concord-Billingsley

We are glad to say that our Christian Endeavor and Sunday school are growing in membership and seems that interest is growing too. We hope it will continue to grow during the winter months.

Mrs. Willie Tindel and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Elsie Lee Turner.

We are glad to see Mrs. Willie Mae Weldon who has been very sick with diptheria, well and out again.

Mr. Crayton Deramus of Maplesville is spending a few days with his aunt, Mrs. J. P. Williams.

Mr. Hudson Williams spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. R. A. Hicks, of Billingsley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams and family and Miss Allie Williams were the all-day guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Deramus of Maplesville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hicks and family of Billingsley and Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams and family spent Sunday with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams.

Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. W. W. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cox spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams and niece, Allie, and Mrs. J. F. Sheppard, of Clanton spent Saturday in Prattville shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Williams and children of Shiloh community spent Sunday with their aunts, Misses Fannie, Alice and Ella Williams.

Mrs. J. P. Williams and daughter visited Mrs. Oscar Rawlinson Tuesday of last week.

See Mr. Quinn as "Goozlums" in "Safety First"—High School.

PEOPLES TELEPHONE COMPANY ACCEPTS CONTRACT OF GILES

At the board meeting of the Peoples Telephone Company here Monday, the president, Mr. Jesse Baker, and all of the board were present. The meeting was to dispose of some unfinished business left over from last week, that being the final decision as to an operator for the coming year. It was decided that A. L. Giles be retained as central operator, his duty being also to keep up the lines inside the corporate limits of Clanton.

The matter of moving the office to new quarters was taken up, and it was decided by the board to move the central into the house of Mr. John Giles on third Avenue in East Clanton. The work of moving will be done within the next few weeks, according to the present plans.

The board urges the payment of central fees as fast as possible, as the funds of the company are now exhausted. Mr. Jesse Baker, the president, said: "We believe that we can give fair service this year with reasonable co-operation from the phoneholders. The phones are needed this time worse than ever before, due to the fact that lots of people are not able to operate automobiles; but we believe that everyone can scrape up $2.50 to pay their central fee with. I want to urge everybody to pay just as soon as possible so that we may be able to pay as we go. We don't owe anything now, and we want to stay that way."

Below is a copy of the contract which was offered by Mr. Giles and accepted by the Board of Directors:

Operator Contract

I, the undersigned, A. L. Giles, hereby agree to operate the central of the People Telephone Company, for the year beginning November 1, 1931, and ending October 31, 1932. I also agree to keep up the lines of said company within the corporate limits of Clanton, Alabama, said Company to furnish all material.

In the operating of said central I agree to keep the switchboard in as good repair as I can, considering the condition of same and to keep an operator at said switchboard ready to answer any calls from all lines both night and day. I further agree that the operator at said switchboard will use no partiality in the service given but will render to all who pay central fees the very best service possible regardless of the line they are on. This same method will be followed in keeping up the lines within the corporate limits of Clanton, Alabama.

It is my understanding that the Peoples Telephone Company agrees to pay the house rent and the light bills incident to operating said central office.

This, the 9th day of November, 1931.
(Signed), A. L. GILES.

An arrangement has been worked out whereby Mr. Giles will rebuild and work up the interest on some of the lines that have been out of commission for the past two years. Anyone interested in getting your old line put back in without cost to you, see Mr. Giles or some members of the Board.—T. E. WYATT, Sec'y.

Fiddlers Convention At Isabella School Nov. 21

There will be a Fiddlers Convention at Isabella school Saturday night, November 21st, at seven o'clock. Proceeds for benefit of Senior class. There will be three prizes; first prize $2.50; second prize $1.50; third prize, $1.00.

The judges will be from communities representing the school. All fiddlers and lovers of music are invited to attend. Admission 10c and 20c.

Pleasant Valley News

The Sunday School of Pleasant Valley is progressing nicely. We have a large enrollment and a good attendance every Sunday. Next Sunday, our Sunday school and Bethsalem Sunday school will assemble together at ten o'clock. Everybody is invited to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Boyd of Montgomery were the guests of the former's parents Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Boyd.

Miss Quintilla Meroney of Verbena was the week end guest of Miss Myra Keel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Taylor and friend Mr. Herbert Warren, all of Montgomery, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Neeley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Burkhalter dined with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lett Sunday.

Miss Susye Griffin is spending this week in Clanton.

Mr. Grady Lett of Birmingham is at home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lett.

Mr. and Mrs. Fornie Huett of Missouri spent this week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Huett.

Mildred Neeley spent Saturday night with Lucile Griffin.

Mr. Lincoln Burkhalter visited Verbena school Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Burkhalter was in Montgomery Saturday.

OFFICIAL COUNT ON THE COUNTY AGENT ELECTION

Below will be found a tabulated form of the official returns of votes cast in the election held Tuesday, November 3, in Chilton County to determine whether the work of a County Farm Agent should be continued in this county:

	For Proposed Amendment	Against Proposed Amendment	For Demonstrator	Against Demonstrator
Beat 1—Box 1	9	13	23	3
Beat 2—Box 1	4	133	71	64
Beat 2—Box 2	0	22	4	18
Beat 3—Box 1	6	59	61	5
Beat 4—Box 1	31	172	185	20
Beat 4—Box 2	31	166	179	16
Beat 4—Box 3	10	78	68	20
Beat 4—Box 4	18	131	123	28
Beat 5—Box 1	21	91	100	12
Beat 5—Box 2	3	33	13	23
Beat 6—Box 1	2	33	33	2
Beat 6—Box 2	4	43	39	7
Beat 7—Box 1	11	41	52	1
Beat 7—Box 2	0	16	15	0
Beat 8—Box 1	19	35	44	8
Beat 9—Box 1	28	106	74	61
Beat 9—Box 2	13	64	51	25
Beat 10—Box 1	12	98	84	26
Beat 11—Box 1	5	32	25	12
Beat 12—Box 1	1	47	34	13
Beat 12—Box 2	1	28	18	11
Beat 13—Box 1	10	13	22	1
Beat 14—Box 1	1	44	36	9
Beat 15—Box 1	8	77	54	30
Beat 15—Box 2	7	43	45	6
Beat 16—Box 1	0	23	23	0
TOTAL	255	1641	1476	421

Circuit Court In Session This Week On Criminals

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larceny, nol prossed; Timothy Morris, grand larceny, nol prossed; Robert Cleckler, assault and battery, fined $10 and costs; Victor Henley, V. P. L., fined $100 and 3 months additional punishment; N. L. Owens, V. P. L., fined $100 and 3 months additional punishment; Arthur Mims, V. P. L., fined $50 and costs; Dewey Price, V. P. L., fined $50, costs, 3 months additional punishment; Delius Roper, V. P. L., fined $100 and costs; Sallie Belle Abercrombie, V. P. L., fined $50 and costs; Kermit Murphy, V. P. L., fined $50 and costs; Jay Foshee, V. P. L., fined $50; Elmer Wallace, public drunkenness, fined $10 and costs; Tiny Wallace, public Drunkenness, withdrawn; Hugh Lockhart, V. P. L., fined $50 and costs; Wilson Judkins, V. P. L., nol prossed.

Stephen Pate and Mary Pate, assault and battery, fined $25 and costs; Opel Morris, grand larceny, nol prossed; Berry Rutland, D. M. V. While Intoxicated, nol prossed; John Headley, carrying concealed pistol, fined $50; J. C. Headley, V. P. L., fined $50 and costs; J. C. Skinner, presenting firearms, paid fine and dismissed; Dock Gamble, V. P. L., nol prossed; Pearl Deason Vickers, V. P. L., nol prossed; Filmore Lockhart, V. P. L., fined $100 and costs and 3 months additional punishment.

Zelard Bolton, D. M. V. while intoxicated, fined $100 and costs; Jack Nix, public drunkenness, fined $25; Raymond Johnson, V. P. L., fined $50 and costs; Dyer Schurter, disturbing religious worship, fined $20; Nimrod Horton, mfg. liquor and poss. still, nol prossed; Walter Traywick, A. and B. with weapon, $50 and costs; George Traywick, A. and B. with weapon, $10 and costs; George Traywick, assault and battery, sentenced to hard labor.

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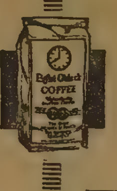

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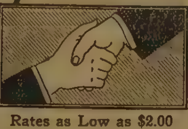

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COOSA, CHILTON WILL PUSH TAX SUIT HEARING

Counties Plan To Seek Swift Showdown On Rejection Of Equality Demand

The Alabama Journal, Montgomery, stated Tuesday afternoon that having been turned down by State Tax Commissioner S. R. Butler in their effort to place the Alabama Power Company on a tax equality with other tax payers, citizens of Coosa and Chilton Counties now plan to press vigorously for an early showdown in their mandamus suit to compel the "one-man tax commission" to cease its flagrant favoritism and assess the power company's property at sixty per-cent of its value, as all other property is assessed.

This announcement, according to the Montgomery paper, was made by Rep. Felix Smith, of Coosa county, one of the attorneys for the Coosa and Chilton county boards of revenue in the mandamus proceedings.

In a telegram to Judge L. H. Reynolds of Chilton County, a reporter of the Montgomery newspaper had the following to say,

"Judge L. H. Reynolds
Clanton, Alabama.

"Would you wire to me briefly any comment you care to make on Butler Tax decision also advising as to plans for pushing court action. Wire me collect care Mobile Register."

HUBERT BAUGHM.

Following is the reply from Judge Reynolds, wired to the reporter Tuesday:

Hubert Baughm,
c/o Mobile Register,
Mobile, Alabama.

"Chilton and Coosa Counties do not propose to be bound by the arbitrary and unreasonable tax valuation fixed by Alabama one Man Commission. Court proceeding will be pushed to the limit.

JUDGE L. H. REYNOLDS."

State Tax Commissioner Butler made it known last Saturday that the power company assessment would remain as it had been set, it was stated.

Enterprise Defeats Mt. Pleasant Friday

A very interesting game of basket ball was played between the Mt. Pleasant and Enterprise teams at Enterprise Friday, November 13. The usual interest manifested in this game is attributed to the fact that both these teams had won every game played with other schools this year. The Mt. Pleasant record was broken when the Enterprise team claimed the victory with a score of 17 to 8.

Curtis and Cecil Traywick were high point men on the Mt. Pleasant team. Curtis made 5 points, Cecil 2 and L. Burnett 1, making a total score of 8. The other players on this team were H. Littlejohn and H. Parker.

James Griffin led the Enterprise team, making 8 of the 17 points. Guy Silas piled the score up 6 points and Cecil Yeargan scored 3 points, making a total of 17 for Enterprise. The other players on this team were L. C. Cagle and Lois Stroud.

The players of the two teams who did not score were by no means idle. They were on the alert, staying on the defense of the opposing team. Both teams struggled for victory during the game and the Mt. Pleasant team did not acknowledge defeat until the game was ended.

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Mrs. Mattie Victoria Headley, age 68, died at her home in the Mt. Pisgah community last Tuesday night. Funeral services were held yesterday at Mt. Pisgah, Martin & Sons in charge.

NOTICE

There will be no mail delivered on the rural routes on next Thursday, November 26th, as that is Thanksgiving Day. Due to this fact, the News will be published a day earlier and will go out on Wednesday morning.

All correspondents are asked to keep this in mind and send in their News a day earlier. Other persons desiring to secure space in the News are also asked to remember that the paper will be published a day earlier next week. Any copy coming in later than Tuesday morning, November 23, at nine o'clock will not be used next week.

TOWN OF JEMISON TO CONDUCT RAT POISONING C'P'GN

The Town Council of Jemison is financing a rat poisoning campaign for all homes and business houses inside its incorporate limits. The advertising, mixing and distributing of the poisoned bait will be sponsored and carried out by the department of home economics and vocational agriculture of the Jemison High School. One day in November or December will be set for the work. Mr. Roy Moore of the U. S. Department of Agriculture has charge of the work in Mississippi, Louisiana and Alabama. He is working with county agents, vocational teachers and town and city councils in this work. He hopes to be at Jemison for this campaign. The vocational teachers of Jemison hope to carry the work into the communities where they conduct evening school classes.

TWO KILLED IN SHOOTING NEAR CALERA

Randolph Man Is Killed By Calera Police Chief After Shooting

Calera, Ala., Nov. 15.—Two men were shot to death, one instantly, in a shooting affray on the Montevallo Highway near here, at 5 p.m. Sunday, following an attempted arrest of an automobile part accused of disorderly actions in Calera.

Luke McCary, resident of Randolph, Ala., was shot and killed instantly by Chief of Police H. A. Miller, of Calera, who said Filma Cost, of Calera, was shot in the abdomen and fatally wounded by McCary, just before he was killed by the officer.

Cost was rushed to a hospital in Birmingham, but died en route. He was a farmer and a resident of Calera.

Shortly before the double tragedy, an automobile in which McCary, Cost, Mrs. McCary and a man named Millstead, a railroad employe, were riding, halted in front of a pottery shop in Calera, Chief Miller he said he was told.

Chief Miller said L. M. Fuller, pro-

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HOWARD WILL MEET DUQUESNE THANKSGIVING

Game To Be Played In Birmingham On Legion Field November 26th

Having won its first and only intersectional game of the season from Oglethorpe by a score of 12 to 0, Duquesne University, of Pittsburgh, is coming to Birmingham on Thanksgiving Day determined to maintain a clean record so far as the South is concerned. The Catholic "Night Riders" and the Howard Baptist "Bull Dogs" will meet at the Legion Field Stadium, Birmingham, in their second annual clash, with the Pittsburghers one-up on the Baptists.

Howard invaded Duquesne's territory last year and came home with the small end of a 14 to 9 score, and this year the Catholics will play a return engagement which promises local fans every thrill football can furnish. Both teams are said to be evenly matched in present-season records and manpower

The Howard Baptists are equally as determined to get revenge for last season's defeat and their 1931 season's record indicates that a battle-royal, such as Thanksgiving's combat will be, will find them on the big end of the tally, despite the fact that Coach Layden of the Catholics and a large number of students, who will accompany the team to Birmingham, believe otherwise.

It is expected that a large number of Chilton County football fans will attend the game, which will begin promptly at two o'clock. The splendid condition of the highways to Birmingham and the fact that it will be the only big game in North Alabama on Thanksgiving Day, assures a huge attendance from all sections of the state.

MOTHER OF MRS. C. R. MULLINS DIED AT HOME IN GADSDEN

Mrs. C. Reece Mullins has been called to Gadsden on account of the death of her mother, Mrs. W. D. Small, which occurred last Saturday. Funeral services were held Sunday.

Pilot Members Will Entertain Bosses

Something new in the way of entertainment in Clanton will take place on next Monday night, when members of the Clanton Pilot Club will have as their guests, their employers. This will be known as "Bosses Night."

A bountiful banquet has been planned, it was stated, and the affair will take place at the Baptist church in Clanton. Catchy speeches and introductory remarks are on the program as well as other entertaining items. Some members are 'up in the air' so to speak as to who is their bosses, while others have more than one boss, and some (perhaps) claim they have no boss.

Legion Post Will Have Call Meeting

A special meeting of Chilton County Post No. 6 of The American Legion has been called for next Friday night, at seven-thirty o'clock, according to Post Commander R. D. Woodson, of Lay Dam.

This meeting will be held at the courthouse in Clanton, and all ex-service men, whether Legion members or not, are invited and urged to attend this meeting Friday night.

ERNEST E. THOMAS KILLED IN ACCIDENT IN BIRMINGHAM

The body of Ernest Eugene Thomas, age 22, who was killed accidentally in Birmingham Wednesday of last week, was shipped to Clanton last Thursday, where it was met by Martin & Sons, of Clanton. Funeral services were held Thursday, interment taking place at the Popwell cemetery, south of Clanton, with Martin in charge.

INFANT DAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. VIRGIL FERRIS DIED 11TH

Mary Martha Delene Ferris, the seven-months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil S. Ferris, of Clanton, Rt. Five, died at the home Wednesday of last week. Funeral services were held on the following Thursday. with Martin & Sons in charge.

LOCAL PILOT CLUB PLANNING TO STAGE PLAY HERE DEC. 8

The Pilot Club of Clanton announces that it is making preparations for the presentation of a play to be staged here on the night of December 8th. The title of the play, which is on the style of a musical comedy is, "Oh, Professor."

Youth Accidentally Shot While Hunting

Lester Grady Scott, thirteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Scott of Verbena, Ala., Route One, was accidentally shot and killed last Saturday while out hunting, according to reports in Clanton.

The story stated that young Scott and his father had gone hunting together, and the father had left the youth for a few minutes, later hearing a shot and thinking his son had shot at a squirrel, he went toward the place, finding his son dead. The charge entered the lad's neck, going up into his head.

Funeral services were held last Sunday at Zions Rest, near Verbena, Martin & Sons of Clanton in charge.

Dr. Barton Here Next Sunday Night

Dr. L. E. Barton, secretary of the Baptist State Executive Board, will speak at the Clanton Baptist Church next Sunday night at seven o'clock. His subject will deal with some important phases of Baptist denominational work.

It is hoped that the people of all the nearby Baptist churches as well as those of the Clanton Baptist church, will avail themselves of this opportunity to hear Dr. Barton's address.

LITTLE INEZ COX RECOVERING FROM PNEUMONIA ATTACK

Little Inez Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cox, has been seriously ill with pneumonia for the last week. She is improving now, and her nurse was able to leave her Monday. It is hoped she will be able to be up in the next week.

FIVE ARRESTS REPORTED BY SHERIFF'S OFFICE RECENTLY

Reports from the office of Sheriff W. H. Gillespie of this county show five arersts made since last Thursday. These arrests include charges of bad checks, driving while intoxicated, assault and rape, the latter a juvenile case.

SIX YEAR OLD SON OF J. A. DAVIS, JR., DIED THURSDAY

Arthur, the six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis, Jr., of Clanton Route Six, died at his home last Thursday. Funeral services were held on the following Friday at Bethel Cemetery. Martin & Sons in charge.

Lillian Foshee Duncan, Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Foshee, Killed In Auto Accident

Mrs. Lillian Foshee Duncan, age 33, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Foshee, prominent residents of Maplesville and Chilton County, was killed in an automobile accident Wednesday of last week, in Spartanburg, S. C., her home. The body was shipped to Maplesville, arriving Saturday, for burial. The car in which Mrs. Duncan, her husband, L. P. Duncan, and two daughters, were riding was struck by another machine, it was stated.

The deceased was born in Maplesville and received her early education in the schools there, later finishing at Alabama College, Montevallo. She was a member of the Baptist church before her marriage, and a popular young lady wherever she went, and later she changed her membership to the Methodist church of Spartanburg. Mr. Duncan is confined in a hospital in Spartanburg from injuries in the accident. The daughters, twins, were not injured.

Funeral services were held last Sunday at the Baptist church in Maplesville, conducted by Dr. S. J. Ezell, pastor of the Clanton Baptist church. Due to the popularity of the deceased in her home town, Maplesville, and the prominence of her family, a large crowd of friends were present at the funeral to pay their last respects to this Christian woman, showing the esteem and love for her not only by their presence, but also with large and beautiful floral wreaths.

Those taking parts as flowers girls for this impressive service were Misses Ethel Mize, Ruth Mize, Imogene Dawson, Ruth Parnell, Lucy Parnell and Mrs. Barri Traywick. Pallbearers were Dr. H. M. Nix, F. A. Shanks, J. P. Payne, Rube Bearden, Bob Edmondson and J. E. Dennis. James A. Chapman, Jr., accompanied the body from Spartanburg to Maplesville. Interment took place in the Maplesville cemetery with Martin & Sons of Clanton in charge.

The deceased is survived by her husband, two daughters, her parents, and three brothers. Morris Foshee of Birmingham; John Alvin Foshee of University, Alabama, and Hubbard Foshee who teaches school in this county.

"Rowena Rides The Rumble" Is New Serial To Start In News Beginning In Next Week's Issue

The whole trouble lay with Peter—Peter Blande. He was the fly in the ointment, the blot on the escutcheon, the carbon knock in the motor. Things just couldn't have worked out more to Rowena's fancy, except for the persistent appearance of Peter. And there was absolutely no hope of getting rid of him—he was too deeply mixed up in everything.

To tell the truth, it was Peter's project in the first place. Rowena herself only got into it at the last minute in answer to an advertisement in the morning paper. It was Peter who put the ad in. A Rackruff Roadster, 1931 model, furnished another part of the complications.

"Rowena Rides the Rumble," written by Ethel Hueston, will make you laugh, wonder, get peeved, it is truly fascinating with its many, many incidents woven around three people who are on a cross-country tour for a motor company. This story will start in next week's issue of the News. Start with the first installment and read it thru.

FORMER CHILTON EDUCATOR DIED AT HOME IN FLORIDA

Coral Gables, Fla., Nov. 16.—Dean R. A. Rasco, of the University of Miami, law school, died at his home here tonight from an illness that affected his heart. He was 60 years old.

He was a native of Newton, Miss., and held degrees from Dickson College, Normal College, Southern Normal University, Arkansas Normal College and Stetson University. He was principal of Chapel Institute, Thorsby, Ala., from 1898 to 1900 and founded Thorsby Normal School in 1902.

He was superintendent of schools at Jemison, Ala., from 1904 to 1908, going from there to assume the deanship of the law school at Stetson University, Deland, Fla. He held this position until 1921 when he accepted a professorship in law at the University of Florida, going from there to the University of Arizona, where he held a similar position until 1926.

CRIMINAL CASES DISPOSED OF IN CIRCUIT COURT

Judge Smoot Has Busy Week Here Last Week With A Large Number Cases

The July 1931 Term of Chilton County Circuit Court, Criminal Jury Docket, ended here last Friday, before Judge George F. Smoot of Wetumpka, with Winston Huddleston of Wetumpka, prosecuting for the State. The disposal of cases tried Monday of last week was published in the last week's issue. Below will be found the outcome of cases coming before the court the past week.

One civil case that was tried, that of Dr. E. R. Odom Chiropractor of Clanton, of quo warranto proceedings, showed this result, "Jury and verdict for defendant. Jury's verdict set aside on motion of the court." Following are cases on docket after Monday of last week, and their disposal:

Winston Mims, V. P. L., continued. Ervin Thomas, assault and battery, nol prossed. John Sims, V. P. L., continued. Joe Smitherman, burning woods wilfully, demurrers to affidavit sussustained. Andy Smitherman, burning

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BAPTISTS HAVE L. E. BARTON TO SPEAKINCOUNTY

State Secretary To Sneak At Thorsby Church and Poplar Springs Sunday

The people in the vicinity of Thorsby and the Poplar Springs Community will have the privilege of hearing a widely known Baptist next Sunday, when Dr. L. E. Barton, of Montgomery, secretary-treasurer of the Baptist State Executive Board will be in this county to fill engagements at the above named places, on next Sunday, November 22.

This announcement was made by the Rev. J. W. Jones of Thorsby, and pastor of the Thorsby Baptist church. Dr. Barton will preach at the Thorsby Baptist church next Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. All churches in that vicinity are urged to be present with a large representation. Rev. Jones extends a cordial invitation to everyone.

On Sunday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock Dr. Barton will preach at the Poplar Springs church, and all churches in that vicinity are invited to be present to hear Dr. Barton. The pastor, Rev. W. P. Lowery, extends a cordial invitation to all.

DEMONSTRATION LESSONS AT SCHOOL FOR CO. TEACHERS

Miss Madge Scarborough, elementary supervisor of Chilton County, will hold a group of demonstration lessons at the grammar school in Clanton for county teachers, Saturday, Nov. 11. It is not compulsory for teachers to attend this meeting, Miss Scarborough stated, but they will be interesting to those who attend.

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Mr. and Mrs. Grier Culver of Clanton have announced the arrival of a fine baby boy, born last Thursday morning at their home. Tuesday, the youngster had not been named, but it is believed by friends he should be named Grier, Jr. Both the son and mother are doing nicely.

YOUTH SLASHES THROAT WHILE ON LONELY ROAD

Garnie Wilson of Thorsby In Clanton Hospital With Very Small Chances

Leaving a note, and driving off to a lonely road, Garnie Wilson, age 22, of Thorsby, slashed his throat with a razor last Monday morning. It was stated that Wilson is believed to have made this attempt on his life sometime in the early hours of the morning.

He was found later Monday morning by E. W. Miller, rural mail carrier from Clanton, who was on his route at the time, and the road on which Wilson was found is located near Strasburg, south of Thorsby. Wilson [illegible] carried to his home and later rushed to the Central Alabama Hospital in Clanton in a Martin's ambulance. When Mr. Miller found the young man, he stated that he was exceedingly weak from the loss of blood, and hospital authorities stated Tuesday afternoon that he had a chance to recover at that time.

Information states that no motive has been found so far as to why young Wilson slashed his throat. Wilson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lum Wilson, prominent residents of the Thorsby section.

HEALTH HONOR ROLL OF VERBENA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Ruth Andersen, Elizabeth Boyd, Elizabeth Cathey, Mary Lou Games, Aslee Goggins, Geraldine Hollis, Louise Johnson, Agnes Kelley, Ada Lake, Marianna Messer, Marie Robinson, Lucille Robinson, Flora Ree Thornton, Mary Warren Messer, Nora Mae Jones, Pauline Barron, Ludie Courtney, Henrietta Esco, Pearl Hughes, Marguerite Johnson, Rosa Lee Jones, Pauline Littleton, Helen Patterson, Florence Sawyer, Nell Frances Scott, Louise Smith, Elsie Thornton, Judith Gibson, Mathilda Taber, Sara Maude Nations, Myrtle Dawson, Lavurl Bullard.

Ramer Team Will Meet Local Team

Football fans who have been following the games of the team of the Chilton County High school are promised a real treat in the way of a game next Friday afternoon on the local field at three o'clock. Coach Walker's eleven will meet the team from the Montgomery County High School, located at Ramer.

Ramer has a strong team this season and may be expected to give the Chilton boys a full four periods of fight. Ramer has played some strong teams this year and has had a fairly successful [illegible]. They were defeated by the Sidney Lanier Poets a few weeks ago by the score of 18 to nothing, but after a hard fight.

Ramer has also met the Prattville eleven on the gridiron and the Prattville team held them to a draw. Chilton also tied Prattville and this should prove Chilton as good as the team from Montgomery County High School.

Chilton has been priming for this tilt and with a good season behind them they should be ready to give all they have against the Ramer boys. This will be the last game of the season for the local boys. So far this season their record stands as follows:

Games won against Isabella (2) and Montevallo, games lost to Bibb County High, Selma, and Dallas County High. games tied with Marbury, Prattville, and Holtville. Three games won, three lost and three fought to a scoreless tie.

YOUR SUBSCRIPTION

It will soon be time for another year to be upon us. January 1, 1932 is near at hand, and that is the time for subscriptions to be paid up. Look at the label on your paper and see if your subscription will be out in the near future.

Make preparations now to pay up your subscription to the News, as all subscriptions are supposed to be paid in advance. There are many things of wide interest to come up before the people next year and the News will endeavor to give its readers all information possible on anything of interest to this county. Bring in your farm products, or wood.

Letters To The Editor

MORE PROPHECIES

Editor Chilton County News:

Will you please permit me to say a few words or point out a few scriptures that are applicable to the end of this age or dispensation.

First, I learn that all prophecy has a figurehead. For instance, we take the old city of Babylon, that is the figurehead of spiritual Babylon, and Jerusalem the figurehead of the church or the kingdom of heaven. We see in Matthew, 11 chapter, 12 verse, Jesus says, "And from the days of John the Baptist until now the kingdom of heaven suffereth violence and the violent take it by force." Isaiah says "Their webs shall not become garments, neither shall they cover themselves with their works. Their works are works of iniquity and the act of violence is in their hands." Jeremiah says "For thus hath the Lord of Hosts said, hew ye down trees and cast a mount against Jerusalem. This is the city to be visited. She is wholly oppression in the midst of her, as a fountain casteth out her waters, so she casteth out her wickedness, violence and spoil is heard in her. Before me continually is grief and wounds.

"Be thou instructed, O Jerusalem, lest my soul depart from thee; lest I make the desolated land not inhabited."

Ezekiel says "Violence is risen up into a rod of wickedness, none of them shall remain, nor of their multitude neither shall there be wailing for them the time is come, the day draweth near; let not the buyer rejoice, nor the seller mourn, for wrath is upon all the multitude; for the seller shall not return to that which is sold. So we see the kingdom of heaven was taken by violence operated by vile people, and has been for nearly 28 generations.

It is called Babylon. It is full of extortioners and deceivers; but I thank God it's about seen its day. How are we to know? By reading the signs of the times, we find in the book of Nahum, says "For the Lord hath turned away the excellency of Jacob, as the excellency of Israel for the emptiers have emptied them out, and marred their vine branches. The shield of his mighty men is made red, the violent men are in scarlet, the chariots shall be with flaming torches in the day of his preparation; the chariots shall rage in the streets, they shall jostle one against another in the broad ways; they shall seem like torches; they shall run like the lightnings.

So we see this prophecy has reference to the cars and he says it will be in the last days or the end of this age, or just before the coming of that great and notable day of the Lord. Paul says, "For that day shall not come except there come a falling away first, and that man of sin be revealed the son of perdition. We must fall away from parties and creeds. Jesus says he that doeth the will of my father the same is my mother, my brother, and my sister. Yes, we go about trying to establish our righteousness when we haven't submitted ourselves to the righteousness of God, claiming to have the holy ghost, yet can't interpret prophecy.

Peter says, "For the prophecy came not in ol dtime by the will of man." But holy men of God spake as they were moved, by the holy ghost. If a man had the holy ghost he surely could interpret prophecy and prophesy of things to come for the testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy. If a man don't know anything about prophecy he don't know anything about the holy ghost. tI is a stranger to him. With best respect to all.

J. H. JACKSON.

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Editor, Chilton County News:

I am asking you for space for a few words. God made a covenant with Abraham and promised him that through his seed all the families of the world would be blest. We see that Abraham had two sons, one by a bond woman and one by promise of the free woman and that the latter was a type of Jesus, who came to seek and save that which was lost and that Jesus tasted death for every man and gave himself a ransom for all to be testified in due time. This son, Isaac, wife was a type of the church and his son, Jacob's name was changed to Israel and was the father of the Israelites, which was God's chosen people for a typical purpose. They had the Law and no other nation at that time was under the Law. (The Gentiles were counted as dogs.)

We see that the Law was given or added because of transgression and was a school master to bring us to Christ (Gal. 3:24) when Jesus came to His own His own did not receive him (only a few accepted him.)

In Acts 15:14 we read, Simeon hath declared how God at the first did visit the Gentiles to take out a people for his name, and knowing that Israel was blinded because of unbelief. Paul says, for I would not brethren that ye should be ignorant of this mystery, lest ye should be wise in your own conceits that blindness in part is happened to Israel until the fulness of the Gentiles be come in, and as concerning the gospel they were enemies for your sake, but as touching the election they are beloved for the father's sake. for God hath concluded them all in unbelief that He might have mercy upon all (Rom. 11 chapter) and according to (Rev. 20:6) there is going to be two resurrections.

Blessed and holy is he that part in the first resurrection. On such the second death hath no power, and according to 16 and 37 chapters of Ezk. and the 11 chapter of Hebrews, there will be many saved in the second resurrection. For God will fulfill His promise to Abraham and to all Israel, and Christ will reign for the purpose of destroying the works of the Devil and bring all to a knowledge of the truth.

J. C. EDWARDS.

P. S.:—The leaves of the tree are for the healing of the nations.

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For accidentally knocking down Mrs. Helen Steidinger, a Chicago judge sentenced Peter Russell, negro, to beat two rugs for her.

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Five women he married met for the first time in court at the trial of Calvin Burke, convicted in federal district court at Atlanta of misuse of the mails in courting the women.

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Mrs. J. Watts Moore Hostess To Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club.

The Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club spent a delightful afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. Watts Moore last Wednesday. Those enjoying this occasion were Mesdames Hugh Simpson, John Browder, Napoleon Johnson, Arthur Johnson, Frank Callen, J. H. Alred, L. F. Gerald, and H. C. Falkenberry. A delicious salad plate was served. The high score prize was won by Mrs. Falkenberry. Mrs. Hugh Jones was the invited guest.

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Mrs. J. B. Atkinson spent last Thursday and Friday visiting friends and relatives in Vincent, Ala.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Browder and daughter, Elizabeth, visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

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Mrs. Minnie Duke and Mrs. Lake Duncan of Prattville visited their mother, Mrs. G. L. Phillips, here Sunday.

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Miss Ellen Stanley of Birmingham returned home Monday after a visit with friends and relatives in Clanton.

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Mr. A. L. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Chestnutt and family, Miss Evelyn Tanner and Mr. Chick Robinson, all of Birmingham, were visitors of Mrs. G. T. Evans Sunday.

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Mr. Raymond Mims of Tuscaloosa was a visitor in Clanton over the week end.

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Arthur Johnson, Jr., of the University spent last week end with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson.

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William Arthur Willis of the University of Alabama spent last week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Willis.

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Mr. Aubrey Taylor of Auburn visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Taylor, last week end.

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The many friends of Arthur Broadhead are glad to learn that he is rapidly recovering from burns received in an automobile accident recently.

Mrs. Irene Rasberry Hostess To Young Matrons Sewing Club.

The members of the Young Matrons Sewing Club were delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. Irene Rasberry, last Thursday. Those enjoying this afternoon were Mesdames Grady Heflin, Dewey Rockett, Milton Smith, Loren Smith, Horace Jones, Spurgeon Calloway and John Mullins. Mrs. A. S. Prince was an invited guest.

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Mrs. L. F. Gerald motored to Birmingham Monday.

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Mrs. Arthur Willis and Mrs. Watt Willis spent Friday in Montgomery.

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Miss Maggie Shaw of Birmingham is visiting her sister, Mrs. Emma Lawrence of Clanton.

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Dr. and Mrs. Haskew left Wednesday for Montgomery to attend the Annual Methodist Conference.

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Mrs. Arthur Willis was in Maplesville last Saturday afternoon.

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Grover Harris, Jr., of New York visited friends and relatives this week in Clanton.

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Mrs. Norman Roberts spent Saturday afternoon of last week in Maplesville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rother Harris of Birmingham visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Harris, Sunday.

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Mrs. Arthur Johnson spent Friday in Birmingham.

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Misses Erin Wallace, Dot Withington, Evelyn McBraye, Dot Adams, Mary Heard, Bee Sample, all from the University of Alabama and members of the Alpha Delta Pi Sorority, were the guests of Misses Myra and Elizabeth Johnson, who are also students at the University and members of the Alpha Delta Pi Sorority. All attended the Alabama-Clemson football game in Montgomery last Saturday.

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Mr. Robert Evans has returned from a short trip to Pensacola.

Billingsley News

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Rev. A. S. Bentley, pastor of the Baptist church, was heard by a full house at both services Sunday. The morning hour was given to a full discussion of the Simultaneous Every Member Canvass for November 29 to December 6. The subject for the evening service was "The Crucifixion," which was brought out in a most impressive way.

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An interesting Armistice Day program was rendered at the Elementary School Wednesday, November 11. Several of the ex-soldiers were present in uniform.

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The High School and Elementary teachers were entertained by the Haynes Vida school Saturday evening at the school building here.

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Miss Eula Hester of New Orleans was the guest of her sister, Mrs. P. I. Washington, the past week.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vinson spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson at Independence.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Dopson of Montgomery were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Marlar.

Mrs. R. E. Upton and baby, Ralph, left Sunday for a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Keith, at Fairfax, Ala.

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Mrs. J. C. Hughes is attending the Baptist State Convention at Opelika this week. While away she will visit Mrs. Martha Whitman at Auburn.

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Mr. L. C. Lewis of Montgomery was the guest Thursday of Miss Willie Jeanne Patrick.

Mr. and Mrs. George Williams visited relatives at Lawley the past week end.

Mrs. J. Q. Wade was in Montgomery Monday.

Misses Inez and Maude Lee Patrick of the U. of A. spent the week end with their parents here.

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Mrs. Daniels has returned to her home in Talladega after visiting her brother, J. C. Vinson.

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Mrs. Irvin Golson was in Maplesville Monday on business.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Patrick attended the funeral of Mrs. Patrick's nephew, James Scott, at White City who accidentally shot himself Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. King of Jones spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. King.

Sunday School Lesson

for November 22

PAUL IN ROME

Acts 28:16-24, 30, 31

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

Keeping up with Paul will make you busy and also a student. This time you must undertake a real sea voyage and in winter time. Work out the navigation as you allow for wind and drift and you arrive at Malta where the shipwreck took place. Begin your reading at least with chapter 24. See how Paul made friends with and gained the confidence of his centurion guard and the ship's captain. As a result the prisoner had the freedom of his own hired house in Malta, though he was necessarily chained to the changing guard. Paul went to Rome by reason of the privilege of his Roman citizenship. When he saw that he could not obtain justice at Ceasarea he demanded, "I appeal unto Caesar."

It was with real interest that the Jews in Rome arranged an audience for Paul. For many years to go to Rome had been the ambition of this great traveler. In a most thorough manner this man of many experiences retold how Jesus Christ was the Messiah of the Jews, long prophesied in Scripture. Then Paul settled down to make the most of his opportunities. First, he could gospelize as the guard was changed every few hours.

During the two years that followed Paul wrote four letters that are still helping mankind: Ephesians, Philipians, Colossians and Philemon. Try and find time to read each of these during the week. While in Rome some years ago the writer read the five letters which Paul wrote while in the midst of his two imprisonments in that city. In one of these epistles the author reveals at least one of his life secrets: "I can do all things in him that strengtheneth me," Philippians, 4:13, which is the Golden Text for today.

Eastview News

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Mr. A. O. Taylor and daughter and Miss Leola Strength of Montgomery were visitors at Sunday school here Sunday.

Mrs. Lavolia Williams of Montgomery is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Traywick, and was a visitor at Christian Endeavor here Sunday night.

Next Sunday evening is our singing evening. We are expecting visitors from several points. Come and bring your song books.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson spent the week end at Mt. Springs conducting religious services.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Nelson had for their Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gray and Mr. and Mrs. John Lett.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins were the week end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coggins, of Mt. Springs community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rushing had for their dinner guests Friday Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Prickett are spending some time with the bride's mother, Mrs. Sallie Strength.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson, Mr. S. P. Smith, and Miss Jessie Bell Speer attended the United Conference of Congregational and Christian Churches at Phoenix City November 10-12. They report a nice time and the Conference well attended.

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RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

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November 9, 1931.

Again we are called upon to pay a tribute of respect to one of our brethren, whom the Great Architect of the Universe has seen fit to call from our midst. Bro. D. H. Gentry, who was a member of Thorsby Lodge No. 759 A. F. and A. M., passed away November 9, 1931. His loyalty and faithfulness were attested by his regular attendance, his eagerness to learn and his ability to serve. His stalwart character has left its indelible imprint upon our memory. He will be greatly missed as a citizen and Mason.

Be It Resolved, First, That we extend to his family our deep sympathy in their sorrow, and commend to them the following found in our manual: "We cherish his memory here and commend his spirit to God who gave it."

Second, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family, one spread upon the minutes of our lodge, and one to each of our county papers.

—C. N. Eiland, Donald Merchant, W. A. Hayes, Committee.

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SHORTENED SEASON ON WATERFOWL WILL OPEN NOON, NOV. 16

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The season for hunting wild ducks, geese, brant, and coot will open at noon on November 16 in that part of New York known as Long Island and in New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, the District of Columbia, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Tennessee, Kentucky Arkansas, Louisiana, Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, Nevada, California, Oregon and Washington. The season in these states will close at sunset on December 19.

Persons are cautioned against hunting wild ducks, geese, brant, and coot in the States mentioned prior to noon of the opening date or after sunset of the closing date, under penalty of prosecution in Federal court. This statement was issued by the Biological Survey of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, which has charge of enforcement of the Migratory Bird Treaty Act and the regulations thereunder.

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Jemison F.F.A. Works On Yearly Program

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The Jemison F. F. A. has not completed its permanent plan for a program of work for this year. However, they do have their permanent plan partly worked out. It includes any work that would improve the buildings and equipment of the Jemison High School. They are now working on that part of the program, and are making six tables for the sixth grade. They have made good progress on the tables during the past week and will soon have the work completed. The boys are using walnut oil stain and clear varnish. A coat of yellow shellac was omitted because of the extra cost.

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ACRE YIELD OF COTTON IS HIGHEST SINCE 1914

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Alabama this year produced the highest yield of cotton per acre since 1914, says the Department of Agriculture.

This year's yield per acre is estimated at 198 pounds of lint. Only twice in the State's history of cotton production has this yield been exceeded—in 1911 and 1914, said the report.

The Alabama crop is forecast at 1,400,000 bales which is 15,000 bales more than indicated a month ago and 73,000 bales less than last year. Up to the first of November, 1,180,000 bales, or about 85 per cent of the crop, had been ginned.

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Colored Training School Activities

By Benjamin Anderson

"Father and Son Banquet" A Success

Success spelled the outcome of the "Father and Son Banquet" last Thursday night, sponsored by Prof. Benjamin Anderson, teacher of vocational agriculture at the Chilton County colored Training School. Music, debates, awarding of prizes and a delicious repast were among the many interesting things on program.

The subjects of the two debates, one by the Evening School farmers and one by the vocational boys, respectively, were as follows: Resolved that there should be no cotton planted for the year 1932, and, Resolved that it can be determined whether one animal is better than another by observation.

Mr. A. G. Gordon, a negative representative for the Evening School, kept the audience at his finger tips throughout his discourse. Mr. Ben Brown, the affirmative representative, did equally as well. The affirmative won.

With Linzie Draper, a representative on the negative side for the vocational agricultural boys, the negatives were bound to win with his eloquence, gestures and poise. Among other speakers were Ernest Bracy, Cleveland Monroe and John Dickerson.

There was music galore, the Bryant Brothers, melody four, doing their bit. They sang good old spirituals (negro) which set our souls on fire.

A miniature plow was presented to Mr. Ben Brown, one of the oldest citizens and farmers in the community, for outstanding work done on the farm. He is recognized as a farmer who lives at home and boards in the same place. Prof. Anderson in his presentation speech, said in part, "A farmer should not buy anything he can produce on his farm. Mr. Brown has not produced everything, but he has set the pace in this community, growing food and feed crops, raising chickens and live stock for milk, butter and meat. Take this little plow, keep it in remembrance of our appreciation of your service to God, to your community and to your race."

Miss Rose V. Lee, teacher of Home Economics, pleasingly served the guests with chicken sandwiches, cake and lemonade.

The banquet was to mark the close of the Evening School classes which opened in August, but the farmers voted to continue the class throughout the year.

After the delicious repast the guests departed, saying, "The best yet."

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FARMERS ADVISED TO HOLD FOOD AND FEEDS

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 16.—F. W. Gist, state and federal agricultural statistician, has advised farmers not to sell their present food and feed crops at this time but to wait until next spring "at which time any surplus may be disposed of to much better advantage."

Since Alabama farmers have produced a splendid supply of food and feed crops and since credit conditions seem to be unfavorable for next spring farmers are advised not to sell their food and feed at this time" he said. "Prices are low at present but are bound to be better next spring, at which time any surplus may be disposed of to much better advantage."

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FARMERS ENTER WINTER MONTHS WITH MORE FEEDS

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 16.—Alabama farmers are entering the winter months with a much larger supply of food and feed crops than they did last winter.

F. W. Gist, agricultural statistician, reports that state farmers this year produced about 18,000,00 more bushels of corn, over 1,000,000 more bushels of sweet potatoes, 900,000 more bushels of peanuts, a half million more gallons of syrup, 2,000,000 more pounds of pecans, and 34,000 more tons of hay than produced in 1930.

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Marbury Chapter Of F. F. A. Holds Meeting

By Pierce Culver

The Marbury Chapter of the Future Farmers of America met on Wednesday night, November 11th, at 6:30. Fifteen members were present, only two being absent. Lee Cook, a former member of this chapter, was also present.

The chapter was called to order by the president and the secretary read the minutes of the last meeting. The minutes were accepted and the program followed.

Pierce Culver gave an account of the convention of Future Farmers held at Auburn last summer.

Arnold Stewart read the requirements to receive the Future Farmers degree.

Edward Mitchell gave a list of the things we expect to accomplish this year as a chapter of the F. F. A. Some of the things we expect to accomplish are:

Attend the State Convention at Auburn next summer, camping during the summer, giving a father and son banquet, sponsor recreational programs, etc.

The only business discussed at this meeting was the appointment of a permanent program committee.

A move was made to adjourn so we adjourned to meet again November 25.

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Pleasant Grove News

Miss Myrtle Willis spent Wednesday night with her brother, Ray Willis.

Mr. Robert Dorminey spent Thursday night with Mr. Vernon Miskelly.

Mrs. Thubia Gibson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wright spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Franklin.

Little Leo Miskelley spent Saturday night with Willard Franklin.

Misses Mattie and Grace Wells have been bothered with tonsilitis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Clements and family spent Sunday with Mr. Charlie Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cofer also spent the day with Mr. Charlie Martin.

PLEASANT GROVE

The British and Foreign Bible Society reports that the sacred scriptures were last year translated into six fresh languages. The number of tongues in which this society now publishes the Bible is thus increased to 300. Fifty years ago it was published in 150 tongues. The society distributed four million and six thousand volumes during the year.

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Although he served throughout the World War without a scratch, Stephen Catalina of Luling, Tex., broke a finger in two places, when he jerked off a sock.

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Hearing of cruelty charges made against each other by Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ringley of Chicago was so delayed by sobs of both husband and wife that the court sent them home.

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Canada's birth rate is greater than that of any other white nation, being about 23 per 1,000 population.

Mrs. Edward Soderberg of Hazelcrest, Ill., was granted a divorce when she testified that politics had made a bum out of her husband.

How Alabama Power Service Cut $5,225,000 Yearly From Alabama's Electric Bill

THE first full year of operation by the Alabama Power Company was the calendar year 1914. From 1913 to July 1, 1930, the company acquired electric plants in 93 cities and towns in Alabama. Of these, one was owned by the State and 29 were municipally-owned. Communities served by these companies had to depend upon isolated plants—few were connected with central station service. In every case rates were higher than the then prevailing rates of the company. Under rates prevailing in cities and towns at the time they were acquired by the company, customers today would pay annually $4,768,000 more than they pay the company under its existing rates. Domestic customers formerly served by municipally-owned plants save 54.5 per cent and commercial lighting customers save 63.9 per cent as a result of the changed ownership. Customers formerly receiving service from privately-owned plants before acquisition by the company save 38.7 per cent in the case of domestic service and 48.3 per cent in the case of commercial service.

In addition, savings effected from time to time in behalf of domestic, commercial and rural customers initiated by the company and savings effected through revisions and equalization in street lighting, industrial and other rate schedules approximate $442,000 annually or a total aggregate annual saving based on former rates and on existing use of about $5,225,000.

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SHERIFF'S SALE—REAL ESTATE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, and to me directed, whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of Eight Hundred Sixty-Six and 94|100 Dollars less a credit of Four Hundred and 00|100 Dollars, principal and interest, the cost of which suit has been paid, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the November Term, 1931, of said Court, against Irby Deramus, John Deramus, Barnett Deramus, Harvey Deramus, Mrs. Kate Deramus Barton, and Mrs. C. G. Deramus, doing business as The Estate of D. I. Deramus, in favor of Geo. D. Witt Shoe Co., a corporation, I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash at public sale, at the Court House door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock, A. M., and 4 o'clock, P. M., on Monday, the 7th day of December, 1931, all the right, title and the interest of the above named Irby Deramus, John Deramus, Barnett Deramus, Harvey Deramus, Mrs. Kate Deramus Barton and Mrs. C. G. Deramus, doing business as the Estate of D. I. Deramus, in and to the following described real estate, viz:

Lot No. 12 as shown by the map of C. A. Pickett of Verbena, Alabama, dated Sept. 24th. 1914, and which is the same Lot conveyed by W. M. Wardsworth and wife to D. I. Deramus on March 13th, 1900, by deed recorded in book 55 at page 509 in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, said Lot being the same Lot upon which the store building known as the D. I. Deramus Store is located.

Also that certain Lot in the Town of Verbena, Chilton County, Alabama, known as Lot B6, on which is, or was, located the Zimmerman Store House and which is the same Lot conveyed by Mary Carr Gibson Comer and husband B. B. Comer and S. L. Gibson and wife Mary Lee Gibson to D. I. Deramus, Jr., by deed dated August 31st. 1925, and recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, in Book 203, at page 168.

This, the 4th day of November, 1931.

W. H. GILLESPIE,
Sheriff.

Posted at the Court House door, November 4th, 1931.

W. H. GILLESPIE,
Sheriff.

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MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by mortgage made by Henry T. Gregg to The Federal Land Bank of New Orleans, dated October 1st, 1918, and recorded in Book 161, at page 34 of the records in the Probate Office of Chilton County, Alabama, and which said mortgage has been duly transferred to Mrs. Stella M. Gregg, and said default continuing, I, the undersigned, Mrs. Stella M. Gregg, as transferee, will sell at public auction, for cash, at the Court House door of Chilton County, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, under the power of sale contained in said mortgage, on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7TH, 1931, the following described property situated in Chilton County, Alabama, namely: That part of the SW¼ of SW¼ of Section 18, Township 20, North, Range 12, east, beginning on the west line of said Section at a point 7.58 chains north of the southwest corner of said Section, thence S. 8 3' East, parallel to the south line of said Section, 7.20 chains thence north parallel to the west line of said Section 7.45 chains to the north edge of a branch thence in a westwardly direction up said branch and along the north edge thereof 8.80 chains more or less, to the west line of said section; thence south 7.68 chains to teh point of beginning, containing 4.96 acres. Eleven acres on and along the south side of the NE¼ of SW¼ which lies east of the Southern Railway; eighteen acres on and along the north side of the SE¼ of SW¼ which lies east of the Southern Railway Eleven acres on and along the south side of the NW¼ of SE¼. Eleven acres on and along the south side of the NE¼ of SE¼. Eighteen acres on and along the north side of SW¼ of SE¼. Eighteen acres on and along the north side of SE¼ of SE¼. A roadway 10 feet wide on the north side of the SW¼ of SW¼ of said Section, beginning at the east side of a public road, 7.60 chains, East of the northwest corner of SW¼ of SW¼, thence east 13.19 chains, to the right of way line of Southern Railway, containing 0.2 acres; all of said lands lying and being in Section 18, Tp. 20, N. Range 12, E. of St. Stephens Meridian, containing in the aggregate 92.16 acres, more or less.

This sale is made for the purposes provided for in said mortgage.

MRS. STELLA M. GREGG,
Transferee.

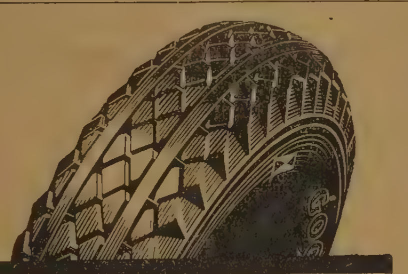
Pettus, Fuller & Lapsley, Attorneys.

POWER COMPANY TO PAY REGULAR STOCK DIVIDENDS

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 12.—At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Alabama Power Company held today in the Company offices in Birmingham, the regular quarterly dividend on its $7.00 and $6.00 preferred stocks for the quarter ending December 31, 1931 was declared payable on January 2, 1932 to stockholders of record December 15, 1931.

Also the regular quarterly dividend on its $5.00 preferred stock for the quarter ending January 31 1932 was declared payable on February 1, 1932 to stockholders of record January 15, 1932.

The approximate amount of these dividends will be $[illegible] to be distributed on the two dates January 2, and February 1, 1932.



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The Huntsville Daily Times

Henry F. Johnston has recently become publisher of The Huntsville Daily Times, Huntsville, Ala., having purchased that fine daily, taking it over November 2 this year. Mr. Johnston, although a few years past his twentieth birthday, is a newspaperman of experience, having been with The Birmingham News-Age-Herald for some time.

This newspaper extends its heartiest congratulations to Mr. Johnston in securing The Huntsville Daily Times and wishes him no limited measure of success in his undertaking, which is no small one. The Huntsville area is one that has wide advantages and possibilities.

In a public statement through his paper, the new publisher expresses his profound gratitude to his uncle, Mr. Victor H. Hanson, publisher of The Birmingham News-Age-Herald, for his financial assistance in securing the Daily Times. In reflecting over this statement, the editor of this newspaper remembers, in regard to Mr. Hanson, "There is a man, a newspaperman, giving young men an opportunity."

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No Slump In Cleanliness

There is some anxiety among the advocates of high standards of living lest the decreased incomes of the day may be reflected in the mode of daily life. Discouragement, as well as straitened circumstances, they fear, may lead to neglected homes and to general carelessness.

Such fears should prove to be entirely without foundation. The love of cleanliness and order is too well established in American character to be discarded by temporary financial difficulties. It is more likely that our own reactions will be similar to those of the Germans recently described by a newspaper correspondent: "Cleanliness, order, frugality, these are what immediately strike you in entering a poor German home. . . There will be growing flowers on the window sill, the carpetless floor will be scrubbed white, the curtains will be clean, everything will be placed in such regimental order that the tiny room will seem airy, convenient, and livable."

Certainly American housewives can be counted on to make their homes cheerful, clean, and comfortable, even in the face of a depression. A well ordered home helps to combat the discouragements and disappointments that many wage-earners meet almost daily. Such a home, such a standard of living, does not involve expense. The supplies needed are of the cheapest. But it takes character to use them.

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The Modern Cavalier

In the old days the man on horseback was a superior creature. At least, he regarded himself as such. In the feudal system, the man on foot had no rights which the cavalier was bound to respect. It was up to the pedestrian to get out of the way. Here rode wealth, caste and arrogance; the peasantry must make way for the gentry. The old tradition of the superiority of the cavalier died hard. It seemed so much more noble to ride a horse and give [illegible] to men on foot than it did to follow a horse along a furrow, that there persists, even in America, the legend of "gentility" typified by the man on horseback. That, by [illegible] one of the reasons why the cowboy of western fiction and the movies, who in real life is [illegible] farm hand whose job requires him to ride a horse, is such a figure of romance in the eyes of youth.

There is something of the same sense of superiority manifested by many persons who drive automobiles in these days. They seem to have only arrogant contempt for people on foot, and to look down with scorn on those who drive shabbier or cheaper cars than their own. This is not true of the great majority of motorists, of course, but it is true of enough of them to account for a high percentage of the annual toll of deaths caused by the automobile. More than half of the 35,000 persons killed in the past year on the highways were pedestrians run down by cavalier motorists.

An old proverb reads: "Put a beggar on horseback and he'll ride to the devil." The automobile has brought power of life and death into the hands of thousands who are unfitted for it by training and intelligence. Even in the older days there had developed the motto "noblesse oblige," which signifies that nobility recognized its responsibility toward the lower classes. It would not do to run down the commonalty too recklessly. But there are thousands of motorists today who recognize, apparently, no responsibility toward anyone, and who seem to become intoxicated by the sense of power as soon as they sit behind a steering wheel.

For such drivers, who are responsible for most of the highway accidents and deaths, there is but one remedy. To try to impress a sense of social responsibility upon such people is worse than useless; they simply don't know what you are talking about. Prompt and severe punishment for every infraction of the motor vehicle laws and regulations resulting in accident or death is the only deterrent. A mere fine is not enough for most of these lawbreakers. Imprisonment without option, and revocation of the license to drive a car, once it is generally understood that these penalties will be enforced upon all alike, may result in time in making our roads safe for the ordinary, law abiding citizen.

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He makes no prediction with respect to the depression.

An astronomer declares the universe will have no end.

PAST-PRESENT-FUTURE
IN CHILTON COUNTY

How many people are forming or have formed a habit of using that little word "If"? It is a small word, easily spelled, easily pronounced and used, but a bad word in most every case when used. It is a word that many are inclined to hide behind, use as an alibi. How many times have you used it as an alibi? Say for instance that you ignored the word, what could you have done?

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Indications point favorably toward a Democratic victory in the coming presidential election, according to "what I read in the papers," and from opinions expressed in Washington.

Did you know that Chilton County is one of the very very few Republican counties in the Great Democratic State of Alabama? It's true. But, at the same time we wonder if it is really Republican, or is it just a gang that are ruling. It does seem strange, frankly, that Chilton County should be termed "Republican," with all the many Democratic counties in the state, and with so many of the residents of Chilton County having come over here from Coosa County, a solid Democratic County.

Instances show up where a person who has voted the so-called Republican ticket in Chilton County for many years, just vows he will not do it again, and then when election time comes around somebody will slip a bug in his ear and he'll make a cross under the elephant, apparently having forgotten his boasting statement, "I'll never vote for that again." But they do it, and can't tell you why, either.

But just what do these "bugs" referred to above, amount to in the long run? Of course they sound good to a person when being uttered by a smooth-tongued politician who seems to have a little influence, but after the show-down, what does it mean? That is what makes the author of this column wonder—Is Chilton County really a Republican County, or do many of the voters need a little backbone and guts enough to vote their own personal conviction? That is rather plain spoken, but possibly will ring true.

In my opinion, a man or woman, who is old enough to think and knows right from wrong, and will allow someone else to tell them how to vote, not allowing themselves to vote as they wish or think best, have little business of being a voter. Their ballots in that case are not their own, but have been humbly given to someone else. Your ballot is your rightful voice as a citizen, and when you allow someone else to cast it for you as they wish, then it ceases to be your ballot—you have given it away. Vote by all means, but don't allow some smooth-tongued politician tell YOU how you should vote. Think for yourself.

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Monday was a very quiet day in Clanton and other towns in the county, but merchants have reported a splendid trade during last Friday and Saturday. No doubt with the advent of cooler weather, trade will pick up considerably.

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Have you stopped to think and make some preparations for Christmas. It's not long off, and although the weather does not feel so much like Christmas, that doesn't prevent it from arriving on December 25th, next month as usual. It would be a wise thing now to make up your Christmas gift list and do a little shopping before a price or two will increase with the coming increase in trade.

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MR. MERCHANT—

I have not noticed any display of Christmas goods. I realize that the weather is something of a drawback on Christmas trade, but to you, Mr. Merchant, stands the responsibility of reminding the buying public that Christmas is near at hand and that you are in business and sell articles suitable for gifts. How are you going to do it? The answer is to show a little progressiveness, "primp" up your windows, show cases, and by all means get your message out to the people by advertising.

Some merchants say, "I've been in business here for fifteen years or so, and everybody knows I'm here. I don't have to advertise." Yes, part of that is true. Perhaps everybody does know he is there, but do they trade with him? Does he send his message out to the people inviting them to see him, telling them what he has to sell, and how much he wants for it?

One of the best arguments in favor of advertising I have ever heard was something like this. William Wrigley, the chewing gum magnate, was traveling on a train with a friend. The friend was glancing through a well known magazine and saw a large Wrigley Gum advertisement. At that moment they passed a huge bill board with a Wrigley sign on it. He turned to Wrigley and asked, "Why do you keep spending millions for advertising when your gum is known the world over and everybody uses it?" Wrigley's reply was something like this, "If you were running a locomotive, and had up a sufficient amount of steam, would you stop putting coal in the firebox, and expect the locomotive to continue to run?"

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Everybody's Business

In connection with the recent Fire Prevention Week, Secretary of Agriculture Arthur M. Hyde made a plea to farmers and rural dwellers to reduce the gigantic annual fire loss on farms—a loss said to total $100,000,000 in property and 3500 lives.

Fire Prevention Week is over. But that advice is still good—and will always be good. Every fire prevented, as Secretary Hyde pointed out, represents that much gain for the community, and a reduction in farm fire loss is equivalent to an increase in farm income.

At present, farm property losses due to fire total about a fifth of the entire national waste in property, and a third of the waste in lives. Practically all farm fires, like those in cities, are preventable. The principal causes are defective chimneys and flues, sparks on combustible roofs, lightning, careless use of matches and smoking, spontaneous ignition of farm products, careless handling and storage of gasoline and other inflammable and explosive liquids, defective wiring and improper use of electrical appliances. Almost all of these menaces may be minimized by care and thought on the part of the farmer.

Every community should organize in an effort to prevent fire. It should do this, not for one week each year only, but for fifty-two weeks. Public opinion should be used to bring home to the individual his personal responsibility for fire. Every fire damages the whole community, and costs the whole community money. It is one case where one person's business is everybody's business.

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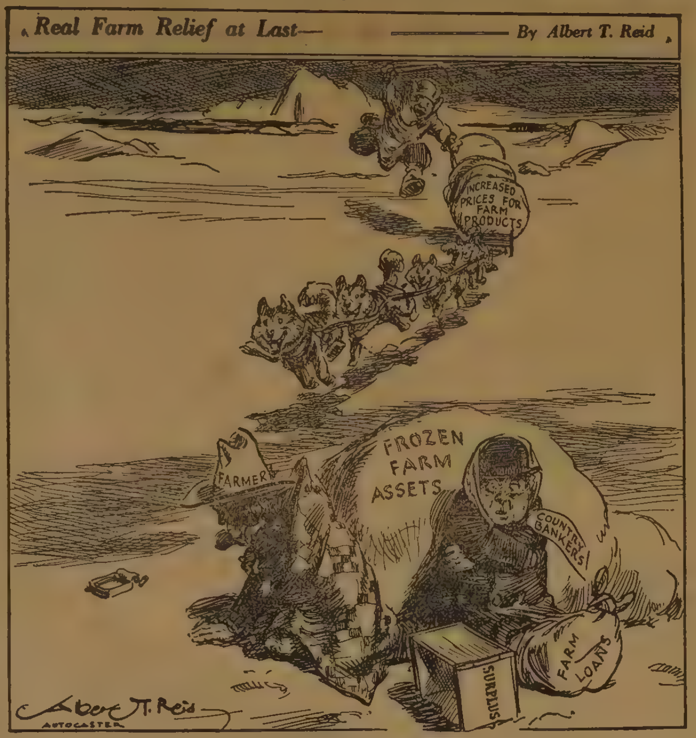
Gandhi has frequently appeared on the streets of London clad only in a loin cloth and fog.



Humorettes

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Teacher—Unselfishness is voluntarily doing without things we need. Give a living example.

Jimmie—Pa. He goes without a bath when he needs it.

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MacSponger — Come here, Billie! Don't you know who I am?

Billie—Yes, I've heard daddy speak of you often. You're mother's cousin who stayed here two months one time and never offered to pay a cent for board.

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Umptediddy—The gunman ordered me to get on my knees and pray before he killed me.

Pastor—So you were saved by prayer, my son?

Umptediddy—Yes, Reverend. I said the long one you make on Sunday mornings, and he fell asleep.

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Guide—Why didn't you shoot at that tiger?

Timid Soul—Er-er, he didn't have the right kind of expression on his face for a rug.

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Her—You used to say that you were unworthy of me.

Him—Well, what if I did?

Her—Nothing. Only you seem to be spending your married life trying to prove it.

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"I just passed Bill Skidmore down the street and I never saw such a change in a man—he was walking along as if he owned the earth, and he never even saw me."

"That's simple. I saw him, too, as he was parking his car in the only space available in the entire shopping district."

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Two Are Killed In Shooting Near Calera

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prietor of the shop, reported the party acted disorderly in the shop, damaged wares on display and finally drove away with some objects of pottery.

Chief Miller said Fuller reported the occurrence to him and the two departed in the chief's car in pursuit of the other machine. Overtaking the group at a point about a mile west of Calera on the route to Montevallo, Chief Miller said he ordered the car to halt after he had succeeded in blocking the highway.

When the car stopped, he said, he ordered the occupants to get out. Cost was driving and McCary was sitting near him, the officer said.

Chief Miller reported that at this point McCary produced a pistol and that Cost, apparently in an effort to prevent McCary from firing, siezed his pistol, the bullet striking Cost, and then wheeled around, pointing the weapon at the officer.

Chief Miller said he then shot McCary, the bullet entering his heart and killing the latter instantly.

After the tragedy, Mrs. McCary and Millstead were returned to Calera for questioning. No charges were placed against the two survivors or the chief of police Sunday night.

Funeral services for McCary were held at Randolph Monday. Martin & Sons were in charge, with Rev. B. Lawrence officiating.

Criminal Cases Are Tried In Circuit Court Here

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woods wilfully, dismissed. Clifford Vines, V. P. L., continued. Clifford Vines, reckless driving, continued. Jade Traywick, burglary and grand larceny, nol prossed. Erby Traywick, burglary and grand larceny, withdrawn. Leonard Traywick, burglary and grand larceny, continued. Cleveland Driver, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, sentenced to 13 to 14 months. Dock Coggins, attempt to murder, fined $75 and costs. Emmitt Thomas, V. P. L., continued. Emmett McKee, V. P. L., continued. Alphus Downs, V. P. L., continued. General Lee Oden, V. P. L., continued. Mack Baker, V. P. L., nol prossed.

J. L. Crawford, continued. Johnnie Plier, continued. Boss Jones, V. P. L., continued. R. A. Downs alias R. A. Downs, selling mortgaged property, nol prossed. Henry Davis, V. P. L., nol prossed. J. T. Arant, V. P. L., nol prossed. Ben Traywick, V. P. L., nol prossed. Ben Traywick, carrying concealed pistol, fined $50. Jim Thompson, V. P. L., continued. Tillian Niamon, V. P. L., continued. Martin Wright and Clarice Wright, assault to murder, continued. J. A. Dobbs, V. P. L., continued. Robert Cleckler, V. P. L., nol prossed. T. R. Tolbert, V. P. L., continued. P. G. Parker, V. P. L., nol prossed. Albert Robinson, V. P. L., fined $50 and costs. Joe Gore, D. M. V. while intoxicated, continued. Melvin Mims, V. P. L., continued. Lester Powell, V. P. L., continued. Lonie Cleckler, V. P. L., nol prossed.

Elijah Thomas, V. P. L., continued. Burl Pierce, disturbing religious worship, continued. Gaither Bryant, petit larceny, fined $10 and costs. Hershel Hayes, V. P. L., nol prossed. Magnus Taylor, D. M. V. while intoxicated, nol prossed. Lonnie Cox, D. M. V. while intoxicated, nol prossed. Dolby Robinson, Sr., public drunkenness, continued. Arguness Robinson, public drunkenness, continued. Jimmie Lee Cox, public drunkenness, nol prossed. Sam Littleton, V. P. L., nol prossed. Albert Tillery, assault and battery, continued. Gattis Deloach, V. P. L., continued. J. D. Broadhead, assault and battery, nol prossed. Leonard Gilmore, V. P. L., fined $50 and costs. Dewey Lucas, V. P. L., continued. J. R. Glenn, D. M. V. while intoxicated, continued. Irby Burkhalter, V. P. L., continued. John Glasscock, V. P. L., continued. Mack S. Mahan, V. P. L., nol prossed. George M. Bowden, V. P. L., fined $50. Wm. A. Wooley, V. P. L., nol prossed. Julian Letcher, V. P. L., fined $50. Paul Wooley, V. P. L., nol prossed. Cecil Huett, V. P. L., continued. Burtis Hambrick, V. P. L., fined $50.

Arthur Dean, V. P. L., nol prossed. John Thomas Lewis, D. M. V. while intoxicated, continued. J. T. Reynolds, petit larceny, fined $50. Charlie Edwards, alias Doll Edwards, V. P. L., nol prossed. Hilton Lane, trespass after warning, nol prossed. John Lee Jackson, assault and battery, continued. Ed Goodgame, V. P. L., continued. Charlie Edwards, D. M. V. while intoxicated, sentenced to hard labor. Harry Nelson, defaulting witness, discharged. Herman Patterson, V. P. L., mistrial. Albert Thomas, V. P. L., continued. Otis Scott, V. P. L., nol prossed. Henry Scott, V. P. L., continued. Thomas Lewis, V. P. L., nol prossed.

Willie Smith, public drunkenness, nol prossed. Andy Cleckler, V. P. L., continued. Lee Mims, V. P. L., continued. Crawford Easterling, V. P. L., continued. Horace Mims, V. P. L., continued. Boss Jones, V. P. L., continued. Henderson Hayes, V. P. L., continued. Amos Bean, reckless driving, continued. Ollie Plier, V. P. L., continued Elbert Mims, attempt to murder, continued. Ed Thomas, V. P. L., continued. Frank M. Searcy, V. P. L., continued. Darwin Giles, public drunkenness, nol prossed. Douglas Jarrard, V. P. L., fined $20. Mrs. Hodge Zuber V. P. L., nol prossed. Jimmie Nuckle V. P. L., nol prossed. Mrs. Madge Jarrard, V. P. L., nol prossed. Lewis H. Collins, V. P. L., continued. Annie Miner Tyus, assault and battery, continued. Julius R. Culp, V. P. L., continued. Matthew Berkley, trespass after warning, nol prossed. Bessie Berkley, trespass after warning, nol prossed. Ephriam Wesson, trespass after warning, nol prossed. Mallie Miner, bastardy, continued. Joe Robinson, bastardy, continued. Marion Glasscock, presenting firearms, nol prossed.

Lonnie Cox, reckless driving, continued. Carl Partain, assault and battery, nol prosesd. Floyd Pass, assault and battery, nol prossed. Ed Price, public drunkenness, continued. Master Burt, V. P. L., fined $50 and costs. Elby Strickland, V. P. L., nol prossed. Junior Reid, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, one year 1 day to 13 months. Jim Williams, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, nol prossed. W. H. Crawford, burglary, continued. Autis Bates, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, continued. Marshal Headley, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, continued. James Anderson, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, appealed. Guss Broadhead, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, continued. Tobe Dennis, burglary and grand larceny, sentenced from 3 to 4 years. Grady Langston, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, sentenced 1 year 1 day to 13 months. Fred Hatcher, mfg whiskey and poss. still, sentenced to 13 to 14 months. Amos Oden, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, 13 to 14 months.

Jim White, burglary, continued. W. C. Smitherman, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, continued. Geo. Washington Hodnett, Mfg. whiskey and poss. still, appealed. John Lee Jackson, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, sentenced to 1 year 1 day to 13 months. George Headley, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, continued.

Ethel Crawford Lampkin, burglary, continued. Dewey Splawn, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, continued. Burlie Smith, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, 1 year 1 day to 13 months. John Bassell Barnett, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, nol prossed. William Baker, attempt to murder, continued. Lee Bearden, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, continued. Junie Posey, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, continued. William Coleman Smith, mfg. whiskey and poss. still, 1 year 1 day to 13 months. Wyatt Vernon Roberts, manslaughter 1st degree, continued. Sam Lockhart, A. I. O. L., nol prossed. Henry Clay Mims, V. P. L., fined $50. Robert Jones, C. C. P., fined $50 and costs. Birdie Killingsworth, V. P. L., fined $50 and costs. Sam Lockhart, A. & B., nol prossed.

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Trainer—Say, I wanta congratulate yuh on this article you writ for the newspaper—it's the berries!

Pugilist—Yeah, dat's what dey tell me. By golly, I wisht I could read!

"Cars washed, $1; midget cars dunked, 50c;" advertised a garage in St. Louis.

Maplesville News

MRS. VIVIAN FOSHEE DUNCAN DIED OF INJURY

Formerly of Maplesville, Ala., Passed Away at Spartanburg, S. C.

The people of this county and other places were shocked Thursday morning to hear of the awful accident which took the life of this noble character and seriously injured her husband. The little twins, Vivian and Virginia, were on the back seat of the car and received a few scratches. Mr. Duncan is slowly recovering, but was unable to attend the funeral at Maplesville. The body arrived here Saturday afternoon, with Martin of Clanton in charge. Funeral was held at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon with Dr. S. J. Ezell and Rev. Paul Oden officiating. Flower girls were Misses Ethel and Ruth Mize, Lucy and Ruth Parnell, Imogene Dawson and Mrs. Traywick. Pallbearers were Dr. H. M. Nix, F. A. Shanks, J. P. Payne, Rube Bearden, R. T. Edmondson. J. E. Dennis. The many beautiful floral offerings from Alabama, Georgia, Tennessee, Maryland, and Detroit, Mich., attested to her popularity. She was one of the sweetest and purest in God's family, for the writer knows she was registered in His book.

She leaves a husband and twin girls, Vivian and Virginia; father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Foshee; three brothers, Maurice of Birmingham, John Alvin at the University of Alabama, and Hubert, teaching at Clanton.

The out-of-town friends and relatives attending this funeral were, relatives: Mr. and Mrs. P. W. McKerall, Percy and Graham; Mr. and Mrs. Irby Baty, Dudley and Evelyn; Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Foshee; Miss Wynn Savage; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Savage, Birmingham; Miss Jennie Lee Duncan, Atlanta, Ga.; Mr. Clinton Duncan, Savannah, Ga.; Mr. Harold Duncan, Imman, S. C.; Mrs. J. S. Cole Macon, Ga.; Mr. David Vines, Selma, Ala.; Miss Louise Foshee, Woman's College, Montgomery; Mr. James A. Chapman, Jr., Spartanburg, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Ramsey, Selma; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Wright, Linden, Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hoskin, Montevallo; Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Walker, Clanton; Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Ezell, Clanton; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gore, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Merchant, Centerville, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Foshee and family wish to thank their friends for the many acts of kindness and love bestowed upon them in their deepest hours of sorrow.

The many friends of Mrs. Virgie Nell Foshee Smith will be glad to know she is resting nicely after a painful operation at the local hospital in Selma, Ala

SHERIFF'S SALE, PERSONALTY

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Ala., and to me directed whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of One Hundred Forty-four and 20|100 Dollars, principal and interest, and Sixteen and 30|100 Dollars, cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the July Term, 1931, of said Court of said County, Alabama, in fa- r of J. P. Lawrence, Plaintiff, against ric Hart, defendant I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at public sale, between the hours 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m., at the court house in Clanton, Alabama, ON THE 30TH DAY OF November, 1931, all the right, title and interest of he above named Eric Hart in and to ie following described personal property, viz:

Two 32x6 Tires, One 30x5 tire, Twelve 70x19 tires, Seven 450x21 tires, Two 00x21 tires, One 500x19 tire, One 50x20 tire, Five group A, tubes, Eight roup B tubes, Two group D tubes, Two group F tubes, Two group G ubes, One group H tube, said tires and ubes being automobile casing and inner tube.

This 17th day of November, 1931.

W. H. GILLESPIE,
Sheriff.

Poster at Court House door November 17, 1931.

W. H. GILLESPIE,
1-19-1tcG. Sheriff.

John Potter, 92, a Civil War veteran, and a woman of 80, both of Vermillion, Kans., were married recently.

Mrs. Lindsay Dawson's engagement ring was returned to her in Alton, N.H., four months after it was lost from the observation car of a Union Pacific train.

Mrs. Florence Partridge of Leyton, Eng., who jeered Rev. H. E. Tilton ict, of Birmingham, Eng., revealed in while he was preaching, was bound over o be of good behavior for a year.

Fay—I'm trying to find a face powder that can't be kissed off.

Ray—Won't you put me in charge of your proving grounds?

News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Building activties in Thorsby are still on the increase. Mr. R. D. Gibbons has purchased the piece of property directly behind the depot and is erecting a modern concrete filling station on it.

Mr. E. N. Bentley has commenced grading for his spur track to be used for unloading tank cars of gasoline. He intends to install a large underground storage tank and draw his gasoline direct from the refineries.

Mr. E. E. Hanson and E. N. Bentley spent Monday in Birmingham on business.

Miss Mary Sue Robinson left Monday to spend a week with her sister,, Mrs. A. P. Villadsen, in Lincoln.

Mrs. Charles Howard and children, Lloyd and Ella, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howard motored to Birmingham Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Sutlive and Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald spent Saturday in Birmingham.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid will meet this week on Thursday at the home of Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald.

Mrs. Jennie Sutlive returned to Thorsby Saturday from the St. Vincents Hospital after spending two weeks there. It is reported that she is feeling some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Thomason of Lay Dam visited her mother, Mrs. C. M. Williams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dorminey who have been living on the Townsend place south of town, moved to Florida Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Sharp are the proud parents of a boy, who was born Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Butler who is attending school at Emory University in Atlanta spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Moody of Birmingham spent the week end in Thorsby with her mother, Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray spent Sunday in Wadsworth, visiting Mr. Gray's mother.

Miss Ruth Peterson of Birmingham spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson.

Miss Helen Dizney, head-nurse of the Mission Hospital in Taiku, China, spoke to the students of Thorsby Institute Friday afternoon and at the Congregational church Friday night. She gave a very interesting account of her experiences in China.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Peterson visited their son. Harry, of Birmingham last Friday.

There will be a special thank offering service at the Congregational church next Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gerald and family visited Mrs. Gerald last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Blue and family, Mrs. H. V. Swanson, Miss Gene Swanson and Mr. L. F. Stroud, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mixon, Monday.

Mr. Donald Merchant and little daughter, Annette, spent Sunday in Centerville with his brother, Mr. Julian Merchant.

Miss Christine Bosworth has completed her business course in Selma and will remain home for a while.

Mrs. Grover Hice is improving from her attack of diptheria and little Onita has about recovered from an attack of Scarlet fever

Mr. and Mrs. Crumpton Brooks and family of Auburn spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Harper.

Mr. J. A. Harper, Mr. Clarence Nash of Texas and Mrs. Williams of Birmingham spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davenport and son, Marvin, motored to Selma Sunday to visit Mrs. Davenport's mother who is ill.

The following were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson for Sunday dinner: Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Howard and children, Lloyd and Ella, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hanson, and Mrs. Charles Swanson.

Miss Dainwood of Columbia, Tenn., spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Buchi and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Terry of Birmingham spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Laurell.

Mrs. S. E. Norton, Mrs. N. Laurell, Christine Love and Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Laurell spent Saturday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith of Bessemer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Piper.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lawrence of Six Mile, Ala., spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Piper.

Miss Elizabeth Leslie of Ensley spent the week end with Miss Juanita Connatser.

Messrs. Roy and Alton Connatser of Tuscaloosa spent the week end with parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Connatser.

Mrs. James Rogers, Mrs. L. C. Croker, Pete Croker and Jaqualyn Reynolds of Bessemer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Piper.

Mrs. Dr. Leslie and Gene spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Piper.

Mrs. G. Z. Scott of Birmingham spent the week end with parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Connatser.

Mr. Luther Vines of Montgomery spent the week in Thorsby with his father, Mr. J. L. Vines.

Mrs. T. W. Robinson and daughter. Mary Sue, shopped in Birmingham last Thursday.

Dr. L. E. Barton of Montgomery will speak at the Thorsby Baptist church at eleven o'clock the fourth Sunday of this month, November 22.

Mrs. Ivey Amundson entertained the following at a domino-birthday party in honor of Mrs. M. J. Soberg and Mrs. J. E. Each: Mrs. J. O. Johnson, Mrs. C. C. Peterson, Mrs. C. E. Lucas, Mrs. G. F. Harper, Mrs. M. J. Soberg and Mrs. J. E. Each.

Mrs. M. J. Barrett, Dr. and Mrs. Nicks and two sons, Robert and Gean, of Selma, Mr. Arnold Eggers of Iowa, Miss Beylers, Mr. F. Beylers of Montgomery, and Mrs. Earl Meade of Calera were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Meade Thursday.

Mrs. Russell Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Meade, and Miss Era Robinson spent Sunday in Calera, Alabama.

Mrs. Rolland Mikesell of Iowa is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Martin Peterson.

Mrs. Louie Self of Birmingham is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peterson of Thorsby.

Mrs. Rolland Mikesell, Mrs. Louie Self, and Mrs. Martin Peterson were the guests of Mrs. Russell Peterson and mother, Mrs. Robert Bean, Tuesday.

Mrs. McClanahan of Calera spent Thursday with Mrs. Clyde Meade.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Marcus moved into the E. F. Mead home last Monday.

Miss Dessie Robinson spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. A. Robinson, of Thorsby.

Dorothy Von Franklin, Linnie Bell Reinhardt, and Dr. Horace Franklin were dinner guests of Willo Dean Bean Sunday.

The Birmingham Age-Herald Tuesday carired an item telling of the death of Dean R. A. Rasco of the Miami Law School, Monday night, at his home in Miami, at the age of sixty. Prof. Rasco will be remembered by the older citizens of Thorsby and Chilton County. He was principal of the Chapel Institute here from 1898 to 1900 and he founded the Thorsby Normal school in 1902. He was also superintendent of schools at Jemison from 1904 to 1908, going from there to assume the deanship of the law school at Deland, Fla., later going to Miami.

Mrs. James Bosworth, Mr. Turnquist and Mr. Walter Parnell motored to Selma Saturday and brought back Misses Naemi Turnquist and Christine Bosworth.

Mr. Nels Petersen spent Sunday in Birmingham.

A meeting is called for Friday night to be held at the City Hall for the purpose of organizing a company to build and operate a freight and box factory in Thorsby. Everyone who is interested in this project is invited to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. M. J. Barrett wishes to thank her many friends in Thorsby for the beautiful floral offerings and the many kindnesses done for her here after the death of her husband.

Thorsby Institute News

The Christian Endeavor Society met Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock. The leader was Miss McKee. The topic was "Why Laws Are Important?" A very interesting discussion was made of the whole meeting. The topic for Sunday, November 22, is "God's Gifts and My Obligations" led by T. A. McCallum. All young people are cordially invited to our meetings held each Sunday evening at 6:30.

We are sorry for the illness of our President. Miss Lorene Primm. and hope it will not be long before she will be back leading us on to greater success.

Every young person in Thorsby, "Let's make this year a great success for our churches and give our pastors better cooperation."

The Thorsby Institute Honor Roll for the first term is as follows: First Honor Roll, no grade below 85%, general average of 90%: Helen Diefenderfer, Carl Ekblad, Ruth Foss, Wilma Goodgame, Phares Raybon, and Lois Thompson. Second Honor Roll, no grade below 75%, general average of 85% or above: Helen Albert, Jane Billingsley, Rubye Connatser, Charles Croker, Lucile Each, Edith Foss, Jack Higgins, Mildred Jefferies, Helen Kendrick, Kathleen Langston, Kathryn Lenoir, Donald Long, Helen Lowery, Albert Mims, Mary Ruth Nix, Conradine Pate, Pauline Poole, Hal Broadhead, Crady Popwell, Mary Sue Porter, Linnie Bell Reinhardt, Evelyn Robinson, Odell Rowe, Rosmond Sammons, Gladys Smith, Carrie Smith, Roma Stirling, Edna Lee Wilder.

An operetta entitled, "Christina of Greenland" was given before a capacity house at the Helen Jenkins Hall last Saturday night. About fifty characters took part in it, the parts being well taken and fully appreciated by the audience. Miss Thurman deserves a great deal of credit for her part in getting up and presenting this operetta.

SPECIALS

For Friday & Saturday

MEN'S ODD COATS—Real Values, see them and you will buy them	$2.45 & $2.95
BOYS' ODD COATS— Each only	$1.50
MEN'S or LADIES' SWEATERS Men's or Ladies extra heavy Y.K.Y. wool Sweaters reg. price $3.95 and $4.95. To close out	$2.45
We are closing out our entire line of Men's and Boys' Suits and Pants at Prices Far Below Cost.	
MEN'S SHOES—Men's solid leather work shoes, with Panco soles at	$1.75 & up
We are closing out our line men's $5 dress shoes in both low cuts and high tops at the low price of	$3.45
Men's Solid Leather Dress Shoes with Panco Soles — The Pair only	$2.49
MEN'S OVERCOATS—Men's Extra Heavy Overcoats for only	$4.45
Men's 220 denim overalls, mostly 36 to 42 only — Per Pair	65c
OUTING—Real heavy 36-inch outing only, Per Yard	10c
TICKING—8-oz. Feather-Proof Ticking Per Yard Only	18c
Boys' 220 denim Overalls or jumpers each	49c

We have real high class merchandise at Lowest possible prices and if you really want values, come to see us.

Clanton Cash Store

Jesse Baker - - - O. D. Deloach

Concord-Billingsley

The Sunday School and Christian Endeavor lesson was very interesting Sunday.

Mr. Huston Deramus of Maplesville spent a part of the past week with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams and family.

Miss Connie Shaw spent Thursday night of the past week with her sister, Mrs. Victor Cowart.

Mr. Otice Weldon is spending a few days in Birmingham.

Misses Rena Devaughn and Clara Dell Sims were the dinner guests of Misses Bessie and Jettie Williams Sunday.

Messrs. Olin and Hudson Williams dined at the home of their sister, Mrs R. A. Hicks, of Billingsley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams and niece, Allie, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Herrod of Haynes, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Williams visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cox, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Tindall and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fonza Williams and family Sunday.

Several of the Christian Endeavor members attended the preaching service at Billingsley Sunday night after the program here.

Joseph Baskey of Valparaiso, Ind., escaped jail recently when he gave Judge Mark Rockwell 25 bushels of potatoes to pay alimony.

An operation on A. W. Jacobs, a con- his stomach two spoons and two combs.

Henry Thomas, aged 20 months, of Chicago, fell from a third-story window onto a pile of loose dirt and was unhurt.

Free ---- For Social Pleasures

Every day the papers tell of a new political revolution in some part of the world. Did you ever consider the Clanton Laundry & Cleaning Co. as a leader of social revolution? We really are social liberators. Many housewives of Clanton blithely go go about their business or pleasures on washday—freed from washday worries by Calling 119—a laundry service as good as it is thorough as it is inexpensive.

We Make Washdays Holidays

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Clanton Laundry & Cleaning Company

Launderers --- Dry Cleaners

Clanton, Alabama

ARE YOUR EYES RIGHT?

Can you depend upon what they tell you? Very often an examination will reveal defects which, if treated in time, will eliminate the possibility of future serious eye trouble. I will be in CLANTON at the Exchange Hotel on the last Monday in the month and will give thorough examination of your eyes and fit you with glasses if necessary.

S. A. BARSON

Optometrist

First Natl. Bank Bldg., Montgomery

Gin Notice

After November 7th, the following gins at Clanton will not be operated except on the following days: Friday and Saturday, November 13th and 14th and Friday and Saturday, November 20th and 21st.

We take pleasure in thanking each patron for the ginning given us and ask for the continuation of your work.

Planters Gin and Warehouse Company

J. N. Dennis

Clanton Mill and Gin Company

Farmers Gin and Warehouse Company

C. C. H .S. News Items

Senior III Memorial Electric Clock System Installed

The Senior III Class of 1931-1932 is very proud of the new clock that has recently been installed in Chilton County High School. They are going to leave this clock as a memorial to their Alma Mater. They had a substantial payment to make on it which speaks will for the general activity and interest of the class.

This clock embodies the most advanced features of electric time system engineering. It automatically supervises the entire system. All secondary units check hourly with the master clock, positively preventing scattering and insuring correct time throughout the entire system.

The clock winds itself every minute, sounds all the warning and signal bells, cuts off every night at 6:00 P. M. cuts back on next morning at 6:00 A. M. Cuts off Friday night at 6:00, and cuts back on Monday morning at 6:00. When regulated in position, it is guaranteed to run within 30 seconds per month of correct time.

The system complete, consisting of the master clock and eight secondary clocks (one in each classroom) would cost the school $543.40. The Senior Class bought only the master clock and one secondary clock which is placed in the auditorium. This cost them $335.00. They will receive one-half state aid, as this is permanent school equipment.

This project on the part of the Seniors, far surpasses any donation ever made by any graduating class in the past history of the school. We feel they are to be commended for their loyalty and school spirit.

Science Room Equipped With New Desks

The science room has always used a straight chair. These chairs have never met the needs of the room. We now have 40 new tablet—arm steel desks. The entire desk is steel except the back, seat, and the arm on which the student writes. This material will meet a long felt need in our school. We now have as good desks as can be found in any high school in the State.

Dr. Haskew At Assembly

Dr Haskew made his regular visit to our school last Monday at 10:15. He brought us an interesting message and inspiring words that we shall never forget. We always welcome him for he has something new for us and something that will make us better citizens of tomorrow.

Armistice Day Fittingly Observed At C. C. H. S.

A suitable Armistice Day Program was carried out at Chapel last Wednesday. The following pupils carried out the program:

Song, America, by the School.

Purpose of this observance, Joe VanDerveer.

Proclamation by President of U. S., Tom Tiffin.

Devotional Reading, Micah 4:3, Mary Robinson.

National Prayer, Sallye Mahan.

In Flanders Fields, Jane Roberts.

America's Answer, John Ezell.

Clanton And Holtville Football Game Ends In Deadlock

Chilton High football team met the strong Holtville team Friday afternoon at Clanton. The game ended in a scoreless tie with the ball in Chilton's possession on Holtville's ten-yard line. Chilton went deep into Holtville's territory in the firt minute's play. The ball was advanced to about the twenty-yard line when the drive was bolted by Holtville. The game was a hard fought one with Holtville showing unexpected strength. Jesse Frank Foshee stood out in Chilton's line, while the hard blocking and tackling of Captain Robert Sumner was outstanding in the backfield.

We are looking for the hardest fought battle of the season next Friday, when the strong Montgomery County High School team from Ramer comes to play the last game on our own field. Everything points that we will win this game.

"Safety First" A Howling Success

Those who did not see "Safety First" last Friday night at the high school auditorium, put on by the Grammar School, missed an hour and one-half of real fun and spontaneous laughter. The play was a great success from beginning to end. The characterization was splendid and the humor was of the kind that inspires hearty response.

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A MAN WITHOUT HATE

There has been published the interesting autobiography of H. Rider Haggard, the English novelist whose vivid tales have entertained and charmed millions of readers throughout the world. This autobiography was written several years ago, but Haggard stipulated that it should not be published until after his death, which occurred in 1925.

The author of "King Solomon's Mines," "She," and forty-odd other stories reveals a versatile and kindly personality and recounts his adventures in various parts of the world. Perhaps his most striking passage is that in which he says: "I have known many emotions, all of them, I think, except that of hate."

What a fine thing it was to be able to say that! How many of us have known all the emotions except hate?

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4-H Girls Saved Food For College

Four former 4-H club members, now freshmen at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, have set a record in efficient management which will be difficult to excel. A cash outlay of $3.85 for the four of them represents their expenditures for groceries for the first month of school.

Elizabeth Lawson and Nellie Fuller of Macon County, Elise Edwards, Lee County, and Opal Jones, Butler County, are the girls who have set the record. Each of them came from a farm where food was plentiful and cotton cheap.

In order to attend college it was necessary to manage well. With the encouragement and help of their home demonstration agents, the girls made plans for keeping house together. They spent last summer canning food to be used throughout the winter.

Their pantry is well stocked with every available product of the farm and each product has been prepared in a multitude of forms. Canned fruits, vegetables, meats, jellies, pickles, jams, marmalades, and all the other goodies are ready for preparation of well-balanced meals. They also have cured hams and bacon, dried fruits and vegetables and potatoes. Occasionally their families send fresh vegetables.

They keep accurate account of all supplies provided by each girl in order to keep the amount balanced. Two of the girls prepare meals for a week while the other two clean their apartment. They shift every Sunday.

All of the girls are popular on the campus and are taking an active part in all phases of college life.

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Sardis News

Mr. and Mrs. John Minor moved into our community last week and we welcome them into our church work, and we hope they will join us and feel at home among us all.

There is some good work being carried on among the W. M. U. ladies of this circle, helping and caring for the poor and orphans, and we hope this work will continue.

Some of the ladies motored to Billingsley last week and did some shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Ratliff and mother, Mrs. G. W. Ratliff, and little son, J. M., and little daughter, Margene; spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Zula Davis in Floyd community.

Mr. Kent Minor, with Mr. J. D. Deason, and son, Dewey, motored to Selma Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Fill Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sansom.

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Charles Kaatz of Cleveland, O., lost an eye when he fought two thugs in a vain attempt to keep from being robbed of 13 cents.

The request of Miss Jessie Siders of Spokane, Wash., was that her parrot be chloroformed and buried with her when she died.

MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

"All out for Montgomery and Kilby prison," shouted the sheriff of Chilton county, as he climbed into the bus that was Montgomery bound. During one week the county sent near forty prisoners to live behind the bars. For several days the people living in one of the best counties in the State, poured law violation into the court hopper, and the rocks ground out forty strong, able bodied men for the penitentiary. Each poor prisoner may have received justice. It may be that others escaping should have gone along with the convicted. We are not talking about the right of the law to convict, but we are refering to the awful situation when men, young and old, must ride away as wards of the State. To see forty men ride away to stripes at one time is enough to melt the heart of stone. They go away from home and loved ones, they go away to receive a stigma on their lives that time will never wash away. There is something radically wrong with our ideals when such sights greet the eyes of our people. It is time that every law abiding citizen in Chilton county should ask himself this question, "Am I doing all I can to prevent the violation of law?" I fear that many on the outside of the prison wall, are directly, and indirectly, responsible for some of those poor mortals who are now wards of the state at Kilby. "Forty men out for Kilby" should echo in our hearts, and stir in us a passion to see that our laws are obeyed.

On every hand I hear it being said, "I have no money to give to the church." Then I hear people complaining about the cost of the churches. Did you know that the last two weeks of court in Chilton county cost the people more than all the churches in the county? It is not the churches that are costing us the most. The law violators in Chilton county are costing us more than all the churches combined. We have to pay big salaries for men to hunt out the law breakers, we have to pay big salaries for men to try the cases, we have to waste much precious time hanging around the court house during court week, and besides all this, the county is at an expense of about a thousand dollars per day when court is in session. Law violators in Chilton county are costing the county not less than a hundred thousand dollars every year. I suppose that the cost of the churches in our county would not go above ten thousand dollars for one year. Better do your complaining about the cost of wickedness, and not about the cost of the church.

It was about two o'clock in the afternoon. and Clanton people were quietly moving about in pursuit of their duties, when the fire whistle screamed its alarm. I rushed to the door of my home to see how long it would take the fire force to gather and be off to fight the flame. In one minute and twenty seconds the boys had gathered and the truck was on its way to the burning building. That was what I call service. There was something that needed to be done, and the Clanton boys did it. At the sound of the whistle every member of the fire department dropped what he was doing, and with all possible speed he went to do what was calling for his help. There are many things in our city that need to be done, but they do not seem to be as urgent as the call of the fire alarm, and we are prone to delay. When people get in earnest about a task, it is going to be done. I like that passage in the Bible where it says, "Do with all thy might, whatsoever your hands find to do." This thing of delaying, postponing, putting off until tomorrow—the thing that should be done now, is an abomination in the sight of God.

The judge was sitting on his bench, the jury was in the box, the sheriff stood on duty. A preacher tried to enter the Courthouse door. He was told to stand back. He learned that every seat was taken. He stood on the outside of a closed door and his thoughts went wild as he looked over his surroundings. On the inside the court was investigating a case of law violation, and the multitude was there to get a whiff of the odor. Crowds surged up and down the stairway, and milled about the courthouse yards. More people had gathered to listen to the proceedings of court, than had gathered into any church in the county during the year. Many girls of the teen age were pressing their way in and out of the court room. Young mothers stood about with a babe in arms, wanting to see and hear. My heart burned within me as I witnessed the morbid tendency of the human mind. If people in Chilton county would crowd to God's house as they do to the county courthouse during court week, there would not be so many cases coming up for trial. As long as we have crowded court houses, and empty churches, as long as we have morbid minded men and women to push their way into court trials, just so long will we have corruption and more corruption.

Mt. Pleasant Junior High School News

On next Saturday night a chicken supper will be given at the school building. A large plate heaped with many good things to eat will be served for only twenty-five cents. Proceeds will be used in purchasing new shades for the school. Two string bands will be present, tap dancing and other features will round out the night's entertainment for all who attend. We are expecting the Kiwanis Club from Clanton to come out and help us. Tickets are now on sale for the plates by the junior high school puipls. A handsome prize will be given to the boy and one to the girl who sells the greatest number.

CHICKEN
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Mt. Pleasant School
Saturday Night, Nov. 21st
Under Auspices
Mt. Pleasant P.-T. A.

The school work is moving along nicely. The enrollment at present is about 200. Attendance for the second month this far has been slightly better than the first month, which was about 92.5 per cent.

Mrs. Wright, our 6th grade teacher, presented an interesting program at chapel exercises last Friday morning. Several of the members of the 6th grade staged a highly pleasing negro comedy act; while several members of her Junior I English class dramatized the play entitled, "Little Women."

The Liberty Hill quartet has promised to render a program for the school in the next few days.

The Mt. Pleasant school plans to sod the ground of our school yard with grass and shrubbery and shade trees, after the next rain. Due to the present drought it has been almost impossible to beautify our grounds.

An entertainment is going to be given in honor of the Junior III Class soon.

The Mt. Pleasant faculty and student body are glad to know that their friend, Mrs. Frank E. Mastin, is rapidly recovering from recent illness.

The school is deeply gratified to Mrs. Mastin for her recent contribution of a nice set of Encyclopedia to Mt. Pleasant Junior High, also to Mr. Mastin who gave a large number of beautiful and attractive pictures to the school.

The Mt. Pleasant boys team suffered their first defeat of the season when the heavier Enterprise lads won over them last Friday by the count of sixteen to eight. Two of the regular Mt. Pleasant boys were suffering with a sprained and swollen hands. This made necessary the use of a substitute player who was unable to match speed with the clever little forward, Griffin, who led the Enterprise team in scoring with 9 points. Most of the points on both sides were made through foul shots. Two goals were registered by Mt. Pleasant and four by Enterprise, is evidence of the close guarding an unnecessary fouling by both teams.

Enterprise will come to Mt. Pleasant next Friday afternoon for a game at three o'clock. Both teams being almost evenly matched a hard fought and interesting game can almost be assured. We expect a large crowd out to cheer the boys.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll of book containing description of property. and subjects of taxation located in the town of Clanton, Alabama, for the town or municipal taxes for the tax year of 1931, has been made by the town clerk of Clanton, Alabama, and returned to the town council as provided by section 2124, of the code of Alabama, 1923 and an ordinance duly adopted by the town council of the town of Clanton, Alabama, on the 20th day of October 1931, levying a tax of five mills on each dollars worth of taxable property in said town, for said year. That the assessment of said tax has been completed in accordance with the requirements of said section and ordinance and that the Mayor and council of the town of Clanton, Alabama, will meet in the office of the Mayor and clerk of the town of Clanton, Alabama, on the 30th day of November, 1931, to hear and determine objections to the assessment of said tax, and finally determine and pass the assessment of said taxes.

Witness our hands this the 16th day of November, 1931.

J. LEE SMITH, Mayor
C. H. PIPES, Clerk. 11-19-1tc

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Thomas Paidon of Chicago was arrested with two revolvers in his pockets and 15 more in a small suitcase.

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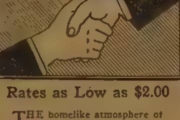

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My Experiences in the WORLD WAR

By General John J. Pershing

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No Respite for Enemy.

Orders in response to this appeal were immediately issued and their execution by the First army was under way November 10 and 11. Yet here again no sort of urging was necessary. Our troops were determined not to give the enemy any respite. Already the crossing of the Meuse had been planned for the whole army, and the Fifth corpse got over during the night of the 10th-11th. Part of the Eighty-ninth division crossed on rafts just west of Pouilly, and others in the rear of the Ninetieth division (Allen).

The Second division was unable to force a crossing at Mouzon, as planned, but about a mile south of Villemontry the engineers of the division, with exceptional rapidity and skill, threw two bridges across, over which one regiment passed. The Seventy-seventh division, now on the left of the Fifth corps, only sent over patrols on the 10th and 11th, the low ground north of the river opposite its front being flooded by heavy rains and damming operations by the Germans.

The First corps from November 6 to 10 was withdrawing its divisions to points on the Meuse between Dun-sur-Meuse and Verdun, preparatory to a general attack which would have as its object the turning of the enemy's strong position in front of the Fifth corps.

East of the Meuse the First army advanced in conjunction with the Second army, which had been earnestly preparing for this moment ever since its organization.

Under the instructions issued by me November 5 for the advance of the First and Second armies, which received approval of Marshal Foch in a personal note of November 8, the Second army made advances along its entire front in the direction of the Briey iron basin during the last three days of hostilities.

Attacking on the 10th, the Thirty-third division reached the Bois d'Harville and captured Marcheville, but was forced to retire. The Twenty-eighth division occupied a part of the Bois des Haudronvilles Bas, as well as Marimbois farm. The Seventh division took and held against counter-attack Hill 323. The Ninety-second division captured the Bois Frehaut.

On the front of the First army, the Ninetieth division, on the left of the Third corps (Hines), had crossed the Meuse on the 9th and attacked on the 10th, meeting decided opposition throughout the day. Elements of the division entered Stenay but were unable to clean up the town, while others, after hard fighting in the nearby wood, reached but could not take Baalon.

The Fifth division (Ely) captured Jametz and cleared the Foret de Woevre. The Thirty-second division (Haan) re-entered the line on the 9th, as the right division of the Third corps, and made substantial progress. On the 10th the division moved forward until stopped by heavy fire from east of the Thinte river.

On Other Fronts.

Meanwhile other of our divisions were engaged on distant fronts. In Flanders our Thirty-seventh and Ninety-first divisions, which had been sent to the French Sixth army at Marshal Foch's request, entered the battle October 31. The Cruyshautem ridge was taken by the Thirty-seventh division (Farnsworth) on the first day, while the Ninety-first (Johnston), advancing against intense fire, seized the strongly defended wooded area in its front. Both divisions moved forward rapidly to the Escaut river on the following day in pursuit of the enemy. Despite resistance, crossings of the river were effected by the Thirty-seventh, November 2 and 3, the division being relieved the following day. Audenarde was occupied by the Ninety-first division on the 2nd, and the division was relieved on the 3rd by the French.

Both divisions re-entered the line for the general attack of the French Sixth army November 10. The Thirty-seventh division was directed to relieve two French divisions east of the Escaut the morning of the 10th, but these divisions had been unable to cross, and were relieved on the west bank. Despite severe losses the Thirty-seventh succeeded in again crossing the river and moved forward the following day, advancing two and a half miles eastward. The Ninety-first division met slight opposition on the 10th and none on the morning of the 11th, reaching a line east of Boucle-Saint-Blaise.

In the First army the Fifth corps advanced rapidly the morning of the 11th. Elements of the Eighty-ninth division occupied Stenay and established a line on the hill to the north. Pouilly-sur-Meuse was mopped up early in the morning and Autreville occupied. The Second division advanced to the ridge west of Moulins, while the Seventy-seventh division held its line of the 10th.

In the Third corps, the morning of the 11th, the Nineteenth division entered Baalon, and the Fifth and Thirty-second divisions were preparing to attack. The Seventy-ninth division of the French Second Colonial corps attacked against the Cote de Romagne and advanced a short distance, the Twenty-sixth division made slight gains, and the Eighty-first division again took Grimoucourt.

On the front of the Second army the attack of the Thirty-third division on the 11th was held up. The Twenty-eighth division carried its line forward north of Marimbois farm, the Seventh division made no attack, and the Ninety-second division attacked but did not hold all its gains.

The line of the First army, November 11, extended from Fresnes-en-Woevre to Pont-Maugis. The Second army line ran from Port-sur-Seille to Fresnes-en-Woevre. Thus both American armies were now in position to carry out the offensive as directed by my orders November 5, which was what I had planned and advocated when Marshal Foch insisted that there should be a coverging movement of all the armies west of the Meuse, with Mezieres-Sedan as the objective of the American First army.

CHAPTER LXV

As the conference between Marshal Foch and the German delegates proceeded, and in anticipation of advices regarding the armistice, telephone lines were kept constantly open between my headquarters and those of the First and Second armies.

When word came to me at 6 a. m., November 11, that hostilities would cease at 11 a. m., directions to that effect were sent to our armies immediately. Our troops had been advancing rapidly during the preceding two days, and although every effort was made to reach them promptly a few could not be overtaken before the prescribed hour.

A brief account of the conference with the German delegates was given to me a few days later by General Weygand. He said the Germans came across the line by automobile the afternoon of November 7 and boarded a special railway coach sent by the French to meet them. During the night this car and the marshal's were placed side by side in the forest between Compiegne and Soissons.

The emissaries were ushered into the marshal's presence, and after producing their credentials were asked the object of their visit. They replied that they had come to discuss the terms of an armistice. The marshal then made it clear that he himself was not requesting an armistice and did not care to have one.

When asked if they wished an armistice they replied that they did. The marshal said that if that was the case, here were the terms, a copy of which he handed them. The severity of the demands seemed to surprise them and they appeared very much depressed. They had no power to sign an armistice they said, without the consent of the chancellor, and after some little discussion they started an officer to the German capital with the terms.

They did not seem to object to turning over 5,000 cannon, but deplored the condition which required them to surrender 30,000 machine guns. They finally succeeded in having this reduced to 25,000 machine guns on the ground that they might have some left for riot duty. In speaking of the danger of riots, the delegates were asked why they did not send some of their reserve divisions to maintain order in the interior.

Their reply was that they had no divisions in reserve, as every division that they had was actually in line. Then they complained about the short time allowed for evacuation, stating that the German army was in no condition to move, either forward or backward.

What America Had Done.

Between September 26 and November 11, twenty-two American and six French divisions, with an approximate fighting strength of 500,000 men, on a front extending from southeast of Verdun to the Argonne forest, had engaged and decisively beaten forty-three different German divisions, with an estimated fighting strength of 470,000. Of the twenty-two American divisions, four had at different times during this period been in action on fronts other than our own.

The enemy suffered an estimated loss of over 100,000 casualties in this battle, and our First army lost about 117,000. The total strength of the First army, including 135,000 French troops, reached 1,031,000 men. It captured 26,000 prisoners, 874 cannon, 3,000 machine guns and large quantities of material.

The transportation and supply of divisions to and from our front during this battle was a gigantic task. There were 26 American and seven French divisions, besides hundreds of thousands of corps and army troops, moved in and out of the American zone. A total of 173,000 men were evacuated to the rear and more than 100,000 replacements were received.

It need hardly be restated that our entry into the war gave the allies the preponderance of force vitally necessary to outweigh the tremendous increase in the strength of the Germans on the western front, due to the collapse of Russia and the consequent release of German divisions employed against her. From the military point of view we began to aid the allies early in 1918, when our divisions, with insufficient training to take active part in battle, were sent to the inactive front to relieve French divisions, that they might be used in the fighting line.

The assistance we gave the allies in combat began in May, with the successful attack of one of our divisions at Cantigny. This was followed early in June by the entrance into battle of the two divisions that stopped the German advance on Paris, near Chateau-Thierry, and by three others that were put in the defensive line.

In July two American divisions, with one Moroccan division, formed the spearhead of the counter-attack against the Chateau-Thierry salient, in which nine of our divisions participated. There was a total of approximately 300,000 American troops engaged in this Second Battle of the Marne, which involved very severe fighting, and was not completed until the Germans were driven beyond the Vesle in August.

In the middle of September an army of 550,000 Americans reduced the St. Mihiel salient. The latter part of September our great battle of the Meuse-Argonne was begun, lasting through 47 days of intense fighting and ending brilliantly for our First and Second armies, November 11, after more than 1,200,000 American soldiers had participated.

A Time to Forget Hardships.

It was a time to forget the hardships and difficulties, except to record them with the glorious history of our achievements. In praise and thanks for the decisive victories of our armies and in guidance for the future, the following order was issued:

"G. H. Q.
"American Expeditionary Forces.
"General Orders No. 203
"France, Nov. 12, 1918.

"The enemy has capitulated. It is fitting that I address myself in thanks directly to the officers and soldiers of the American expeditionary forces who by their heroic efforts have made possible this glorious result. Our armies, hurriedly raised and hastily trained, met a veteran enemy, and by courage, discipline and skill always defeated him. Without complaint you have endured incessant toil, privation and danger. You have seen many of your comrades make the supreme sacrifice that freedom may live. I thank you for the patience and courage with which you have endured. I congratulate you upon the splendid fruits of victory which your heroism and the blood of our gallant dead are now presenting to our nation. Your deeds will live forever on the most glorious pages of America's history.

"These things you have done. There remains now a harder task which will test your soldierly qualities to the utmost. Succeed in this and little note will be taken and few praises will be sung; fail, and the light of your glorious achievements of the past will sadly be dimmed.

"But you will not fail. Every natural tendency may urge toward relaxation in discipline, in conduct, in appearance, in everything that marks the soldier. Yet you will remember that each officer and each soldier is the representative in Europe of his people, and that his brilliant deeds of yesterday permit no action of today to pass unnoticed by friend or by foe.

"You will meet this test as gallantly as you have met the tests of the battlefield. Sustained by your high ideals and inspired by the heroic part you have played, you will carry back to our people the proud consciousness of a new Americanism born of sacrifice.

"Whether you stand on hostile territory or on the friendly soil of France, you will so bear yourself in discipline, appearance and respect for all civil rights that you will confirm for all time the pride and love which every American feels for your uniform and for you.

"JOHN J. PERSHING,
"General, Commander in Chief.
"Official:
"ROBERT C. DAVIS.
"Adjutant Gen 1."

The experience of the World war only confirmed the lessons of the past. The divisions with little training, while aggressive and courageous, were lacking in the ready skill of habit. They were capable of powerful blows, but their blows were apt to be awkward—teamwork was often not well understood. Flexible and resourceful divisions cannot be created by a few maneuvers or by a few months' association of their elements. On the other hand, without the keen intelligence, the endurance, the willingness, and the enthusiasm displayed in the training areas and on the battlefields, the decisive results obtained would have been impossible.

There is little to add in praise of the spirit of determination that stimulated each individual soldier to overcome the hardships and difficulties that fell to his lot. With fortitude and perseverance he gave his every energy to the accomplishment of his task, whether it required him to charge the enemy's guns or play the less conspicuous role of forwarding supplies. In their devotion, their valor and the loyal fulfillment of their obligations, the officers and men of the American expeditionary forces have left a heritage of which those who follow after may ever be proud.

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ACTIVITIES OVER ALABAMA SHOW MANY IMPROVEMENTS

The following record of industrial activity lists items showing investment of capital, employment of labor and business activities and opportunities. Information from which the paragraphs are prepared is from local papers, usually of towns mentioned, and may be considered generally correct.

Alabama's 18 curb markets sold farm products worth $43,494 during August. Commercial Dispatch, Columbus, Miss.

Mobile—Will Welby of Selma, received contract for replacing plumbing at local post office on bid of $2,225.

Greenville—Alabama Power Co. has crew of 20 Butler County men at work cleaning up company's right-of-way.

Brewton—Brewton Silk Mills increased capacity of plant with installation of new machinery.

Construction of sewerage disposal plants in Bessemer and Ensley to cost $450,000 authorized by City Commission.

Gadsden—More than $300,000 has been appropriated for construction work and new equipment for Tennessee, Alabama and Georgia railroad during next 12 months, according to Geo. H. Burgess, President here.

Mobile—Delchamps Grocery Co. seek permit for erection of store at southeast corner of Conti and Houston streets.

Opp—Johnson Pressing Club changed name to "Modern Cleaners."

Clanton—Modern Shell filling station erected across street from Ford building on Birmingham-Montgomery highway.

Tuscaloosa—Allen & Jemison Hardware Co. awarded contract for all paint to be used on 12 buildings being erected for U. S. Veterans Hospital here.

Mobile — Board considering next street paving venture, Division B of 27th improvement project.

Tuscaloosa—University Riding Academy opened.

Sylacauga—New Church o God house of worship being constructed near Marble City Cemetery.

Talladega—Flower show held at the courthouse annex here.

Sylacauga— Moretti-Harrah Marble Co. secured order for 50 cars marble to be used in Dime Savings Bank in Brooklyn.

Florala— Another shipment of fish from Department of Commerce Bureau of Fisheries arrived here.

Florence—R. R. Bloss awarded contract to install electric buzzer signal system in Federal building.

Mobile — Family Welfare Bureau moved to its new home at 154 St. Louis Street.

Carbon Hill — Mr. Ewell Williams purchased Sweatt Filling Station and Tourist Camp.

Sylacauga — Standard Oil Service Station on corner of 8th St. and Norton Ave., known as Haynes place, reopened under management of W. W. Clifton.

Fairhope — Town added new fire fighting unit.

Mobile — Hammel's opened modern beauty salon.

Andalusia — Arrangements being completed for opening of Alabama-Florida Business College in Prestwood building.

Montgomery—Alabama farmers this year shipped 9,625 cars of truck crops, breaking all-time record by 1,400 cars, according to reports of market division of Department of Agriculture.

Mobile— Specification Co. installed modern lubricating plant.

Greenville — Flower show held at Community House.

Mobile—Board authorized sale of $160,000 worth of bonds, for draining and grading Cedar Point road from entrance of Bay Boosters Club where paving now ends, to point 11 miles south to Cedar Point.

State of Alabama
A PROCLAMATION
by the
GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the Second Tuesday next after five months after the date of the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said Amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 5th day of January, 1932, is the second Tuesday next after five months after the date of the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the Amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 5th day of January, 1932, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz;-

"The City of Mobile shall be and it is hereby authorized and empowered, without an election, to annually levy and collect a tax on the property situated therein, to pay the expenses of the City Government, at such rate as may from time to time be fixed by the governing authorities of said city, but unless and until an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama shall be adopted, permitting said City after an election or elections to levy and collect taxes amounting in the aggregate to more than one and one-tenth (1.1) per centum of the value of the property situated therein, as assessed for State taxation during the preceding year, the total of the ad valorem taxes levied in any one tax year by said municipality for all purposes (including any tax levied to pay the debt existing on the 6th day of December, 1875, with interest thereon, or any renewal of such debt) shall not exceed in the aggregate one and one-tenth (1.1) per centum of the value of such property as assessed for State taxation during the preceding year."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight successive weeks prior to the 5th day of January, 1932, in each County of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Montgomery, on this the 5th day of October, 1931.

B. M. MILLER,
Governor.

ATTEST:
PETE B. JARMAN, Jr.,
Secretary of [illegible]

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain mortgage executed on July 1, 1930, by J. H. Johnson and wife, Rosalie Johnson, to the undersigned mortgagee, to secure the payment of one note in the sum of Twenty-Three Hundred Thirteen and 49|100 Dollars and which note and mortgage was payable on September 12, 1931, with 8% interest on said note from February 1st, 1930, which said mortgage is recorded in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Ala., in volume 239 of Mortgages at page 444. The undersigned mortgagee will, on Monday, the 7th day of December, 1931, in front of the Court House door of Chilton County, Ala., in Clanton, Ala., during the legal hours of sale, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage offer for cash, at public outcry, to the highest bidder, the following described property, to-wit:

The Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of the Northwest - quarter (NW¼); The Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼); The Southwest quarter (SW¼) of the Southeast-quarter (SE¼); and thirty-three (33) acres in the Southeast-quarter (SE¼) of the Southwest-quarter (SW¼), being that part of said forty acres which lies East of the Clanton and Maplesville Public Road, all in Section Ten (10); Also the East Half (E½) of the Northwest-quarter (NW¼) and the Southwest-quarter (SW¼) of the Northeast-quarter (NE¼) of Section Fifteen (15), all in Township Twenty-One (21) Range Thirteen (13), Chilton County, Alabama, and containing in all Two Hundred Seventy-Three (273) acres, more or less.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of paying the expenses thereof, including a reasonable attorney's fee and for the payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage.

This the 31st day of October, 1931.

MRS. MARY CRAIG,
Mortgagee.

J. B. ATKINSON, Attorney for Mortgagee. 11-5-3tch

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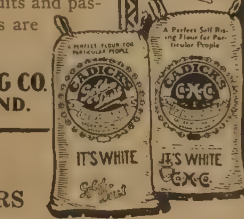
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Third No Score Game Of Season Played On Chilton's Field Last Friday Afternoon

The football eleven of the Chilton County High School, coached by Horton Walker, played its third no score game of the season on the local gridiron on last Friday afternoon. The Holtville team was not doped to give the Chilton boys a hard fight, but they sprang an unlooked-for surprise and fought the Chilton team on even terms for four hard and gruelling periods. The game was played last Friday afternoon on the field at the Chilton County High School at three-fifteen o'clock.

Chilton recovered the ball on the kick-off to Holtville and started a drive which seemed to be going to end across the Holtville goal, but after the first flurry Holtville tightened its defense and held Chilton for downs. The game then developed into a seesawing duel up and down the field with neither team having any great advantage of the other.

Several times during the game Chilton seemed to be on the way to the goal, but Holtville secondary never let them get entirely clear. The ice was almost broken in the second quarter when Burdette filtered through the Holtville line and on into their rear defense. He was only stopped by their safety man. The Holtville team also mixed deception with their power plays and several times broke through the Clanton defense for long gains.

Early in the second quarter Littlejohn left end for the Chilton team lay out along the side and received a long pass. With a clear field ahead of him he was drug down from behind. This ended Chilton's scoring threats and the ball remained in the possession of Holtville during the greater part of the remainder of the game. Combining end runs with smashes at the line Holtville drove again and again at the Chilton team, but met a strong resistance and could never gain suficient yardage to put the ball in Chilton territory. The Chilton line took its punishment well under the pounding of a heavier Holtville line and never gave way entirely to the charge of their opponents forwards. On the line Taylor at center and Jesse Frank Foshee and Left Tackle were the outstanding performers.

Chilton's backfield stood up well, the principal cogs being Burdette, Sumner, Tiffin and Arnold. During the last few minutes of the game Chilton in desperation began to heave a deluge of long passes two of which were completed in succession to place the ball in the shadow of their opponent's goal. These two passes, one to Littlejohn and one to Moore, were tosses by Tiffin and the whistle was all that stopped the ball from going over the line.

Chilton has played eight games so far this season. Of the eight games she has won three, tied three and lost two. Next Friday afternoon on the local field Ramer will play the Chilton Tigers. Ramer will present a strong aggregation and it will be an uphill fight for the Chilton boys if they manage to stay on even terms with their opponents. This is the last game of the season for the Chilton team and all who are interested in a good game should be out to see this one.

BUSINESS, SOCIAL HOUR ENJOYED BY FIDELIS S. S. CLASS

The following members of the Fidelis Sunday School class enjoyed a business meeting at the home of one of its members, Sallye Mahan, Wednesday evening of last week:

Mrs. Renfro Mullins, teacher, Flora Harris, Mary Lee Pyron, Mary Foshee, Janice Danforth, Carrie Foshee, Gladys Williams, Mary Frank Smith, Vera Jones, Charlsie Pyron, Lucille Cox, Bonnie Clyde Griffin and Sallye Mahan.

After the business, games and contests were enjoyed. Delicious hot coffee and cakes were served.

ZORA GUY, Class Reporter.

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BILLINGSLEY SERVICE STATION VICTIM OF ROBBER RECENTLY

Robbers broke into the Billingsley Service Station, a Texaco station, in Clanton last Thursday during the night and carried away the large cash register. Nothing else was missed, it was stated, and the register was found later the next day on a vacant lot, nearby, broken open and rifled of some small change. Curtis Billingsley is operator of the station.

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FOR SALE

I have Six Purebred Plymouth Rock Roosters, Thompson Strain, which would be ideal for breeding purposes. To go for $1.00 each.—W. C. Grooms, Maplesville, Ala., Route 1. 11-19-2tp

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Wanted --- Pine Knots

The boys who build fires down at the News office every morning need some kindling. Pine knots of any kind that can be chopped up will be satisfactory. Will accept any kind on subscription, allowing 25% above market price.

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Pastor's Report

Clanton Methodist Church

On Wednesday I closed my work as pastor of the Clanton Methodist church. I wish to say to all who are concerned that my work among you has been pleasant. It has been a joy to worship with you, to be with you in your homes and to strike hands with you on the streets. I have never spent a more active year since I have been in the ministry. Am sorry that the fruit of my labor is not more abundant.

Some people think that a preacher has leisure time, and that he lounges about more than other people. The pastor of the Methodist church has eaten no idle bread this year. Here are a few of the things that he has done. He has traveled 12,000 miles, preached 202 sermons, made 437 pastoral calls, made 357 calls to see the sick, held 29 services for children, conducted 62 devotional meetings, made 24 addresses before clubs, schools and gatherings, attended 485 religious meetings. In addition to this he has written 21 new sermons, prepared 129 articles for publication and read 42 books. He has exercised his muscles in much repair work on the parsonage, rather than playing golf, hunting and fishing.

The Bishop and his cabinet will say whether we shall be in Clanton next year. Should we come back, our hands and hearts will be dedicated for continued service. Our blessings upon our flock and friends.

D. W. HASKEW.

Sunday school meets at 9:45 next Sunday, but there will be no preaching services at the Clanton Methodist church.

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Postcard Mailed 40 Years Ago Returned To Alabama's Bishop

Forty years ago a young Methodist minister who had accepted his first pastorate at Macon, Ga., mailed a postcard to his mother, telling of his enthusiasm over his work and his need for books. The card never reached its destination, but it was returned Monday to its sender, who has since become a leader in his church.

The Rev. W. N. Ainsworth mailed the card to his mother. Mrs. J. T. Ainsworth at Elko, Ga., in 1892. The card was returned to Mr. Ainsworth, now presiding bishop of the Alabama Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at his home in Birmingham, with a letter of explanation from the postmaster at Elko.

The letter from the postmaster explained that the card was found several days ago in removing an old case. It had slipped into a crack of the oak-finished cabinet and had been hidden there for 40 years.

Bishop Ainsworth's mother died 25 years ago.

The young clergyman's father was a Methodist minister at Elko and he had written for books that he needed in his studies.—Montgomery Advertiser.

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PLANTERSVILLE PHYSICIAN IS INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Newspaper accounts of automobile accidents recently include a story about Dr. T. M. Martin, widely known physician of Plantersville, who is in a Selma Hospital, suffering from injuries received in an automobile accident last Friday, when his car collided with a transfer truck on the Selma-Birmingham highway near his home. The accident is said to have been due to a heavy fog on the road.

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PREPARATIONS BEING MADE FOR "EVERY-MEMB. CANVASS"

It is reported that the Baptist churches of the South are making intensive preparations for their every member canvass which they propose to put on November 29 to December 6.

The object of the canvass is to raise forty million dollars ($40,000,000.00) for the total work of the Southern Baptist Convention. Thirty-one million dollars of the amount will go to the support of the local work of the churches and nine million dollars will go to missionary, educational and benevolent objects.

The objects of the Southern Baptist Convention are home and foreign missions, the three theological schools, the woman's missionary training school, the board of annuities and relief which provides for their old ministers, and the Baptist hospital in New Orleans. The objects in Alabama which will get a share of the funds are Howard and Judson Colleges, the Orphanage at Troy, State Missions and the Selma hospital.

Preparatory to making the canvass, many of the churches have on institutes in which stewardship and tithing are being taught and the workers are being trained for making the canvass.

It is said that greater interest is being shown in the proposed undertaking than has been experienced in several years and it is earnestly hoped that they will meet with great success in their efforts.

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Brief News Items

By a vote of almost four to one voters of Chilton County, Alabama, endorsed county demonstration work. The figures were 1480 for and 417 against it.

Continued improvement in the cotton situation in Manchester, Eng., is reported by a recent press dispatch. Mills which were closed have opened and others have extended their hours of operation, the report said.

E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Company have announced production of a new synthetic rubber. The statement says that it has many commercially valuable qualities and is expected to supplement the present uses of natural rubber. There are important differences in the properties of the two products.

To Confucius "Li-Ki" meant chrysanthemums when he mentioned it in 500 B. C. The first European records of chrysanthemums are dated 1868 and the first seedlings in America were grown in Cambridge, Mass., in 1879. In the United States more than 2000 varieties have been originated and about 225 are grown today.

The National Credit Corporation, formed at the suggestion of President Hoover to give financial aid to solvent banks with a collateral ineligible for rediscount with a Federal Reserve Bank, opened in New York on November 7 with headquarters in the Federal Reserve Bank Building. The corporation is expected to give national financial relief.

News has come from Winnipeg, Can. that in the face of an over-supply of many food products there is arising "in cities all over this continent a back-to-the-land' movement." The aim is to locate families with farm experience and also families without farm experience on farms. The movement is expected to add complications to the agricultural situation.

A & P TONNAGE SALES SHOW INCREASE OVER LAST YEAR

Sales of The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company for the five week period ending October 31st, were $95,497,921. This compares with $100,965,024 for the same period in 1930, and is a decrease of $5,467,103, or 5.41%.

More goods were sold during the October period in 1931 than in the same period a year ago, as shown in the estimated tonnage figures. October sales, expressed in tons, were 524,743 this year, compared with 481,703 in October 1930. This is a gain in quantity of merchandise sold of 43,040 tons, or 8.93%.

Average weekly sales in October were $19,099,584 compared with $20,193,005 in 1930, a decrease of $1,093,421. Average weekly tonnage sales were 104,949 compared with 95,341 in October 1930, an increase of 8,608.

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A room key issued to an absent-minded guest in the old Sherman house, Chicago, in 1894, has been returned by mail from Sydney, Australia.

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On the grounds that in 1912 his wife poured a potful of coffee down his neck, George Gillis of Matawan, N. J., has filed suit for divorce.

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THORSBY MAY GET BOX AND CRATE FACTORY

Would Furnish Strawberry Crates For This Co. For Crops Next Year

Ever on their toes at some progressive move, Thorsby citizens and those citizens in that vicinity are now formulating plans to erect a large crate and box factory in the town. It is understood at present, that a group of men composed of E. N. Bentley, D. Gentry, Guy Higgins, Sam Pate and John Childress, all of Thorsby, have the plans for the project and presented them at a meeting of farmers and truck growers in Thorsby last Saturday afternoon.

The idea appears to have met with approval among the farmers, business men, truck and fruit growers of the Thorsby section, and the plans will now be pushed to secure more interest, it was stated. The factory will be organized into a corporation, owned by citizens of the county and possibly the major part, by those residing in the Thorsby and Jemison district.

Comments from various men show

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iddlers Will Meet Courthouse Nov. 27

There will be a fiddlers Convention n the old time way at the courthouse n Clanton on next Friday night, November 27th, according to an announcement this week from the Baker Junior High School Parent-Teachers Association.

All fiddlers and lovers of music from hilton County and surrounding counties are invited to attend this convention of fiddlers and pushers of the bow. This entertainment is being sponsored y the P.-T. A. of the Baker Junior High School.

Numerous prizes are to be given to he best fiddlers attending this affair. hese prizes include several cash prizes. emember the date is next Friday night t the courthouse in Clanton.

NDIANAPOLIS COUPLE ARE BROUGHT TO HOSPITAL HERE

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Aldridge, of Inanapolis, Ind., were brought to the entral Alabama Hospital last Friday uffering from injuries received when eir car struck concrete posts and overturned near Verbena, on the Montomery highway.

Mr. Aldridge states, according to inrmation, that his car was struck by e said to have been driven by Judge H. Reynolds of Clanton, and causing m to strike the posts, as Reynolds as passing him, both going south. Rerts also state that Reynolds says he es not remember striking the car of ldridge, and did not stop when the cident occurred, but continued on his y toward Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Aldridge were enroute Pensacola, Fla., to spend the winter. th received cuts and serious bruises out the head and body. They were smissed from the hospital Monday. eir car is said to have been badly maged.

on-Jury Court Is Set For December 7

A term of non-jury court is scheled to convene in Chilton County on nday, December 7th, according to cuit Clerk, J. Z. Mims.

ivil cases appearing on the docket ve been set for trial Monday, Deber 7. Criminal cases are set for l on Tuesday and Wednesday, Deber 8 and 9.

. W. Sansom and J. T. Chambers, l known residents of the Sardis mmunity, were among the visitors

IWANIS CLUB MEETS ON WEDNESDAY THIS WEEK

The Clanton Kiwanis Club will old its regular weekly luncheon on ednesday of this week at the ethodist church at the regular ur, instead of on Thursday, as is stomary.

This is due to members wishing to at home on Thanksgiving. The ogram this week is in charge of m J. Ezell, and will be something a Thanksgiving program. All embers are urged to be present.

PAY YOUR SUBSCRIPTION WITH FARM PRODUCE

The News has concluded that by accepting farm products in payment for subscriptions is not a bad idea. After making the announcement sometime ago, many kinds of farm products have been received by this newspaper and more is coming in every day.

If your subscription is in arrears, and you are a little short on cash money, bring in some products—peas, potatoes, chickens, syrup—or what have you. The News is doing this in order to assist its subscribers who, it is realized, may be finding themselves short of ready cash to pay their subscription. This offer will postively expire on Dec. 1.

STILL LOCATED NEAR CLANTON IS CAPTURED

Three Men Taken by Officers In Raid Early Morning Of Last Saturday

A raid by county officers in the early hours of last Saturday morning brought in a whiskey still, five gallons of beer, a quantity of liquor and three men, according to reports from the sheriff's office here.

The still which was approximately of 150 gallon capacity was said to have been located about six miles southwest of Clanton. The three men, it was stated, had just fired up the still to begin operations, when the officers closed in on them. Officers taking part in this raid were Sheriff W. H. Gillespie, Deputies James Gillespie, Louis Gillespie and Loss Robinson.

Other arrests during the past few days, as reported from the office of the sheriff include two for violation of the prohibition law, one for driving while intoxicated and one for issuing worthless checks.

Senior Class High School Present Play

The Senior Class of the Chilton County High School will present on Friday night, December 4th, a comedy entitled, "That's One On Bill" at the high school auditorium. This entertainment promises to furnish many laughs for those who see it.

The entire cast is made up from members of the talented Senior Class of the local high school. Further announcements will be made next week.

Thieves Return Rings To Curry Thomas

"Please Return To Owner" was the only note contained with two rings sent to Upchurch Drug Co., the other day. The rings had been stolen from the home of Curry Thomas in Clanton last week. Along with the rings, there were approximately fifteen dollars taken from the home, belonging to Little Blanche Timmerman.

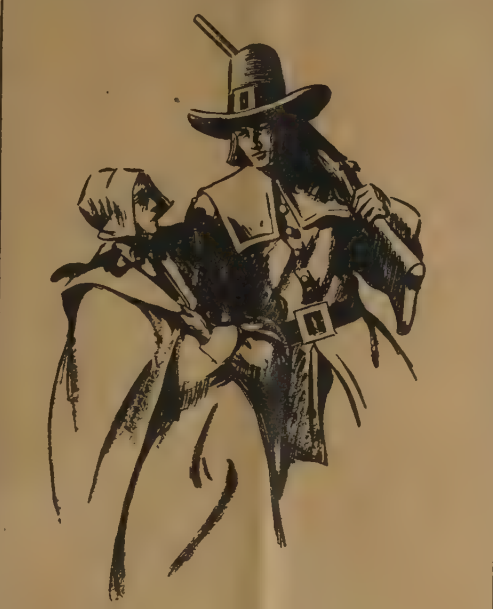
The package containing the rings bore a Montgomery, Ala., postmark. Mr. Thomas stated he wished to thank the person for returning the rings, and was sorry that they did not return the money also. He stated that he believed the robbery was committed during the day while no one was at home. Several desk drawers were also ransacked by the theives. Mr. Thomas is employed at the L & N Railroad in Clanton and the rings were property of Mrs. Thomas, a member of the grammer school faculty here.

GARNIE WILSON DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITAL THIS WEEK

The condition of Garnie Wilson, of Thorsby, who is said to have slashed his throat Monday morning of last week on a lonely road near Thorsby is much improved, according to attendants at the Central Alabama Hospital in Clanton.

Wilson will probably be discharged from the hospital this week as being out of danger. Although it is said he has not admitted having cut his throat, and has not accused anyone else, it is believed that it was his act.

Prof. J. P. Montgomery, of the Jemison High School was called to Starkville, Miss., Sunday on account of the death of a relative. He was to return to Jemison Monday.



Let Us Give Thanks

History shows that the first Thanksgiving in America was observed after the first harvest of the Pilgrims in 1621. The harvest that was gathered that year was a bountiful one and those stalwart. fearless colonists realized that to someone they owed thanks for their blessings in a strange and unexplored country where they were to make their homes.

That was three hundred and twenty-one years ago. Today, Thursday, November 26, 1931, let us think back over the past year—think of the blessings we have received, blessings not only in the way of material things, crops, foods, but such blessings that have been received otherwise from the hand of Him. Truly, we have been blessed through the past year and should take this day of Thanksgiving to express our thanks for such blessings.

Then again, let us go back to that year of 1621, when those pioneers of America braved the innumerable dangers of this great country of ours, then a wilderness, and made it possible for this present generation to have these blessings for which we are to give thanks today. The Pilgrims—they fought for a livelihood against strange foes in a strange land; they suffered those hardships unknown to most of the people enjoying the gifts and blessings of this present age, in order that generations after that first Thanksgiving Day should have a better place in which to live—America.

Let us give thanks to Him who has watched over us through these years, guided us through years of hardships, panics, and years of plenty and prosperity. We are still living and not suffering. Truly, we have plenty for which to give thanks this day.

Volunteer Firemen Entertained at Oyster Supper by Gulf Refining Co. at Matt's Lunch Shop

Members of the volunteer fire department of Clanton were handsomely entertained again last week, when the Gulf Refining Company gave an oyster supper in their honor at Matt's Lunch Shoppe Wednesday night of last week.

W. A. Willis, local distributor of Gulf products sponsored this supper and several guests, other than members of the fire department were present, including Mayor J. Lee Smith and H. G. Heflin, councilman. The long table was well arranged, with nothing lacking in the way of good things to eat so well prepared by the expert cooks at Matt's Lunch Shoppe.

At the head of the table, C. E. Stapp, county agent acted as toastmaster for the occasion and when the sixteen volunteer firemen had satisfied their appetites with the delicious food, the fun opened and several witty talks were made by various ones present. Mayor Smith spoke well of the work being done by the firemen, as did Councilman Heflin, Mr. Willis and other invited guests.

Chief Loren Smith stated in his remarks that the fire department realized it was not up to the best in fire fighting, but they were learning and really studying it. He also stated that the department appreciated the remarks of praise, but at the same time, they wanted it known that they are open to any constructive critism from the citizens of the town, and would appreciate any suggestions. This is the second supper given for the fire department this month.

COTTON REPORT

There were 18,893 bales of cotton ginned in Chilton County from the crop of 1931 prior to November 14, 1931 as compared with 20,797 bales of the 1930 crop prior to November 14, 1930, according to the report from R. J. Jones of Clanton.

"ALWAYS IN TROUBLE" TO BE STAGED AT CONCORD SCHOOL

The play "Always In Trouble" will be given at the Concord Junior high school Friday night, November 27th, at seven o'clock. Admission will be ten and twenty cents.

REGISTER AND BE READY TO VOTE NEXT YEAR

The Board of Registrars is meeting in this county now. There are persons who should be registered, having become of age in the past year, or have moved into this county recently. These persons should register now and become voters, paying poll tax as required.

For convenience, this paper is publishing the list of places and the dates for the Board to meet for the remainder of the year. This will be found elsewhere in this issue. There is a presidential election on hand next year and many who are to become qualified voters in this county will want to cast their ballots then, so go and register. This is important.

SPUR TRACK IS BEING LAID AT L & N THORSBY

Two Large Tanks Being Installed at Thorsby Garage To Handle Gasoline

Work is now well underway in Thorsby, Ala., for the laying of a spur track from the main line of the L & N Railroad on the east side, in front of the Thorsby Garage, and several men have been busily engaged for several days, digging a huge pit inside the large garage belonging to E. N. Bentley, well known garage man of Thorsby.

This work is being done in preparation for the handling of large quantities of gasoline by the garage, and is under the supervision of Ernie Hanson, contractor and builder, of Thorsby, Ala.

It is understood that gasoline will be handled in car load quantities and piped from the tank cars on the spur track into the two large tanks to be placed in the pit underneath the concrete floor of the garage. Mr. Bentley stated they expected to have it completed in about two weeks.

Chilton Teachers Get Checks For Sept. Work

Monday, the office of the superintendent of education and the bank were mailing out checks to Chilton County school teachers for their past due salaries of September, this year. The total amount mailed out Monday was said to be something over six thousand dollars.

It was also learned that this county is perhaps one of the first, if not the first, county to pay teachers for work done this year. All salaries of the past year have been paid, it was stated.

County Teachers May Take Holiday Thurs.

In a letter to the teachers of this county, the superintendent of education states that the County Board has decided to allow teachers, who wish to, to take Thanksgiving as a Holiday this year. However, the letter stated, all time taken off for Thanksgiving will have to be made up.

Christmas holidays will begin December 18th and schools will resume work on Monday, December 28th, according to B. Lawrence, superintendent of education.

J. T. COBERN DROWNS IN MULBERRY CREEK

Tragedy stalked along with two hunters last Thursday afternoon and claimits victim when John Thomas Cobern fell from a footlog into Mulberry creek, west of Clanton and was drowned.

Cobern, with his father, C. J. Cobern, were hunting and in attempting to cross the creek, the younger Cobern missed his footing on a log and fell into the water. Bushes there prevented him from emerging from the water, which was about five feet deep. His father was unable to help him and a negro boy attracted by the calls of the elder Cobern, assisted in getting the body from the water. Martin & Sons of Clanton prepared the body for burial.

He is survived by his widow, three daughters, one son, mother and father, and three brothers. He was one of the prominent farmers of the Mulberry, and comes from a well known family of this county.

HASKEW WILL REMAIN LOCAL M. E. PASTOR

J. M. Metcalf Also Remains Pastor Verbena Church; Troy Gets Childs

At the close of the 99th session of the Alabama Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, last Sunday afternoon, several changes in pastorates and presiding elder places were made, when the appointments were read by Bishop William N. Ainsworth.

The Rev. D. W. Haskew will remain as pastor of the Clanton Methodist church. This announcement will no doubt be received with no small amount of gladness by the people of Clanton and surrounding communities. Rev. Haskew has served as pastor of the local church faithfully and has made such friendship among those who know him here that much concern was shown over the appointments as the Conference adjourned

Verbena, Alabama will also retain its pastor, the Rev. J. M. Metcalf, who has served that church as well as other

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Attempt To Burn Store Frustrated

Information from the office of the sheriff here states that an attempt was underway last Sunday night to burn the store belonging to Mr. Shoults, in the Shoults Community.

It was stated that a Mr. Moore living near the store heard noises at the rear of the Shoults store and investigating, saw three persons engaged at something at the back door of the store. He immediately summoned Mr. Shoults and when they approached the store, the three men are said to have left. A large quantity of pine straw was found on the back porch of the store and some had been pushed thru a hole in the bottom of the door. It was not learned whether the three men were recognized, but it is understood an investigation is underway.

NEGRO IN SERIOUS CONDITION FOLLOWING CUTTING AFFRAY

One negro is in the Central Alabama Hospital in Clanton with severe cuts on his head and body, and another negro is no doubt dodging the law, as the result of a cutting affray last Sunday morning near the railroad, here.

The negro in the hospital is Arthur Calhoun, and is reported as being badly cut up, with knife wounds reaching into one of his lungs, and deep and long gashes cut into his face and upper part of his body. The trouble is said to have started when the negro known as Willie C. went to his home where Calhoun also stays to get his clothes.

Chief of Police J. R. Hardy gave chase to the departing black, but he undoubtedly had made his get-away before officers reached the scene.

Special Services At M. E. Church Clanton

There will be special Thanksgiving services held at the Methodist church in Clanton on Wednesday night, November 25th, at seven o'clock, according to the Rev. D. W. Haskew, pastor.

All denominations are invited to attend these services, which are to be conducted by the pastor.

VERBENA NEGRO SHOOTS OFF TOE ACCIDENTALLY SUNDAY

Berry Varner, negro, of Verbena, is minus one toe now, and no doubt claims himself lucky at not being minus a foot. Varner accidentally shot himself last Sunday, and was in the Central Alabama Hospital Monday.

NEWS COMES TO YOU A DAY EARLIER THIS WEEK

The News comes to you a day earlier this week, as was stated last week. This is being done as there is no rural mail delivered on Thursday morning, Thanksgiving.

This issue contains just as much as the regular weekly issues, and is not being slighted because it comes to you a day earlier, a custom carried out every year by this newspaper. We wish you a happy Thanksgiving.

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Farm Bureau Makes Membership Gains

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 25.—The Alabama Farm Bureau Federation membership campaign is progressing throughout the State and several of the counties expect to set a new enrollment record during the present year, according to Walter L. Randolph, director of membership work, who has visited 40 counties this fall in interest of the drive.

"One of the chief reasons for the present plight of agriculture, and of all people in agricultural communities, is the improper distribution of the national income," Randolph said. "At present agriculture is receiving only 17 per cent, industry 55 per cent, and labor 28 per cent. The national income should be distributed as follows: Industry 42 per cent, labor 25 per cent, and agriculture 33 per cent. Increasing the distribution for agriculture is the objective of the organized farmers of America, and it can be done only through organization," he pointed out.

Among the most active counties in the membership campaign are Cullman, Baldwin, Pike, Henry, Madison, Lauderdale, Dallas, Limestone, Henry, Dale, Randolph, Butler Tuscaloosa, Bibb, Clarke, Perry, Conecuh, Franklin, Marion, and others, he reported.

The goal in Cullman is 2,000 members, he added, which is expected to put that county at the head of the entire nation. Other triple A counties in membership are to be Dallas, Baldwin, and Pike, and perhaps Lauderdale, Madison, and Tuscaloosa, it is predicted.

Intensive drives are already in progress in a number of counties, the leading members soliciting the membership of others, and similar drives will be staged in other counties during December and January. The effort to increase the membership will perhaps continue through February or later.

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LETTER OF APPRECIATION

Clanton, Ala., Rt. 7., Nov. 23, 1931.
Chilton County News, Clanton, Ala.,
Dear Editor:

Will you please allow us space in your valuable paper to express our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors both far and near for their kindness and help rendered us in our recent loss by fire. Dear friends, we can never live to nor have words to express our deep appreciation to you. May the Lord bless and prosper everyone of you is our prayer.

We wish to thank those who took their trucks and rendered their faithful time and service in our behalf. In fact, our thanks are extended to everyone for your donations, help and service rendered in any way. The Lord said it is more blessed to give than to receive, so we trust that we may live to be of some service to you.

Deeply thanking you again we are your true friends.

Signed: Mr. and Mrs. D. Broadhead.

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Gain In Cotton Use Is Expected

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 25.—There will be a tremendous increase in the consumption of American cotton if world business conditions continue to improve, it is predicted by J. A. Beaty, acting general manager of the Alabama Farm Bureau Cotton Association.

Mr. Beaty made this prediction after reading a report of Henry G. Safford, vice-president and sales manager of the American Cotton Cooperative Association, the national cotton marketing organization of farmers of which the Alabama association is a member.

Mr. Safford recently returned from a series of conferences with European spinners in which he visited all the larger centers.

"We all know that we could get an advantage in the price if the present crop were reduced several million bales," Mr. Safford said. "We will have gained, however, if we can win a permanent market for several million bales, for we will have a large crop to sell at low prices, and will have improved our position against foreign competitors."

Improvement in the quality of the American crop was seen by Mr. Safford as an important factor in gaining more foreign trade in cotton.

"The trouble is that local cotton buyers know too little about grade and staple and it is easier for them to buy 'hog round,' he said. He said that the cooperatives passing on to the farmer premiums for better cotton was having a tremendous effect in improving American cotton, and Mr. Beaty said Alabama's crop this year is the best in quality perhaps of any crop the State has produced.

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Although he is 100 years old, James McCafferty of Beatrice, Ind., works daily at his blacksmith shop.

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A 25-gallon kettle, in which food is stirred with a seven-foot spoon is used by Mrs. J. E. White of Springfield, Mo., in making apple butter.

TODAY
AND
TOMORROW
BY
FRANK PARKER
STOCKBRIDGE

RUBBER

Mr. Edison died just a few days too soon to learn that the goal of the last great scientific quest in which he was engaged had been reached by somebody else. This was the search for a new source of rubber.

Mr. Edison sought it in plants. The new synthetic rubber is a product of the great chemical research laboratories of E. I. Du Pont De Nemours& Company, who have already begun to build a factory for its commercial manufacture. Instead of being made from a vegetable source the raw materials out of which this artificial rubber is made are coal, limestone, salt and water.

It is not yet certain that this new rubber will answer every purpose for which rubber is now used, but for many of such uses it is said to be superior to the natural product. At any rate, it gives the United States an independent source of rubber, from which we can never be cut off again in time of war as we were a few years ago, and the supply of the necessary raw materials is literally unlimited.

BEAVERS

The most interesting thing that has happened in my part of the country in years is the return of the beavers to the Berkshire valley near my farm.

It is pretty nearly a hundred years since the last of the beavers vanished with the last of the Indians from Massachusetts, but a few days ago some of my neighbors, observing that there seemed to be more water than usual in a swampy pond just north of West Stocgbridge village, investigated and discovered that a family of beavers had built a dam across the little stream and were busily engaged in finishing up their winter home. This is a dome-shaped structure of logs and mud, with its entrance under water to protect its inhabitants from foxes, wolves and other enemies. Beavers have never been known to travel over land and how these got into the West Stocgbridge swamp is a mystery.

Unless they multiply and become a pest, these new generations of beavers will have an easier life than did their ancestors. For two hundred years after the settlement of America by the English, beaver skins were the main staple of commerce between the northern colonies and the old country. Literally millions of beavers were slaughtered for their fur, the principal use of which was to make men's hats. Beaver fur is still regarded by hatters as the finest possible material for felt hats, but there is very little of it on the market, and the game laws of New England today impose heavy penalties on anyone killing the beaver.

BUILDING

The biggest problem that confronts President Hoover's conference on home building, which will begin its session in Washington shortly, is the problem of finding a substitute for the present system of second mortage financing. Half the families in the United States own their homes, but most of them have paid much more than they should have paid, because of the high cost of second mortage money.

If the President's conference can work out a nationally acceptable plan under which the young man who has saved up a thousand dollars can buy a home without having to pay exorbitant premiums and interest on the balance, it will go a long way toward stimulating the building industry and all of the other industries that depend on it.

FLYING

Twenty-five years ago only half a dozen people, friends of the Wright Brothers, had ever seen an airplane in flight. Practically nobody else believed it would ever be possible to fly a heavier than air machine. In that year, 1906, everybody was enthusiastic about lighter-than-air craft. The balloon with a motor propeller, what we now call a dirigable, was the thing, but nobody dreamed of anything approaching the United States Navy's new airship, Akron, which took 203 people on a ten hour voyage the other day.

In the last few years there have been wonderful improvements in airplanes. It is probable that every plane flying today will be out of date inside of ten years and that the plane of the future will look and act entirely different from anything we are familiar with now.

GARAGES

This is the time of years when many automobile owners commit unintentional suicide by starting up their cars in tightly closed garages and not getting outside as soon as the engine fires. In the past twelve months the New York State Department of Health reports forty-two deaths from carbon monoxide poisoning in closed garages and forty-three narrow escapes from death from the same cause.

It is seldom safe to let a car run at any season of the year without backing out of the garage as soon as the engine starts. Some of the deaths reported occurred because the wind blew the exaust gases back into the garage although the doors were wide open. Carbon monoxide poisoning comes without warning, as the gas is entirely odorless.

It cost nothing to be careful.

Mt. Pleasant Junior High School News

The Chicken Supper which was sponsored by the P.-T. A. last Saturday night netted the school $36.05. This amount will be added to the balance of the P.-T. A. funds brought over from last year and used in purchasing some new shades and other equipment for the school.

There was very little expense involved in giving this supper as practically all of everything used was generously given by the parents and teachers. Over 125 plates were sold at the building, there being a complete sell-out. This was perhaps due to the unusually large crowd present and the attractive charge for each plate.

Two string bands were there to entertain, and this they did in the most pleasing manner. One of the bands was from Verbena, and was composed of Messrs. Frank Gulledge, Aubrey Robinson, Frank and George Williams.

Mr. Aubrey Robinson, lately of New York, entertained the crowd with some clever tap-dancing. Everyone seemed to enjoy the program very much, and we take this opportunity in thanking the Verbena Band for helping the school, and cordially invite them to visit us again.

The other band was composed of home talent, the players being, Messrs. Lemmie Melton, Corbett Riggins, Hiram Littlejohn and Kermit Lowery. This group of entertainers rendered several selections of popular music which was delightfully received by the large number of listeners.

We are deeply grateful to the large number from Clanton and Thorsby who came and helped us.

This week closes out the second month has been greatly increased over that of last month. Very little illness has been reported in the community.

A handsome gift will be presented to Curtis Traywick and Ilar Massey at the next Chapel Exercise. These two Junior III students being winners in a contest of ticket sales for the Chicken Supper. Curtis led the boys with 17 sales to his credit, and Ilar won high honors for the girls with 25 sales.

Miss Betty Baldwin, attractive and popular member of the Maplesville High School faculty, spent the week end with her sister, Miss Celia Baldwin, at Thorsby.

The basket ball game between Mt. Pleasant and Enterprise teams was called at the half, due to a sudden downpour of rain. The game was proving to be one of the livliest and most interesting games of the season with Enterprise clinging tenaciously to the small margin of one point. The game was called with the count being 6 to 5. Curtis Traywick led the Mt. Pleasant team with two beautiful shots from the field for 4 points; while Burnett, his running team mate, netted the other point through a foul shot. L. C. Cagle for Enterprise registered four of their points with two nifty crip shots. Guy Silas added the other two markers with a shot from the field.

The strong wind that swept over the court made playing extremely difficult for both teams, each missing several free shots which normally would have been made good. At the end of the second quarter, Cecil Traywick, star guard for the Mt. Pleasant team, suffered the misfortune of losing his two front teeth through a scrimmage with several other players for the ball. The accident was unavoidable and drew sympathy from both teams.

The Enterprise team will return in the near future to the Mt. Pleasant Court to play this game. We hope the large crowd will come again.

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On a fast-moving Rock Island freight train near Martell, Neb., hobo Sam Wilson walked through the door of a box car in his sleep and landed on his feet.

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New Cedron News

Sunday was our regular preaching day. Although our pastor was absent, we were glad to have Bro. Barnes with us. Our Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. members are showing great interest. Everyone is invited to come and help us in this work.

Miss Frances Lee Silas spent Wednesday night with Miss Vondell Penton.

Miss Everee Jones was the guest of Misses Pauline and Ruby Collins.

Miss Delene Owen spent Saturday night with Mrs. Agnes Baker.

Miss Ressie Devaughn was the guest of Misses Edna and Audrey Johnson Sunday.

Mrs. Lula Jones spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. G. B. Jones.

Mr. Williams Devaughn was the guest of his parents Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Devaughn.

Mr. Harvie Davis was the guest of Miss Ollean Terrell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Patterson visited Mr. and Mrs. George Owen Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ola Ratliff spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Thula Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Baker visited Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Cox Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bertha Mae Mann, O. T. Scott were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Baker.

Mrs. E. E. Rollins and children spent part of last week in Selma.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Devaughn spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brown.

Miss Connie Shaw spent part of last week with her sister, Mrs. W. V. Cowart.

We will have Sunday school next Sunday morning at ten o'clock. Rev. Parrish will preach at 11 o'clock.

Hubert Farley

Radio & Electric Service

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Mitchell Dam News

We extend our greatest sympathy to Mr. McCary in the loss of his father last week, Mr. Luke McCary, of Randolph. A number of friends in the camp attended the funeral.

A number of the camp people attended the Bob Jones meeting at the Methodist Church in Clanton week before last, after which we organized a Cottage Prayer meeting in the camp. We are glad to say we have a good attendance, and much interest is being shown.

Mrs. F. O. Robinson had as her guest last week her sister, Mrs. E. M. Hayes, of Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. O'Brien entertained a few friends with an oyster supper Saturday night.

Mr. O. S. Robinson and daughter, Lucile, are just recovering from the mumps.

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A bandit robbed A. A. Heffley and I. C. Wooten of 15 cents and $1.98 respectively, at Kansas City, then because the night was cold, returned 10 cents to each for carfare.

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RESOURCES:

1. Loans and discounts	$28,091.90
2. Overdrafts $00.79, Secured Overdrafts $______, Total	.79
6. Banking house, $900.00 Furniture and fixtures, $1,477.75	2,377.75
9. Cash and due from banks	18,869.76
10. Outside checks and other cash items	9.30
Total	$49,349.50

LIABILITIES:

14. Capital stock paid in	$10,000.00
15. Surplus	10,000.00
16. Undivided profits—net	528.69
19. Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	32.98
20. Demand deposits	20,378.12
21. Time deposits	8,409.71
24. Bills payable and rediscounts	None
Total	$49,349.50

State of Alabama, County of Chilton, ss:

I, John Maples, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN MAPLES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of November, 1931.

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Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

Conference is over and we are back in Clanton and Chilton county, to do the work of a faithful minister. Will you not let me serve you in every way possible. I want you to let me know when yo uare sick, I want you to attend the services at the church, and I want to be a shepherd to your soul.

Our Sunday school will meet next Sunday at 9:45. Preaching at 11 A.M. and at 7 o'clock Sunday night. Start out now to make the next Conference year better than the last. We crave your presence in all of these services.

I heard of a person the other day who said, "No, I can not go to church because I have no clothes that are fit to wear." It matters not about fine clothes, you come on just as you are able to clothe yourself.. God does not look at your outside, but he is looking at the inside of your soul. Do like your pastor, and many others, wear your old clothes and come on.

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Convicted of leaving a camp fire burning in a forest, Stanley McCoskey of Monterey, Calif., was sentenced to stay in jail "until it rains."

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After stealing $320 from a house in Burlington, Vt., Donald Jarvis became frightened and ate $80 of the money.

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Still hungry after eating his breakfast and his spoon, in a jajl at Blackpool, Eng., Frank Sheridan then tore the chain and staple from his cell door and swallowed them also.

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Unable to understand why so many funeral corteges passed through East Chicago, Ind., policemen investigated and found many cases of liquor inside a hearse.

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Rowena Rides the Rumble

By Ethel Hueston

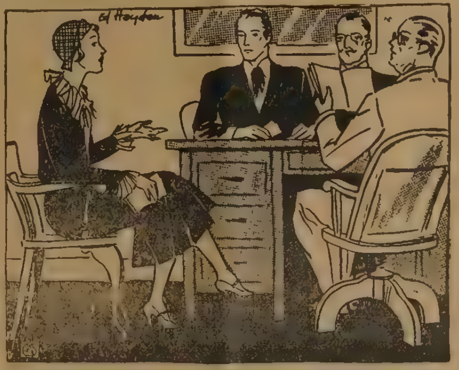
FIRST INSTALMENT

The whole trouble lay with Peter. —Peter Blande.—He was the fly in the ointment, the blot on the escutcheon, the carbon knock in the motor. Things just couldn't possibly have worked out more to Rowena's fancy, except for the persistent presence of Peter. And there was absolutely no hope of getting rid of him—he was too deeply mixed up in everything.

To tell the truth, it was Peter's project in the first place. Rowena herself only got into it at the last minute in answer to an advertisement in the morning paper. It was Peter who put the ad in.

Peter was a commercial artist, one of those thrice unfortunates with a soul for art, a talent for paint and a need for more ready money. He spent his days painting trees, rocks and running brooks, dotted here and there with pretty girls, Algonquin anglers and Broadway golfers, as a background for the Rackruff Roadster, 1931 model, comprising fully half the picture.

It was Peter who conceived the exquisite idea of a Rackruff motor tour across country with the well known artist, Peter Blande, at the wheel. He figured—and converted Mr. Rack, president, and Mr. Ruff, Secretary and Treasurer, to his figures—that it would be the pinnacle of publicity to conduct such a tour, with pauses at all points of prime interest for him to paint a picture of the Rackruff roadster poised on the brink of a precipice, pulling its way pluckily out of a volcano, skidding securely off a racing glacier, or defying the sands of the desert.



Peter said—and Messrs. Rack and Ruff agreed with him—it would be good business to take a copy-writer along in the car to feature the high lights of the trip and apply the proper adjectives both to landscape and motor, in this way insuring a maximum of newspaper publicity that would establish the new roadster once and for all in the motor mind of America.

So Peter advertised for a copy-writer.

"Wanted:" (read the advertisement in the morning papers.) "A pretty woman who can write. One who has had some experience and met with reasonable success. Must be free to leave the city. Expenses paid and moderate salary. Must be good-looking. Apply Rackruff Salesrooms to-day."

Rowena Rostand was one of many women who read the advertisement over her breakfast that morning. It wasn't much of a breakfast in Rowena's case, for she was extremely hard up. She had given up a newspaper position in Ohio in order to be in New York.

It was at eight-thirty that she saw the advertisement. By nine o'clock she was ready to set out for the Rackruff salesrooms. Surveying herself in the mirror she was obliged to admit fairly that in spite of the little thinning of her face, in spite of the dark circles with which anxiety had shadowed her eyes, she was still undeniably good-looking.

Her black and white ensemble was freshly sponged and pressed—Rowena herself had seen to that—her ruffled white blouse was smart in spite of the worn spots here and there. Her black and white shoes were spotless, the fingers of her gloves neatly mended. The collar of her silk coat shone from countless pressings.

"Pick out the best-looking one," Mr. Rack began when the secretary announced the applicants were outside.

"Don't you think," interposed Peter neatly, in his mild, ingratiating drawl, "that you had better look them over yourself? After all, nobody can visualize a lovely face and figure behind the wheel of a Rackruff roadster as you can, you know."

Mr. Rack thought that was a particularly good idea. He called in Mr. Ruff to assist, allowing Peter also to sit by, and had the secretary usher them in, one at a time. And he and Mr. Ruff frowned over them, and asked about their literary efforts, and noticed their eyes and ankles and complexions, jotting down indecipherable comments on their memorandum pads.

The secretary, having some notion of dramatic sequence, saved Rowena for the last. Rowena's hair was a curious chameleon shimmer of gold and bronze and brown. Her eyes were limpid pools of light that swam now blue, now green, and in gentle moments softened to hazel.

"I'm Rowena Rostand," she said, looking at them straightforwardly. "I'm twenty-five years old. I have had one book published and it was so good that practically nobody read it. I worked on a newspaper for three years and I've had eleven stories published in first-class magazines. And you may not think I'm so very good-looking, but lots of people do."

Rackfuff Motors, Inc., in the persons of Messrs. Rack and Ruff, thought so, too. Even Peter nodded his approval.

And so Rackruff Motors, Inc., bound itself by written agreement to finance a motor tour for a party consisting solely of a beautiful young writer twenty-five years old and a commercial artist of thirty years and the opposite sex.

Rowena and Peter were called in for a conference early the next morning, and Mr. Rack, ably seconded by Mr. Ruff, put it up to them squarely. Somebody had blundered, if it came to that. An insurmountable difficulty had been encountered.

"There are no insurmountable difficulties," Rowena said sweetly.

The whole enterprise was deadlocked, plans were checkmated, contracts were canceled. The way Mr. Rack put it, with the full accord of Mr. Ruff, it seemed pretty hopeless. Peter quite wilted under the deadly finality of it all.

"Unless," he suggested tenatively, "we advertise again and get an older author, maybe a married one—I suppose a little less good-looking would be better under the circumstances—would attract less attention."

"But you signed me," protested Rowena quickly. "If you try to put any one else in my place, I'll get out an injunction and tie up everything."

Rowena's eyes at that moment were a clear, cold, business blue. Not one of them doubted for a moment that she would do just as she threatened.

Mr. Rack threw out his hands despairingly. "Well, it's off, that's all," he declared.

And Mr. Ruff nodded his head.

Peter seemed cowed into acquiescence. But Rowena was never one to be cowed into acquiescence. She laughed brightly.

"Why, my dears," she said, "it doesn't make the least bit of difference. This is a business trip. I am a professional writer. Mr. Blande is a professional artist. We are thrown together in a purely business capacity, and our ages and sexes have nothing whatsoever to do with it. Nobody thinks anything of a man spending eight hours a day locked into four walls with his stenographer. Certainly an author and an artist riding the public highways in an open car are far safer."

Unfortunately for Rowena, however, Messrs. Rack and Ruff continued to object. Even Peter did. They made all due allowance for Rowena's purity of purpose and nobility of nature, but Rackruff Motors, Inc., said Mr. Rack, stood firm for the conventions.

"Of course, if you feel like that," Rowena said cheerfully, "Mr. Blande and I will be guided entirely by your wishes. We will have to get a chaperon; that's all."

"We wouldn't care about paying the expenses of a third party," said Mr. Ruff quickly.—Mr. Ruff was Treasurer of the Company.

"It will not be necessary," said Rowena. "We will take a lady with us who will be glad to make the tour for her transportation, paying her own living expenses en route."

"Can you find such a person?" asked Mr. Rack.

"Certainly," said Rowena brightly "Leave everything to me."

"What are you going to do?" asked Peter.

"The same thing you did. Advertise!"

So they went down the street to the nearest Childs' and figured out an advertisement that seemed to suit their purpose.

> "Wanted: Young woman to serve as companion on extensive motor tour of the United States. Transportation provided, but must pay own living expenses."

Peter wanted to put in something about a pleasant disposition being an asset, but Rowena said it would be useless—said all women thought they had good dispositions.

"You advertised for a good-looking author, didn't you? And did you see the mob that answered?—We'll have to trust her disposition to luck. Besides, she'll be in the rumble seat—we won't see much of her."

They received a great many answers to the advertisement and Peter went down to her snug, one-room apartment to assist in making the selection. This proved not difficult.

The letter chosen was written on plain creamy paper of very fine quality.

> "I am twenty-three years old, a college graduate, and can pay my own expenses unless you plan to travel on a very deluxe scale. I can start at any time and stay as long as you like. The only thing I am really interested in is to go—and go at once. I enclose references."

The name was Roberta Lowell.

The references were good so Rowena got the number on the telephone, with Peter standing interestedly by, and talked to Roberta Lowell.

"She has a nice voice," she whispered to Peter.

Miss Lowell said she could start on Monday morning, that she could get all of her traveling equipment in one suitcase and a small traveling bag, and that she had an allowance of twenty-five dollars a week.

"Wait a minute." Rowena put her hand over the transmitter. "She can spend twenty-five a week," she said to Peter.

"Well, that ought to be enough," said Peter. "Except for the car, I'm hoping to get along on less."

Miss Lowell said she would meet them, bag and baggage at the Rackruff show-room at ten o'clock Monday morning without fail, and she thought it was going to be great fun.

"Oh, by the way, Miss Lowell—"

"Oh, please don't call me Miss Lowell. Call me Bobby. Everybody calls me Bobby. Miss Lowell is so stiff."

"Well, by the way, Bobby Lowell," went on Rowena, "you'll have to ride in the rumble seat."

"I don't care," was the brave retort. "I'll be willing to ride a cowcatcher to get out of New York and get out quick."

Now Rowena did not like artists. She said they were so abstract. Rowena herself was extremely concrete. She felt, in her heart of hearts, that it was a shame that such a heavenly opportunity to go places, see things, meet people—and best of all, make money doing it!—had to be all messed up with an artist like Peter. Even Rowena, however, could see that she couldn't very well get rid of him—not under the circumstances. If only she and the Roberta girl could go alone now—ah, there would be a travel tale worth the telling. And how they would photograph, the two of them, in the snappy 1931 Rackruff roadster! The publicity they would get.

Mindful that there would be photographers to record their departure from the Rackruff Salesrooms—the Publicity Department was taking care of all that! —Rowena took extreme pains with her appearance that Monday morning, and that was an unusual thing with Rowena.

When she presented herself at the Rackruff show-room at ten o'clock on Monday morning, Messrs. Rack and Ruff had good reason to congratulate themselves on their choice of author. Photographers and reporters were alike enchanted. A girl like that, now, swinging along the Rocky Mountains in a Rackruff roadster—ah, there was publicity made to your order. And it was all Peter's idea, too.

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Friend—Don't you know that Spendalot is simply marrying you for your money so that he can pay his bills?

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Banking House, and Furn. & Fixtures	3,492.56
Overdrafts	46.83
Misc. Resources	203.26
Warrants and Short Term Securities	7,950.00
Cash and Due from Banks	17,961.90
Total	$59,738.52

Liabilities:

Capital Stock Paid in	$20,000.00
Surplus	2,000.00
Undivided Profits	1,199.81
Reserve Account	1,515.70
Misc. Liabilities	12.50
Deposits	35,010.51
Total	$59,738.52

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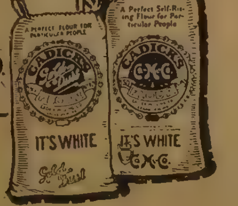

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Thorsby's Ever Progressive Spirit

News stories on the front page of this week's News show two progressive steps being taken by citizens in Thorsby in the way of improvements and preparations to increase business.

Thorsby, Alabama, one of the most wide awake towns in the county, has always been composed of public-spirited and progressive citizens. It has the largest and most active fruit and truck growers association in the county and perhaps in this section of the state. They stick and pull together.

Plans now underway, and backed by reliable men, promise to bring to Thorsby and to Chilton County a new industry. A small industry to start with, sure, but an industry that has a wide field in this section of the state in which to work. Another thing about those men and women who compose the residents of Thorsby is that they are usually sure before they undertake a project, thereby making the best of those things presenting opportunities to their community, and instead of waiting for opportunities, they usually make them.

No doubt, citizens in and around other towns in the county will be called upon to aid in one of the latest improvement projects for Thorsby and the county as well. Of course, such a proposition will necessitate investigation, but let every citizen interested, investigate the matter and if possible, give assistance to put it over.

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Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving Day has become such a universally observed national holiday that few people realize that its general observance is quite a recent development. All of the states of New England and some of the other northern states, had an annual day of thanksgiving by the proclamation of the Governor, but while this custom came from the earliest colonial times, it seldom happened that more than two or three states picked the same day.

The real "mother of Thanksgiving Day" was Mrs. Sarah Joseph Hale, who was the editor of the first magazine published especially for women, Godey's Lady's Book. Mrs. Hale, before 1850, tried to get the President of the United States to issue a proclamation for a national Thanksgiving Day. Mrs. Ruth E. Finley, in her new book, "The Lady of Godey's," tells how she bombarded president after president with her demand until in 1863. President Lincoln issued the first national thanksgiving proclamation, naming the last Thursday in November as its date. From that time on every President has issued such a proclamation, and since the 1870's the Governor of every state has also proclaimed the last Thursday in November as Thanksgiving Day. Since there has never been an act of Congress on the subject, Thanksgiving Day is not technically a national holiday, but it would be difficult to keep the people of any state from observing it, even if the Governor forgot to issue his proclamation.

In recent years there has been a tendency to take Thanksgiving Day lightly. We are all too much inclined, in good times, to take credit to ourselves for our blessings, whatever they may be, while in times of distress it is a very human inclination to ask "what have I got to be thankful for? [illegible] asking that question this year, but [illegible] one of the best cures for pessimism is to stop thinking of your hard luck and try for one day to think of all the good things that have come your way since last Thanksgiving.

There is, perhaps, small consolation in that for people who have lost their faith in spiritual things. But we believe that the great majority of Americans, by whatever name they may call their religious creeds, still believe that there is a Divine Providence which has guided and still will guide our nation, and when we consider the state of most of the people of the rest of the world, we feel that there is ample ground for a National Thanksgiving Day.

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Something Radically Wrong

Alexander Paterson, His Majesty's Commissioner of Prisons, in England, spent several months investigating prisons in this country some time ago. His remarks comparing penal conditions here and in his country are hardly flattering to us, but they are well worth listening to.

Mr. Paterson was especially impressed, and unfavorably, by the size of prisons here and the number of inmates. Overcrowding is the rule in American institutions rather than the exception. Much of this he blamed, not on "crime waves" but on our multitude of laws and severity of sentences. He says that at one institution he watched the checking-in of twenty new prisoners, nineteen of whom, in England, would have been dealt with under the probation act or been fined.

Here is expert testimony in support of the fact that the United States, through its zeal in passing laws, is manufacturing criminals on a wholesale scale. And it is certainly not a coincidence that this has been accompanied by a break-down in the processes of justice, so far as crime prevention is concerned. When we send twenty men to a penitentiary, nineteen of whom would have been kept outside in England—one of the most law-abiding of countries—there is something radically wrong with the system. It needs quick attention.

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Those Senate progressives are Republicans in everything except supporting party measures and party candidates.

"ROUND TOWN"
---by Doug

> "For one word a man is often deemed to be wise, and for one word he is often deemed to be foolish. We ought to be careful indeed what we say."
>
> —Confucius.

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Glad to be back in my column again, dear folks. Sorry that I had to be away for such a long time. That's about all I should say about it, but you know me, I can't get by, and feel right about it,—if I say just a little. I understand from the ed that he got along all right so far as he is concerned, and got this column filled up without any too much trouble every week I was out.

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But I believe I know why he consented to let me come back again. If you'll pardon the ego—there were too many people fussing about this Round Town column being out of C. G. N. Now, I've gone and started with my egotistical manner the very first pop out of the bottle, or box, or something.

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Speaking of boxes, I see that Dief has been storing some automobile tires in a vacant building across from his service station. Dief must think that folks are going to start buying Goodyears soon. Pardon me, I meant to say that folks are going to buy more Goodyears soon. What that has to do with boxes is beyond me.

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While I'm down in this neck o' the woods, I might say that recently I've noticed that our friend Reed Mullins from out on Battle Creek—I mean Yellow Leaf—seems to be pretty busy doing things these days. Wonder why he wanted to wait until now to get to showing up. Seems we might have needed a man like him around town for sometime. I like the way he gets about and does things.

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Thanksgiving comes around again this year and on Thursday. I've had the Thanksgiving spirit for several days and will be glad when Thursday is here so I can shoulder the old trusty and sneak up on a squirrel or something.

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Wonder how our school teachers are faring these days. Being away like I have for sometime, I kind o' lost track of them and have to get busy and stir things up a bit. You know, things become somewhat slack when I'm not around. Pardon me, again.

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Hear the volunteer firemen have been eating heartily lately with others taking care to see that they were well fed. Arthur Willis is to be commended for his arrangement on the supper for the fire boys the other night. They looked like a jolly bunch of good fellows when I passed Matt's Lunch Shoppe. Matt seems to be one who knows how to touch a man's appetite with good food.

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Perhaps you dear reader friends of mine are wondering where I have been. Perhaps you haven't and are not—but I'll believe you are, now anyway. Well, there's no use trying to keep it a secret, because once the newspapers get hold of it, it will spread like wildfire.

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I've been off in Coosa County for awhile, then over in Tallapoosa, then down in Elmore, then over in Chilton, then back in Coosa, over in Talladega and then—none of your business. My clothes began to show signs of wear and my shoes were beginning to look like a sack wrapped round my feet. I was having a hard time of it. But I have the ed to thank for letting me come back to see you all again, and try to get my dignity oiled up and straightened out again. There's no place like Chilton for me.

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Wonder how the golf boys are getting along now. Noticed several out knocking the little old pill around the other afternoon, but didn't have time to stop to see who it was.

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There are a lot of certain people I'd like to thank right now for telling the ed and others that they missed this column while I was away, but I won't thank them publicly, I'll just say I'm much obliged to you, and that's sincere.

Didn't have much time to get this column up this week because the paper goes to press Tuesday, so might have to cut it short. But I'll be with you next week, and we will all see what we can see, or something. In the meantime, take care of every little thing, and I'll be legally investigating matters, pro my bono.

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What's the Matter with America?

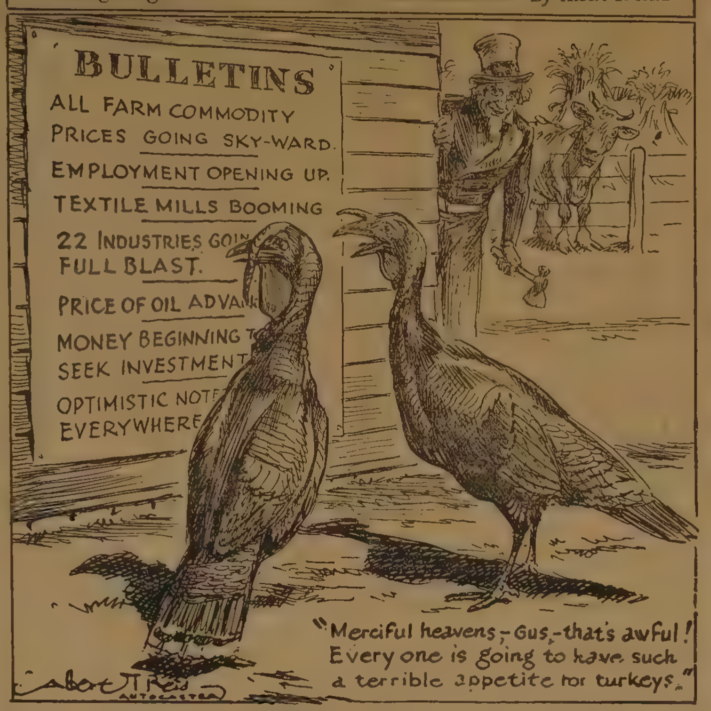
We have not seen any more intelligent or biting explanation of the economic depression from which the country seems now to be beginning to emerge than that which was written a little while ago by Miss Emily Woodward, editor of the Vienna (Ga.) News. This is what Miss Woodward said about it:

A people, for the most part accustomed to living moderately and even frugally prior to the war, we launched into an orgy of spending such as has never been known in the history of man. Although endowed with a modicum of reasoning power, we have deliberately thrown discretion to the winds changing our standards of living from quiet simplicity to frenzied luxury. Equipped with sufficient mathematical knowledge to know that four from two leaves minus two, men and women with incomes of $200.00 a month have spent at the rate of $400.00. This has applied quite generally whether the income has been $25.00 or $2500.00.

Farming and other businesses are more or less demoralized, but it is not due altogether to 5 cent cotton and the tariff. It is due in part to our waste, abuse of credit, poor business management and laziness.

Before we see the end of this many of us who are now riding may be walking, but that probably would be as it should be. The men and women who honestly work their ways out of the present economic labyrinth will be those possessed of the proper intestinal stamina. For some time now, we have needed something to divide the sheep from the goats. Crooks and deadbeats have been sailing along in the vanguard of society and the church, enjoying all the privileges and often more than those who make up the ranks of honest citizenry. If the present crisis serves as a leveler in the business and social realms, much will be gained. The seeming success of the dishonest during the reign of extravagance through which we have just passed, has had a baneful effect, serving to give sanction to the theory that the way to win is through shady paths.

Thanksgiving — *By Albert T. Reid*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"Merciful heavens,—Gus,—that's awful! Every one is going to have such a terrible appetite for turkeys."

Letters To The Editor

ABOUT KILBY'S PRISONERS

Dear Editor the Chilton County News:

Will you please give me a small space in your valuable paper to say a few words in regard to an article that appeared in the Birmingham Post on last Saturday, the 21st.

The article was as follows: "Montgomery, Nov. 21st—Special,—Of 5,475 prisoners placed in Kilby prison during the fiscal year ending Sept. 30 almost half, 2,588 are under 25 years of age records show. 2232 are Baptists and 822 are Methodists, one Mormon and four Jews. A total of 1725 are serving for violation of the prohibition law, while several hundred others are in prison for offenses related to dry law violations."

It appears that more than half of the 5475 are serving for violation of the prohibition law, and that 3059 are church members.

Is it a fact that the church is furnishing the state prison more prohibition criminals than the outside or underworld is furnishing. What encouragement has the church to offer the worldly people to come and join them when the records at Kilby Prison show that the church is furnishing more criminals than all other institutions combined, including the entire outside world.

If our preachers would take Christ's teachings and preach what Christ told his followers to preach, and not dispute with Christ as did the Pharisees and scribes when Christ told them that there is nothing from without a man that entering into him can defile him. Do ye not perceive that whatsoever thing from without entereth into the man it cannot defile him.

Christ did not propose to remove a single temptation, but taught his followers that if they did not overcome and resist temptations that they were not worthy of the good things he had in store for them.

Christ never did send delegations to confer with the law making powers to have laws passed to make people to be Christians. Is the church yet without understanding.

Let the church exclude its drunkards and bootleggers and be a fit subject to preach and teach Temperance and shut up about prohibition and quit asking that bunch to make laws to make people good that Christ said woe unto they had takened away the key of knowledge ye entered not in yourselves and them that were entering in ye hindered.

Let the Church seek for that old time religion that comes by the grace of God and when she gets in possession of it she will then fail to furnish our state prison a majority of criminals. Just think, the Baptists and Methodists alone in the great State of Alabama are furnishing Kilby prison more criminals than all other institutions and worldlings combined. Preachers, what are you doing.

Respectfully,
A. A. JACKSON,
Lomax, Ala., Nov. 23. 1931.

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Ermete Giani of Empoli, Italy, standing before the altar at which he was to be married for the seventh time, halted the ceremony and deserted his fiancee, shouting "no" when asked if he took the woman as his wife.

HER THANKSGIVING SURPRISE PARTY

"One, two three and a half minutes yet." Alicia was counting. Counting the minutes until she would go to the party, do you think? Really you might guess a long time and never come near the right. Alicia was counting the minutes until a freight train should whistle and rush past her window.

Not much of a sight you think; just a common freight train with cars full of wheat and lumber and maybe some loaded with squealing pigs. But listen! If you are twelve years old and lived on a lonely farm and had not been able to get out of your bed and walk for six long years, not since you were six years old, and you couldn't go to school, of course, and few people lived near enough to come and see you—well that would be different, wouldn't it?

It did not matter whether it was a freight train or a passenger train, when it came by she would wave her little flag at the engineer and the trainmen and always get a cheery wave in return.

Often the trains stopped for some time on a long siding near the house and switched off cars to be loaded with grain or cattle, and then one of the men would run over to the house for a pail of milk; so they knew why the girl could not walk like other children.

Even at night when the trains passed Alicia would flash her electric torch three times and see the answering bobs of lanterns.

Alicia's father and mother loved her very dearly, but the farm did not pay well enough to let them get money ahead so they could leave it for a better place. The ground was poor and Mr. Smith did not understand farming as well as he ought; so they had not been able to send Alicia to the hospital for the particular sort of care she needed.

Sometimes when a train would have quite a wait on the siding one of the men would run over to her window with a little gift of a book or candy. She did not know that the men had passed the word along to all the train crews that a committee had been appointed to consult a noted surgeon about her.

And then one day, just three days before Thanksgiving, a wonderful thing happened. A special train stopped on the siding; and instead of one man coming over for the milk she saw a regular procession coming.

"One, two, three, four," she counted. "Why, Mother," she called, "there are ten big men coming and they are bringing a lot of things with them!"

It was true. Very much amazed, Mrs. Smith opened the door, and in they came and saying, "We have come to bring a glad Thanksgiving to little Alicia."

And you should have seen those gifts—a comy wheel chair, a box with soft rose colored blankets for Alicia's bed, another box with a soft, fuzzy, rose-colored bathrobe and slippers to match, two beautifully colored pillows, the most beautiful doll any little girl could ever want and a doll trunk full of dainty clothes for her dollyship, and, last of all, a most mysterious sealed envelope not to be opened until the 10:40 freight passed the next morning.

With cheeks flushed from excitement, she thanked the men, holding close in her small arms everything they could hold; and when the men had gone her interest was divided between the wonders she could see and the mysterious envelope.

That night she could hardly sleep, she was so excited over the mystery, and she whispered a great deal to the dear doll cuddled in her arms; but morning really did come at last, and after such an age, the long sharp whistle of the 10:40 train. It had barely passed when the envelope was opened. There was a bright Thanksgiving card and an extra note saying that the next day she would have a call from Dr. Slocum, whose special business it was to help little girls get well.

Wasn't it fine? All those trainmen had raised a fund to pay all expenses. Alicia was shy when Dr. Slocum came, as promised, but he quickly gained her confidence and assured her that it would not be very long before she could walk and run and climb up on the fence to wave at the trains instead of doing it in the bed.

"You have been a brave girl for a long time, Alicia," said the kind surgeon, "and you will be ready when the nurse comes for you in three days."

Alicia looked at him anxiously, "Doctor, must I leave all these lovely things at home?"

"No indeed!" he replied quickly. "Bring them all with you if you like, especially that fine doll. And I don't know who is going to be the happiest when you come home all well, you or your parents or the trainsmen or I."

"I know," said Alicia, "it will be all of us, every one. Never, never could anyone have such a beautiful surprise party. I will be ready when the nurse comes, Doctor, and I will be brave, truly I will, and I will be glad every day always."

And so you see, the loving gifts of many hearts. For it all came through as Dr. Slocum thought, and Alicia was able to walk like other children. And, of course, she often climbed up on the fence to wave greetings to her loyal friends, the trainmen, and they were happy always.

From The Alabama Christian Advocate.

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SHERIFF'S SALE, PERSONALTY

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Ala., and to me directed whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of Seven Hundred Ninety five ($795.00) Dollars, principal and interest, and fourteen and 90|100 Dollars, costs of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the July Term, 1931, of said Court of said County, Alabama, in favor of John Deere Plow Co., a body corporate against N. O. Roebuck and W. Buster Roebuck I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at public sale, between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m., at Clanton, Alabama, in front of the court house door of Chilton County, Ala.,

ON THE 7TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1931, all the right, title and interest of the above named N. O. Roebuck and W. Buster Roebuck in and to the following described personal property, viz: One regular general purpose tractor No. 204787.

This 24th day of November, 1931.

W. H. GILLESPIE, Sheriff.

Posted at Court House door Nov. 24, 1931. W. H. GILLESPIE, Sheriff.

ALABAMA IMPORTING $20,000,000 WORTH OF DAIRY PRODUCTS

Alabama is importing each year $20,000,000 worth of dairy products which should be produced in the state, according to a survey of the state's dairy industry by the Industrial Development Board, Birmingham, and the Department of Agriculture, Montgomery.

The report shows that the state is importing dairy products from 21 other states, including California and Washington.

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Pleasant Grove News

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Miller, with daughter, Miss Elizabeth, were at church in their regular services.

Rev. J. W. Wells came with Rev. Miller and preached for us. Rev. Miller preached in the morning service. His message was taken from St. John's Gospel, sixth chapter from the first to the fourteenth verse. Rev. Wells, the helper of the revival this year, took his message from St. Luke the seventeenth chapter, from the ninth through the seventeenth. His text was, "Where are the nine?" Rev. Perry was also with us to help in the singing service.

Little Cecil Franklin has been ill this week.

Little Mary Elizabeth Woods has the scarlet fever.

Mr. Elwin Sorrell, Mr. Curtis Jones and Mr. Grady Price were visitors of Pleasant Grove Sunday.

Mr. Bellenger has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. E. Miskelley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Dawson and family spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Franklin.

Miss Ruby Wright entertained her friends at a birthday party Saturday night.

Things in General

Almost everyone is through gathering and filling his storehouse with the blessings of our King and Saviour. Now what's the use to think of a depression with plenty to eat and health preserved for us by our King.

Now as Thanksgiving is nearing, let us sit down and see what we have to be thankful for. First, let me see, am I crippled? Am I blind? Have I made anyone happy this long year? Now, let us remember all that are crippled, blind, etc., and let him remember it must be "all for the best." Don't we remember Lazarus and how Jesus could have prevented it, but it all was to the Glory of God to show His power to those that believe.

We all think those for this blessed writing in explanation of the Bible.

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Those many friends of Julius "Rip" Burnett, who is connected with Clanton Motors, and who has recently undergone an operation for appendicitis, is able to be out again and at his post of duty at the Ford Building.

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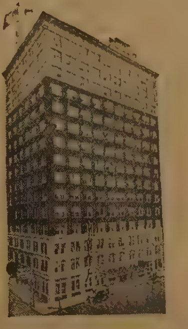

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News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Hans H. Dahl was buried in the Concordia Cemetery in Thorsby on November 23 at 3 P. M. The funeral was held at the Congregational church with Rev. J. E. Each in charge of the services. Mr. Dahl was born in Norway September 15, 1864. He came to America in 1893 and moved to Thorsby in 1895. At the time of his death, he had been living in Sylacauga for about three ytars. About three weeks before Mr. Dahl's death, he had an accident and injured his arm. Blood poisoning set up, which was followed by pneumonia, causing his death November 21. Mr. Dahl is survived by his wife, sons, Joseph and Olaf and daughter, Palma. Three step children, Benjamin Grinley, Mrs. Mable Lucas and the young son of his present wife.

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Mr. W. H. Raybon spent Saturday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Townsend of Birmingham spent Sunday in Thorsby.

Mrs. C. M. Williams, Mrs. Burdette and son Gerald, Mrs. Tommy Thomason and Miss Winnie Garrick spent Saturday in Birmingham shopping.

Miss Elwyn Robinson was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilbur Marcus Sunday.

Mr. August Larson spent Monday in Birmingham shopping.

Miss Margaret Butler spent the week end in Thorsby with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Butler.

Mr. Cecil Each visited his parents a little while Sunday.

There will be a union Thanksgiving service at the Congregational church Thursday morning beginning at ten o'clock. Rev. J. E. Each is in charge and special music will be rendered by the choir.

Mr. Tom Kemp and Mr. Dick Kemp of Clanton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Merchant Sunday.

Miss Mary Sue Robinson returned from a weeks visit with her sister. Mrs. A. P. Villadsen in Lincoln, Ala., Saturday.

Mr. Henry Robinson spent the week end in Thorsby with his mother, Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Villadsen and children will be the guests of Mrs. T. W. Robinson Thanksgiving.

W. M. U. met at the Thorsby Baptist church Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Hattie Davenport spent the week end in Thorsby with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith of Clanton were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Davenport.

Mr. Verner Carlson and his mother, Mrs. Conrad Carlson, left Monday morning for Chicago, Illinois.

Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald spent a few days in Birmingham last week.

Mr. Leonard Moody, son-in-law of Mrs. Gerald, was taken ill with appendicitis at his home in Birmingham last week and was rushed to the hospital. It is reported that he is doing nicely.

Mr. Fred Howard, Lloyd and Ella Howard and Edith Johnson spent Saturday in Birmingham.

Mrs. Fred Howard, Mable and Mary Ruth Nix viisted Mrs. Kenneth O'Barr Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Loveland, mother, Mrs. Howe and Miss Doris Freeman of Demorest, Georgia, spent the week end in Thorsby with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Relious Franklin, Peggy Mims, Mrs. Mack Gray, Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway spent the week end in Greenville, Ala., visiting Mrs. Claude Jones. Relious Franklin Mack Gray and Spurgeon Calloway spent Sunday in Greenville and returned with their wives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Foss and sons, Carl, John Richard, and Bobby, and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Reagan motored to Birmingham Sunday.

Mr. Rascoe Maddox and Mr. King spent Saturday in Birmingham.

Evie Lee and Odell Rowe, Anna Fae Price, and Ida Lou Pate were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Raybon Sunday.

Mrs. P. D. Killingsworth of Birmingham and Mr. Dan Primm of Birmingham spent Sunday with their mother. Mrs. M. J. Primm.

Mr. Roy Raybon spent a few days in Birmingham last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson spent the week end in Birmingham.

There will be services in the Scandinavian language at the Lutheran church on Thanksgiving Day at 10:30 A. M. instead of 10:45 A. M.

On Sunday, November 29, first Sunday in advent, there will be a double service and Holy Communion. A collection will be taken for the Swedish National Sanitorium for tuberculosis, at Denver, Colo.

The following gathered at the home of Miss Christine Bosworth Saturday night and had a very pleasant evening: Kathryn Lenoir, Edith Foss, Wilma and Verlon Goodgame, Edith Johnson, Brady Billingsley, Penny Davis, Reese Mims, Kendall Franklin, and Briggs Hodgins.

Mr. Broadus Connatser and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fox spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Connatser.

Miss Elizabeth Wells was the dinner guest of Grace and Gladys Smith Sunday.

Mr. V. H. Sutlive entertained the Senior Class Saturday night at his home. The following were present: Anna Fae Price, Evie Lee and Odell Rowe, Mary Ruth Nix, Ruby Connatser, Ella Howard, Wilma Goodgame, Grace Smith, Olean Hybart, Mildred Jefferies, Helen Diefenderfer, Pauline Poole, Donald Long, T. A. McCallum, Oliver Lyon, Ralph Pate, Camilla Mae McCallum. Games were enjoyed and delightful refreshments were served.

Mrs. Roland Mikesell returned to her home in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Friday, after a weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peterson.

There will be song services at the Congregational church next Sunday night.

The thank offering to be taken at the Congregational church at the joint services will be used for home charity. Plans are being made for the organization of a committe, from all church and ladies' aids, whose duty shall be to solicit and distribute any funds available among the needy in our town. This matter will be taken up after the services on Thanksgiving.

The Baptist Churches of Chilton County began Tuesday to load a car of food and clothing here for the orphans home at Troy, Alabama. The car will move to Clanton Wednesday to complete loading.

The Ladies Guild Bazaar will be held at the City Hall next Saturday. A fish dinner is to be served at noon. Articles to be sold will be placed on various counters at prices ranging from ten cents to a dollar. Recipes written on cards suitable for filing, donated by members and others, will be sold for two cents apiece. This is your opportunity for a day of enjoyment and economical way of getting your Christmas presents together with a minimum of trouble.

Mr. Walter Parnell spent Sunday in Selma, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Harris spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Harper on their way to De Funiak Springs, Florida.

Miss Bertha Littleton spent the week end in Thorsby with her sitser, Mrs. Emmett Billingsley.

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Thorsby Institute News

The Armistice Day program of the Thorsby Institute consisted of a poem entitled "Aftermath" recited by S. E. Maddox and "The Recessional" recited by Nelle Tracy, a talk by Conway Thornburgh on the meaning of the Armistice, the salute to the flag, led by Oliver Lyon, a representative of the Boy Scouts. Other parts were given by Jack Higgins, Phares Raybon and Ralph Pate representing the Scouts. A duet was sung by Miss Klingelhoefer and Miss McKee.

Next Saturday night at 7:30 at the Thorsby Institute Auditorium the Annual Stunt Night will take place. The four classes of the school prepare stunts of various kinds. Everyone is invited. Admission ten cents.

It has been customary for a good many years for the people of Thorsby to make donations of food of various kinds to the County Poor Farm. Provisions may be left at the Public school, Thorsby Institute or Harper's Store. Don't forget to send something by Wednesday noon of this week.

Thorsby Institute's new basket ball court for the boys is about completed. The dry weather delayed the completion of the court.

A joint club meeting of the Pushmatahas and Philomathics was held Friday afternoon in the auditorium of the Thorsby Institute. A debate, Resolved that the Several States Should Enact a Legislation Providing Compulsory Unemployment Insurance, was given. The speakers for the Philomathics were Wilma Goodgame and Albert Mims. They had the affirmative side of the debate. For the Pushmatahas, Mary Frank Smith and Donald Long, spoke on the negative side. The Pushmatahas won the debate.

Sunday night T. A. McCallum, vice president of the C. E. Society, was the leader. Special music was rendered by Mrs. V. H. Sutlive and Miss Odie Lee Arthur. Thoughts on being thankful and helping others to have a reason for thanksgiving were brought out. As it was Consecration night the roll call was read and the C. E. Pledge was repeated.

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Billingsley News

Mrs. Charles Raspberry, Miss Lula Raspberry of Clanton and Mrs. Charley Jones of Isabella were the guests of Mrs. J. N. Carter Wednesday.

Mr. Robert Oglesby of Tuskegee visited Miss Mary Collier Sunday evening.

The marriage of Miss Lucile Turner and Mr. James Bentley came as a surprise to their many friends who are extending best wishes to the young couple.

Mr. W. T. Durden of Montgomery is visiting his son, B. M. and Mrs. Durden.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. William of Montgomery were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar Sunday.

Miss Mattie Lou Carter is visiting relatives in Montgomery.

Every member of the Baptist church here is urged to be present at the Sunday school hour next Sunday, November 29th. An inspirational address will be given on the Every Member Canvass by one whom you will delight to hear.

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Sometimes the quest of a daughter's hand leads to the bestowal of the father's foot.

Boys Under 25 Crowd Prison

Of a total of 5,475 prisoners entering the Alabama penitentiary during the fiscal year Sept. 30, 1930, to Oct. 1, 1931, 1,725 were sentenced for violating the prohibition law directly while several hundred additional prisoners entered the penitentiary for offenses relating to prohibition.

The annual statistical report on the prison population of Alabama for the past fiscal year has been completed and is in the hands of W. F. Feagin, director of the State Board of Administration, and it shows that on Nov. 18, 1931, the penitentiary population in Alabama numbered 6,133. Of this number 5,005 were State prisoners and 1,128 were county prisoners.

While violations of the prohibition law made up the largest crime for which men and women were sentenced to the penitentiary during the last fiscal year, burglary came second with 472 entrants on that charge.

An interesting feature of the report is that 2,588 prisoners are in the penitentiary under 25 years of age.

Of the State prisoners, 2,232 list themselves as Baptists while the next denomination in point of numbers is the Methodists with 822 prisoners. There is one Mormon in the penitentiary. There are no Christian Scientists or Pentecost in the penitentiary and only four Jews.

The figures show four electrocutions during the year and five commutations.

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GREELEY'S HANDWRITING

Many stories have been told about Horace Greeley's notoriously poor handwriting, which was a constant nightmare to his associates, and especially to the printers, on the old New York Tribune.

One printer, being given a Greeley manuscript to set up for the first time, exclaimed: "My God, if Belshazzar had seen this writing on the wall he would have been more terrified than he was." Later it is said, Greeley wrote to the foreman, directing that the printer be discharged because he made so many typographical errors. The printer got hold of the note before leaving, and carried it to the foreman of another newspaper as a recommendation—and got a job immediately.

Once Greeley was invited to lecture in Sandwich, Ill. He wrote that as he was overworked and would be sixty years old on the following February third, he felt unable to take the engagement. After much labor in deciphering the letter, the committee replied that they would be glad to have him lecture on February third, and that the fee of sixty dollars would be satisfactory.

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DEMONSTRATION LESSONS BY LOCAL TEACHERS ENJOYED

The demonstration lessons taught at the Clanton Grammar school last Saturday were enjoyed by those attending. Local teachers gave the demonstrations under the direction of Miss Madge Scarborough, elementary Supervisor.

Miss Scarborough was assisted in the conference by Miss Olivia Lawson, professor of Elementary Education, of Alabama College. Mrs. John Browder, manager of the lunch room at the grammar school, served a delicious lunch to the more than forty teachers who attended. Following is the program as was carried out at this meeting:

9:00-9:20 Pre-Conference.

Primary Group

9:20-9:50 First Grade Reading, Miss Emma Sue Morris.

9:50-10:30 Second Grade Reading, Miss Ruth Sessions.

10:30-12:30 Conference.

Elementary Group

Four Grade Spelling, Miss Jewel Vessels.

Fifth Grade Geography, Mrs. Curry D. Thomas.

During the conference Supt. Lawrence made an inspiring talk to the teachers.

Noon

1:15 Conference continued. (Alabama College Extension Course.)

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EFFECTS OF VITAMINS HAVE BECOME KNOWN

Vitamins, what are they? This is a question often asked but not answered. Everyone is interested because everyone eats and needs to be nourished properly.

Vitamins are about as puzzling as the fourth dimension, but Miss Helen Kennedy, extension nutritionist, Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, says that much is known about the effects of different vitamins, known as A, B, C, D, E, and G.

Vitamin A, she said, prevents infection and promotes growth. It is found in all naturally yellow foods such as butter, egg yolk, carrots and milk.

Vitamin B prevents nervous disorders and promotes growth. It is found in all naturally green foods such as turnip greens, collards and spinach, in whole grain, and in citrus fruits.

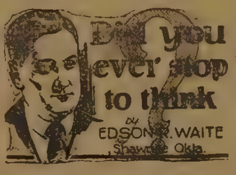
Vitamin C, which prevents and cures scurvy, is found in all fresh growing parts of plants and all fresh fruits.

Vitamin D promotes the development of bones and teeth and is found in milk, butter, egg yolk, cod liver oil and sunshine.

Vitamin E is essential in reproduction and found in meat, lettuce and cereals.

Vitamin G prevents and cures pellagra. It is found in all natural foods such as milk, eggs, meat, fruits, and vegetables.

Since all six vitamins are needed the daily diet should be planned to include all of them, Miss Kennedy said.



Hon. J. T. M. Anderson, Premier of Saskatchewan, says:

That few elements contribute more to human happiness and well being than "Loyalty."

In its personal application it is the epitome of the doctrine of the Nazarene, and in its general acceptance it is the buckler and bulwark of nations. There is no virtue more splendid, and few more universally esteemed. Without it there can be no true patriotism, nor can there be personal fidelity. It may be mistaken in its attachments, but the spirit of its very mistakes may have virtue.

Its practice builds nations and cements the whole fabric of human relationship. Its application to ideals adds a spiritual leaven to life and justifies faith in humanity.

It is admirable alike in the family and in the council chamber of the nation. It elevates the humble, and nothing so becomes those in the seats of the mighty.

It was his recognition of this inherent British quality which led Napoleon to exclaim: "Had my people been British, I could have lost Waterloo and still been Emperor."

Loyalty safeguards the state and develops the country. It surmounts difficulties and generates the patriotic faith that "moves mountains."

It achieves more than the most skillful materialism. It will suffer anything and come from the ordeal refined like a tempered sword blade.

It was loyalty that builded the British Empire—loyalty to high traditions of honour, justice and integrity, worked into the woof and warp of this stubborn island race for a thousand years.

Never were true loyalties so much needed as now. Many of the peoples of the world are passing through conditions which are causing widespread distress and suffering. It is by loyalty that we shall come to our own again—patient unswerving loyalty to our friends, to our country, and to our obligations, in respect to people and nations, who although sometimes alien to our blood and race, occupy their own place in the great scheme of common humanity.

With the Alabama Law

This is the second of a series of questions and answers regarding the Alabama law pertaining to Agriculture.

Q. Is it permissible to sell cold storage and preserved eggs in Alabama without labeling them as such?

A. No person, firm or corporation, by himself or his agents, shall sell, agree to sell, or advertise for sale any cold storage or preserved eggs without making it known to the purchaser, or prospective purchaser, that the eggs are cold storage or preserved eggs, and all boxes or other receptacles in which cold storage or preserved eggs are displayed for sale, sold or delivered, in wholesale or retail, shall be marked or lettered in a conspicuous manner with the words "cold storage eggs" or "preserved eggs."—Agricultural Code.

Q. Does the law permit the selling of rotten eggs in Alabama?

A. No person shall sell any eggs unfit for human food. unless the same is broken in shell and then denatured so that it can not be used for human food. An egg shall be deemed unfit for human food if it be addled or moldy, a black rot. a white rot, or a blood ring, or if it has an adherent yolk, or a bloody or green white, or if it be incubated beyond the blood ring stage; or if it consists in whole or in part of a filthy, decomposed or putrid substance.—Agricultural Code.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Thomason, of Lay Dam, were visitors to Clanton Friday. While in town Mr. Thomason was a caller at the News office.

THE FIRST PHONOGRAPH

In a letter written a few years ago, Thomas A. Edison said: "I conceived the idea of recording and reproducing human speech and other sounds on July 18, 1877."

Mr. Edison went on to say that he worked on his first model of the first phonograph during the following two months and that "this first model was entirely successful." He also declared that this model comprised all the basic principles which are still used in all phonographs and talking machines.

Many will remember the early phonograph records made on wax cylinders. These were greatly inferior to the later disc records, besides they were very fragile and short-lived. Still the principles used in recording and reproducing the sounds were the same as those employed up to the present.'

The world owes much of its enjoyment and instruction to the idea born in Edison's fertile brain fifty-four years ago. It is gratifying that he was permitted to enjoy a long life in which to develop and witness the universal employment of this and other epoch-making inventions which he gave to mankind.

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It looks as if Michigan State got the "breaks" in that 100 to 0 win over Ripon.

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Economic Policy Commission of Bankers Association Points Out How 22,000 Banks Protect Public Interest

OVER 22,000 banks all over the United States are "quietly and efficiently serving their communities, helping tide many business enterprises over their difficulties, helping many concerns to earn money, helping create the economic activities that mean payrolls and spending power in their zones of influence, and faithfully keeping guard over the working capital and savings funds of their depositors," the Economic Policy Commission of the American Bankers Association says in a recent survey, adding:

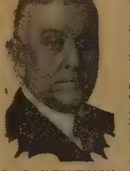
"It surely stands strikingly to the credit of the banking profession that, during a period of unparalleled international economic depression, this vast majority of bankers have so competently, so courageously and so successfully met their difficulties and obligations. The effects of the drought, the demoralization of agriculture, the stagnation of industry, the breakdown of trade, the inability of so many heretofore desirable customers to meet their obligations to the banks, the impairment of public confidence by mob-scares and false rumors resulting in unreasoning runs, the abnormal depreciation of quoted security values even in the most wisely conceived investment accounts, the utter collapse of real estate values—all these things have occurred on a nationwide and worldwide scale with unprecedented severity.

"The effects of every one of them have assailed the banks with destructive forces because they are of the very essence of a bank's economic substance. Yet, as we have shown, the great bulk of our banking deposits has been protected without harm, and our banks in a vast majority have continued to serve, support and strengthen their customers and their communities with unflagging and unconquered devotion."

WOULD ALTER OUR FINANCIAL HABITS

By ROME C. STEPHENSON

Former President American Bankers Association.



R. C. STEPHENSON

THE most constructive action that can be taken toward bringing about greater stability in our business life is the development of a more balanced attitude in the minds of all of our people in regard to the *right relationship between saving and spending.* There is more practical, workable economics in the sentence: *Save during prosperity so as to be able to spend during depression:* than in a whole library full of charts and tables and books on political economy.

I do not believe it is an impracticable dream to bring about an era of more intelligent saving and spending on the part of our people. It is not impossible to change the habits of the population. It has been done in many lines. The habits of our people have been improved and the health of the nation promoted in many ways by consistent programs of advertising and education that have brought about better hygienic understanding and practices.

The medical profession has virtually banished the scourge of some diseases by persistent, intelligent campaigns of preventive sanitary measures and inoculations, requiring new understandings, new habits among many millions of our people. Also a large part of this evolution of public health improvement has naturally developed through the intelligent advertising of many products that have to do with bodily care. I refer to the manufacturers and distributers of such things as more healthful shoes, more effective toothbrushes, food products with more wholesome values of nutrition and countless other practical ideas that have become commonplaces of our daily business life,—and that have become a part, too, of the very texture of the personal habits and health of great masses of our people.

If it has been good advertising and good business for so many of our national producers to spend millions of dollars thus to inculcate new habits of personal hygiene and personal care, is it not good business and good advertising for our banking interests to lay similar stress during the next period of prosperity upon better financial habits and customs of our people?

Bankers above all are interested in stable, wholesome business. They have much to gain by a state of sound financial health among the people, and most to lose by epidemics of economic maladies such as have swept the country during the past two years.

The man who has in better times been favored with too much credit rather than not enough is finding it is hard to pay his interest now with low prices for his products or labor.

LAMAR JEFFERS TO HAVE CHOICE OF COMMITTEES

Alabama Congressman Ranking Democrat In Two Groups

Being the ranking Democrat on two committees, Congressman Lamar Jeffers will have an opportunity to select either of the two for his chairmanship in the event the House is organized by the Democrats when Congress convens in December.

Congressman Jeffers is the ranking Democrat on the Civil Service Committee and on the Committee on the Election of President, Vice President and Representatives in Congress. He also is the second ranking Democrat on the Veterans Committee and a member of the Committee on Revision of the Laws.

Congressman Jeffers has decided that he will accept the chairmanship of the Civil Service Committee in the event the Democrats elect the Speaker, he said today.

Should something turn up that the ranking Democrat does not accept the Veterans Committee chairmanship and Congressman Jeffers becomes next in line, he will accept that post, he says, being particularly interested in veterans of the World War.

Congressman Jeffers, who has been on the Civil Service Committee for several years, stated that the committee handles all proposed bills and amendments relative to Federal employes, pensions, salaries, etc. Much of the work of the committee consists of investigations similar to insurance company actuaries.

The other committee of which he is the ranking Democrat has bills and amendments before it concerning the election of the President, Vice President and Representatives in Congress. Proposed legislation that affects the "lame duck" session of Congress and which would bring the date of the inauguration of the President nearer to the date of election comes before this committee.

The following appeared in The Washington News regarding Congressman Jeffers' likelihood of becoming chairman of the Committee on Civil Service:

"Lamar Jeffers, the Alabama Democrat who is likely to be the next chairman of the House Committee on the Civil Service, has represented his district for 10 years; is entitled to wear the Distinguished Service Cross for military service in France, where he was twice wounded; is 43 and is a large plesant-appearing and approachable person.

"Jeffers' membership on the Civil Service Committee has shown an interest in and sympathy for the problems of Federal employes, tempered by an inclination to follow his own judgement when he did not agree with all forward-looking measures. On the basis of his record, he is credited with an intention and the capacity to understand Civil Service problems and to deal with them on the basis of efficiency and fairness rather than on the basis of political expediency."

—Anniston Star

AGE AND EFFICIENCY

The late William James, reputedly the greatest of American psychologist, is said to have declared that most men are old fogies at the age of 25. Bruce Barton interprets this statement to mean that by the age of 25 most men have formed permanent prejudices and have closed their minds to all new ideas.

If this theory be correct, which we do not believe, there are certainly many striking exceptions. Many men long past the age mentioned have struck out into new fields of endeavor and have developed abilities in later life of which they gave little promise in their youth.

As to the continuance of executive and creative activities to ripe old age, innumerable examples may be cited. Consider Oliver Wendell Holmes, an active member of the Surpreme Court at 90; President Hindenburg of Germany at 84; Andrew W. Mellon holding one of the most important cabinet positions at 76; Thomas A. Edison, who continued at work until a short time before his recent death at 84. The list might be continued almost indefinitely.

Some former notables who prolonged their activities far beyond the allotted span of three score and ten may also be mentioned. Sophocles finished his "Oedipus at Colonus" at 90; Titian continued to paint almost to the time of his death at 99; Michaelangelo did some of his enceau wrote his memoirs at 84; Tennyson wrote his lyric masterpiece, "Crossing the Bar." after he was 80; Goethe completed "Faust" at about the same age.

But if these grand old men ever heard of psychologists it is evident that they did not take them too seriously.

It's hard to get a concrete idea through a concrete head.

Concord-Billingsley

Our Christian Endeavor Society had a real enjoyable time at the C. E. Social which was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Little's last Saturday night. Many games, contests, etc. were presented which were greatly enjoyed and especially were the refreshments enjoyed by everyone present. We were also glad to have with us Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Headley. We enjoyed their presence and we tried to make it as enjoyable for them as we possibly could.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society also had a C. E. Social Saturday afternoon. All who attended reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams and children were the guests of Mrs. Will Williams of Bethsalem community Sunday.

Miss Connie Shaw spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Victor Cowart.

Mr. C. P. Deramus of Maplesville is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. P. Williams.

Misses Bessie Williams and Virginia Little spent the past week end at the home of Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Headley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams and niece, Allie, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Tindall.

Mrs. Emma Williams and daughter, Eula Bell, spent Saturday night with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Williams.

Miss Ruth Williams was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. W. W. Williams, Saturday night.

State of Alabama A PROCLAMATION by the GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the Second Tuesday next after five months after the date of the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said Amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 5th day of January, 1932, is the second Tuesday next after five months after the date of the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the Amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 5th day of January, 1932, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz;-

"The City of Mobile shall be and it is hereby authorized and empowered, without an election, to annually levy and collect a tax on the property situated therein, to pay the expenses of the City Government, at such rate as may from time to time be fixed by the governing authorities of said city, but unless and until an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama shall be adopted, permitting said City after an election or elections to levy and collect taxes amounting in the aggregate to more than one and one-tenth (1.1) per centum of the value of the property situated therein, as assessed for State taxation during the preceding year, the total of the ad valorem taxes levied in any one tax year by said municipality for all purposes (including any tax levied to pay the debt existing on the 6th day of December, 1875, with interest thereon, or any renewal of such debt) shall not exceed in the aggregate one and one-tenth (1.1) per centum of the value of such property as assessed for State taxation during the preceding year.",

I further direct and proclaim that notice of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight successive weeks prior to the 5th day of January, 1932, in each County of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Montgomery, on this the 5th day of October, 1931.

B. M. MILLER,
Governor.

ATTEST:
PETE B. JARMAN, Jr.,
Secretary of State.

Manuel Hoyos, a six-year-old boy of Hermosillo, Sonora, is serving a two-years sentence in the state penitentiary for theft of 25 cents' worth of army ammunition.

Mrs. Marian Kirkman of Los Angeles testified in her divorce suit that when she went to church and made her husband go with her he invariably went to sleep.

They Married; Took Separate Hotel Rooms

They really didn't want to get married, to begin with, but it was the only thing to do, apparently. So in order that everything would look all right, they married, and in traveling took separate rooms at hotels, so that the marriage could be annulled.

That is part of the story that Rowena Rostand and Peter Bland have to tell after they decided they wanted to be married. Of course the story has hundreds and hundreds of interesting and amusing incidents in it to make you laugh.

The story, "Rowena Rides The Rumble" starts in this issue of this newspaper, and is truly a modern piece of work.

JOHN R. NORTHRUP DIED IN KERRVILLE, TEXAS NOV. 1

John R. Northrup died at his home at Kerrville, Texas, November 1, 1931, where he went four years ago to try to recover his health. His many friends will miss that always smiling face. He was cheerful and happy to the last.

He was born at Prairie Bluff, Wilcox County on the Alabama River, October 20, 1881, moved to Temple, Texas for ten years, from there to Cathrine, Ala., where in after years he took a course in telegraphy and short hand, afterwards was at Thomasville and Marion Junction as agent of Southern Railroad, then dispatcher in Southern Railway of Selma, from which place he was agent at Maplesville, Ala., for about 19 years. He was considered one of the best men of the county. Never heard of an unkind remark of him. Always accommodating and a Christian character. A devoted husbnd, son and father.

Funeral services were held November 2 at St. Peter's Episcopal church, with the rector, Rev. F. M. Brasier, officiating. Burial was in Glen Rest Cemetery, with the Kerrville Funeral Parlor directing. He was a member of the Knights of Pythias and Masonic Lodge. Active pallbearers were J. L. and M. L. Pampell, M. F. Weston, W. B. Anjlin, E. Galbraith, Tom Carr, and Jack Hampson. Honorary pallbearers Dr. E. E. Palmer, Dr. J. D. Jackson, Dr. S. E. Thompson, Dr. H. Y. Swayze, and Dr. A. M. Bothrock, physicians who had cared for him during his residence there.

The surviving father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Northrup, of Maplesville, Ala., attended the funeral. He leaves a widow, Mrs. John Northrup, and son, Jack, and mother in Mrs. H. E. Hall, who seemed as a mother to him. Kerrville, Texas. one brother, Howard Northrup, of St. Petersburg, Florida.

The love and esteem in which he was held was beautifully expressed in the many floral offerings.

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GROWTH OF OIL INDUSTRY

It's just a little more than 72 years since the oil industry was born, by Drake's achievement of drilling the first oil well at Titusville, Pa. Figures alone cannot show how this giant industry has grown in that time, or what it has meant to the growth of scores of other basic industries.

In 1859, when the first well was brought in, only two wells were drilled. By 1929 the total number of wells drilled amounted to more than 800,000 and had yielded 8,638,505,000 barrels of oil. Since the discovery of oil in Pennsylvania, the petroleum industry has spread to the four corners of the earth.

The first well's output sold for as high as $20 a barrel the first year, although two years later it had sunk to as low as 10 cents a barrel. These fluctuations are interesting in the light of recent events in the oil industry, especially the spectacular mobilization of military forces in Oklahoma and Texas to force the price of crude up to $1 a barrel. The Pennsylvania grade fields, not so long ago regarded as petered out, demonstrated the fallacy of this idea when they were forced to prorate their production because, like other parts of the country, they had been producing too much oil.

With all the fluctuation in prices since 1859, the Pennsylvania grade product has always commanded premium prices due to the fact that the crude oil of this region has been endowed by nature with superior lubricating qualities.

Awakened by strange noises, Adalbert Chowaniec of Buffalo, N.Y., called the police who found two stray ducks deep in conversation the back porch.

Positive Proof of FORD ECONOMY

City of Detroit purchases 137 new Ford cars
Hundreds now in use prove low cost of operation

THESE 137 new Ford cars represent one of the largest deliveries ever made to a municipality at one time.

21 radio-equipped Ford scout cars were traded in on this purchase. They had been operated day and night for two years in heavy traffic and all kinds of weather.

Their individual records ranged from 78,434 miles to 143,723 miles with a grand total of 2,283,097 miles. The operating cost of the 21 cars was 2.284 cents a mile — less than 2 1/3 cents. This cost included all fuel, oil, tires, repairs and every other item except depreciation and insurance.

Of 577 Ford cars in Detroit City service, the 300 in the Police Department traveled a total of 6,591,937 miles during the past fiscal year, at an average cost of 2.9 cents a mile.

Many claims have been made on operating costs, but here in the carefully kept motor car records of the City of Detroit is positive proof of Ford economy.

In the paragraphs above, it is seen that 21 Ford scout cars averaged less than 2 1/3 cents a mile and 300 Ford cars in all branches of Detroit police work averaged 2.9 cents a mile!

Day and night, twenty-four hours a day, these Ford cars are in operation. Few branches of transportation demand such grueling service. The records show that low fuel and oil consumption is but one of the Ford's many economies. Ford materials, simplicity of design and accuracy in manufacturing provide unusual strength, stamina and freedom from replacements and repairs.

The individual car buyer as well as the purchasing department of a city or a business cannot afford to ignore the proved economy of the Ford car.

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On that day, as well as other days, we will give our Thanks for the blessings bestowed upon us and for your patronage, hoping you will continue to let us serve you.

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Legal Notices

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by mortgage made by Henry T. Gregg to The Federal Land Bank of New Orleans dated October 1st, 1918, and recorded in Book 161, at page 34 of the records in the Probate Office of Chilton County, Alabama, and which said mortgage has been duly transferred to Mrs. Stella M. Gregg and said default continuing, I, the undersigned, Mrs. Stella M. Gregg as transferee, will sell under the power of sale contained in said mortgage, on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7TH, 1931, at public auction, for cash, at the Court House door of Chilton County, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, the following described property situated in Chilton County, Alabama, namely: That part of the SW¼ of SW¼ of Section 18, Township 20, North, Range 12, east, beginning on the west line of said Section at a point 7.58 chains north of the southwest corner of said Section, thence S 86.3' East, parallel to the south line of said Section, 7.20 chains thence north parallel to the west line of said Section 7.45 chains to the north edge of a branch thence in a westwardly direction up said branch and along the [illegible] edge thereof 8.80 chains [illegible] the west line of said section thence south 7.68 chains to the point of beginning, containing [illegible] Eleven [illegible] along [illegible] SW[illegible] which lies [illegible] Railway; eighteen acres on and along the north side of the SE¼ of SW¼ which lies east of the Southern Railway. Eleven acres on and along the south side of the NW¼ of SE¼. Eleven acres on and along the south side of the NE¼ of SE¼. Eighteen acres on and along the north side of SW¼ of SE¼. Eighteen acres on and along the north side of SE¼ of SE¼. A roadway 19 feet wide on the north side of the SW¼ of SW¼ of said Section, beginning at the east side of a public road, 7.60 chains, East of the northwest corner of SW¼ of SW¼, thence east 13.19 chains, to the right of way line of Southern Railway, containing 0.2 acres; all of said lands lying and being in Section 18, Tp. 20, N. Range 12, E. of St. Stephens Meridian, containing in the aggregate 92.16 acres, more or less.

This sale is made for the purposes provided for in said mortgage.

MRS. STELLA M. GREGG,
Transferee.

Pettus, Fuller & Lapsley, Attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE, PERSONALTY

The State of Alabama, Chilton County.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Ala., and to me directed whereby I, as Sheriff of said County, was commanded to make the sum of One Hundred Forty-four and 20/100 Dollars, principal and interest, and Sixteen and 30/100 Dollars, cost of suit, the amount of a certain judgment and costs therein obtained at the July Term, 1931, of said Court of said County, Alabama, in favor of J. P. Lawrence, Plaintiff, against Eric Hart, defendant I have levied upon and will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at public sale, between the hours of 11 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m., at the court house in Clanton, Alabama,

ON THE 30TH DAY OF November, 1931, all the right, title and interest of the above named Eric Hart in and to the following described personal property, viz:

Two 32x6 Tires. One 30x5 tire. Twelve 470x19 tires. Seven 450x21 tires, Two 600x21 tires, One 500x19 tire, One 450x20 tire, Five group A, tubes, Eight group B tubes, Two group D tubes, Two group F tubes, Two group G tubes. One group H tube, said tires and tubes being automobile casing and inner tube.

This 17th day of November, 1931.

W. H. GILLESPIE,
Sheriff.

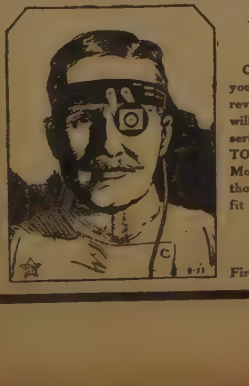
Poster at Court House door November 17, 1931.

W. H. GILLESPIE,
Sheriff.

11-19-1tcG.

The presence of 25 nails and tacks in the stomach of Emilia Martino of Udine, Italy, was the cause of violentt somachaches from which he had been suffering, operating surgeons discovered.

A thief climbed the fence of R. L. Bowman's yard in Los Angeles and stole nine imported skunks.



ARE YOUR EYES RIGHT?

Can you depend upon what they tell you? Very often an examination will reveal defects which, if treated in time, will eliminate the possibility of future serious eye trouble. I will be in CLANTON at the Exchange Hotel on the last Monday in the month and will give thorough examination of your eyes and fit you with glasses if necessary.

S. A. BARSON

Optometrist

First Natl. Bank Bldg., Montgomery

CHILTON COUNTY HIGH PLAYED LAST GAME OF SEASON FRIDAY

Montgomery County High Plays Hard To Bring Defeat To The Local Boys Who Have Shown Fine Coaching Here

The football team of the Chilton County High School played its last game on its 1931 schedule last Friday afternoon on the local gridiron against the fast and scrappy eleven from the Montgomery County High School at Ramer. Chilton played its best game of the season against this team from Montgomery County and was defeated by the breaks of the game. An intercepted pass on Ramer's twenty yard line and a run of eighty yards for the single tally of the game defeated the Chilton boys and robbed them of their deserving laurels.

Chilton and Ramer both have good teams this year, but Ramer was doped to defeat the Chilton boys by a larger score than she did. Ramer kicked off to Chilton on the first play a long pass good for almost twenty-five yards was completed by Chilton. Joe Moore substuting at left end for Miller lay out along the side lines and after taking the pass with a clear field ahead of him he was drug down from behind.

Chilton then began a driving attack through the Ramer line that carried them to Ramer's two yard line. On the next play Chilton was penalized for pushing and the ball was carried back to the twenty yard line. This seemed to take the heart out of the Chilton attack and they did not seriously threaen the Ramer goal again during the game.

The Chilton boys out played the Ramer team during the first half, but during the second half a more determined team from Montgomery County held the edge. In the third quarter Arnold full back, dropped back, prepared to pass the ball. He was rushed and let the ball go into the hands of a Ramer back who juggled it and carried it down the sidelines for a run of eighty yards and Ramer's lone score. The point after the touchdown was made by carrying the ball across a line plunge.

Chilton fought bitterly during the last part of this quarter and the fourth period and stopped the attack of the Ramer boys but could not score on their opponents.

The entire Chilton team played their best game of the season against this team. Particularly outstanding in the backfield was the work of J. Tiffin, Burdette. Sumner and Arnold.

It was behind the line plunging of Tiffin and Burdette and Sumner that the ball was advanced to the shadow of the Ramer goal. Time and again on line plunges Tiffin or Burdette carried the ball through the Ramer line for gains of seven and eight yards.

Sumner did not carry the ball as much as the two previously mentioned players, but his blocking and hard tackling were particularly outstanding. Sumner did the punting for the Chilton team and his kicks were all high and far down the fields giving the ends time to get down under them.

The Chilton line bore the brunt of the game the last half. The work of Frank Foshee left tackle for Chilton, was the outstanding feature of the game. The majority of the Ramer plays were stopped by the hard tackling of Foshee. Often he was ahead of his ends in getting down under punts and succeeded in bottling up most of their returns.

Taylor, who is playing his last year at center for Chilton, was the other outstanding lineman for Chilton. He shared honors with Foshee in stopping the attack of the Ramer boys. Several times he succeeded in breaking thru and stopping the Ramer play for a loss before it reached the line of scrimmage.

Littlejohn and Moore, ends, and Jones, M. D. Foshee, and Popwell, in the line, deserve commendation for the game they played.

The Chilton line slightly out-weighed the Ramer line and used this weight to a great advantage in breaking through and blocking Ramer punts. Chilton blocked several of Ramer's kicks, but Ramer did not succeed in getting thru to block those of Sumner.

This is the last game of the season for the Chilton team. Their record stands as follows for the year:

Chilton-Isabella	18-0
Chilton-Marbury	0-0
Chilton-Prattville	0-0
Chilton-Selma	0-13
Chilton-Plantersville	0-13
Chilton-Bibb Co. High	0-6
Chilton-Isabella	19-0
Chilton-Montevallo	32-0
Chilton-Holtville	0-0
Chilton-Ramer	0-7
	69-29

A GRIDIRON THRILLER

Many thrilling plays have thrown football fans into a frenzy of excitement this season, as in past seasons, but perhaps the most sensational exploit of the year was that of Buster Mott of Georgia, who took a New York University kikoff on his own 4-yard line and raced 96 yards to a touchdown.

Such a feat is not unprecedented, by any means, but the conditions under which it was performed made it especially noteworthy, because aside from this brilliant stunt Georgia was outplayed throughout the game.

To illustrate: New York made 15 first downs against Georgia's 6; gained 103 yards in passing, against 20. Yet Mott's one perfect run upset all this, and with the aid of Catfish Smith's trusty toe, which kicked goal after touchdown, the Southerners emerged triumphant by the score of 7 to 6.

All of which merely emphisizes the well-known fact that in football, as in other earthly affairs, anything may happen.

ABOUT BOY BABIES

Researchers and statisticians are digging into everything imaginable nowadays, figuring out the possibilities and probabilities of this and that. Dr. A. J. Lotka, a specialist in life insurance statistics, has been studying the prevalence of boy babies, and these are some of his conclusions:

When a boy baby is born he has two chances out of three to grow up and become a father. He has even chances to become the father of a son, but only one chance in four to become the father of two sons. A few grow up to have 10 sons, but there is only one chance in 2,000 that this will happen.

Many other more or less interesting conclusions with respect to the perpetuation of a family name are set forth by Dr. Lotka, who finally estimates that in about nine cases out of ten the name of any particular family branch will eventually die out.

He fails, however, to state whether he thinks this is a fortunate thing for the human race. We venture the suggestion that in most cases it probably is.

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THANKSGIVING DAY

Thanksgiving Day, as we know it, is a distinctively American institution, although festivals of similar import may be traced back many hundreds of years. The Hebrew Feas of the Tabernacles, the Greek Thesmophoria, the Roman Cerealia and the English Harvest Home all appear to have had something in common with our national holiday.

Immediately after the first harvest of the Pilgrims in 1621 Thanksgiving was first observed in America. Similar observances were instituted by other colonies—by Massachusetts in 1630, by Connecticut in 1639, and by New Netherlands in 1644. During the Revolution several Thanksgiving Days ware appointed by the Continental Congress.

President George Washington designated November 26, 1789, as "a day of public thanksgiving and prayer," and in 1795 he made a similar designation. President Madison appointed a day of thanksgiving at the close of the War of 1812. Various states observed the day irregularly during succeeding years, but it was not until 1864 that the day become a fixed, annual event.

In that year President Lincoln appointed the fourth Thursday of November as a day of national Thanksgiving by official proclamation, and the example thus set has been followed by all succeeding Presidents.

Washington's original Thanksgiving proclamation is preserved in the Library of Congress. The precious document was lost for more than 100 years, until it was discovered among some Washington manuscripts being auctioned in New York in 1921, when it was purchased for $300 and restored it to the government archives.

Tommy, a pet cat, was left behind in Ridgeville, Ind., where his little mistress, Gloria Meehan, spent her vacation, and walked back home to Dearborn, Mich., in 31 days.

R. A. Sheldon of Duluth, Minn., scented an unfamiliar cigarette odor in his bedroom and he found an ex-convict hiding under his bed waiting to rob the house.

Friedrich Glissner of St. Louis charged in his divorce suit that his rich wife made him her slave, making him do menial labor and lashing him with a whip.

• Don Parker picked 216 barrels of apples in a day on Reed Brothers' farm in Fort Fairfield, Me.

Sunday School Lesson

for November 29
PAUL'S LETTER TO PHILEMON
Philemon 4-20

This is the time you will surely read an entire book, and without asking "What chapter, please," as did a certain thealogue when Prof. Purves indicated a verse for special study. Then you will need to make certain of the pronunciation, which is on the long "e".

Onesimus is a slave who stole from his master Philemon, and then ran away. Finally he turned up in Rome and dropped in at one of Paul's meetings. Now Paul knew Philemon well and may even have recognized the slave. At least Onesimus was a totally different man following his conversion. Then he consulted with Paul about the right way to recompense Philemon, for he was still the chattel of the owner. Obviously, only one person could be the judge, but Paul made the approach easy by the gracious letter which he wrote and of which Onesimus, possibly with Tychius, was the bearer.

Art in letter writing is splendidly set forth in this short letter. Some people just write bare facts in their letters and others make themselves vivid both in direct expression and as you read between the lines. It is a joy to get a letter from such a friend.

Much is packed into the salutation. The family of Philemon is included in the greeting. The commendations will be pleasing to the received, and it must be kept in mind that Paul is writing for a purpose: to gain kindly treatment of runaway Onesimus.

Slavery today is all but over in the world. There are obligations still with reference to enslaved humanity which rest on each one of us. The Golden Text is sweeping in its scope: "There can be neither bond nor free—for all are one man in Christ Jesus," Galatians 3:28. How do you think Philemon received Onesimus?

A. A. Skidmore deals in non-skid tires at Ripely, W. V.

George Flustrin, a baldheaded burglar arrested while robbing a villa in Vienna, was found to have 68 wigs of many different colors in his home.

Allan Webber of Bournemouth, Eng., has been best man in 22 weddings, and is still a bachelor.

Registration Notice

The Board of Registrars of Chilton County will be at the following places on the dates named, for the purpose of registering those who desire to do so and become qualified voters:

Beat 4—Courthouse, Clanton,	November 23, 24, 25, 27 and 28.
Beat 2—Mars Hill	December 1, A. M.
Beat 14—Macedonia	December 1, P. M.
Beat 8—Stanton	December 2
Beat 7—Maplesville	December 3, A. M.
Beat 3—Benson	December 3, P. M.
Beat 5—Verbena	December 4
Beat 2—Jemison	December 5
Beat 9—Thorsby	December 7
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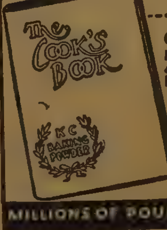

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"With two nationally known bands directed by John Philip Sousa and Arthur Pryor; an internationally famous male quartet and a full concert-dance orchestra, the outlay of talent is nothing short of being really wonderful," declared Mr. Diefenderfer.

"There's another feature, too, that's important, the programs come each Tuesday evening and Saturday evening over NBC Network at a convenient hour, 7:30 o'clock on Tuesday, and 8:00 o'clock on Saturday, and you don't have to wait up all night to hear it."

Mr. Diefenderfer also pointed out that the announcement of November 10, which told of the Goodyear prize contest, staged weekly, was certain to be of interest to every car owner and urged local fans to tune in on that date.

The programs are broadcast every Tuesday and Saturday evening from WEAF over the 54-station network of NBC. The bands will alternate evenings but the quartet and dance orchestra will be on both evenings.

"With Goodyear's airship building program and small fleet of non-rigid airships, its position in the tire manufacturing industry and now on the air, we Goodyear dealers can truthfully say that Goodyear is on the highways and both in and on the air," concluded Mr. Diefenderfer.

Humorettes

Gazipp—In the two miles between Hickville and Bumtown I drove by 18 hot dog stands.

Gazoop—You don't mean to infer that you stopped at all the others?

Mother—Tommy, take your castor oil before you go to bed.

Tommy—No, I won't take it tonight!

Mother—Tommy, you're impudent!

Tommy—No, I ain't, Ma, but the bottle's empty and the drug store is closed for the night.

Algernon—Eusebia, what is it your father sees in me to object to?

Eusebia—He doesn't see anything in you, Algernon; that's why he objects.

Oysterpuff—Did you hear that young Dr. Bitterdose has made his mark already?

Fogg—Why, that's extraordinary!

Oysterpuff—Not so very. You see, he vaccinated a baby.

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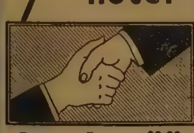
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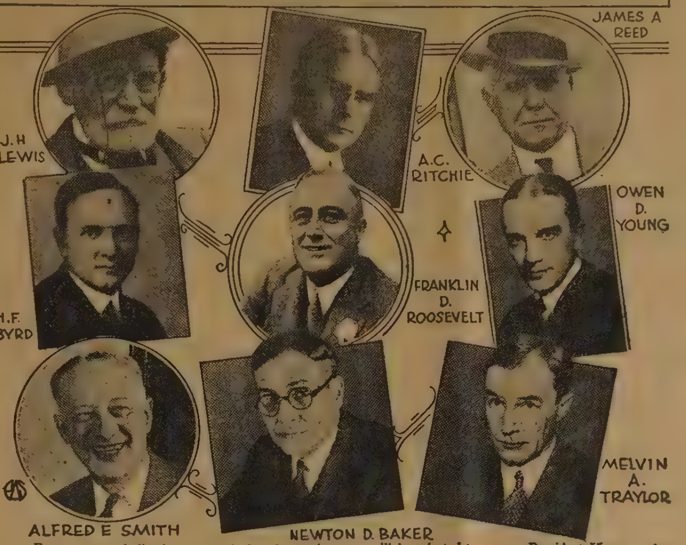


From present indications, one of the above nine men will be selected to oppose President Hoover, when the Democrats hold their national convention next summer.

Verbena School News

By Junior III Class

The Senior III Class of Verbena High School observed Armistice Day with a splendid program. The program was as follows:

Bible reading: (responsive) Katie Myrtle Glenn, leader.

Song, "There Is a Long, Long Trail."

Meaning of Armistice, Andrew Dennis.

The Causes of World War, Myra Keel.

America's Part in World War, Ottis Gulledge.

Song, America, Ernest Williams, Wayne Hiten, Robert Williams, and Melton Hughes.

Roll call of Relatives who fought in World War, Ethel Cagle.

Silent prayer, ended by Ralph Hughes.

Reading, "Flanders Field," Mell Patillo.

"America's Answer," Eunice Bullard.

Song, "Keep the Home Fires Burning."

What One Should Know About the Flag, Katherine Gaines.

Flaf Salute, School.

Song, "Star Spangled Banner."

The English Club of Verbena High School held its first regular meeting at the home of Josephine Barrett, Wednesday night, November 11, 1931.

The following members were present: Mrs. W. C. DuBose, Mrs. Irby DeRamus, Misses Eunice Bullard, Josephine Barrett, Robbie Hardy, Mamie Meroney, Frances Strock, Quintilla Meroney, Helen DuBose, and Messrs. Excell Howard and Charles Meroney.

The hostesses, Eunice Bullard and Josephine Barrett, planned a splendid program.

Officers for the English Club were elected. They were: President, Helen DuBose, vice president, Eunice Bullard, secretary and treasurer, Serena Mitchell, sheriff, Eunice Bullard.

Delicious refreshments were served.

The well known old story, "Rip Van Winkle," was presented on Tuesday morning in chapel by the Senior II Class of Verbena High School.

The following characters performed: Rip Van Winkle, Albert Broadhead; sheriff, Marvin Huett, orator, Clarence Gray; an old woman, Lucile Calloway; Peter Vanderkonk, Woodrow Reaves; Judith Gardenier, Virgie Robinson; First Villager, John Abb Scott; Second Villager, Wayne Hiten; Third Villager, Elena Thrailkill; and Fourth Villager, Carmell Smith.

The play was a part of the work in English.

The Junior III English Class of Verbena High School on November 18, 1931, planned and took steps toward publishing a class paper. The officers were elected as follows: Celia Baker, Editor-in-Chief; Robbie Hardy, Hubert Hammel, assistants. Editors: Sarah Hollis, Herman DuBose, Earl Mims, appointed as a committee to name the paper.

Emmet McDonald, sporting editor. Lane Allen, Lost and Found Bureau. Robbie Hardy, art editor. Carl Vinson, comis section. Earl Mims, jokes. Robert Jenkins, cartoonist. Era Bullard, alumni news.

The class, of which Mrs. W. C. DuBose is teacher, hopes to have the paper published by November 23, 1931. (Not really published, but printed by hand.)

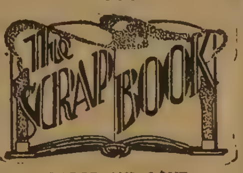
Aubrey Boone and Gaston Jones are improving after being injured in Holtville football game some time ago. Gaston has thrown away his walking cane and although Aubrey is still walking with a cane, he is better. They will be unable to play in the game Friday.

The Verbena High School enjoyed a Music Appreciation Lesson over the radio Friday, November 13, by Mr. Walter Damrosch.

The football players of Verbena High School are going to play Isabella team Friday afternoon, November 20. The Verbena boys and girls are going to give the boys of the team a party Friday night.

Hayneville football team won a victory over Verbena last Friday, November 13. The first period, each team had nothing. The second period ended with Hayneville 8, and Verbena 0. The third period ended with Hayneville 14 and Verbena 0. The game ended with Hayneville 34 and Verbena 0.

The Hayneville boys entertained the Verbena boys at a party that evening. The party was enjoyed by all attending.



LABOR AND LOVE
By Edmund Gosse

Labor and love! There are no other laws
To rule the liberal action of that soul
Which fate hath set beneath thy brief control,
Or lull the empty fear that racks and gnaws;
Labor; Then like a rising moon, the cause
Of life shall light thine hour from pole to pole,
Thou shalt taste health of purpose, and the roll
Of simple joys unwind without a pause.
Love! And thy heart shall cease to question why
Its beating pulse was set to rock and rave;
Find but another heart this side the grave;
To soothe and cling to,—thou hast life's reply.
Labor and love! Then fade without a sigh,
Submerged beneath the inexorable wave.

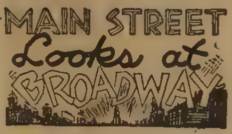
POOR KINGS
By William H. Davies

God's pity on poor kings,
They know no gentle rest;
The North and South cry out,
Cries come from East and West—
"Come, open this new Dock,
Building, Bazaar or Fair."
Lord, what a wretched life
Such men must bear.

They're followed, watched and spied,
No liberty they know;
Some eye will watch them still,
No matter where they go.
When in green lanes I muse,
Alone, and hear birds sing,
God's pity then, say I
On some poor king.

Dr. J. E. Parks, who graduated from the Memphis Medical college 43 years ago, still makes all his calls on horseback.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dull live in a double house at Sidney, O., the other side being occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sharp.


MAIN STREET Looks at BROADWAY

The Prize Exhibit—

New York has three Zoos, the most famous being the Bronx which is famous all over the world. The Central Park Zoo is the oldest and is even smaller than the Prospect Park one in Brooklyn. The one in Central Park draws many thousands of visitors, even with its small collection of wild animals. The hippo and giraffe are really about the only valuable animals in that Zoo.

The exhibit which draws the most visitors and is hard to get near on Sundays is one that is nothing less than an ordinary farmyard, rather smaller than usual for the number of denizens it contains. Inside the fence are a mule cow, goat, donkey, turkey, a few hens, geese, ducks and so on. And the public most of them foreigners, stand and stare and dream, unless there are children along, in which case there is an outpouring of all varieties of languages.

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New York Signs—

In certain neighborhoods certain languages take precedence over the English lanbuage, both in street conversations and in signs. The Williamsburg Bridge that connects lower East Side with Brooklyn, has sofe signs entirely in Jewish. Others carry Italian and English. This same condition obtains in the southern portion of Central Park. On the north end, where the population is mostly black, straight English is used.

Up in the Bronx there are quite a few places where German is used alongside of English. In other parts of town one can see signs in Arabic, Greek and one eating place bears a sign in the Hindustani language, one of the oldest in the world. Nearly all of these foreign places are eating places. The Russians have dozens of cafes, all bearing signs in their funny looking language.

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Lingual Shock—

Away down town the other day we were strolling through the Persian district. Several small boys were playing ball in the narrow street and using typical tough New Yorkese to express themselves. One of them had just yapped at another:

"Gee, chase yourself. We're gonna play ball," when a third story window opened and a pretty Assyrian woman looked out and saw the boy. He was wanted apparently, as a musical stream of language issued from the woman's mouth and the little boy looked up, grunted just like any other American boy and yelled up at her, "Oh, alright. I'll come up," and the window closed softly.

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Syrian Shops—

Within a cats jump of Wall Street there are lots of Syrian shops devoted to lingerie. For many centuries the women of the near East have been noted for their needlework and these shops carry a certain amount of such importations. But the mainstay for most of them are "importations" from New York sweat shops and look like very ordinary stuff. Even the prices are just about what one would pay in any shop in the land.

The district is one of the few disappointing ones in the whole city to us. That is, except for the wonderful bakeries the Syrians operate along Washington street, just around the corner from the underwear shops.

BORROWING THE LOCAL WEEKLY PAPER HAS ITS DANGERS

The practice of borrowing has its advantages but it also has many disadvantages, thinks P. O. Davis, editor at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute Auburn. It works on some things but not on others.

"When it comes to borrowing the weekly newspaper I am of the opinion that subscribing is much better than borrowing," said Mr. Davis.

"Borrowing is not as good for the reader and it is bad for the editor who realizes that borrowing is a tribute to his paper but he is unable to show names of borrowers on his audited subscription list; and here is where he suffers in addition to losing the subscription money which he needs to pay his bills and give his readers a good paper."

So far Mr. Davis has not been able to offer a solution; but he calls attention to a paragraph which has been going the rounds of the press for many years, and will bear reprinting:

"A farmer, rather than subscribe to the paper, sent his boy to borrow a neighbor's. The lad knocked over a stand of bees. His father, hurrying to help him ran into a barberd wire fence, gashing his leg and ruining a new pair of overalls. Hearing the noise, his wife ran out, upsetting a four-gallon churn of cream into a basket of kittens drowning the litter. At the same time she dropped and broke a new set of store teeth. During the excitement the daughter eloped with the hired man, the dog broke up eleven setting hens, and the calves got out and chewed up a line of washing hung out to dry. All to save one or two dollars, the price of a subscription.

A TRAGEDY RECALLED

A rivalry for the affections of a beautiful young actress still in her teens, which led to one of New York's most noted tragedies in high life nearly sixty years ago, was recalled by the recent death of Mrs. Helen Josephine Mansfield Reade in Paris, at the age of 78.

For "Josie" Mansfield was the woman in the case. Jim Fiske, Jr., a powerful figure in Wall Street, was one of the suitors, while Edward S. Stokes, his one-time partner, was the other In 1872 Stokes shot Fiske to death on the stairway of the old Grand Central Hotel. Through powerful political influences Stokes was let off with a four-year sentence. When he died in 1901, Tammany friends gave him an elaborate funeral with a band of 200 musicians.

Miss Mansfield married Robert I. Reade, a New York lawyer, in 1891. Reade, an incorrigible drunkard and drug addict, was declared insane in 1897 and died shortly afterward.

Mrs. Reade's death was due to a fall while shopping in a department store in Paris. Thus ended a long life filled with many and varied experiences, including stage triumphs, romance and tragedy, which made big news in the days of long ago.

CHANGE IN COTTON POLICY ANNOUNCED

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 25.—Members of the Alabama Farm Bureau Cotton Association will no longer have to pay warehouse charges which have accumulated on their cotton prior to the time it is pooled, according to an announcement by J. A. Beaty, general manager.

Formerly the Association form of receipt was dated on the day the member had his cotton changed to the Association and the member was required to pay all warehouse charges up to that time, but this is no longer the case, Beaty said. Under the new regulation, unless the cotton was stored prior to August 1, 1931, the Association form of receipt will be dated back to the date of the original receipt and the member will not be required to pay accumulated warehouse charges when pooling.

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Taylor Bros. Buy Smith Grocery Co.

It was learned last week that the Taylor Wholesale Grocery Co., of Clanton has purchased the wholesale grocery company of J. Lee Smith, of Clanton.

The report stated that the consolidation of the two large businesses will take place on or about January 1, 1932. Tom Taylor and Roland Taylor have been prominent in the wholesale grocery business in this section of the state for a number of years, however, J. Lee Smith was the pioneer in the business in Clanton, and has built up a splendid trade.

It is understood that after January 1, the two places, Taylors and Smiths, will be consolidated and operated in the large building now occupied by J. Lee Smith, and under the firm name of Taylor Wholesale Grocery Company.

Subscribe to the News—$1.50 a Year.

BOARD OF EDUCATION WILL MEET HERE NEXT FRIDAY

The County Board of Education of Chilton County will hold its regular meeting at the office of the county superintendent next Friday, November 27th, according to Supt. B. Lawrence.

STORES OF CLANTON CLOSE TO OBSERVE THANKSGIVING

Throughout this issue of the News will be found small ads from various business concerns of Clanton, stating they will be closed all day Thursday, observing Thanksgiving. These include The Leader, Chicago Sales Co., Farmers Hardware Co., Clanton Building Supply Co., Clanton Laundry & Cleaning Co., and it is also understood that the banks will not be open for the day.

A burglar got away with all the silverware and a kiss he stole from Alice Rankin when he robbed the Rankin home in Wilmette, Ill.

THANKSGIVING

There is Zest and Spice to the Thanksgiving Dinner when the hostess knows there is one place to buy where all things sold are genuinely good—and an after thought that she has bought at a marked savings.

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Iona Yellow Cling Peaches, No. 2½ can 15c

WESSON OIL --- Pint Can 23c

SNOWDRIFT --- 3 lb. can 43c, 6 lb. can 85c

SUNNYFIELD
Flour 24 lb. bag 55c
48 lb. bag $1.25

RAINBOW FLOUR
24 lb. bag 55c - 48 lb. bag $100

Quaker Maid Baking Powder, Lb. Can 15c

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OATS, Economy Rolled, Two 55-oz pkgs 25c

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CREST MONT CHOCOLATES
1 Lb. Box 45c - 2 Lb. Box 89c - 5 Lb. box $1.98

SAVERS LEMON or VANILLA EXTRACT
¾-Oz. Bottle 13c --- 1½ Oz. Bottle 23c

GLACE FRUITS
Pineapple, Pound 50c
Cherries, Pound 50c
Citron, Pound 35c
Orange or Lemon Peel, Pound 30c
Chocolate Covered Cherries, Lb. Box 29c
Boldo Stuffed Dates Pound Box 25c
Rajah Currants, Pkg. 19c

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Mrs. Grady Reynolds Hostess To Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club.

The Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club was delightfully entertained last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Grady Reynolds. Those enjoying this occasion were Mesdames F. J. Callen, J. H. Alred, L. F. Gerald, John Browder, J. Watts Moore, Arthur Johnson, Napoleon Johnson, Hugh Simpson, John Deramus and Julius Burnett. Mrs. J. C. Page and Mrs. John Armstrong were visitors. A delicious salad plate was served. Mrs. Callen was awarded the high score prize.

Mrs. L. F. Gerald is visiting her sister, Mrs. P. W. Horn, in Birmingham.

Mrs. Grover Walker Hostess To "As You Like It" Club.

The "As You Like It" Club spent an enjoyable afternoon of sewing last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Grover Walker. Those enjoying this occasion were Mesdames J. B. Atkinson, V. J. Gragg, D. C. Alred, Tom Burdette, D. W. Haskew, M. A. Gore, Flem Higgins, T. H. Neighbors and L. C. Warr. A salad course was served. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. D. C. Alred, on the third day of December.

Dr. and Mrs. O. C. Mastin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gerald.

Home-Makers S. S. Class Entertained At Home of Mrs. Frank James.

Mrs. Frank James, Mrs. Flem Higgins and Mrs. W. C. Martin acted as joint hostess at this occasion. A program was carried out as follows:

Devotional and prayer by Mrs. S. J. Ezell, and business.

A Tacky Party was planned for December 3rd at the home of Mrs. J. Lee Smith. The proceeds of this party will go in the Christmas offering for the Orphans Home. After this an ice course was served to the following members: Mesdames Jesse Jones, George Wyatt, Milton Smith, Joe Higgins, Bill Fiquett, Herbert Lowery, Arthur Taylor, Grady Heflin, S. J. Ezell. Parker Taylor, Dewey Eubanks, Joe Mims, and Loren Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Horn and son, Leroy, were the visitors of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gerald Sunday.

Intermediate B. Y. P. U. Gave A Social Last Friday Night.

The members of the Intermediate B. Y. P. U. were treated with a social last Friday night at the local Baptist church. Several games and contests were given and then hot chocolate and cake were served. Those enjoying this delightful occasion were Misses Grace Plyler, Helen Moore, Dixie Johnson, Dorothy Sessions, Margaret Johnson, Lois Thompson, Sally Thompson, Mabel Harris, Elizabeth Harris, and Mary Nell Jones.

The boys were Joe Moore, Dan Smith, John Ezell. Gerald Burdette, Phillip Nelson, Carl Jones, Earl Gray, Dewey Williams, Sidney Reynolds and John McNair.

Miss Mary Ellis and Miss Bonnie Clyde Griffin acted as chaperones. A wonderful time was had by all.

Thorsby May Get Box And Crate Factory

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that the factory will without a doubt be erected. It is planned that it be located on the site of the planing mill, just north of the town. The factory will manufacture strawberry crates, baskets and other farm produce containers from timber of the county, and it is expected that if possible the factory will manufacture crates for the 1932 crop of strawberries in the Thorsby section, as it will not be underway well enough to furnish the entire county at that time.

It was specifically stated at the meeting last Saturday in Thorsby that no outsider has any connection with the idea and that the mill, or factory, would be owned by citizens of the county who are interested enough in the plan to aid in putting it over.

The group of men named above are now making preparations to show more definite plans in regard to the project, and it is expected that within a few weeks things will be looking up in that section.

Haskew Will Remain As Local Methodist Pastor

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churches in the county for the past years in a most useful manner. The Presiding Elder of this, the Selma District, will be N. B. McLeod. The Rev. Ernest A. Childs, former popular pastor of the local Methodist church, will be retained at Troy. Following are appointments in the Selma District:

Presiding Elder, N. B. McLeod; Autaugaville, J. B. Trotter; Beatrice, F. M. Lowery; Bowling, E. C. Evans (supply); Camden, C. C. Wilkerson; Centerville, H. M. Ellis; Clanton, D. W. Haskew; Deatsville, B. E. Meigs; Forest Home, W. O. Calhoun; Fort Deposit, H. S. Ellison; Gastonburg, E. M. Holman; Greenville, J. E. Northcutt; Lowndesboro, C. A. Williams; Marion, Carl Preer; Marion Junction-Orrville, R. A. Foster; Pineapple, B. M. Herlong; Plantersville, J. P. Peacock; Prattville, R. J. Mills; Sandy Ridge, E. H. Brown; Selma, Alabama Avenue, J. F. Bilbro; Selma, Church Street, J. W. Frazer; Selma, Sunset Mills, E. W. Roberts; Verbena, J. M. Metcalf.

Maplesville News

The entire town and community was shocked last Thursday afternoon over the death of Mr. John Cobern. He and his father were walking a foot log across Mulberry creek and in some way Mr. John Cobern fell in and drowned. His father, Mr. Charlie Cobern, called for help. His son, Mr. Jeff, was breaking cane near by and ran to his assistance, and got the body out, but he was dead.

Dr. Hayes of Clanton was called, but couldn't do anything, it was too late.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cobern and was reared here, 40 years old. He leaves three brothers, Mr. Jeff Cobern, Maplesville, Mr. Ernest Cobern, Birmingham, and Mr. Burr Cobern, Tennessee. He leaves a widow and four children, Lucile, Johnnie Mae, Sara Nell and James. Their many friends extend to them their deepest sympathy. Interment was in Mulberry Cemetery, Rev. Grady Williams officiating. The Woodmen had charge of the body with Martin Funeral directors. Mr. Cobern had a host of friends who mourn his passing.

The Oyster Supper for Thursday Night Sponsored by the P.-T. A. Has Been Postponed.

Industries Seeking Southern Locations

Within the past 60 days a larger number of industries have been seeking southern location than at any time during the past several years, according to a survey of the general industrial prospects made by the Alabama Industrial Development Board, Birmingham.

Industries have made $52,000,000 additional capital investments in Alabama since the Industrial Board began functioning three years ago. This has increased the industrial payroll in the state by $5,000,000 annually.

Mr. Orrin Williams, publisher of The Jefferson County Herald, was a pleasant caller at the News office Saturday. He and Mrs. Williams, with Mr. and Mrs. Kelly, were on their way to Rockford to visit relatives and friends over the week end.

Chemists say man is composed principally of glue still many fail to stick to anything very long.

THIS SOUNDS GOOD

Chilton County News,
Clanton, Alabama
Gentlemen:

This is to advise you that the thirty-six inch advertisement in your paper week of November 5th, advertising our paint sale certainly proved that there is plenty of money in circulation when you offer quality merchandise at money saving prices. We have sold paint like nobody's business.

You will please insert the enclosed ad in your paper this week. Again thanking you for your assistance in this campaign, we are,

Yours very truly,
THE JAMES SIGN SHOP,
Frank P. James, Mgr.

BAPTIST CHURCH IS SCENE OF BRILLIANT SOCIAL EVENT HERE

Annual "Bosses Night" Brings Out Some Of Best In Witty Remarks, Stunts, Songs; First Event Of Its Kind Ever Held In Clanton

What will no doubt be acclaimed by those fortunate enough to be present, the most brilliant social event of the season took place in the basement of the Clanton Baptist church last Monday night when the Pilot Club of Clanton, a business womans organization, gave what is called "Bosses Night."

The basement of the church was artistically decorated and the long banquet tables were spotted with favors, as well as presenting a sight that was more than pleasing to the most critical eye, bespeaking of the fine manner in which the Pilot Club usually conducts an entertainment or business project.

Each member of the club was to have as her guest, her boss, however, several of the members had as their guests men who were not their employers. The entire program was given for bosses, in a true form. The menu for the affair included such dishes to please the palate as, Ship of State, The King, His Dress and Accessories, The Blush of A Pilot, The Spoils of The Pilot, The Golden Nervous Assistant, Sweets From Many Lands, and Meditation. Each dish, served in course style and in a most elaborate manner by one of the Circles of the Baptist church, was named to speak of Pilots.

The program, with Mrs. Lillie Stapp, president of the Club, presiding and acting as toastmistress, opened with the song, "We're Here For Fun." Mrs. Stapp, gowned in a most becoming evening gown of white, made a lasting impression on those present with her splendid manner in which she conducted the entertainment. The song was followed by invocation, given by Mrs. Sophia Jones, a member of the club. This was followed by the welcome address from Mrs. Stapp, with "Boss" Omar Reynolds, responding in behalf of the bosses.

Miss Bess Thomas, a Pilot, then arose and in her usual artistic and pleasing manner rendered "Why I'm A Pilot" followed by a very delightful violin duet by Misses Jane and Helen Roberts, the two charming and talented daughters of Mrs. Elna Roberts, a Pilot, who also accompanied them on the piano. Little Martha Higgins was introduced, and standing in her chair with sweetness radiating from her face gave two readings.

The song by the members of the club standing, "There Are Bosses Who Make Us Happy," to the tune of an old favorite, was given, followed by much applause. One of the features of the entertainment was the impersonation of a modern lawyer by Miss Madelyn Orr who had as her inefficient stenographer, Miss Margaret Brown, members of the club. The scene was in an office and carried out in a most amusing and entertaining manner.

Miss Nell Wells, Miss Zora Guy and Miss Madge Scarborough followed the office scene, singing "Beautiful Maidens" showing Miss Alma Allen as the "Beautiful Maiden." This was followed by a Who's Who voting contest among the Pilots, which ended in the selection of the Vainest Man, The Biggest Flirt, The Cutest Man and others with Miss Dewey Branch presiding. The closing song, "Pilot Club, Oh Pilot Club," was given, with all present standing.

Several out of town guests were present.

We Cordially
Invite
Claudie Pipes and Guest
To Dine With Us
As Our Guests,
Sunday, November 29, 1931

THE DIXIE CAFE

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK OF CLANTON

IN THE STATE OF ALABAMA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON NOVEMBER 16TH, 1931

RESOURCES:

1. Loans and discounts	$270,089.82
2. Overdrafts $529.82, Secured Overdrafts $ None, Total	529.82
4. Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned	46,529.48
6. Banking house, $2,700.00 Furniture and fixtures, $3,372.25	6,072.25
7. Real estate owned other than banking house	15,196.66
9. Cash and due from banks	116,460.63
Total	$454,878.66

LIABILITIES:

14. Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000.00
15. Surplus	25,000.00
16. Undivided profits—net	40,564.37
18. Reserves for interest, taxes, and other expenses accrued and unpaid	2,500.00
19. Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	14,818.51
20. Demand deposits	211,960.81
21. Time deposits	110,034.97
Total	$454,878.66

State of Alabama, County of Chilton, ss:

I, H. G. Heflin, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. G. HEFLIN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of November, 1931.

*—Notary's Seal DEWEY BRANCH, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: F. J. Callen, N. S. Johnson, G. C. Harris, Directors.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE PEOPLES BANK, OF JEMISON

IN THE STATE OF ALABAMA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON NOVEMBER 16TH, 1931

RESOURCES:

1. Loans and discounts	$27,081.83
2. Overdrafts $72.66, Secured Overdrafts (cotton) $599.18, Total	671.84
6. Banking house, $ None Furniture and fixtures, $2,020.63	2,020.63
9. Cash and due from banks	10,575.65
10. Outside checks and other cash items	39.43
13. Other assets	149.63
Total	$40,539.01

LIABILITIES:

14. Capital stock paid in	$15,000.00
15. Surplus	1,500.00
16. Undivided profits—net	184.75
19. Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	110.35
20. Demand deposits	17,167.75
21. Time deposits	6,576.16
Total	$40,539.01

State of Alabama, County of Chilton, ss:

I, C. R. Foss, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. R. FOSS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of November, 1931.

*Notary's Seal E. R. PIPER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: A. A. Conway, C. C. Conway, H. G. Heflin, Directors.

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Register in Chancery 1-1-32

NON JURY TERM CIRCUIT COURT IN CHILTON CO.

Civil Docket Monday, Dec. 7; Criminal Docket Tuesday, December 8th

The following cases are on the civil docket of the non-jury term of Circuit Court for Monday, December 7:

Lorene Messer vs. Langley Bus Co., garnishment on judgment. J. A. Maddox vs. W. D. Davis and H. N. Davis, detinue. W. A. J. McMurray, who sues for the use and benefit of the Fidelity Union Casualty Co., vs. L. B. Whitehead, damages. Bank of Verbena vs. H. F. Downs, account. J. N. Davenport vs. W. E. Adams, account. Dudley Bar Company vs. S. C. Cox, account. Dudley Bar Company vs. Chas. B. Cox and Sam Cox, account. Dudley Bar Company vs. Chas. B. Cox, account. D. L. Shackleford, doing business as Clanton Motors, vs. Oscar W. Jones, notes. W. T. Mims vs. Esic Lee, appeal from Justice Court. Ernest Wilson vs. J. F. Hicks, notes. V. J. Gragg vs. T. L. Maddox, notes. Nashville Bridge Co., vs C. B. Cox, note.

The Hug Company vs. C. B. Cox, note. J. M. Gore vs. J. C. Roper, detinue. Standard Oil Co., vs. C. B. Cox, note. Firestone Service Stores vs. C. B. Cox, account. General Motors Truck Co., vs. C. B. Cox, note. C. G. Hewitt vs. Lawrence F. Gerald as administrator of the estate of J. C. Jones, account. Peoples Savings Bank vs. Eric Hart, note. Cornelia E. VanDerveer vs. J. C. Page, detinue. Mims Grocery Co., a partnership composed of J. Z. Mims and W. R. Hayes, vs. W. J. Bean, account. A. A. Cherry vs. G. W. Free-

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LEON MULLINS HAS CHARGE OF NEW SHELL STATION

December 1st saw a change in the management of the new Shell Service Station on the Birmingham Montgomery highway in Clanton when Leon Mullins took over the place.

Leon is well known throughout this county, as well as the state. He has competent helpers at his new acquired place of business, giving service on tires, washing, polishing doping, etc. Mr. Mullins wishes to invite his friends in to visit him at the Shell Station, across the street from the Ford Building.

20 MILLIONTH FORD WILL BE BROUGHT HERE

Clanton Motors Announces Display of Automobile Here On Dec. 8

The Twenty-Millionth Ford car, symbolic of one man's contribution to world history and the development of American industry, will visit Clanton, enroute from Detroit on a southern tour.

Assembled in the presence of Henry and Edsel Ford—the Twenty-Millionth Ford left the Ford Motor Company's Rouge plant in Dearborn, Mich., on April 14.

Following the brief ceremonies at the final assembly line, and with Henry Ford at the wheel, the car was driven to Mr. Ford's home several miles away where its meeting with the first Ford produced in 1893, was recorded for future generations in motion pictures.

Now expected to arrive in Clanton at about 10:30 o'clock next Tuesday, December 8, the Twenty-Millionth Ford will be met at the city limits and escorted to Clanton Motors where it will be placed on exhibition for 30 minutes before resuming its tour. Mr. T. J. Littlejohn invites everybody to come

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ONLY 19 MORE SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

There are only nineteen more shopping days until Christmas. Now is the time to do your shopping for gifts. The stores of Clanton are full of bargains on articles suitable for Christmas gifts.

See the ads in this issue of the News from Clanton merchants. There are bargains to be found here. Watch these ads regularly.

KIWANIS CLUB HAS FINE PROGRAM LAST MEETING

At the last meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Clanton, a Thanksgiving program was rendered with Samuel Ezell in charge. Attendance was at its height and the program conducted by Kiwanian Ezell assisted by Dan Haskew was thoroughly enjoyed and encouraging.

The club will hold its regular weekly luncheon today at 12:15 o'clock at the Methodist church as usual. Kiwanian Louis Reynolds has charge of the program for this meeting.

NEGRO GIRL BREAKS LEG IN FALL; IN HOSPITAL HERE

While playing with her brother Ida Mae Williams, young negro girl of near Clanton, fell and fractured her left hip. She was brought to the Central Alabama Hospital in Clanton Monday night.

ONE IS KILLED IN ACCIDENT MONDAY NIGHT

Brady Cooper Instantly Killed When Car Leaves Road Near Verbena, Ala.

Brady Cooper, Jr., age 20, was almost instantly killed last Monday night when the car in which he and two companions were riding, overturned about three miles west of Verbena.

With Cooper were Eugene Baldwin of Mountain Creek and John Barefield of Marbury, neither of whom were seriously injured.

According to reports, Barefield was driving and failed to make a curve safely, the car leaving the road and overturning. The accident occurred shortly after eight o clock. The body of Cooper was brought to Martin & Sons funeral parlors in Clanton by Chas. Gulledge, of Verbena.

Cooper is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brady Cooper, Sr., who reside about five miles south of Verbena on the Montgomery Highway at a place known as Midway, and are a well known family in that section of the county. Surviving also are one brother and two sisters.

Funeral services were held at Midway church Tuesday afternoon, December 1, with Martin & Sons of Clanton in charge.

Mary Kate Haynes Died Thursday

Mrs. Mary Kate Haynes, age 79, died last Thursday, November 26th, following a lingering illness. She has been a resident of Clanton for a large number of years and was widely known thruout the county. Her pleasing disposition at all times made vast numbers of friends for her.

The deceased was born April 28th, 18'2. Funeral services were held Friday with the Rev. D. W. Haskew officiating. Interment followed in the city cemetery with Martin & Sons in charge. She is survived by one son, Samuel Elmer Welsh, of Clanton, and other relatives.

WEASEL IS CAUGHT NEAR TEEL'S SERVICE STATION

"Pop Goes The Weasel" said the little rat terrier dog last Monday night that caught a weasel near the Teel Service Station in Clanton.

Just where the furry little creature came from has not yet been determined as they are seldom seen in this section The weasel, not a large one, made his appearance at the service station Monday night and attracted the attention of a small dog, who caught it. Many persons made wild guesses as to what it was. Some thought it a rat of some species, while others just didn't know. However, after quite a bit of deliberation, it was finally decided to call the animal a weasel.

Rev. J. L. Hand of Climax, Ga., is spending several days visiting friends and relatives in Chilton County.

Dr. and Mrs. Haskew were visitors to Montgomery Monday.

Mrs. Brand and babies spent last week in Birmingham.

Dr. and Mrs. Gowan spent Tuesday in Montgomery and Wetumpka.

Dr. J. J. DuBose of Maplesville was in Clanton Monday.

Mr. C. Fenn Jones was in Wetumpka Saturday.

FIREMEN WILL PLAY CITY MEN IN FOOTBALL

Game Friday Afternoon Creating Wide Interest Among Fans Of The Gridiron

The members of the volunteer fire department will have a fight on their hands Friday afternoon, and it won't be fire either, when they play a team of football players on the high school gridiron.

The opposing team will be composed of various young men of Clanton, some of them former players and others not. It is hard to tell just how the bets are running, but it is believed the odds are on the fireboys. This is due perhaps to the fact that there are several former high school stars who are members of the department, including Doodle Gore, Milton Smith, Ruphus Brown, Red Wagoner, Arthur Broadhead and others.

However at the same time it is understood that several of those who are being counted in on the team to oppose the firemen were at one time considered high school stars on the field. These include such men as Jack Hayes, Osmond Grant, (Mayor of South Clanton), Earl Parrish, Louie Smith, Phillip Foshee, and others.

The game will be played on the high school field at three-thirty o'clock Friday afternoon. Tickets have been on sale for several days and are selling fast. Proceeds from this game will go to the Firemen's Equipment Fund, according to Loren Smith, chief. The people of Clanton should turn out to see this game, ladies as well as men.

Mrs. Dick Hayes and children, and Miss Katherine Hayes spent Thanksgiving in Clayton with Mrs. Hayes' parents, Dr. and Mrs. Floyd.

S. S. Convention At Milton Baptist

A district Sunday School Convention will be held on next Sunday, December 6th, at the Milton Baptist church, beginning at two-fifteen o'clock, according to W. J. Patrick. Following is the program:

2:15 P. M. Devotional, by Mrs. J. H. Bruce.

2:30 Six Point record system, and using the Bible, by Associate Supt.

2:50 Building a Great Sunday School by T. L. Patrick.

3:05 Reports.

3:15 Grading the Sunday School, and Keep Grade, by J. F. Apperson.

3:30 How to Curtain off Church for Graded Sunday School, by R. L. Jackson.

3:40 Effective Teaching in the Sunday School, by Prof. Carl Grouby.

3:50 Questions.

4:00 Adjourn.

MARTHA JANE HAYES, 76, DIED AT HOME, NOV. 26TH

Mrs. Martha Jane Hayes, 76, wife of C. L. Hayes, Montevallo Route 2, died at her home November 26th.

Funeral services were held at Shady Grove church November 27, with Rev. Long of Pell city conducting the services, and Martin & Sons of Clanton in charge.

LOCAL SENIORS TO STAGE PLAY FRIDAY NIGHT

"That's One On Bill" Promises To Be Entertainment Out-of-the-Ordinary

The Senior Class of C. C. H. S. will present a three act comedy, "That's One On Bill," at the high school auditorium Friday, December 4, at 7:30 p.m.

Herman Harris plays the roll of Uncle Jimmie, who is very wealthy and has promised to leave part of his fortune to his nephew, Bill Hailey, if he will marry as instructed and part to Battling Bennie Bozo, if Bennie remains unmarried. These parts are fittingly portrayed by Joe VanDerveer and Ottis Miller. Charlsie Pyron plays the part of Bill's sister, Lil, who seeks to have her brother marry Mae, Ethel Mae Jones, and plans to make him tired of his romantic desire for a motion picture bride. Lil gets her friend, Patricia, to visit their home in guise of a motion picture star. Jane Roberts as Patricia Pansy LaGloria, loses little time in enamoring the hearts of all the boys in the neighborhood, and Bill even steals money from his uncle Jimmie's trunk to make an impression on the "movie queen." Earl Ellis plays the part of Harvey Roder, who is engaged to Lil. Leroy Martin as Ned Collins, who always knows a good joke, and Sallye Mahan, the maid, furnish the comedy.

This play is being coached by Miss Berniece Williams, a member of the high school faculty, and who has had experience in this kind of work before. She and the cast of characters are fitted for their parts, and the play promises to be outstanding. The proceeds will go toward paying for the electric clock which the Senior Class of this year has presented to the school as a memorial. Admission will be 25 and 35 cents.

Strawberry Meeting Maplesville Friday

All farmers in the Maplesville territory who signed up at previous meetings to grow berries, are urged to attend this meeting and to bring with them any other farmer interested in growing berries. The meeting is scheduled for two o'clock p.m., December 11th.

J. P. PAYNE, Secretary.

JUDGE KNIGHT SWORN IN AS HIGH COURT JUSTICE

Justice Thomas E. Knight, of Greensboro, former judge of the 4th Judicial Circuit, who was appointed by Gov. Miller to succeed the late Justice A. D. Sayre as a member of the Alabama Supreme Court, took the formal oath of office Monday morning in the office of his son, Atty. Gen. Knight. The oath was administered by Mrs. Alice Kent Baldwin, notary public, and secretary to the Attorney General.

Immediately after being officially sworn in, Justice Knight received his commission, and at once began the discharge of his new duties. Throughout the forenoon, he joined with Chief Justice John C. Anderson and other Associate Justices in consultation on matters before the high court.

Miss Helms of Brundidge is the guest of Miss Katherine Hayes.

Clanton Offers Entertainments During Coming Week of Wide Local Interest

The holiday spirit is in the air and even the climatic conditions are beginning to do their part in making folks feel that Christmas is not far off—just twenty-three days to be exact. During the next several days, Clanton is offering to the amusement seeking public some real interesting programs in the way of entertainments.

Each of the entertainments being sponsored by local organizations are being put on to raise funds for various worthy causes. Perhaps the most important is the musical comedy to be presented on next Tuesday night at the Wadesonian Theatre, by the Clanton Pilot Club, however at the same time the Volunteer Firemen's football game is being given in order to raise funds for the Firemen's Equipment Fund of Clanton, while members of the senior class of the Chilton County High School are in need of funds to complete payment on work of improvement at the high school, and will stage a play tomorrow (Friday) night.

The Pilot Club's play is titled 'Oh, Professor," a Wayne P. Sewell production, with its cast of characters being composed of local people. The high school's play "That's One On Bill" promises to be good. The Firemen's football game for tomorrow afternoon on the local field will draw a large crowd.

Now is a good time to see some real amusements, getting value received for your money, at the same time doing your part to aid in good work.

Along with the entertainments for the week, comes the splendid program of pictures at the Wadesonian Theatre. To the management of the theatre of Clanton goes the thanks and appreciation of all interested in the Pilot Club work. The Wadesonian Theatre gladly gives the use of its large stage and auditorium for the club to present its play, "Oh, Professor."

FORMER RESIDENTS OF CLANTON VISIT MR. & MRS. WILSON

To Mrs. Ola Campbell and Mrs. Marie Werington, Clanton presents an interesting sight, no doubt. These two ladies arrived in Clanton recently to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Wilson at the New Wilson Hotel, and this is their first visit to Clanton in something like fifteen years.

Mrs. Campbell and her daughter, Mrs. Werington were at one time residents of Clanton and are from Philadelphia. Mrs. Campbell is Mrs. Wilson's sister.

WIFE OF ROBERT T. GRANT DIED ON NOVEMBER 30TH

Alabama Jane Grant, age 79, wife of Robert T. Grant, well known citizen of Cooper, Ala., died at her home November 30th and was buried December 1st Rev. Ezell and Rev. Hand conducted the funeral services, with Martin & Sons of Clanton in charge of the body

THORSBY WILL GET ANOTHER GAS STATION

R. D. Gibbons Buys L & N Property; Will Erect New Service Station

More activity is being seen in the way of actual work on new buildings in Thorsby. A transaction there recently conveyed to R. D. Gibbons, the property on the east side of the L & N. depot and highway, which was formerly the property of the railroad

Mr. Gibbons is widely known in the Thorsby section as well as throughout the county. The lots purchased from the railroad by Mr. Gibbons run 269 feet, angling easterly.

It was learned that a modern auto service station is now being erected and the work is well underway, on this property. The new business for Thorsby will be known as The Alabama Service Station, and will be under the management of C. D. Gibbons well known young business man of Thorsby.

Mr. Gibbons states that they expect to have the new place of business ready for business not later than December 24. The location of the filling station is ideal, being only nine feet off the paved highway, and will no doubt prove of much convenience to tourists as well as local autoists.

Meeting of Dewberry Growers December 9

On August 24th, Mr. Stapp, at the request of the Clanton Berry Growers Association, sent out a questionnaire to find out what farmers in the Clanton territory were interested in growing dewberries. A good number replied that they were interested. Mr. Stapp is calling a meeting at his office for Wednesday, December 9th, at 2 p.m. All persons interested in growing dewberries are urged to attend this meeting. Similar meetings will be held later at Thorsby and Jemison.

EXHIBIT OF FINE PICTURES SHOWN AT HIGH SCHOOL

All the famous schools of art represented in this great display of prints is an unusual opportunity for the people of Clanton and surrounding communities.

An avenue of Art Education is afforded in the exhibit of Fine Art Prints which will be on display Monday, November 30, through Friday, December 4, in the home economics room of Chilton County High School. There will be a small admission fee (10 cents) charge which will be used for the purchase of pictures for our school.

There are 150 large colored reproductions of the Od and Modern Masters. Among some of the most famous artists represented are: Gainsborough, Titian, Da Vinci, Terborch, Murillo, Van Dyck, Raphael, and many others. Some of the Modern are: Ben Foster, Innes, Ernest Albert, Frank Duveneck, Gardner Symons, Bruce Crane Williams Wyatt, Henry Vincent, Robert Wesley Amick, and Gustave Wiegand.

This is an opportunity not only for students to view the great masterpieces, but it is a chance to encourage them to appreciate the finer things of life. This display of pictures will bring to the surface hidden qualities in our children. Let's make this display of pictures a success in our town this time. We can do it by all working together.

PILOT CLUB TO PRESENT PLAY DECEMBER 8TH

Proceeds Go To Aid In Giving Lunches To Undernourished School Children

Have you wondered what all the signs bearing the words, "Oh, Professor" are about? That is the title of a musical comedy to be presented on Tuesday night, December 8th, by the Pilot Club of Clanton, at the Wadesonian Theatre in Clanton, at eight o'clock.

"Oh, Professor" is truly a modern 1931 Wayne P. Sewell Production and is rated as being one of the best of its kind. The people of Clanton will remember "Here Comes Arabella," "The Flapper Grandmother," "Cupid Up To-Date," "Miss Blue Bonnett" and other plays in Clanton, and now comes the opportunity to witness the presentation of one that promises to be far ahead in the way of real entertainment.

All local talent is to be used in this entertainment. Those taking part include Alec Callen who is truly worth the price of admission in his role as a Chinaman. Henry T. Pipe, who is well known here and who will be remembered as playing the part [illegible] in an entertainment once, will take the part as The Professor, and [illegible] with his six feet [illegible] will act as Steve. Mrs. W. F. [illegible] takes the part as Wilhelmina [illegible]

Jane Pitt will take the part [illegible] and is one in that [illegible]

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CITIZENS WILL MEET, DISCUSS EDUCATIONAL PROBLEMS HERE

A group of representative business and professional men of Chilton County are to gather at the basement of the Baptist church in Clanton tonight at seven o'clock for the purpose of discussing the matter of the school term at length and the financial situation confronting the schools of this county.

This meeting is not a public meeting, but will be for those whose counsel is being seeked to aid in some solution. A statement from superintendent of education B. Lawrence stated that "never before has the Chilton County Board of Education been faced with a more serious problem than it is facing now."

CHEVROL'T SAYS SOMETHING IS COMING HERE

Polk Bros. Say Tell Readers To Keep Their Eye On Chevrolet

Considerable speculation was aroused here this week by the appearance around town and on the highways of posters, streams and placards bearing the advice to "Keep your eye on Chevrolet."

What this leading manufacturer plans in the way of follow-up to the preliminary announcement could not be learned from Mr. W. M. Polk of the Polk Brothers Motor Co., Inc., local Chevrolet dealers.

"Tell any of your readers interested," Mr. Smith, "to watch the next week's edition of your newspaper for any further details and to visit our showroom on Saturday of this week. I can't tell you any more just now," Mr. Polk stated when asked what it is all about.

"We have done a fine business during the past twelve months, and thruout the country the Chevrolet six is leading every other make in registrations. Met, good as that showing is, we expect to do better during the coming months. Just "Keep your eye on Chevrolet" Mr. Polk concluded.

NO PRODUCE ACCEPTED THIS MONTH ON SUBSCRIPTIONS

As was stated in last week's issue of the News, the offer of accepting farm produce as payment for subscriptions to the News expired November 30th, and no produce will be accepted as payment during this month.

The boys at the News have been well fed, and plenty to spare when it comes to syrup, peas, peanuts, potatoes, etc., and our supply of wood is plentiful.

OVER ONE HUNDRED MILLION DOLLARS for Wages Materials and Properties

DURING the last 10 years additions have been made to properties in the amount of $120,316,675.50, including power plants, transmission lines, substations, distribution systems and other facilities. This money has gone mainly into wages and materials —has furnished employment—to supply electric service in Alabama. Keeping pace with the growth of Alabama and its industries—to bring dependable electric service to hundreds of towns and villages and to thousands of farms.

Twelve million dollars represents the average yearly amount of additions and betterments for the 10 year period.

This Company has never curtailed its service to any customer nor failed to meet any power demand placed upon it. Its service is available to 66 of 67 counties of the State, and, under the orders of Alabama Public Service Commission power rates have become uniform throughout the territory. Thus the smallest community served is given equal opportunity to compete with the largest city for the location of new industries in so far as the rates for power are concerned.

ALABAMA POWER COMPANY

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Marriage Licenses

Following are names of persons to whom marriage licenses were issued in this county during November, 1931:

Charlie Brown, Mt. Creek and Miss Clydie Bell Reynolds, Mt. Creek.

John Mills, Thorsby, and Miss Demerel Allen, Thorsby.

Exer Washington Blackmon, Thorsby, and Miss Rosa Battle, Thorsby.

Robert Lee Yates, Verbena, and Miss Sallie B. Wood, Clanton.

W. W. Wilson, Maplesville, and Miss Lizzie McDaniel, Maplesville.

Thomas Byrd, Dothan, and Miss Lucie Tap Scott, Thorsby.

Walter T. Abbot, Thorsby, and Miss Susie Scroggins, Thorsby.

H. E. Culver, Clanton, and Miss Frances D. Edwards, Clanton.

Lee Smitherman, Clanton and Miss Evie Hand, Clanton.

J. F. Hicks, Billingsley, and Miss Inez Spigener, Plantersville.

Grady Cleckler, Clanton Route 1, and Miss Cleady Mims, Clanton, Route 2.

E. L. Sammons, Calera, Rt. 1, and Miss Estelle Avery, Jemison, Rt. 3.

Calley Jones, Billingsley, and Miss Ruby Mims, Billingsley.

Jack T. Barton, Los Angeles, and Miss Verlie Mae Bearden, Columbiana.

A. C. Blewster, Wheel Wright, Ky., and Miss Amy Sammons, Calera, Rt. 1.

L. T. Smith, Clanton Rt. 7, and Miss Lillian Evins, Maplesville, Rt. 2.

Pleasant Valley News

Rev. A. S. Bentley of Billingsley will preach at Pleasant Valley church Sunday, December 6. Everybody be sure and come.

Mr. Raymond Burkhalter who is now in St. Margaret's Hospital in Montgomery for an operation of appendicitis is expected home Wednesday.

Miss Myra Keel entertained the following at her home Thursday night: Miss Mildred Neeley, Messrs. Buster Roebuck and Joe Martin.

Miss Elizabeth Griffin is visiting her sister, Mrs. O'Neal Stroud, of Birmingham.

Mildred Neeley and Mary Burkhalter dined with Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Burkhalter Sunday.

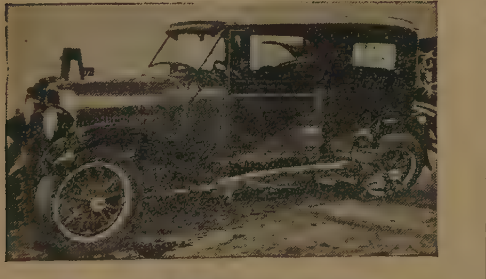
Joe Martin was the guest of Peanut Neeley Saturday night.

Mr. Julius Vance who has been in the hospital for appendicitis is now at home doing fine.

Miss Myra Keel spent this week end in Clanton visiting her sister, Mrs. Willis Bishop.

Mr. Lewis Courtney has just returned from a pleasant trip from Florida.

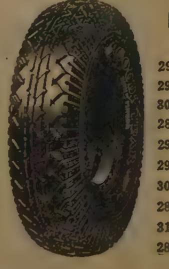
Miss Emmett Courtney spent Saturday night with Miss Lucilel Griffin.



BEWARE

Smooth-worn tires skid on winter roads

Don't wait for accidents—get new rubber on every wheel now. New tires mean safety—you need them more right now than at any time in the year. It's a fact, good tires show almost no wear in cold wet weather—they'll still be "new" next spring.



GOODYEAR PATHFINDER

SIZE	Price of Each	Each in Pairs
29x4.40-21	$4.98	$4.80
29x4.50-20	5.60	5.45
30x4.50-21	5.69	5.55
28x4.75-19	6.65	6.45
29x4.75-20	6.75	6.57
29x5.00-19	6.98	6.80
30x5.00-20	7.10	6.90
28x5.25-18	7.90	7.65
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MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

In a certain Chilton county community two neighbors had a difference, and they were about to go to law. Each one was very determined to carry his point, and had gone so far with their dispute, that a court cost was involved. There was a man in that community in whom each one had confidence, and he lamented, "How bad it is for neighbors to fall out," and this man sought to bring about an understanding and a settlement. The two men were called to meet him at a certain time. This peace maker talked and plead with them to bury the hatchet, and finally it was agreed that the difference should be forgotten. Then the question of the seven dollar's cost was brought up. One man consented to pay half, but the other refused to pay any of the cost. The man who called the two neighbors together to make peace, quietly paid the cost, and then admonished his friends to go home and live in peace. That is what I call a noble Christian act. "Blessed are the peace makers for they shall be called the children of God."

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All my life I have been preaching that a man who faces a red flag, a flag of danger, should turn to the right, and avoid the harm that is just down the way. On last Saturday I seemed to have learned that it is not always the right thing to do. I came to a red light at a street crossing in Montgomery, and I did not stop my car, but pushed it around the corner to the right and went on my way. I thought that a man had a perfect right to turn into traffic and go to the right, but the watching police thought differently. When my car was parked a half block away, the officer of the law stepped up and ordered me to police headquarters. I did not exactly argue with that policeman, but I told him I was from the country, and he let me off for that time. I promised him never to do it again. In spite of police I am still saying, "When you see danger ahead, turn to the right and go straight ahead."

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They have strange laws down in Montgomery. In order that I might be a law abiding citizen, I hunted out a place where I could park my car, and leave it there for hours, and not fear the visit of the cops. Last Saturday I drove my car into this place, locked the doors and left it in contentment. Two hours later I came back and found it tagged. The tag kindly said that I had broken every law of the city, county, state and nation. I felt all out of luck. I hurried to a hardware man who stood near, and I asked him to tell me what crime I had committed. He informed me that the place where my car was parked was held in reserve for wagons on Saturday. He said that I could park there any day, except Saturday. That was news to me. I hunted the policeman of that street, and told him that I was from the country, and did not know that they had Monday and Saturday laws, and he was "Mighty light" on me, God bless his great big fat form. To say the least, Montgomery is modern. You know that in our religious life we have Sunday laws and Monday laws. I like a steady law in civic affairs, as well as in religious matters. If right is right on Monday, then I want the same thing to be right on Saturday.

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When I was a boy I was party to the flying of a kite. The thing was lifted into the air until it was just a speck in the sky. Since then I have wondered who was really flying that kite. "Who flies the kite?" The boy answers, "I fly the kite." The wind says, "No such thing, I fly the kite." You are both dead wrong," replied the string, "I fly the kite." "Do not be so quick to speak," replied the tail of the kite, I fly the kite." Each one was right and each one was wrong. The kite would not fly without a boy, without the wind, without the string, without the tail, but not one alone could fly that kite. They all had to work together. When you pat yourself on the back saying, "I fly the kite" just remember that you are not doing it alone. You may have wrought wonders, but somebody helped you wonderfully. It takes car loads of co-operation to fly the kite.

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The old hound came from behind the meat market with a bone between his jaws. He walked like the lord of creation to a vacant lot, and then crouched down over his bone. He put in an hour of the hardest gnawing that I have ever witnessed. He would shut his eyes and grind his teeth on the bone. Occasionally it would crack like a broken stick. That old hound gnawed long and hard, but he never packed away much. The bone had been well picked, and there was nothing for the hungry dog. I have often wondered what fun a human could get out of a dry bone. We get them and we whet our teeth on them for hours at a time. We have seen the select meet in the sitting room, and gnaw on a scandal bone for hours. Hambone said, "I saw my old dog gnawing on a dry bone, but he did not lay much in."

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The other morning I stood by the rail road track and saw a freight train with 83 empties going south. The engine was boiling its smoke, and the train made more noise than a thunder storm in July, but I saw nothing but empties going south. Not many nights ago I heard much noise coming from a car that went rumbling by and I wondered why so much loud talk, and then it occurred to me, "Just a load of empties out on a joy ride."

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In 1931 the average American boy and girl is receiving two more years of schooling than did the child of 1914, or 17 years ago. His (or her) chances of going to high school, which were only one in ten in 1900, are now even; and his chances of college, which were one in thirty-three in 1900, are now one in six, according to the U. S. Education Bureau at Washington.

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Hammond—Why does Mrs. Meekly continue to live with her husband when he beats her so often?

Cabbageo—She wants a divorce and her lawyer advised her to get as many beatings to her credit as possible before going to court.

TODAY AND TOMORROW

FRANK PARKER STOCKBRIDGE

HAPPYLAND

If I were asked to name the spot in the United States where the general industrial and business depression has been felt least, I would say, at a guess, that it is Leonardtown, Maryland. There may be, and probably are, other communities as happily situated but I don't know their names.

A young man who has been working in New York, and consequently has his head full of nothing but hard times talk, visited his old home in Leonardtown recently. He asked folks there how severely the depression had hit them and the unanimous response was "what depression?" They had not heard about it in Leonardtown.

When I knew Leonardtown as a boy, there wasn't any railroad, and there isn't now. But there were a lot of contented farmers, raising watermelons and oysters and tobacco.

Everybody had enough to eat and to wear, and most had a surplus besides, and my young girl friend tells me that that is exactly the situation of Leonardtown today.

These Maryland country people never bothered about industries, never tried to make their county seat a second Baltimore or Philadelphia, never got the idea that money brings happiness. I think they are pretty sensible people.

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GAME

In a good many parts of the country the effort to restock fields and forests with game birds and animals in order to provide sport for hunters is meeting with considerable success. It has been going on for a long time. I saw the other day a letter written in 1820, from a town in Vermont, saying that red foxes were beginning to be seen in that territory. All the red foxes in America originated with a few that were brought from England late in the 1700's and turned loose on Long Island to furnish sport for huntsmen. Today the red fox outnumbers the native American gray fox in most of the Atlantic Coast states.

Sentimental people look upon hunting as a cruel form of sport. Their imaginations endow animals with the same emotional and reasoning qualities as human beings. Those who know most about wild life say that animals have no fear of death because they are unable to imagine it, that they run when pursued purely from instinct.

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RELIEF

The most amazing results of the nation-wide effort to take care of the unemployed is not the disclosure of large numbers of people who would rather beg than work, although that is surprising enough, but the revelation of human greed furnished by the spectacle of folks who are very far from being poverty stricken, but who unblushingly call upon the relief agencies for money.

I saw a paragraph the other day in the Wayne (Neb.) Herald saying that the county commissioners had adopted a resolution that no county aid should be given to paupers who own automobiles or radios, smoke cigars or loaf in poolrooms. In New York City it has been disclosed that hundreds of men holding steady jobs have been drawing regular incomes in addition from the unemployment relief funds, through the connivance of politicians.

We have got to change a good many of our assumptions as a result of the unemployment investigations. One of those assumptions is that everybody would rather earn money than take charity. And another apparently false assumption is the old belief that graft is confined to politicians.

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COMMUNISM

Beyond doubt one of the powerful reasons behind the reluctance of capital to embark in new enterprises or furnish additional money for established industries in the past two years has been the fear of Communism.

I am convinced that the overwhelming overthrow of the Labor Party in England, and the recent revelations from Russia of the failure of the Soviet program at a dozen different points, have had more to do with restoring confidence among capitalists and industrial leaders than almost anything else which has happened.

No intelligent person will contend that our capitalist system of government and industry is perfect, but no intelligent person can deny that it works better than any other system which has ever been tried on a large scale.

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AMBITION

I haven't any way of proving it, but I have a notion that a lot of the unemployment and consequent distress, especially among the so-called white-collar workers, is due to the fact that their parents had the idea that there was something degrading in manual work, and brought up their children to be bookkeepers, stenographers and office workers generally, instead of being miners, carpenters or factory workers like themselves.

It is human nature to think that the other fellow's job is better than your own. It is also a praiseworthy spirit that makes parents ambitious to have their children occupy a better social and economic position than their own. But when hard times come the white-collar workers are the ones who feel the effects first and hardest.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT, DEATH OF D. H. GENTRY

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Silently, ruthlessly, death moves among us. It is with sadness that we report the death of one of our charter members, brother D. H. Gentry.

Brother Gentry was faithful to the last and always ready and willing to do his part in any Eastern Star duties.

Therefore, be it resolved, that the Thorsby Chapter, No. 154, Order of the Eastern Star, express their sorrw in the loss of their faithful member.

Be It Further Resolved, That our chapter express our brotherly and sisterly love and sincere sympathy to our sister, Mrs. D. H. Gentry, in her bereavement.

Be It Resolved Further, That a copy of this resolution be sent to each of the county papers, one copy be sent to Mrs. Gentry, and one placed on file in our chapter.

—Charles A. Peterson, Clara Vines, Lummie Wilson, Committee.

Sunday School Lesson

for December 6

ROME AND BEYOND

II Timothy 4:6-18

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

The historical record of Paul's life does not go beyond the first Roman imprisonment. Probably Luke planned to write a third book and complete the account of this apostle to the Gentiles. After the release, return was made to Asia Minor and Timothy was left at Ephesus as Paul proceeded to Macedonia. Titus was sent to both Corinth and Crete. In the interim, Paul wrote two more letters: I Timothy and Titus.

The burning of Rome took place after Paul was released from prison. Emperor Nero was the incendiary but the Christians were charged with this dastardly deed. Wholesale arrests began and it is likely that special favor was gained by some officials who again apprehended Paul and had him taken to Rome. This time the freedom of his own hired house was not granted and confinement, according to tradition, was in the underground dungeon of the Mamertine prison which was visited by the writer a few years ago.

II Timothy is Paul's farewell and it is addressed to the young man who must take up the responsibilities of the apostolic office.

With calmness and assurance in faith Paul faces whatever may take place. His self audit is best expressed in the Golden Text: "I have fought a good fight, I have finished the course, I have kept the faith," 4:7. There is no question about the beyond as he faces the Judgment.

Only Luke was with him. Others who would have been helpful had deserted the Cause or were away on indicated missions. Timothy is sent for and also John Mark, who once failed but later made good in the ministry. Of one thing Paul was constantly certain: "The Lord will save me unto his heavenly kingdom." According to tradition, release came by beheading.

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FEW ARE BORN BLIND

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By Dr. Christmas Seal

A young man who was born blind has just been given sight by surgery. Although many people are "blind from birth," very few are born blind. They become blind because infection occurs at birth. To prevent such infection the eyes of every newborn child should be treated by the doctor with "anti-septic drops."

The Alabama Tuberculosis Association warns you that children do not all see alike. Some are born with eyes in which defective eyeball construction does not permit the right focus. Some have muscular defects. Do not expect the child to discover his weakness. If his vision is poor he supposes that all people have just such stumbling vision. On entering school, or before, every child should have a simple test of vision. This can be given by a school teacher using a visual chart or a Snelling Test Card. It is still better to have your child's eyes tested by a doctor. If your county has an organized Health Department, the Health Officer will do the work. Be sure to have this simple test of vision made of your child.

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Billingsley News

A Thanksgiving Service was held at the Baptist church on Wednesday night of last week.

Mrs. J. A. Boozer of Tuscaloosa spent Sunday with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Downs.

A. G. Thompson of Bessemer was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. W. A. Gandy, Thanksgiving Day.

Those who enjoyed the Thanksgiving Dinner with Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar and Mrs. John Wonder were: Mrs. Willis Lawrence of Eoline, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Williams of Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Marlar, Mr. L. A. Marlar, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hughes, Billingsley, and Mr. Lamar Marlar of Tuscaloosa.

Miss Ruth Carter of Deatsville spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her mother, Mrs. J. N. Carter.

Prof. Ralph Upton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Keith at Fairfax, Mrs. Upton and baby, Ralph, returning home with him Sunday afternoon, after a two weeks visit with her parents at Fairfax.

Miss Mary Tindal of Montgomery spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Hugh Chastain.

Miss Anne Turk spent the holidays with her parents at Autaugaville.

The Royal Ambassador Chapter met at the home of Mrs. Hughes on Monday evening. Every member was present but one. After an interesting program on our Mission Field of Europe, refreshments were served and a social thirty minutes enjoyed.

Miss Nettie Mason Patillo was the week end guest of Miss Bettye Jane Gregory at Tuscaloosa.

Miss Mary Collier and Miss Louise Comer spent the holidays with their respective parents at Prattville and at Selma.

Mrs. S. J. Ezell of Clanton spoke at the eleven o'clock hour at the Baptist church Sunday using as her theme, Stewardship. Everyone present enjoyed this well thought out message and will profit from it through the years to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Pennington of Northport, Miss., Maude Lee Patrick of the University, Mr. Will Patrick of Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Davis and family of Billingsley were the Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Patrick.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baxter had as their visitors last week Mr. and Mrs. James Baugans of Birmingham and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Powell and children of Scotsboro.

Otto Apperson who is attending school at Jacksonville spent the week end with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Apperson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robertson of Tallassee spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Culp.

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Registration Notice

The Board of Registrars of Chilton County will be at the following places on the dates named, for the purpose of registering those who desire to do so and become qualified voters:

Beat 4—Courthouse, Clanton,	November 23, 24, 25, 27 and 28.
Beat 2—Mars Hill	December 1, A. M.
Beat 14—Macedonia	December 1, P. M.
Beat 8—Stanton	December 2
Beat 7—Maplesville	December 3, A. M.
Beat 3—Benson	December 3, P. M.
Beat 5—Verbena	December 4
Beat 2—Jemison	December 5
Beat 9—Thorsby	December 7
Beat 10—Cooper	December 8
Beat 16—Providence	December 9
Beat 4—Courthouse, Clanton,	December 10, 11, 12, 14 and 15.

COTTON DELEGATES ADOPT TEXAS PLAN

Southwide Conference, Jackson Quickly Agrees On 50 Per Cent Cut

Without a dissenting vote among eighty accredited delegates at the Governors' South-wide Cotton Conference at Jackson, Mississippi, November 23, seeking uniform legislation on acreage reduction, an acreage control law similar in effect to the law now in force in the State of Texas, was chosen as the legislative star to which the cotton growers should hitch their hopes for better days.

Active in the calling of the conference and present taking part in its proceedings were Governors Parnell of Arkansas, Bilbo of Mississippi, Blackwood of South Carolina, and Russell of Georgia. Governors of other states sent specially appointed and personal representatives.

The states of Alabama, Arkansas, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee and Texas were represented in the conference, while messages of co-operation came from the governors of Arizona, Florida and New Mexico.

Resolution Unanimously Adopted

WHEREAS, the conservation of soil fertility, the elimination of plant disease and the prevention of insect damage, as well as the prosperity and happiness of the people of the Southern States, demand a reduction of the acreage now planted to cotton and other soil exhausting plants; and

WHEREAS, the only method of securing such reduced acreage now being generally considered, is by state laws of cotton producing states bearing equally upon all cotton producers; and

WHEREAS, it is imperative that such laws, if adopted, shall be uniform in effect and adopted in states producing not less than 75% of the cotton crop of the entire South; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Conference of Governors and Members of the Legislature, and other representatives of the Southern States held in Jackson, Mississippi, on November 23, 1931, as follows:

SECTION 1. We recommend that an acreage control law similar in effect to the law now in force in the State of Texas be adopted by all cotton producing states, with such modifications of administrative features as will prevent grave injustice to citizens of sections of such states, and we further recommend that the independence and sovereignty of other states in adopting laws securing, at least a fifty per cent reduction of cotton acreage, be respected.

Section 2. We recommend that cotton producing states adopting laws securing a reduction of at least fifty per cent in cotton acreage during the years of 1932 and 1933 shall repeal such laws unless laws of similar effect are adopted prior to January 20th, 1932, by states producing at least seventy-five per cent of the cotton crop of the South, as shown by the reports of the Federal Census Bureau for the year 1930.

Section 3. We urge the Governors of those states that have not enacted laws similar in effect to the law recommended herein to immediately convene their Legislatures for the purpose of enacting laws as provided for in this resolution, to the end that all of the cotton growing states may enact such laws on or before January 20, 1932.

RESOLVED, FURTHER: That the Secretary of the Mississippi conference furnish a copy of this resolution to the Governors of all the cotton growing states and to the press.

Executive Committee Named

To carry on the work of the conference an Executive Committee was named, consisting of Dr. Tait Butler of Memphis, editor of the Progressive Farmer, chairman, and Harry D. Wilson, Commissioner of Agriculture of Louisiana, J. E. McDonald, Commissioner of Agriculture of Texas, E. F. Creekmore, general manager of the American Cotton Co-operative Association, and W. H. Hodges, chairman of the Louisiana Relief Committee. The committee was directed to follow up actively the work of the Conference.

Governor Proclaims Arbor Day

Governor B. M. Miller has designated Friday, December 4, for general observance throughout the state as Arbor Day. The text of the Governor's proclamation follows:

WHEREAS the forests of Alabama constitute one of her fundamental resources upon which is founded the economic structure of the commonwealth, and

WHEREAS under normal conditions the woodlands furnish regular employment and means of livelihood for many thousands of citizens and in times of stress they contribute readily available shelter material, inexpensive fuel and various natural foods for mankind, and

WHEREAS the growth of trees is more rapid in the South than in other sections of the country, thereby affording more steady progress in the development of forest communities, and

WHEREAS millions of acres of Alabama land, which will not when cultivated grow more than enough in farm crops to cover the costs of production, will pay for itself many times over if fully stocked with timber trees, and

WHEREAS the existence of trees on poor areas serves to rebuild soils and increase fertility, as well as to prevent the erosion and gullying of the land, and

WHEREAS trees growing along the highways and town and city streets afford comfort and beauty to the traveler and to the community, and

WHEREAS on account of the numerous benefits derived from the culture of trees in the forest, rural and even urban communities, their growth should be promoted by all practicable means,

THEREFORE, I, B. M. MILLER, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby designate and set apart the day of Friday, December 4, 1931, as Arbor Day, and I do commend to the people of this commonwealth, individually and in association, the planting of trees in suitable places and the further observance of Arbor Day through participation in exercises designed to increase the interest of both young and old in the advancement of tree growth within the state.

The State Commission of Forestry has prepared suggestions for an Arbor Day program in pamphlet form, copies of which may be obtained by writing to the State Forester, 500 Dexter Avenue, Montgomery, Alabama.

County Agent Stapp To Stage County-Wide Rat Control Campaign

Early in December, Mr. Roy Moore, of the United States Department of Agriculture, wil lbe in the County to help Mr. Stapp and the Vocational Teachers conduct a county-wide rat control campaign. The plan is to mix poisoned bait at one central point and on a specified date distribute it at the following points: Clanton, Thorsby, Jemison, Cooper, Verbena, Isabella High School, Maplesville, Stanton Mr. Moore advises that fifty cents worth of poisoned bait will be enough for the average farm. Farmers interested in the campaign are requested to get in touch with Mr. Stapp this week and make a deposit for their bait and give instructions as to their most convenient place to get it on the specified date.

Mr. Stapp states that the Jemison Town Council has already agreed to cooperate in the campaign, and that he hopes all of the town councils will do likewise as rats destroy annually thousands of dollars worth of produce in the towns as well as in the country.

The School Teacher's Twenty-Third Psalm

Coosa County has one of the most loyal group of school teachers in its history. How many of us could always wear a smile and put our best into our work when we weren't getting our pay check? That's exactly what the teachers of Coosa County are doing and they are certainly to be commended for their splendid work, but we fear that even though they do always wear a smile that deep down in their hearts they have the same feeling as a long suffering school teacher in the rural schools of Jones County, Miss., did, when he had gone two and a half months without pay. He wrote the following parody on the Twenty-Third Psalm:

"School teaching is my occupation: I am in want.

"It maketh me to lie down without supper: it leadeth me beside empty tables.

"It increaseth my debts: it leadeth me from the paths of society for the lack of clothes.

"Yea, although I walk through life barefooted. I will fear no evil for maybe my friends will feed me.

"Thou prepareth a reduction in my salary before me in the presence of my creditors: thou faileth to anoint my head with a hat; my expenses runneth over.

"And if I do not get a pay day, misery and poverty will follow me all the days of my life and I will live on credit forever."

Guess who the policeman is in "Oh, Professor."

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"In France the political caldron seethes and bubbles with uncertainty; Russia hangs, as usual, like a cloud, dark and silent, upon the horizon of Europe; while all the energies, resources and influences of the British Empire are sorely tried, and are yet to be tried more sorely, in coping with the vast and deadly Indian insurrection, and with its disturbed relations in China.

"It is a solemn moment, and no man can feel an indifference (which, happily, no man pretends to feel) in the issue of events.

"Of our own troubles no man can see the end. They are fortunately, as yet, mainly commercial; and if we are only to lose money, and by painful poverty to be taught wisdom—the wisdom of honor, of faith, of sympathy and of charity—no man need seriously to despair. And yet the very haste to be rich, which is the occasion of this widespread calamity, has also tended to destroy the moral forces with which we are to resist and subdue the calamity."

The paragraphs quoted above were not written yesterday, although they are very much the same sort of thing that many people are saying today. They were printed in Harper's Weekly on October 10, 1857, seventy-four years ago.

If in these seventy-four years there had been no change we would have good ground for pessimism now. But everybody knows that during most of that time this country has experienced good times steadily getting better.

What happened before will happen again. From all that we can see and hear we believe that the worst of the present situation is over and that conditions are on the mend. And we are certain that the pessimists who are still frightened out of their wits have no more basis for their gloom than did our grandfathers in 1857.

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War On Hunters Who Kill

As one reads of the deaths of those mistaken "for deer," and other game, the decimation of animals is of less importance than the safety of individuals. It has almost come to the place where the question is whether the hunter or the hunted will be killed

Seth Gordon, President of the American Game Association, is outspoken in declaring that most hunting accidents are not accidents at all, saying: "Any man who takes a loaded gun, usually upon someone else's land, and handles it so carelessly that he kills or injures another person, should certainly be held criminally liable." He insists that the first duty of the hunter "is to observe the rules of caution in handling a gun and to fail in this is criminal negligence of the most inexcusable sort." He thinks that sportsmen themselves would do well to press charges against hunters whose accidental shootings are the results of carelessness.

In several states penalties are provided for such carelessness by refusing for a specific number of years to license hunters who have been convicted of careless shooting. Along the same line is the [illegible] of George B. Slobie, commissioner of Inland Fisheries and Game Department of Maine, who declares he will revoke for life the licenses of hunters who have shot other gunners and he will do it without waiting for convictions.

Hunting fatalities, like those caused by the automobile, seem to be taken for granted by the general public and are practically always explained by the all-encompassing "unavoidable" accident. It is about time for the authorities in Alabama, as well as in other places, to do something more than render perfunctory verdicts in the cases of deaths such as these.

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"Quit cussing the newspapers," says The Enterprise Ledger. "You're not half as careful about what you say as they are."

Which is all too true. If the average newspaper printed a tiny fraction of the gossip floating around in its community, it would be sued immediately out of existence.

Newspapers are responsible. They have to be. And realizing the responsibility, newspaper men make sincere and eternal efforts to get facts before writing every story, from the smallest item to the biggest.

If individuals exercised the same vigilance in seeking the truth before they ventured a statement, it would be a much lovelier world in which to live.—Dothan Eagle.

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Well, one thing about fall, which is good—there are no spring poets.

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Few are the people who are as important as they take themselves to be.

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Maybe, when the football season ends the people will go back to work.

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What this country needs, since the five-cent cigar arrived, is the five cents.

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

Why not make it a point today to speak a few words of admiration to somebody in your acquaintance for whom you feel a real admiration?

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There is going to be a lot of printer's ink wasted between now and next November trying to tell the dear people what's wrong with the world. Most of it will probably be "vote-bait."

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I notice that many papers are quoting Henry Ford on his statement, "Money is like an arm or leg—use it or lose it." Can't say that I agree with Henry because I've used all the money I had and apparently have lost it at the same time.

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Now comes the hint that war is approaching round in different places of the world. Some wise fellow said not long ago, "The best instrument for peace would be a union of all nations with an international army as the executive power."

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Heard that the volunteer firemen wanted some constructive criticism. I haven't got any of that right now, but will say that I noticed some seemingly unnecessary delay in getting water to the burning house last Friday morning in the Gowan Addition.

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Been wondering what our Mayor is going to do after January 1. Saw in the paper where he was selling out his large wholesale grocery business. Looks like he would give some newspaper reporter a slant on his intentions, or something.

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Speaking of fires—one can usually tell who has gone to bed and who hasn't, if they attend the local entertainments in the form of midnight fires or those occuring after midnight. Think I'll draw a dead-line at midnight for the people of Clanton. Anyone attending a fire after midnight and fully clothed (as if they had been somewheres) will be censored, or something.

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This business woman's organization, the Pilot Club of Clanton has been causing a lot of questions to be asked about those signs all over town about "Oh, Professor." I'll bet there have been a hundred people asking me what that meant. What does it mean? Who is the Professor, and who is telling him "Oh, Professor"? Sounds funny to me. I'll have to read the papers this week to see what it is all about, maybe.

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Read in the papers where some learned man of a certain college says that an ugly face can be covered with personality. He meant by that that one who does not have a good looking face could overcome that trouble by developing a wonderful personality whereby members of the opposite sex would be some infatuated by the personality, the physical defects would be overlooked. But he didn't say for how long.

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Max von Oppenheim once said, "Americans and Arabs are the most courteous people in the world." Now all you Americans should make your best bow. Americans are courteous to strangers that is true, but once the majority of Americans become familiar, then a certain amount of courtesy is lacking. Don't know about the Arabs, but that word brings to my mind a letter once addressed to me in which was contained an Arab statement. Do you remember it?

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Heard that a fellow got sore at this paper the other day because nothing was said about his place of business going to be closed on Thanksgiving. I've been wondering how he expected the ed to know he would close when he didn't tell about it. That is the way with a lot of folks. They want to cuss the newspapers because they didn't have a story about something the person was interested in. How do newspapers know anything except when they are told?

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Newspapers are a darn sight more careful about what they say in print than persons are. They have to be.

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Am glad to see that the firemen are going to have a football game to raise funds with which to purchase rain coats and hats. It has just occurred to me that it takes two teams to have a football game. Understand that the firemen are going to have some real fighting to do to win this game Friday afternoon, and on the other hand there are some former high school football stars on the firemen's team. Let's all go down to the high school Friday afternoon and see this game.

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Then here is the Senior Class of the high school putting on a play, "That's One On Bill." This comes off Friday night of this week.

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The Pilot Club women of Clanton are going to pull another "big 'un" right away, so they say. Listening to talk over the fence and telephone, I have just about decided that it is going to be a big one all right. Their play "Oh, Professor" will be staged within the next few weeks. I understand that the young lady coach who is here to help has arrived and is ready to put the ladies and men through their nightly dozen.

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Well, Jane Anne, have you decided to let me have the last word? Seems that way. I understand that you took a slap at me the other night in the Coal Bin, and my friend The Kid reprimanded you for it. Serves you right.

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Let us hope that those who are cutting prices on work, material, etc., will soon realize their mistake before it is too late. I get wind of some real price cutting going on in Clanton and apparently it is being done just to get the sale, because I can't see for the like of me how any profit is to be realized by cutting prices to the bone.

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The buying public will soon learn where they can secure value received for their money, and that by buying an inferior article at a low price, they are much worse off than by buying a better article at a slightly higher price.

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Hear that the Thanksgiving program given at the Kiwanis Club meeting Wednesday of last week was a most enjoyable one. Samuel J. Ezell had charge of the program and with the assistance of Dan W. Haskew, another preacher, they certainly made those fellows do a little thinking, so I hear.

BANKERS DEVELOP NEW FINANCE AID

President of American Bankers Association Describes Plan and Services of National Credit Corporation

NEW YORK.—The National Credit Corporation, a billion dollar cooperative institution, is the method worked out by bankers to put into practical effect the central point in President Hoover's plan for renewing the commercial and industrial activity of the nation as proposed in his statement to the nation of October 7, Harry J. Haas, president of the American Bankers Association stated in a recent interview.

The corporation is strictly cooperative in character, he said, to unite the entire banking system and increase the effectiveness of the financial services of banks to their communities in rural districts as well as the cities. The plan will marshal the banking resources of the country, he explained, by creating a national institution whose funds will be loaned when necessary to banks which have assets in their portfolios that are thoroughly sound but are not eligible for loans at federal reserve banks.

To Benefit Everybody

"There is no citizen in the United States but will benefit in very practical ways from the results of the operation of this forward-looking plan of cooperation, which may be regarded as one of the most constructive steps that have been taken toward revival of sound business activity," Mr. Haas declared, adding:

"The National Credit Corporation represents an instrumentality that should have far-reaching effect in restoring the confidence of the public. The plan not only has been formulated by the country's leading banking authorities, but also will be carried out locally as well as nationally by banking representatives who have given their time and thought to this undertaking as a real public service.

"The American Bankers Association convention was in session at the time the plan was proposed and unanimously endorsed it in principle. I have examined the detailed formulation of the working plans as developed by the incessant labors of some of the Nation's leading bankers who have undertaken to put it into practical operation in single-minded devotion to the national welfare, and I am able to say without reservation that the National Credit Corporation as set up by them constitutes a practical, sound and efficient means for carrying out President Hoover's proposal."

HARD TIMES RENEW BANKER'S OPTIMISM

Former Bankers' Chief Finds Much in Past Year to Inspire Confidence in Financial Reliability

ROME C. STEPHENSON, retiring president of the American Bankers Association, declared in an address on the expiration of his term of office that, in travelling about among the banks from one end of the country to the other during the past year, he had "come out of it with a renewed faith in the strength of our banking structure and our banking situation, and a renewed faith particularly in the spirit and courage of the men in the banks that have enabled them to rise unconquered over difficulties such as men never had to face before, or to accept with fortitude misfortunes that were beyond human power to prevent."

When he reflected, he said, that the "entire human economic structure has been brought to the verge of ruin under the difficulties that have swept over not only the nation but the entire world, and that the results of events of this kind react with particular directness upon the stability of our banks, and yet how few have succumbed, we may well renew our confidence in the banks of America; when we think also of how many of our bankers have stood up under the stress and storms of these times and how relatively few of them have been proved wanting in the series of crises that have assailed them, we may well feel a sincere pride in our fellow bankers." He added:

"So I come out of this year of somber experiences not as a pessimist, but as an optimist—as one with a renewed faith and confidence in the spirit of his fellow men under overwhelming difficulties. And particularly do I come out of this year as a banker who is proud of his fellow bankers for the undaunted way in which they have met their part of the great test through which the times have put the nation. I believe that this year has brought new honor to our banking traditions and our banking profession and has won for the banker new title to the faith and trust of all classes of his fellow citizens."

Wise Spending

Careful and wise spending will help solve our economic problems and will be of untold benefit to the farmer. Our troubles are not caused by the spending of money, but because it was spent unwisely.

LOCAL TELEPHONE CENTRAL BEING MOVED TO NEW PLACE

Mr. A. L. Giles is being engaged this week in the moving of the lines preparatory to moving the central office of the Peoples Telephone Company into the John Giles home on the east end of Third Avenue North. When all of the lines are put in their new position, the switchboard will be disconnected and moved. This will take about a day, during which time no central service can be given. It is expected that this work will be done one day next week.

A large new lead covered cable will be installed between First Street and the Giles home, which will greatly help the connection between the switchboard and the mail lines.

Now just a word to the phoneholders: It takes money to do this work, notwithstanding the fact that the Board of Directors are getting every bit of the value possible out of each cent spent. And comparatively few have as yet paid their central fees. Mr. Giles is working this year at a salary that is just as low as anyone could expect him to work. But he is going to run the office and give the best service that he possibly can with the equipment at hand. Not one cent of the money is going to be wasted—you may rest assured of that.

possible now is the time for all good m

So, all phoneholders are urged to pay up your fees just as hastily as possible. The business can't run without some money, and it is hoped that you will come on and help us out by paying your fees.—Jesse Baker, President; T. E. Wyatt, Secretary-Treasurer.

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NATIONAL FARM MEET DRAWS ALABAMIANS

Montgomery, Ala., Nov. 25.—Many Alabamians are expected to attend the annual meeting of the American Farm Bureau Federation in Chicago, December 7 to 9, says E. L. Deal, executive secretary of the Alabama Farm Bureau Federation, who will be this State's official delegate.

Of chief interest to the Alabama farmers attending will be the election of officers, since Edward A. O'Neal, for eight years president of the Alabama organization and now president of the American organization, will be up for re-election. Arrangements have been made for Alabamians who attend to purchase reduced fare tickets, upon presentation of identification certificates which can be had from Alabama headquarters here.

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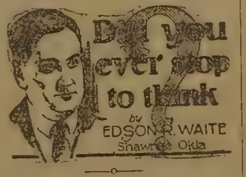

During protracted periods of trade depression the virtue of economy is acutely realized, though it is not always wisely practiced.

Forced by circumstances to curtail expenses, many firms immediately commence drastic pruning work on the amount set aside for advertising. In some cases they cut it out altogether.

The unwisdom of this step is quickly realized when trade brightens up again.

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Mrs. Gnasty—And all you need in yours is an organ.

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Dr. Cutter—So you had to operate on this patient in a hurry?

Dr. Slicer—Yes, we didn't have time to even look up his financial rating.

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Platitude Al—Human nature is a strange thing. Now, the things that interest me may not interest you at all.

Daley Reeder—Quite true, but there are compensations. It interests me to observe the things you are interested in that do not interest me.

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Judge—The traffic officer says you got sarcastic with him?

Mr. Nagger—But I didn't intend to be. He talked to me like my wife does and I forgot myself and answered, 'Yes, my dear!' "

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Plenty of comedy in "That's One on Bill" at the High School Friday night. Don't miss it!

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Come and see the "queen of the movies" Patricia Pansy LaGloria, play high and fast with male hearts in the Senior Class play.

Non-Jury Term of Circuit Court for Chilton County

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man, appeal from Justice Court of B. L. Cobb. J. M. Johnson vs. E. E. Plier and J. M. Wells, appeal from Justice Court of Beat 4. W. J. Bice vs. J. J. Johnson, appeal from Justice Court of T. W. Bryan. D. K. Martin vs. T. J. Dorminey, garnishment on judgment.

Continental Gin Co., vs. J. M. Glasscock, detinue. R. T. Grant vs. R. F. Watt and Leila Watt, detinue. The Cadick Milling Co., vs. M. V. Smith, account. Memphis Coffin Co., vs. J. Mell Martin, note. Rose Reese vs. Mc D. Messer, damage.

Criminal Docket

The following cases are on the criminal docket for trial Tuesday, December 8:

C. C. Simmons, petit larceny. Joe Bike, violating prohibition law. Joe Farmer, driving motor vehicle while intoxicated. Bennie Connell, grand larceny. Willie Pilgreen, false check. C. A. Price, reckless driving. Renza Mims, violating prohibition law. Homer Ratliff, disturbing public assembly. Tom Davis, violating prohibition law. George Huett, violating prohibition law. Joe Tom Middlebrooks, violating prohibition law. Tearse Killingsworth, abusive language. Ervin Wilson, violating prohibition law. Merle Deats, abusive language. Tip Roper, violating prohibition law. G. W. Cobern, maintaining insanitary privy. General Harrison, carrying concealed pistol.

Reuben Willis, violating prohibition law. John Ratliff, selling mortgaged property. Arnold Littleton, violating prohibition law. Rufus Bearden, violating prohibition law. Sug Bryant, driving car without license tag. John Mims, abusive language. Gordon Hudson, violating prohibition law. C. E. Faulkner, violating prohibition law. Homer D. Denson, abusive language. Roberta Henson, assault and battery. Dewey Powell, violating prohibition law. Buster Roebuck, abusive language. Otto Roebuck, abusive language. Arthur Gibson, bad check. Albert Tillery, assault and battery. Lum Gill, violating prohibition law. Jack Tyus, violating prohibition law. Charley Henry, driving while intoxicated. John Henry, violating prohibition law. Dewey Lucas, violating prohibition law. Quinton W. Branton, violating prohibition law.

Tom Hughes, violating prohibition law. Brack Pearson, violating prohibition law. Retherford Varner, violating prohibition law. James Chisholm, violating prohibition law. Annie Chisholm, violating prohibition law. Arland Dooley, assault and battery. Curtis Giles, violating prohibition law. S. D. McCary, violating prohibition law. Jim Varner, violating prohibition law. Wallace Jackson, assault and battery. Powell Sullivan, violating prohibition law. Ernest Baker, violating prohibition law. Horace Mims, driving motor vehicle without license tag. Carl Sammons, disturbing religious worship. William White, petit larceny. Buster Roebuck, assault and battery. John Lee Jackson, abusive language. William Love, violating prohibition law. Welch Darby, petit larceny. Tom Boyd, assault and battery. Arch Robinson, fraudulent check. L. B. Stone, driving car while intoxicated.

Enoch Glass, assault and battery. Radford Varner, defaulting bond. Carmon P. Rachels, violating prohibition law. Dewey Splawn, making whiskey. Glenn Woolley, petit larceny. Napoleon Stone, owning automobile without license. Isaiah White, defaulting bond. Joe Farmer, defaulting bond. Buck Hannon, petit larceny. Tom Lucas, violating prohibition law. Henry Underwood, selling mortgaged property. Madison Davis, violating prohibition law. Tom Lowery, assault and battery. John Henry, defaulting bond.

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Mrs. Hubert Deering and daughter of Birmingham spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ensley Culpepper and daughter, Marjorie, were recent visitors to Tuscaloosa.

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William Hester spent Thanksgiving holidays in Clanton with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hetser.

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"That's One on Bill," Senior Class play at C. C. H. S. Friday, December 4th at 7:30 P. M.

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Dave Davis	Julian Evans
Professor Bangs	Alec Callen
Chink	Samuel Martin
Wilhelmina Davis	Mrs. W. E. Huddleston
Helen Bainbridge	Mary Ellis
Mrs. Bumboard	Mrs. Hance Alred
Avanellie	Jane Pitts
Policeman	

PIANIST: Miss Nell Wells

SYNOPSIS

ACT I—Living Room of a Boy's Dormitory, Clinton College. Five o'clock in the afternoon.
ACT II—Same. Nine o'clock that evening.
ACT III—Same. Two hours later.

CHORUSES:

CHORUS OF 8 GIRLS

Evelyn Maddox
Imogene Simms
Clyde Jones
Jeanette Sumner
Hilda Hart
Ovalee McCutcheon
Pauline Plyler
Elizabeth McSwain

CHORUS OF 6 GIRLS

Grace Plyler
Dollie Belle Harris
Nell Neighbors
Helen Roberts
Rozelle Gentry
Elizabeth Gragg

CHORUS OF BOYS

John Ezell
Joe Moore
Dan Smith
Cecil Jones
Dewey Williams
Morgan Reynolds

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Around the corner from Upchurch—Next to Hill's

Letters To The Editor

Jemison, Ala., Nov. 27, 1931.

Editor, Chilton County News:

Discussion of various kinds seem to be in order, so I decided to try and let off some of the surplus gas that has been accumulating on my system for some time.

Everywhere you go these days the great cry is, "Fight for this, fight for that." Almost every organization, sect and creed seems to want to be militant. A great many individuals are prone to go among their fellows with a chip on their shoulder and their bristles standing straight up. Why should we have so much strife amongst us just at this time when we need the united effort of every right seeing and right doing person to bring us through the doubts and uncertainties of the times and help us to obtain again the progress and prosperity that speed and thoughtlessness and extravagance have lost for us?

I know that a purpose or an ideal that has not enough nerve to support itself will not amount to very much. It is a great quality to have noble purposes in view and nerve and ability to defend them, but don't forget that your fighting should be in defense of your own good purposes and not offensive campaigns calculated to tear down the good purposes of others.

No institution, public or private, which has been built on others that have been wrongfully torn down can endure. No individual that has risen to fame or fortune by trampling his fellows that he has humbled in his own selfish rise can expect to enjoy continuously the emoluments thus wrongfully gained.

Let us realize that all the noble characters this country has produced were greatest in times of peace. That they were noblest when they went forth, not with a great cry of battle or thirst for turmoil and blood, but calmly to attain if possible, the purpose in view through justice and right.

All the lasting steps of civilization have been attained in times of peace and good will. Don't forget that the word peace applies more closely to individuals than to nations. Where there is enduring peace among individuals there cannot be devastating wars between nations.

Let us get acquainted with our neighbor. Let us talk and think over our weighty problems together. President McKinley said in his last great public address, "Let us realize our interests are in concord, not conflict. Come, let us reason together," then in our multitude of councils maybe some one of our own kind will be able to light a candle that will dissipate the darkness and show us the naked truth, so that we may in all faith know and do our duties. Then we can climb out of the pit without pulling others down to climb upon. Then we, as we climb upward can slap our fellows joyously on the back and wish them God speed.

If you want your tax burdens lightened quit voting for political **ticks** and vote for honest men of your own kind that have always earned their bread by the sweat of their brows and know the crying needs of their own kind.

Respectfully,

HOWARD ROPER.

Editor, Chilton County News:

My letter would be too long to tell you of all the earthly promises that God made to His chosen people, Israel. And of the many blessings they received, and how God fed them on manna, and quails and God caused their shoes and clothes to last, and of the evils that came to them when they disobeyed God, and of them working six years and resting the seventh year, and every fifty years to be a Jubilee Year. (Lev. 25th chapter) and in (Col. 2:17) we see that the Sabbath was a shadow of things to come and of the law being a shadow of good things to come (Heb. 10:1) and of their last King who was taken to prison and his eyes put out which was 1207 years after Jacob's death.

The birth of Jesus was 606 years later. When Jesus was 32 years old he rode into Jerusalem and offered to be their king. They rejected him and later they crucified him. So by their unbelief the Gentiles were grafted in, which is explained in the 11 chapter of Romans. Through their fall salvation did come unto the Gentiles (11 verse).

Abraham looked in four directions and God said all the land thou seest I will give thee and thy seed forever. (Gen. 13:14:15).

Therefore, knowing that Jesus gave himself a ransom for all, (a corresponding price, for all) and that God is the Saviour of all men, and a special Saviour to them that believe (Tim. 4:10) and that the Great Salvation was first spoken of by our Lord (Heb. 2:3). Jude 3 speaks of the common salvation and to contend earnestly for the faith once delivered to the saints. We see in (Acts 17:31) that God hath appointed a day in the which he will judge the world in righteousness, by that man whom he hath ordained. I fail to see where the church, the true followers of Christ, will be in the judgment of the world, for they must make their calling an election sure, and lay aside every weight of sin. They are also to suffer in order to reign with Christ (2 Pet. 1:10 Heb. 12:1 Sec. Tim. 2:12). They must do the Lord's will in order to keep a living faith and press toward the mark of the prize of high calling, and be a partaker of the divine nature (2 Pet. 1:4). All such will be in the first resurrection (Rev. 20:6) and be like Christ is now, a spirit being (and will reign with him.)

Do ye not know that the saints shall judge the world. Know ye not that we shall judge angels (I Cor. 6:2-3). There is a great company that will wash their robes and many that were faithful B. C. will be princes in the earth for a time and all the obedient ones of mankind will gain life as Adam had before he sinned. Perfect human beings for God will make a new covenant with Israel (Jer. 31:31 32) and Paul says in Rom. 11:26-27, and so all Israel shall be saved as it written. There shall come out of Sion the deliverer and turn away ungodliness from Jacob. For this is my covenant unto them when I take away their sins.

After all the wilfully wicked and the Devil is destroyed (Heb: 2:14) all the earth will be filled with the glory of the Lord (Num. 14:21) for to this end Christ both died and rose and revived, that he might be Lord, both of the dead and living. Christ will be the life-giver and the church the mother.

J. C. EDWARDS,

P. S.—We are near the Great anti-typical Jubilee.

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News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Soberg spent Thursday in Birmingham with their daughter, Mrs. Walter Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson and daughter, Edith, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard Sunday.

Mr. Clinton Arthur, Brown Russell, and Catherine Stallings of Montgomery motored to Thorsby Saturday night.

The Congregational Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Nels Petersen Thursday.

Mrs. Ottis Miller and Mrs. V. E. Wyatt were guests of Mrs. H. H. Hayes of Jemison.

The Telephone Exchange, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Blood, will be moved next Saturday night to the green bungalow, formerly occupied by Edward Howard and family.

Mr. T. C. Sims who has been working in Louisiana has returned to Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Smith and family of Birmingham visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Leary Sunday.

Mrs. W. F. Blood spent Friday and Saturday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bosworth and family were the guests of Mr. Bosworth's brother in Birmingham Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. Henry Robinson arrived in Thorsby Tuesday to spend a few days.

Mrs. T. W. Robinson spent Monday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Peterson and two daughters, Dorothy and Norma, and Mrs. J. F. Peterson of Fairfield and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Reagan spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Foss and family.

Mr. Hugh Primm spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Raybon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Raybon, Mr. Roy Raybon and Mrs. J. M. Primm spent Wednesday visiting near Calera and in Wilton, Alabama.

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Raybon and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Raybon, visited the Poor House.

Miss Edna Raybon spent Sunday with Miss Mable Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Thomason spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. C. M. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Merchant spent Thursday with her father, Mr. Tom Kemp, of Clanton.

W. M. S. observed the week of prayer this week. They met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Sam Pate, Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. R. R. Franklin and Wednesday afternoon at the church.

On December 12, beginning at noon, the W. M. S. of the Thorsby Baptist church will have a parcel post sale for the benefit of the church. Each package will be twenty-five cents and a ten cent lunch will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Willis with Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Davenport spent Sunday in Haynes, Alabama, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Davenport and Mrs. Ben Davenport spent Thursday in Selma with relatives.

Dr. A. J. Lawley of Birmingham visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Leary Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clements of Birmingham spent Thursday in Thorsby with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton.

Mr. C. C. Horton spent Monday in Clanton.

Miss Marguerite Davidson left Monday night for Boston, Mass., to spend Christmas with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lawrence of Randolph spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Piper.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Harper were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Piper Thanksgiving.

Mr. Herbert Lowery has returned from Ft. Worth, Texas, and is staying with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Williams and children motored to Jordan Dam Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kendrick visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kendrick, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Pate and daughter, Conradine, and Miss Jennie May Thoroman spent Saturday in Birmingham shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bean and little daughter spent the week end in Thorsby with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mims.

Mr. Nels Petersen spent Sunday in Montgomery.

The Ex-Service men of Thorsby and vicinity met at the City Hall Tuesday night for the purpose of organizing a local post of the American Legion.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moore and children, John Richard and Geanne, Mrs. F. W. Love of Birmingham, and Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Laurell were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. Laurell.

Mr. N. Laurell spent Thanksgiving in Thorsby with his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Douglas stopped in Thorsby last Thursday to see Mrs. N. Laurell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parrish and Aaron and Luther Vines spent Thursday with Mr. J. L. Vines and Clara.

Miss Cuba Littleton and Pauline Latimer who are attending Jacksonville State Teachers College, spent the week end with Cuba's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Littleton, of Collins Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fox and Broadus Connatser of Clanton were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Connatser and family Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Connatser and Bob Connatser visited relatives in Maplesville, Ala., Sunday afternoon.

Miss Anna Fae Price, a boarding student at Thorsby Institute, spent Thanksgiving in Birmingham with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Timberlake of Columbus, Ohio, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard on their return from Florida and on their way to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard and family had supper with, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goddard Wednesday night.

The Eastern Star Spend-the-Day was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peterson Wednesday.

Mr. Trotter Jones of Montgomery state adjutant of the American Legion, was in Thorsby last week in the interest of the legion.

The Congregational Ladies Aid will serve a chicken supper at the home of Mrs. Gerald Friday night. Twenty-five cents a plate. Everyone is invited to come.

Mr. C. L. Lawrence of Randolph has purchased Leonard Hayes' home near Long Bridge.

Somewhere in Holy Writ there is asked, "If a man asks you for bread, will ye give him a stone?" An incident occurring on Thanksgiving Day makes us wonder if a certain citizen did not paraphrase this quotation in this manner, "If a man (or hobo) ask for bread will ye give him a pair of old pants?"

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Thorsby Institute News

Saturday night, December 12, at 7:30, a musical program and Christmas play will be given at the Institute. Everyone is invited. Admission ten cents.

Miss Margueritte Davison took with her to a meeting of Congregational churches Sunday at Mt. Creek church one of the Institute teachers. Miss McKee, and two of the students, Gerald and Carrie Smith. All spoke at the meeting.

A large audience enjoyed the stunts given by the four classes of Thorsby Institute Saturday night. The decision was rendered by popular vote of the audience, not including teachers and students at the Institute. The Freshmen won first place with their Toy Shop and a dramatization of the story of John Smith and Pocahontas. Miss Klingelhoefer was in charge. The Juniors won second place with a group of six stunts. The last was a group of tumbling exercises by the Junior boys. These tumbling exercises were very good and appreciated by the audience. Mr. King was in charge. The Seniors gave an interesting dramatization, "The Truth About the Sleeping Beauty," and a comical representation of the story of William Tell. A special feature of the Senior Class stunt was the dance of the Mascots between the two main acts. The Sophomores gave an old fashioned spelling bee. The costumes were very good and added much to the stunt. Teachers in the audience had opportunity to secure some fine points in discipline and school administration from Charles Croker, the professor. Mr. Maddox was in charge.

The stunts were all very good. Stunt night is an annual affair and is one of the most enjoyable programs of the year.

On Thanksgiving Day the dormitory students and teachers and Mr. and Mrs. Norton, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Butler, Miss Marguerite Davison, Rev. Frank E. Jenkins and Mrs. Jenkins, and Miss Hardy from Wadley, Ala., enjoyed a bounteous turkey dinner at the Dining Hall. The Dining Hall was prettily decorated with vines and chrysanthemums. The place cards were autumn leaves. After the dinner a trip was made to the Poor Farm where songs were sung and Rev. Jos. E. Each gave a short talk. On the way home supper was eaten around a bon-fire at Mr. Butler's.

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Humorettes

Teacher—Unselfishness is voluntarily doing without things we need. Give a living example.

Jimmie—Pa. He goes without a bath when he needs it.

MacSponger — Come here, Billie! Don't you know who I am?

Billie—Yes, I've heard daddy speak of you often. You're mother's cousin who stayed here two months one time and never offered to pay a cent for board.

Umptediddy—The gunman ordered me to get on my knees and pray before he killed me.

Pastor—So you were saved by prayer, my son?

Umptediddy—Yes, Reverend. I said the long one you make on Sunday mornings, and he fell asleep.

Guide—Why didn't you shoot at that tiger?

Timid Soul—Er-er, he didn't have the right kind of expression on his face for a rug.

Her—You used to say that you were unworthy of me.

Him—Well, what if I did?

Her—Nothing. Only you seem to be spending your married life trying to prove it.

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The Choruses in "Oh, Professor" are fine and splendidly trained.

Inferior Canned Goods Destroyed

During the last thirty days, the Division of Agricultural Chemistry, Department of Agriculture, withheld from sale 31,000 cans of canned food products and condemned 7,000 cans had had same destroyed, reports Dr. Geo. H. Marsh, chief to Seth P. Storrs, Commissioner.

The canned goods withheld from sale and those destroyed consisted of 98 different kinds of food products. These were found to be of inferior quality and fell short of the state law.

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Serial: Finger Prints --- All Talking

MONDAY — DECEMBER 7TH
Mae Clark, James Hall, Marie Prevost In
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Comedy --- All Talking

TUESDAY — DECEMBER 8TH
Play, "OH, PROFESSOR"
Given By Pilot Club (The Club Gets All Proceeds)

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY — DEC. 9 and 10
"LOVE COMES BACK"
And One-Reel Good Comedy

owena Rides the Rumble

By Ethel Hueston

SECOND INSTALLMENT

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ckruff Motors hire Rowena to acany Peter on a nation-wide tour eir roadster as an advertising stunt. he last minute Little Bobby is end to act as chaperon. They are for Bobby to show up to make tart.

ter himself showed up to good adage.

om ten until eleven o'clock the ographers snapped and the reporttook notes. First Rowena sat at wheel then Peter, then the two toer, each bravely trying to conceal worm of fear that gnawed at the of his being—fear that the chaphad changed her mind and would come. Eleven o'clock—eleven thir-The reporters were getting restive. Rack had his watch in his hand and Ruff was talking business off at side of the room.

taxicab pulled up at the side ence and a little brown mouse of a slipped out and crept timidly in ugh the rear door and sidled up to cashier's cage. She had to stand iptoe to be seen from within.

Where will I find Miss Rostand?" asked and her voice was a rippling whisper.

What name, please? Are you from of the papers?" asked the cashier kly.

No I'm Miss Lowell—Roberta Lo- I—I am the chaperon for the or tour," explained the little brown se with a roll of brown eyes and a lay of deep dimples.

Oh, Mr. Rack," called the cashier, re's the chaperon."

The little brown mouse looked ready to sink into the floor in shy confusion as the tide of photographers, reporters, automobile executives, and salesmen—and Rowena and Peter, you may be sure—surged swiftly toward her.

"The chaperon!" ejaculated Mr. Rack.

"The chaperon?" echoed Mr. Ruff.

She had told Rowena she was twenty-three years old, but standing timidly as she did at barely five feet two, with little brown curls framing her dimpled face, she did not at first glance bear testimony to such weight of years. Her small hands fluttered nervously with gloves and chain. Her big brown eyes gazed out, appalled and appealing, at the crowd that surged her way.

"Are—are you Roberta Lowell," gasped Rowena.

"No wonder they call you Bobby." said Peter.

Rowena rallied first. "Never mind, never mind!" she announced with a quick assumption of severity. "This is Bobby, and I'm the chaperon."

A few minutes later, the Rackruff roadster swept into Broadway and turned south, and the cheers of the assembled witnesses rattled the plate-glass windows of the show-rooms.

"You were right, Peter," confessed Rowena kindly, when they slowed for the first traffic light. "We should certainly have looked her over."

They were rolling steadily along the Jersey side of the river when Rowena and Peter had their first argument. Rowena considered the ideal plan for them to tear along at a high rate of speed, stopping for nothing until they reached the Rocky Mountains.

And Peter didn't agree with her. Peter's idea was to drive along at a fair speed. He said that if they tore furiously along over roads, good and bad, through boiling heat and chilling rain, they would reach a point of interest, tired, cross and worn out, hence unable to turn out the high-class work that Rackruff had a right to expect of them.

Rowena said that for her part she always worked best under pressure, that something in her responded strongly to hard driving, and that she enjoyed working when she was breathless, almost panting with haste. Peter, in that annoyingly gentle, almost disinterestedly lazy voice of his, said he didn't; said he couldn't work at all unless he had a breathful of fresh air in his lungs and quiet comfort in his heart.

"And of course," said Rowena cuttingly, "we will do it your way. Naturally you think good pictures are the most important part of the whole business."

"Of course," said Peter simply.

Rowena was speechless with rage. She was glad she had always hated artists anyhow, it made hating Peter now so much more natural. He was telling himself that he was very glad Rowena was pretty. It would be pleasant painting her. He didn't care in the least about her disposition. This was a business trip.

It just goes to show the sort that Peter was that he never even suspected that Rowena was furious.

A sudden gulping sob close at hand startled him from his comfortable revery. He looked sharply at Rowena, who sat rigidly erect and stony-faced beside him, blue eyes glittering ice cold.

"Are—are you crying?" he asked doubtfully.

"Me?—Most certainly not! I hope you don't think for a minute you could make me cry!" ejaculated Rowena.

Peter listened. It came again, low and unmistakable, the gulping sob of a weeping woman. They looked back over their shoulders. The little brown chaperon was slumped deep in the rumble seat, her head bowed low, small shoulders rising and falling with great sobs. Peter pulled to the side of the road and stopped the car, and both he and Rowena leaned back through the window.

"Why, what's the matter, darling?" asked Rowena solicitously. "Don't you feel well?"

The small brown head shook vigorously from side to side.

"I—I'm lonesome," confessed a sad small voice. "C-Carter—didn't come to see me off."

"C-Carter?" asked Rowena and Peter in chorus.

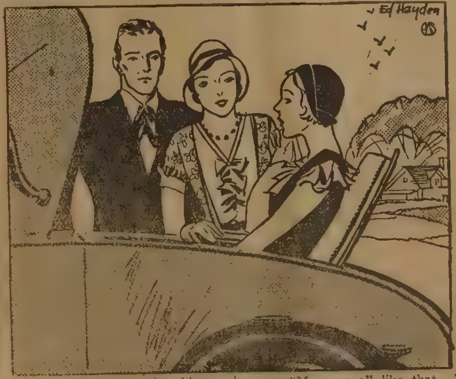
"We're engaged. I thought surely he would come to see me off, and he didn't. I wish I hadn't come. I feel very badly. Maybe I had better go back."

Stricken each with sudden fear that the chaperon might fail them—and they no farther west than the Hudson River—Rowena and Peter got hurriedly out and ran back to her, standing on either side while Rowena tenderly wiped the tear-stained face with a wisp of handkerchief and Peter patted both small brown hands with great vigor.

"I wrote him a very formal note," Bobby went on, "and said good-by, and told him he wouldn't need to bother taking me out places any more and sending me presents and flowers, for I was going on a long motor trip with some dear friends and would be gone a long time, and was starting on Monday morning at ten o'clock from the Rackruff salesroom on Broadway, and of course I thought he would be there to see me off, and he wasn't."

Grief quite overcame her; and she would have slip clear off the rumble seat into the bottom of the car if Peter hadn't caught her firmly and drawn her back.

"Don't you care, darling," said Rowena. "Men are all like that. They aren't worth crying about."



"You mustn't feel like that," said Peter gently. "He was probably so ashamed he couldn't bear to face you. That's the way I am. The more ashamed I feel the more—the more——"

"The more away you stay, I suppose, said Rowena coldly.

"Exactly," assented Peter.

"But he knows how dangerous motor trips are," sobbed Bobby. "He knows I'm likely to be killed any minute, or at least maimed for life."

"All alike," repeated Rowena grimly

"That's probably why he didn't come," said Peter comfortingly. "He realized that at thought of you going away into such terrible danger he would lose his self-control and break down before all those people. And then think how he'd feel."

Bobby thought of it. "But Carter's not like that," she said. "I don't believe he'd break down. He's not at all the breaking-down kind of man. He's got red hair——"

"Well, he might pretend he broke down," insisted Peter.

"All pretense, every one of them," declared Rowena sweepingly.

"It's terribly lonesome, going off on such a long trip without having Carter there to be ashamed of himself and feel sorry," said Bobby.

"I tell you what, darling," suggested Rowena brightly. "You come around here and sit with Peter and let him cheer you up. He's very good company. It's too lonesome for you back there alone."

"But you said I had to sit in the rumble seat!"

"Well, I've changed my mind. You see, I thought then that Peter and I would want to talk business and discuss our plans, and I never dreamed that every time I made a suggestion it would just lead to a bitter argument."

"Why, I didn't argue with you," protested Peter.

"I'd much rather sit in the rumble seat where I can think my thoughts in peace and not have my most innocent ideas contradicted before they are out of my mouth," continued Rowena.

"Why, I wasn't contradicting you," protested Peter.

But Rowena insisted, so Peter helped Bobby gently out of the rumble seat and was just turning to give Rowena a hand when he saw that she was already in, sitting very erect, chin high and eyes extremely blue. So he got in behind the wheel and they started off again.

Rowena settled back in the rumble seat with a malicious little grin. After listening to Bobby's chatter about Carter for an hour, she leaned forward

"Do you mind if I close this window?" she asked sweetly. "I'm trying to think out the plot to a story and I must have perfect silence to decide whether I want to have Bobby's Carter commit the murder or be committed."

From that moment the rumble seat was Rowena's own

She seemed to take a morbid pleasure in providing comfort for her privacy, and often smiled to herself in complacent and not unmalicious satisfaction when she heard the steady soft roll of Bobby's voice regaling Peter with vivid accounts about Carter and their last quarrel which caused her to apply for the trip.

Peter was in possession of a complete biography of Carter long before they reached Buffalo, where they were to pay their first official visit to the Rackruff salesrooms, and where he was to make his first picture of the roadster and Rowena.

For all the seclusion of the rumble seat, Rowena was able to break in on Bobby's love-affair long enough to voice her disagreement with Peter's plans when she wanted to, which was pretty often. It went without saying that they did not agree about the financial management of the trip. Rackruff Motors, Inc., had agreed to pay all expenses for the car en route, and had allowed Peter and Rowena a joint salary of one hundred dollars a week—an expense allowance, it was really.

Peter's idea of the way to carry on was obviously the simplest and most natural. He said he would pay expenses for both of them and then divide equally with Rowena whatever was left of the hundred dollars at the end of each week.

Rowena said it wouldn't do.

In the end, Peter agreed to divide each week's allowance with her immediately upon its receipt every Monday morning, each thereafter paying his own bills, bearing his own responsibility, and saving what he could from the amount.

Even before they reached Buffalo he realized it would have been money in his pocket to have stuck to his original idea. Certainly it was no great drain on the expense account buying food for Rowena. While motoring in the fresh air made both him and Bobby ravenously hungry, so that they wished to eat often, fully and expensively, it seemed to have no effect whatsoever upon Rowena, who ate so rarely and so little that Bobby accused her of trying to reduce

"Well," smiled Peter good-naturedly, "if you carry on like this for the next three months you will get rich off your share of the expense account."

Continued Next Week

STUDENTS' "BONERS"

Two volumes of amusing "boners," compiled by Alexander Abingdon from students' examination papers have been published recently by the Viking Press. A few samples follow:

Acrimony, sometimes called holy, is another name for marriage

The government of England is a limited mockery.

In Christianity a man can have only one wife. This is called Monotony.

Jacob, son of Isaac, stole his brother's birth mark.

Climate lasts all the time, but weather only for a few days.

The letters M. D. signify "mentally deficient."

A census taker is a man who goes from house to house increasing the population.

Longfellow was born in Maine while his parents were travelling on the continent. He made many fast friends; among the fastest were Alice and Phoebe Cary.

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Mr. H. T. Pipes is a scream as the PROFESSOR. Haven't you seen him in plays before? He is better in this than in any others!

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Pleasant Grove News

Mr. Phillip Franklin has been ill now for some time. It was at first believed to be flu, but was a mistake. He left for Woodlawn hospital at three o'clock Monday morning. He was taken by Mr. Emmett Miskelley and Mr. Eddie Childress.

Mrs. Alice Franklin has been suffering from astham this week due to the unclean air.

Little Cecil Franklin has been ill for about two weeks, but is lots better.

Mr. Wilson Clements spent Thanksgiving with our home economics teacher, Miss Leacy Newell. Miss Newell lives in Camden, Alabama.

Miss Mary Clements was a visitor at our church Sunday.

Mr. Charlie Miskelley and Mr. Ershel Spivey spent Saturday night with Lance Franklin.

Pat Clements spent Saturday night with Albert Earl Foshee.

Mr. Dock Hodgen has been working in the Pleasant Grove community this week.

As it will be admitted by all this year of 1931 is drawing to an end. To many it has claimed some of our loved ones, but be it as it may, we all have something to thank our Lord for. First we have the good clear and free water from God to drink, that we might quench our thirst. Next we have good cool air to draw into our lungs for no other purpose than to maintain our lives. Yet who had not ever thought that we have something else to be thankful for, other than these vain and worldly goods. Now what else can we be thankful for besides money, food, clothes, etc.? Can anyone be thankful for anything else more than for Jesus, our slain king, whose red blood trickled down Calvary's Cross for you and me, that we might have life through eternal Ages. Let us all kneel on our knees and thank God for His Son who came and died for all.

"JOHN BULL'S" BIRTHDAY

An exhibit of early railroad equipment is being held in the Hall of Transportation of the Smithsonian Institution in celebration of the 100th anniversary of America's oldest locomotive, the "John Bull," built in England and brought to this country in 1831.

This engine pulled the first train over the pioneer Camden & Amboy railroad, the event marking the first operation of a steam locomotive in New Jersey, and one of the first in the United States. "John Bull" did continuous service until 1865, when it was presented to the Smithsonian Institution by the Pennsylvania Railroad.

But this veteran of the rails has made a few trips for exhibition purposes. In 1892 it ran to Chicago under its own steam to appear at the Columbian Exposition, and in 1927 it was a feature of the Baltimore & Ohio's centennial celebration at Halethorpe, Md.

[illegible] to the present exhibit in Washington may see many interesting [illegible] of early railroading days, be[illegible] photographs depicting the evolution of the [illegible] from the pygmy types of a century ago to the giants of today.

POWER COMPANY WARNS AGAINST STOCK FRAUDS

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 24.—The Investment Department of Alabama Power Company has notified bankers, brokers and security dealers over the State to the effect that two certificates of 50 shares each, Nos. BK09300 and BK09955, respectively, of the $6.00 preferred stock of the Company are in the hands of some unknown party who secured them by gross misrepresentation and fraud from their owner, Sam C. Bain, of Helena, Alabama.

The Company also states that it has notified its transfer agent of this fraudulent transaction and has put a stop order on the transfer of the certificates. It is understood that Mr. Bain has sworn out warrants and every endeavor is being made to apprehend the party guilty of this gross deception and fraudulent practice. All employees of the Company have been notified of this transaction and requested to warn all holders of the preferred stocks of the Company against any such attempts to secure their stock.

TUSCALOOSA TO PLAY LANIER HIGH ON DECEMBER THE 5TH

On Saturday, December 5th, at Cramton Bowl, Montgomery, the High School of Tuscaloosa will play Lanier High School of Montgomery.

This is truly the high school football classic of the South. The Game is not being played for State championship, but for the Unemployment Fund.

One Hundred Per Cent of the gross receipts will be used for the Unemployment Fund. Transportation of the teams, hotel bills, printing, advertising and everything connected with the Game is being paid for by Montgomery citizens who are interested in the great cause for which this Game is played.

This Game should be of interest to the people of the entire State.

A WOMAN SENATOR

For the first time in its history, the United States Senate is to have a woman member who will actually take part in the proceedings of that body, in the person of Mrs. Hattie Caraway, appointed to succeed her late husband, Senator Thaddeus H. Caraway of Arkansas.

One other woman, Mrs. Rebecca Latimer Felton of Georgia, was Senator for one day, under a complimentary appointment, but performed no actual service.

Mrs. Caraway will serve under her present appointment until a special election is held in January, in which she is a candidate for the unexpired term of her husband, and for which she will probably have no opposition. She will then serve until 1933, and has agreed not to ask for re-election.

The growing custom of appointing or electing wives of dead officials to succeed them in public office is sentimentally fine, but whether it is always in the public interest is open to question. When the wife is really fitted for the office concerned there could be no legitimate objection, and in the case of Mrs. Caraway it is said that she is fully capable of performing the duties of Senator.

Almost any bright woman would be an improvement on the average present-day occupant of a Senate seat.

$100 Reward

It was reported that on the morning of Nov. 8, 1922, following the general election on the previous day that two parties motored to Mars Hill, an outlying voting precinct in Beat 2, Box 2 Chilton County and there under manifest excitement, in the presence of witnesses unlawfully seized and took away the "Certificate of Results" of the election on the preceding day, and left posthaste toward Clanton.

The conditions of payment of the above reward are as follows:

First. That this lawless, piratical pair declare their identity through the columns of the Chilton County News, and Union Banner.

Second. That the following interrogatories with true answers, satisfactory to the undersigned be then published in said newspapers:

a. Where and when was decision made to seize said certificate, name date and hour?
b. Who was then present?
c. Was Election results known then?
d. If so state exact number votes shown for Messer?
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f. Who suggested seizure of this certificate?
g. Explain fully why possession of this particular certificate was wanted and the intent and purpose of said seizure.

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LAVENDER LADY IS GRAND CHAMPION JERSEY COW

Lavender Lady 737333

Lavender Lady, purebred Jersey cow owned by Hugh W. Bonnell, Youngstown, Ohio, was grand champion Jersey cow and first prize winner in her class at the 1931 National Dairy Exposition, St. Louis, Mo. She is the first Jersey cow exhibited by an Ohio owner to take the grand championship ribbon at the "National," recognized for a quarter of a century as the major dairy cattle show of the United States. She is 8 years of age and has an official production record of 533.68 pounds of butterfat, 9,988 pounds of milk, the equivalent of 667 pounds of butter and 4,654 quarts of milk produced in a year. Bred on the Island of Jersey, place of origin of the Jersey breed, she was imported to the United States and sold to Mr. Bonnell in 1927.

TENNESSEE JERSEY BULL IS GRAND CHAMPION

Oxford Lassy's Design 323676

Oxford Lassy's Design, the grand champion Jersey bull at the 1931 National Dairy Exposition, St. Louis, Mo., is owned by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Farrell, Crieve Hall Farms, Nashville, Tenn., and is the first Tennessee bred bull of his breed to win this high award in the twenty-five years since the founding of the Exposition. He has an undefeated record in the ring this year and has been grand champion Jersey bull weherever shown. Other animals exhibited at the 1931 "National" by Mr. and Mrs. Farrell won the junior championships for both Jersey males and females and nine first prize blue ribbons, including, for the third consecutive time, the first prize in the get of sire class. Design's Fern Oxford, the bull which triumphed three times in this class, is now head of the noted Crieve Hall Jersey herd and sired the grand champion and the two junior champions, all of which were bred at Crieve Hall Farms.

Legal Notices

REGISTER'S SALE

The State of Alabama, Chilton County Circuit Court in Equity.

State of Alabama Complainant, vs. One Ford Coupe, 1930 Model Motor No. A-4138469. Defendant.

By virtue of a decree in the above stated cause rendered on the 24 day of November, 1931, by the Circuit Court, in Equity, to satisfy said decree, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at public sale, at the Courthouse door of said County, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., ON MONDAY, THE 14 DAY OF DECEMBER, 1931, the following described property, viz.: One Ford Coupe, 1930 Model Motor Number A-4138469.

This the 25th day of November, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
12-3-1tc Register.

NOTICE OF GRANTING OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Letters of administration on the estate of Mattie Headley, deceased, having been granted by the Hon. L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate, to the undersigned on the 24th day of November, 1931, all persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Witness my hand and dated this the 25th day of November, 1931.

H. J. HEADLEY, Administrator of the estate of Mattie Headley, deceased. 12-3-3tcA.

You must not miss seeing Dave masquerading as a Spanish Dancing Girl and the love that is bestowed on him by the leading man—Leon Mullins, in "Oh, Professor."

Come and see the champion eater, sleeper and story teller in the country in "That's One on Bill" at C. C. H. S. Friday night.

Radio aided in the arrest of 10,000 criminals in a year. A lot of people in the studios ought to have been included in the round-up.

New Cedron News

For some unknown cause Rev. Parrish did not come Sunday. But everybody come back next Sunday morning at ten o'clock to Sunday school, and Brother Carroll will preach at eleven o'clock.

Miss Ruby Collins is visiting friends and relatives in Coosa county.

Mr. J. C. Terrell and family spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bowman.

Mr. Willie Brown, Misses Ressie DeVaughn, Ester Brown visited Misses Gladys Culver of Floyd community.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Brown and sons, Eugene and Hudson, Mrs. J. F. DeVaughn, Mrs. Plalock were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. DeVaughn.

Mr. Willie Brown was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Cox Sunday.

Miss Eula Mae Brown was the guest of Miss Vera Cox Sunday.

Mr. Will Williams, Mr. Will Davenport and Miss Lela DeVaughn spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Jones Sunday.

Mr. Will L. Mastin was the guest of Miss Lucile Edwards Sunday afternoon.

Misses Ester Brown and Pauline Collins were the guests of Ressie DeVaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rollins motored to Birmingham Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Rollin's brother.

Mrs. E. E. Rollins spent Thursday with Mrs. J. F. DeVaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Baker spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cox.

Remember Sunday school and preaching next Sunday morning at ten and eleven o'clock.

Senior Class of C. C. H. S. presents three act comedy, "That's One on Bill" Friday, December 4, at 7:30 p.m. Admission 25 and 35 cents.

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

A good lady was on her way to church last Sunday, and meeting a man with the morning paper in his hand she said, "Come and go to church with me." "I have got to go back to the house and help my wife cook dinner," replied the man. The woman knew that man was telling one. He was going home to read that daily. If all the men in Clanton, who claim to be so good to their wives on Sunday, would come to church, they would be better husbands during the week.

We made a good start for the new Conference year last Sunday. We had good crowds at all the services. Rev. E. C. Evans has been elected to teach the Men's Bible class, and he is going to make it worth while to attend. We have many splendid teachers in our Sunday school. Come and bring the whole family.

Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. by the pastor. A warm welcome for all.

Alma Robinson Huddleston is worth seeing in her role as a Spanish Dancing Girl in "Oh, Professor."

WILHELM THE PIOUS

Former Kaiser Wilhelm of Gern is said to have become deeply relig of late. In his exile at Doorn, Holl he lives a most austere life, with votional exercises occupying much his daily routine.

According to reports, he reads Bible the first thing in the morn and has religious services at 8. The ternoon is largely devoted to the re ing of religious books, while the ev ing is marked by a season of pra

He attends services at a local chu with unfailing regularity, an odd f ture of which is that he writes ma the sermons which the pastor at ward preaches to him.

All this is in striking contrast the characteristics which the w saw in the rather arrogant war lord a few years ago, although Wilhelm ways professed to be on friendly te with the Deity. An American adm once got in bad by satirizing the Kaiser in a poem called "Me and G in which Wilhelm was represented claiming a partnership in which he g the Almighty second place.

Anyway, the exiled Kaiser is a g boy now, and at the age of 72 is likely to further endanger the peace the world.

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9 to 12 and from 2 to 5 p. m.

Toy Town Opens Next Saturday, December 5th. Come In And Do Your Shopping Early. Make Your Selection Now With A Small Deposit. We Will Lay Them Aside Until Christmas For You.

Mount Pisgah News

Next Sunday, December 6th, is our regular singing afternoon. Everybody come at two o'clock and bring your new song book or come prepared to get one. We have the promise of some talented teachers and directors of music to be with us, and are expecting a fine singing. We appreciate your help and presence.

Respectfully,
BIRDIE EDWARDS, Sec'y.

CARD OF THANKS

Words will hardly express our heartfelt appreciation and thanks for the kindness shown us during the recent illness of our beloved mother and grandmother, Mrs. Mary Kate Haynes. Our bereavement was made easier to bear by the kind deeds shown and kind words spoken. May God's richest blessings be on each of those who were so thoughtful.

—Samuel E. Welch and Family.

Help an undernourished child by getting a ticket to see "Oh, Professor."

State of Alabama
A PROCLAMATION
by the
GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the Second Tuesday next after five months after the date of the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said Amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 5th day of January, 1932, is the second Tuesday next after five months after the date of the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the Amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 5th day of January, 1932, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz;-

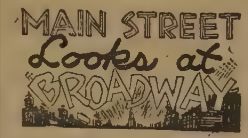
"The City of Mobile shall be and it is hereby authorized and empowered, without an election, to annually levy and collect a tax on the property situated therein, to pay the expenses of the City Government, at such rate as may from time to time be fixed by the governing authorities of said city, but unless and until an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama shall be adopted, permitting said City after an election or elections to levy and collect taxes amounting in the aggregate to more than one and one-tenth (1.1) per centum of the value of the property situated therein, as assessed for State taxation during the preceding year, the total of the ad valorem taxes levied in any one tax year by said municipality for all purposes (including any tax levied to pay the debt existing on the 6th day of December, 1875, with interest thereon, or any renewal of such debt) shall not exceed in the aggregate one and one-tenth (1.1) per centum of the value of such property as assessed for State taxation during the preceding year."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight successive weeks prior to the 5th day of January, 1932, in each County of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Montgomery, on this the 5th day of October, 1931.

B. M. MILLER,
Governor.

ATTEST:
PETE B. JARMAN, Jr.,
Secretary of State.



New York's Street Cars

This time of the year, when the wind blows cold, one can still see many "summer cars" in the big city. Thirty years ago one could see the same cars in any city of the country but New York is almost the only one where they still are being used. They are the kind with a wide footboard running the full length of the car, on which the conductor clambers back and forth and collects fares.

There's no protection from the weather except for curtains that are supposed to be let down in the rain. They are rarely used and most of them would probably crack if let down. But the main point is that they keep on running after the first frost. It takes hardy folks to enjoy a ride on them then.

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Park Avenue Slipping

Real estate in New York is a gambling proposition as a general thing, although property rarely loses its value, except in hard times. One can never tell when a neighborhood will change. Fifty years ago Fourteenth Street was the swagger shopping place. Then it began to edge uptown and since then has gone north about a mile every ten years. It has finally verged on Central Park and it is unlikely to pass that barrier.

Years ago Fifth Avenue was the ultra fashionable street. It still is, for those able to afford a residence alongside Central Park, but below that it is strictly a business street. The fashionables had to move to Park (Fourth) Avenue. For ten years that was the swagger street.

A couple of years ago the society folk of this town suddenly struck on a new idea. They bought the slum property along the East River and have erected enormous apartment buildings there where plenty of homes cost $25,000 a year for rent alone. That is where nearly all the descendants of the original "400" are living now.

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Theatrical Rivalry

One of the big producers of girl shows here recently figured out a scheme to get publicity for his really pretty stage people. To emphasize their youth, he gave a dinner for the girls' mothers.

A lot of pictures got into the papers and the theatre magnate was feeling rather well satisfied with life until a rival producer gave a dinner to his girls' grandmothers. He had seventy-five of them present and the seat of honor was given to the lone great-grandmother who horned in on the party.

Such things show the outsider that competition here is keener than anywhere else on earth.

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papers and wait patiently for the car to start up again. As a sample of the running time the Broadway line can be cited. It is five miles from the Battery to Central Park and the schedule

One-Man Cars

Only a few of the surface lines use more than one man on their cars. The motorman collects your fares as you clamber aboard, holding up the car while he does so. Then you take your seat and the car proceeds. The cars here are slower than in any city in the country, but nobody seems to mind. The fare is the lowest in America, five cents for any distance.

If a long blockade occurs the passengers keep their noses buried in their calls for a one-way trip in forty-five minutes. That's just nine minutes to a mile.

It has one advantage. It's perhaps the best way of all to see New York.

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A New Woman's Wrinkle

Beauty shops, which are supposed to remove wrinkles, have actually started a new one this year. Some of the more swagger places found it difficult to handle women forced to wait their turn, so they installed card tables and other games and now one can find the reception rooms crowded at all hours.

A lot of strangers to New York have found such shops a fine place to make acquaintances, and an ever better place in which to rest their tired feet after a morning's shopping tour.

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Mrs. Hugh Simpson Entertains Wednesday Card Club.

The Wednesday Afternoon Card Club was delightfully entertained last Wednesday at a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Hugh Simpson. Those enjoying this occasion were Mesdames F. J. Callen, J. H. Alred, Arthur Johnson, Napoleon Johnson, Grady Reynolds, Julius Burnett, John Browder, J. Watts Moore, John Deramus, L. F. Gerald, Mrs. Hugh Jones and Mrs. J. C. Page were visitors.

The many friends of little Miss Mary Agnes McNair will regret to learn that she is confined to her home with a fractured arm received from a fall Sunday afternoon.

Miss Zora Guy spent the week end at Lay Dam with Miss Ethel Mize.

Mrs. John Armstrong and Mrs. L. H. Williams were in Birmingham Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Wrenn of Sylacauga attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Kate Haynes, here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy M. Pitts and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Roberts spent Wednesday in Birmingham.

Miss Mary Louise Pack and Miss Emma Sue Morris spent Thanksgiving holidays at Miss Pack's home in Spratt, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds spent Thanksgiving in Childersburg.

Mrs. Renfroe Mullins is spending the week in Birmingham.

Fred and Pratt Busby of Birmingham returned home Sunday after spending the holidays with friends and relatives in Clanton.

Mrs. P. T. Hinkle Hostess To Thursday Sewing Club.

The Thursday Sewing Club spent a delightful afternoon of sewing at the home of Mrs. P. T. Hinkle. Those enjoying this affair were Mesdames T. C. McSwain, John Browder, Hugh Simpson, M. L. White, H. T. Pipes, L. E. Diefenderfer, and C. Fenn Jones.

Hoyt Reynolds spent last Thursday in Dothan.

Mrs. G. L. Phillips, Mrs. Willie Jones and Mrs. J. E. Gowan were in Prattville last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Milstead returned Friday from a trip to Charleston, South Carolina.

Miss Josephine Martin spent Thanksgiving in Greenville, Alabama.

Dr. and Mrs. Murphy of Aliceville were here last Tuesday visiting their daughter, Mrs. John Durwood Mullins.

Aubrey Taylor of Auburn spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Taylor.

Mrs. W. C. Mauc and two daughters from Birmingham spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Prince.

Mrs. Irene Raspberry and daughter, Eloise, spent Thanksgiving with friends in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Gantt and little son are visiting relatives in Selma.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Thomas of Sylacauga spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Rockett.

Anyone having items suitable for this section please phone 147 or 117-J. This will be greatly appreciated by the editor.

AUTHOR OF "DIXIE"

Whenever the stirring tune of "Dixie" is played, particularly in the South, it is met with hearty applause. Thus, do Southerners pay tribute, unconsciously as a rule, to an Ohio Yankee.

For "Dixie" was composed by Daniel Decatur Emmet, born in Mount Vernon, Ohio, in 1818. Emmet, like that other writer of Southern songs, Stephen Fotser, never lived in the South.

Emmet was one of the organizers of the first negro minstrel company to tour the country, formed in 1842, when it opened in Chatham Square Theatre, New York. He was afterward associated with Dan Bryant, and in 1865 he formed his own company. He retired in 1878 and died in 1904 at the age of 89.

The song "Dixie" was written in 1859 and instantly became popular. The South adopted it and now after 72 years it stirs its hearers with undiminished enthusiasm.

In 1927 a tablet to Emmet's memory was unveiled in the churchyard of the Calvary Episcopal Church at Fletcher, N. C., the first memorial erected for him in the South, marking another link in the chain which binds the reunited country.

It is estimated that every seventh person lives in a city with a population of more than 100,000.

The Southern Farmers

Besides showing his name and address, the business card used by Farm Agent G. C. Smith, of Baton Rouge, La., bears the following good humored by very-much-to-the-point comment:

" 'The average Southern farmer gets up to the alarm of a Connecticut clock, buttons Chicago suspenders to a pair of Detroit overalls, washes his face with Cincinnati soap, sits down to a Grand Rapids table, eats Chicago meat and Minnesota flour cooked on a Sears-Roebuck stove, goes out to his barn and puts a New York bridle on a Missouri mule fed with Colorado alfalfa and Kansas oats; plows impoverished land covered by a Vermont mortgage with an Indiana plow, in an effort to make cotton for New England gamblers to speculate on. When bedtime comes, he reads a chapter in a Bible printed in Boston, says a prayer written in Jerusalm, crawls under a New Bedford blanket, only to be awakened by the bark of a hound dog, the only home product on the farm. Then he wonders why in the hex he can't make money raising cotton.' "

"A fertile soil means a prosperous people. Get greater yields from smaller fields. . . . Improving the soil is like courting a widow, you cannot overdo it. . . . Insane people do not cooperate, neither do shiftless farmers. . . . It is no harder to farm than it is to hunt or fish and there is as much sport in the one as there is in the other if we take that view of it. . . Safe farming—safe eating."

Helen really has a splendid voice and is mighty pretty in "Oh, Professor."

Knut Hamsun, one of this year's Nobel prize winners, once ran a street car in Chicago.

Eastview News

Mr. Tom Traywick and two daughters, Misses Gulma and Maudie Rec, and Miss Jessie Bell Speer, Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson, Mrs. Sallie Strength and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins attended the fellowship meeting last Sunday at Mt. Creek Union church.

The Christian Endeavor rendered a good program Sunday night. The topic was True and False Friendship. Several talks were made on the subject.

Mr. J. F. Nelson and family were the Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Clara Rushing and family

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gray were the all-day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Courtney.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Strength spent Saturday night with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Norris.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Coggins spent last week with the former's parents, Mr and Mrs. J. W. Coggins, of Mt. Springs

Mr. S. P. Smith and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Deloach Sunday.

Osmond and Herman Nelson were the guests of Barney and Hubert Speer Sunday.

Mrs. Sudie Moore and family have moved into our community. We welcome them into our midst.

Mr. J. A. Dobbs and family visited Mr. O. P. Henson and family last Thursday.

Dr. F. P. Ensminger of Demorest, Ga., Rev. J. E. Each and Mr. Peterson of Thorsby were in our community Monday.

The latest agricultural census shows that the ratio of debt to total value of farm property in the United States increased from 29 per cent in 1920 to 39 per cent in 1930. Meantime, automobiles on farms increased from two million to four million. Motor trucks increased from 139,000 to 900,000, tractors from 248,000.

Broadus Connatser is really to be envied as Bob in "Oh, Professor."

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Brief News Notes

Second prize in the national health activities contest was won by 4-H club girls of Baldwin County, Alabama. Thousands of counties throughout the United States participated in the contest which was sponsored by the National Dairy Council.

The Federal Farm Board says that, "The operations of the Grain Stabilization Corporation during the winter of 1930-1931 had the effect of maintaining wheat prices in all United States markets at 15c to 30c per bushel higher than the comparable price in Liverpool, Antwerp and other markets which reflected importing values."

During October the total exports of tung oil from Hankow, China, was 10,426,000 pounds, of which 6,384,000 lbs. came to the United States and 4,042,000 pounds went to Europe. The European consignment represents a very substantial increase. Tung oil growers in Florida, in south Georgia, and south Alabama are competing with Chinese growers.

Alec Callen is a real comedian and truly an ARTIST in "Oh, Professor."

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Nice assortment of patterns, most all new suits, sold up to $6.00. We are making a clearance at $3.50

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Miss Beverly Hester, Of Clanton, To Be Complimented by Birmingham Music Study Club

Below is a clipping from The Birmingham News of last Sunday, November 29th, telling of Miss Beverly Hester, pianist. Miss Hester, this newspaper is proud to say, belongs to Clanton rightfully, although her studies and work has been done elsewhere. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Hester, of Clanton.

The Birmingham Music Study Club has long anticipated the return of Miss Beverly Hester, pianist, who will this week arrive as the house guest of Mrs. J. W. Luke. She will appear in recital before the Music Club on Thursday, December 31, at 11 o'clock at the Southern Club.

Miss Hester is well remembered in the musical circles of the city. She was for several years a student here, under Mrs. Flourney Rivers and was studio accompanist for Mrs. Ruth Chandler and the late Mrs. Clara Harper Steele.

A graduate of Judson College, Miss Hester is now on the faculty there, in the music department.

Following her graduation at Judson, Miss Hester studied under the famous Thalberg at the Cincinnati Conservatory and then went to New York to spend four interesting industrious years studying "accompanying" with Richard Hageman, piano with Betah Ruder and later with Arthur Newstead, who is at the Jouilliard School. During this period Miss Hester was accompanist for the late Oscar Saenger, and she held an excellent position as organist with the Keith and Loew Motion Picture organization.

Miss Hester's program will include several beautiful groups in which Schumann, Chopin, Debussy, Ravel and Liszt are to be featured.

Mrs. Cecil Self active member of the Music Club and president of the Birmingham Speech Arts Club, is to speak to the club on the program and personality of Grace Moore, soprano, who is to be presented here soon.

Following the program the board members of the club are complimenting Miss Hester with a luncheon at the Tutwiler Hotel.

Pilot Club To Present Play Here Tuesday, December

(continued from front page)

Mrs. Bumboard's daughter and fore getting people into trouble. Mrs. Han Alred will make you laugh as Mr Bumboard, who gives The Professor chase. These are a few of the characters, and there are many others.

One of Wayne P. Sewell's most competent coaches is in Clanton and ha been here for several days, bringin out the best in acting of the vario characters in this play, "Oh, Professor. Rehearsals have been going on eac night during the past week and everything points to a most unusual entertainment next Tuesday night, December 8th.

This entertainment is being sponsored by the Pilot Club of Clanton, business and professional woman's organization, the purpose of which is t be of all benefit to this community a possible. Proceeds from the play wi go into the treasure of the Pilot Clu to be used in the program of the clu in furnishing proper food and nourishment to certain children attendin school in Clanton.

Those attending this performan will receive their money's worth, at th same time doing a worthy deed towar aiding the Pilot Club in its welfar work.

The Badge Of A Freeman

If a man has a sort of sheepish look when you ask him how he is going to vote in the next election, if he yammers vaguely or speaks with forced emphasis, it is frequently the case that he is simply not qualified to vote and is ashamed to expose himself. Perhaps through forgetfulness he has overlooked paying the poll tax or meeting the laws of registration; and his embarrassment at not being a full-fledged citizen is accompanied by a non compos mentis sensation.

Sadder than the absent-minded man or woman, however, is that resident of a state who has never realized the meaning of the ballot, and who, thruout the years of maturity, allows himself or herself to remain in the class of those legally and therefore actually incompetent to take part in the affairs of government. Most such people are uneducated and are unable on account of lack of training to perceive the significance of the simple act of voting; but there are a number who seem to have adopted a sort of attitude, a mental complex, which keeps them from helping to operate the republic. Possibly in the beginning the payment of the small poll tax, or the red tape of registration bothered them; and an unfortunate mind-set was begun.

The right to cast a ballot is the badge of a freeman; and every possible agency should urge our people to qualify. Newspapers, schools, amusement houses, pulpits, and every public official should stress this primary duty. It is not idle talk to say that the safety and permanency of the government of the United States can be adequately cared for only when the whole body of people are learning the art of government as practiced through the medium of the ballot. It was a graceful act when legislators of Alabama decreed that every penny of the poll tax fund should go into the public school treasury to help build a better trained citizenship; but after all this is a minor consideration.

Next year and every other year there will be important elections. Measures of government will be approved or rejected by the legal voters, officials will be chosen, taxation will be fixed i some places by the ballot. In Ma every school district in Alabama wi choose three trustees to handle loc school matters; and every trustee mu be a voter. From the remotest community to the greatest city, the need i the same for a body of citizens ful prepared to help in government. A c needs to be sounded that will reach every home in Alabama, a call that wi say to each adult, "Be ready! You ar one; and the weight of your pers action is essential to affairs of state

SUPT. H. G. DOWLING.
Tuscaloosa, Al

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Watch Mrs. Bumboard in "Oh, Professor."

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You've got to see Izora Alred in "O Professor!"

Twenty Millionth Ford To Visit Clanton, 8th

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and witness the presentation of this car.

Its tour of the country completed, the Twenty-Millionth Ford will be returned to Greenfield Village for preservation near the first Ford—the "gasoline buggy" in which Henry Ford astounded his neighbors and demoralized horse traffic when he chugged noisily through Detroit's cobbled streets at the dizzy speed of nearly 20 miles an hour.

The first Ford—built in 1893 and one of the first three automobiles the world had ever seen—odd, indeed, by comparison with its 1931 descendant resembled a buggy mounted on bicycle wheels and its little two cylinder engine boasted four horsepower. Its gasoline tank held three gallons and its uncomfortable seat held two people. Mr. Ford was given a verbal permit, by the mayor, thus becoming the world's first licensed chauffeur.

Such was the precursor of the long line of Fords that have since revolutionized the automotive industry, made the automobile a common-place within the reach of almost every family and tremendously aided the development of good roads systems everywhere.

In December, 1915, more than 1,000,000 Fords had been produced. Thereafter, as a result of the development of Ford manufacturing methods and processes which have since been adopted as standards of efficiency and economy for industry the world over, the total production reached 2,000,000 in June, 1917; 5,000,00 in May, 1921; 10,000,000 in June, 1924; and 15,000,000 in May, 1927.

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You'll like Uncle Jimmie, the wealthy bachelor, in the Senior Class play at the High School Auditorium Friday, December 4.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dykes of Dallas, Texas, spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade.

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Misses Margaret Brown and Berniece Williams spent Saturday in Montgomery.

Mrs. Sam Box and baby of Birmingham are visiting her mother, Mrs. W. A. Reynolds.

Mrs. Alice Calloway is quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Grady Harris, in South Clanton.

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Mr. Percy Pitts attended the funeral of L. E. Christian in Columbiania.

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You'll laugh when Battling Bennie Bozo gets engaged to the "Queen of the Movies" in "That's One on Bill."

Cucumbers for Company

By Jane Rogers

To the woman who takes a real pride in her skill as a cook, no words of praise are more sweet than those called forth by one of her culinary masterpieces. This, together with her conception of true hospitality, stirs in every good hostess the ambition to please her luncheon or dinner guests with some out-of-the-ordinary and particularly delicious dish.

Stuffed cucumbers are sufficiently out of the ordinary routine, and more than sufficiently delicious, to arouse the admiration of the most difficult-to-please guest. Here the proper use of seasonings found in every kitchen is the most important factor in assuring success. Particularly interesting is the use of sugar as one of the seasoners; a fairly recent development in American cooking, but one that it has been found points up and blends the flavors of almost all vegetable dishes.

Try your hand at the following recipe the next time you want to serve your guests something extra-special in the vegetable line. It's certain, though, that this won't long remain a "company" dish. Once your family has tasted it, there's bound to be a demand for its regular appearance.

Stuffed Cucumbers

Cut three good-size cucumbers in half lengthwise, and cook until tender in salted water. Scoop out the centers, and fill each half with a mixture consisting of three cups cooked rice, one cup chili sauce, one tablespoon vinegar, one tablespoon sugar, two tablespoons tomato ketchup, one teaspoon paprika, salt and pepper to taste, and one large onion which has been chopped fine and cooked in melted butter. Serve immediately, being sure that the portions are very hot.

Ford

TWENTY MILLION

The Twenty Millionth Ford car, symbolic of one man's contribution to world history, and development of American industry, will visit

CLANTON

enroute from Detroit on a transcontinental tour. During its visit here, it will be displayed at

CLANTON MOTORS

Tuesday December 8th 10:30 A. M.

during which an official welcoming committee will greet the car on behalf of this community. Motion pictures of the event will be made.

Contemplation of what production of 20,000,000 automobiles means may be easier if it is realized that an area as large as the District of Columbia would be required to park them, and, if placed bumper to bumper, they would girdle the earth at the equator nearly twice. Its tour of the country completed, the Twenty Millionth Ford will be returned to Greenfield Village at Dearborn for preservation near the first Ford car built in 1893.

You Are Invited To See the Twenty Millionth Ford and to Participate in the Welcoming Ceremonies.

CLANTON MOTORS

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Community Interest In Its Editorial Policy Is The Cornerstone Of This Newspaper

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ANKHEAD GETS EAT IN SENATE T NO TROUBLE

o Suggestion That Alabama Senator Should Delay In Assuming Office

Press reports from Washington stat- Tuesday morning that without even suggestion that he stand aside tem- rarily until the contest over his elec- n may be investigated further, Sen- r John H. Bankhead was sworn in onday as a senator from Alabama.

In the rear of the room, as the oath s administered his successor by Vice- esident Curtis, stood former Senator Tom Heflin, fresh from an appear- ce before the contest committee in ich he had renewed his charges of olesale fraud and corruption thru- t Alabama in the election in 1930.

No Objections Heard

So weak is the case that has been esented in opposition to Senator nkhead's title to the seat that even e small group of "standpat" Repub-

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. Y. Johnston Died Suddenly Tues. P. M.

Clanton and other places received a ock Wednesday morning when the ws that D. Y. Johnston was dead. ath came late Tuesday night very ddenly and was attributed to heart ilure.

Mr. Johnston was 52 years old. He s born in Coosa County, near Rock- rd, where he was reared on a farm. e married Miss Lea Batson, a mem- r of a prominent Coosa County fam- , and later moved to Clanton where had been in the livery stable and ntracting business for approximately teen years or more.

Funeral services are to be held this ternoon at two o'clock at the Baptist urch in Clanton. Interment follows the city cemetery here with Martin Sons in charge. Surviving are his dow, two daughters, Margarette and nie; three sons, Tom, George and alph. One brother, Tom Johnston, d three sisters.

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Mrs. Willie Bean and children with r. J. S. Wright and daughter, Inez, Jemison spent Sunday in Ensley vis- ng at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Nix.

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Miss Frances Raven of Rockford was e attractive guest of Mrs. Flem Hig- ns the past week end.

Seventy-Five Gallon Still Is Captured

Information from the office of Sheriff W. H. Gillespie Tuesday stated that a seventy-five gallon distilling outfit was captured last week in this county. The outfit was of a box style and said to have been located in the northwestern part of the county near the Bibb line.

Two men were caught at the still, which was in full operation at the time of the raid. They were placed in jail later manking bond. Approximately ninety gallons of mash and eight gallons of whiskey were also captured at the still.

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CITY PLAYERS DEFEAT LOCAL FIRE FIGHTERS

Titanic Struggle Witnessed On School Gridiron Last Friday Afternoon

The nameless bard who penned these lines

> "'Tis no time for fun and laughter
> On the cold gray dawn of the morning after—"

amply and ably expressed the sentiment of a great majority of those gallant football heroes of yesteryear who so gaily donned the armor once again last Friday afternoon and trod the gory field of glory. And gory was that field for after the battle was o'er, after the end of that titanic struggle, the casualties included several broken ribs, one broken nose, one broken foot and innumerable bruises and sore muscles.

The volunteer fire department of Clanton met the team from the town on the local gridiron last Friday afternoon and although it summoned all its reserves and put forth the utmost

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MRS. ALICE FRANKLIN DIED LAST THURSDAY MORNING

Mrs. Alice Franklin, age 69, died at her home near the Pates Chapel Community last Thursday morning. She was the widow of the late James Franklin, prominent farmer of that community.

Funeral services were held on the following Friday with interment in the Pleasant Grove cemetery, Martin & Sons in charge.

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Miss Cuba Keith is spending several days in Clanton with friends.

PLANS READY FOR REVIVAL IN JANUARY

Rev. Elmer C. Miller Will Conduct Bob Jones State-Wide Revival Here

Definite announcement as to plans for the coming State-Wide Revival to be held in Clanton were made last week, according to information given this newspaper. The Rev. Elmer C. Miller of South Bend, Indiana will do the preaching in Clanton, it was learned. Rev. Miller is president of the Union Evangelistic Campaign, and director of National Evangelistic Committee of Memphis. He comes highly recommended from all parts of the United States where he has worked in this nature.

The Clanton part of the state-wide revivals being sponsored by the Rev. Bob Jones is scheduled to open on Sunday night, January 3rd, it was stated. In all probability the revival will be held in the courthouse at Clanton, and will continue for three weeks.

Similar revivals will be going on over the entire state at the same time. Further announcements are to be made through the press it was stated.

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18 ARE SENT TO PEN FROM LOCAL COURT

Non-Jury Term Circuit Court Chilton County Came To Close Here Tuesday

The non-jury term of Circuit Court of Chilton County which opened here last Monday came to a close Tuesday afternoon. Eighteen prisoners were sent to Kilby Prison from this court, over which Judge George F. Smoot of Wetumpka, presided. The majority of those carried to Kilby Prison Tuesday night were fined, and being unable to pay the fines and costs were sentenced to hard labor.

Following are cases tried before the

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COUNTY AGENT CALLED AWAY ACCOUNT RELATIVE'S ILLNESS

County Agent Stapp has been out of his office for the past few days on account of the serious illness of Dr. M. R. Seay at Fernbank, Ala., Dr. Seay is the father of Mrs. Stapp.

Reports Monday stated that he was not expected to live through the next day or so, however, reports Tuesday stated that he was still alive. Engagements made by Mr. Stapp have been postponed, it was stated.

COUNTY JAIL TURNED OVER TO OFFICIALS

Public Inspection Tuesday And New Building Ready To House Prisoners

Chilton County's new jail is completed. A public inspection was made last Tuesday, when the building was thrown open to the people and a large number took advantage of this opportunity to view the interior of this structure, which can rightfully be termed as "the most expensive home in Clanton."

Work of constructing the new jail has been going on for several months. Following the public inspection, the keys were turned over to Sheriff W. H. Gillespie of Chilton County. This new jail was completed at a cost of approximately $30,000, has twenty cells, with the latest of devices for the opening of the doors to the cells, and saw-proof steel bars.

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Mr. Herman Jones of Nashville, Tennessee, was a visitor in Clanton Saturday attending the Farley-Randall wedding.

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QUESTION OF DRAINAGE TO BE DISCUSSED

Meeting To Be Held in Clanton December 14 to Take Up Plan Of Work

A group of citizens of Clanton and some residing on the outskirts of Clanton met with the members of the Commissioners Court of Chilton County last Tuesday to discuss the matter of drainage of the swamp lands surrounding Clanton.

This question is reported to have grown from the matter of the unemployed situation to be faced in the county this winter. Among those citi-

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SIX GRADE PUPILS REPAIR TOYS FOR UNFORTUNATES

Pupils of the Sixth Grade of Clanton Grammar School, under the direction of Miss Bessie Thomas have been taking a keen interest in repairing broken and old toys during the past several weeks.

These fine spirited pupils and their teacher, Miss Thomas, will distribute these toys. Each pupil has brought some old toy to be repaired, and given to some unfortunate little child Christmas. This is a splendid example for other grades and schools to follow.

Road Tax Lifted For 1932 In County

At the meeting of the Commissioners Court of this county last Tuesday, a decision was made whereby those persons living in Chilton County who are subject to paying road tax for the year 1932 will be relieved of this tax at this time, as was done last year.

This action is taken, it was stated, due to prevailing financial conditions. This also means that no one will be called to work on the county roads to pay the tax, according to information given the News Tuesday.

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UNEMPLOYMENT AID IS SOUGHT BY KIWANIANS

Local Situation Is Discussed At Recent Meeting With Action Looming Here

The last meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Clanton, held at the local Methodist church brought forth the question of an unemployment condition that is existing, or will possibly exist in Clanton and Chilton County during the coming few months.

This matter was placed before the club by Louis Reynolds, who had Mayor J. Lee Smith present who also discussed the question with members of the club. This meeting proved very interesting and J. Mell Martin, president of the club appointed a committee composed of Dan W. Haskew, Sam J. Ezell and Billy Smith, to appear before the Commissioners Court of Chilton County last Tuesday afternoon.

At the meeting of the Commissioners Court Tuesday afternoon Mayor J. Lee Smith, with members of the city council and other citizens appeared also to discuss the matter.

At the meeting of the Commissioners, this committee presented proposals and plans for the aiding of the unemployed of Clanton. This proposal was not in the form of work of charity, but was to devise means whereby those heads of families, who are unemployed and were needy, would be given work of some kind during the coming few months. Other plans for the aiding of the unemployed in Clanton this winter will probably be taken up and discussed by the Kiwanis Club at a later meeting.

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Miss Evelyn Atkinson of Gadsden, Ala., is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson.

SPECIAL SESSION UNLIKELY UNTIL LAST OF WINTER

Education Forces, Idle at Last Legislature, Gird For Battle Next Time

Extra session talk for 1931 has subsided and the best information that can be gleaned at the Capitol is that if there is a call for an extra session in this administration, and many believe there will be one, it will not come before February or March, 1932.

Gov. Miller still has under consideration the request of certain of those interested in cotton to call a special session at once to enact cotton reduction measures either through taxation or by direct prohibition. However, it is generally believed that if Gov. Miller acts favorably on this suggestion he will not issue the call before the first of the year.

Those who are close to Gov. Miller unhesitatingly state that they do not believe he will issue a call for an extra

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Teachers Meeting Held Wednes. of Importance

A group of business men of Clanton were asked to meet with the County Board of Education of the county last Thursday night to discuss the problem facing the board of continuing the schools the remainder of the year. This meeting resulted in the calling of a gathering of all school teachers in this county at the courthouse here yesterday afternoon.

At the meeting yesterday, a proposal was to be made to the teachers, which, it is understood, is also a proposal from the teachers as a group. If accepted, the schools will continue for the full term this year, with a possibility of none next year. At the time the News goes to press, the outcome of the meeting was not learned.

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JIMMY LeCROY NOW WITH FRANKLIN GARAGE, THORSBY

A representative of the News, sauntering around in Thorsby, found Jimmy Lecroy at Franklin's Garage, one of the wide-awake business places of that town. Jimmy needs no introduction to the people of this section as his friendly greetings are known far and wide.

As a mechanic, Jimmy is seldom excelled and he is now in that capacity at the Franklin Garage in Thorsby, and wishes his friends to know that he welcomes them to his new location.

OLK BROTHERS DISPLAY 1932 CHEVROLET TO LARGE NUMBER

epresentatives Of Local Chevrolet Dealers Kept Busy Last Saturday And This Week Showing Latest Improvements Of New Car

"Keep Your Eye On Chevrolet" has en watched constantly by thousands people recently, and last Saturday ndreds of people of this section vis- ed the show rooms of Polk Broth- s Motor Co., Inc., local Chevrolet alers to view the 1932 model Chevro- t which was on display there.

This display of the new Chevrolet s been eargerly awaited by many peo- e of this section. Representatives of e Polk Brothers Motor Co. were pt busy explaining the many new atures and improvements of the new r, as well as demonstrating its ad- ntages.

Embodying silent syncro-mesh trans- ission in combination with selective ee-wheeling, a twenty per cent in- ease in power, top speed of 65 to 70 iles an hour, streamlined bodies and wealth of other new features, the new r remains in the price range of the rrent series, the lowest at which a hevrolet has ever sold.

Heralded as "The Great American alue for 1932", the car boasts more tensive changes than any annual hevrolet model since the change-over a six in 1928. Yet changes are most- refinements over the basic design of e 1931 car which, from the stand- oint of public acceptance, was the ost successful in the history of the ompany, and brought Chevrolet first ace in the industry during the highly mpetitive market of the past twelve ths.

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Miss Farley Weds Mr. Robert Randall Sat.

A wedding of considerable interest in Clanton was that of Miss Esther Louise Farley and Mr. Robert Táylor Randall. The ceremony was performed Saturday morning at the Baptist parsonage by Dr. S. J. Ezell, only witnesses being Miss Maxine Farley and Mr. Herman Jones of Nashville, Tenn., a friend of the groom.

The bride was becomingly attired in black and white ensemble and is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Farley of Clanton. Immediately after the wedding the couple left for Nashville, Tennessee.

Mr. Randall is a well known business man in Nashville, where the young couple will make their home.

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JEMISON F. F. A. HAS RAT POISON CAMPAIGN

The Jemison F. F. A. boys recently closed a rat poisoning campaign in their town. The poison was mixed by the boys under the supervision of J. P. Montgomery of Jemison and Roy Moore of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Wednesday of last week.

The poison was distributed to each home in Jemison without cost to residents, and was also placed in business houses. This campaign was also aided by the city officials of the town, and will no doubt prove of benefit in eliminating rats.

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VERBENA GIRLS TO PLAY MARBURY BASKETEERS

The girls basket ball team of the Marbury High School will play the Verbena High December 11, 1931. The players for Verbena are: Coach, Mrs. Irby Deramus; manager, Ethel Cagle; captain, Mell Patillo; forwards, Era Bullard, Evelyn Barrett, Kate McKinny, Katherine Gaines; guards, Quintilla Meroney, Katie Myrtle Glenn, Vergie Roberson, Ollie Sharp; jumping centers, Mell Pattillo, Frances Strock; running centers, Mattie Jewel Wilson, Sarah Hollis.

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MRS. CARRIE BELL GRAVES DIED AT HOME, DEATSVILLE

Mrs. Carrie Bell Graves, age 54, died at her home on Deatsville, Route 4, last Monday. She was the wife of W. A. Graves. Funeral services were held Tuesday at Pine Flat, with Martin & Sons of Clanton in charge.

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There will be a box supper and pie supper at Vermont school house Saturday night, December 12th. We will also have special music. The proceeds will go for the purpose of buying desks.

Miss Kathryn Hayes And James Wade United In Marriage At Methodist Parsonage Tuesday

A marriage that united two prominent families of this section took place last Tuesday afternoon, December 8th, when Miss Kathryn Hayes became the bride of Mr. James Wade. This marriage came as a result of a long courtship between these two popular young people of Clanton, and as somewhat of a surprise to their countless friends over the state.

The ceremony was performed at the Methodist Parsonage in Clanton by the Rev. D. W. Haskew, pastor of the Methodist church, and in the presence of a few intimate friends of the couple.

The charming bride comes from one of the most prominent families of this county, the attractive daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Hayes of Clanton, and one of the most popular young ladies of the social group of this town. She also was popular among her many class mates at Woman's College, Montgomery, where she studied.

Mr. Wade also comes from an old and prominent family of this county, being the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade of Clanton, and considered one of the promising and popular young business men of the town. He has been connected with his father in the ice business in Clanton and other towns in the state for sometime.

Immediately following the ceremony, this popular young couple left for a motor trip into Florida and other points, after which they will return to Clanton to make their home and where they will be received by countless friends who will shower them with congratulations and good wishes. This newspaper extends to Mr. and Mrs. James Wade, its best wishes in the years to come.

LARGE CROWD WELCOMES 20 MILLIONTH FORD IN CLANTON

Late Model Ford Arrived In Clanton Tuesday Escorted By Officials Of The Ford Motor Company; Stops At Clanton Motors

The announcement stating that the twenty millionth Ford automobile manufactured by the Ford Motor Company, would visit Clanton Tuesday, December 8th, was made last week, and a large crowd gathered at the Ford Building, Clanton Motors, in Clanton Tuesday to witness the arrival of this automobile.

The car bearing the words "Twenty Millionth Ford" and with numerous license plates from as many different states, bearing the figures 20,000,000, arrived a few minutes late, escorted by eighteen other Ford cars of Deluxe models. The first to arrive was the official broadcasting car. This was followed by a Lincoln automobile.

A drill was staged by the cars on the street in front of Clanton Motors by the caravan of cars as they arrived, with the epochal car given a preferred space. The group of officials from the Ford Motor Company met a committee

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Thanks Are Expressed For Orphanage Car

The following letter of thanks and appreciation, shows the splendid spirit shown recently in loading a car from Chilton County for the Baptist Orphanage:

"A letter from Rev. J. O. Colley, Supt. of the Orphanage at Troy, wishes his appreciation broadcast to everyone who had a part in the car of produce recently made up by the Chilton-Unity Associations. He said, 'I think I have written you already, but as I looked over the freight and saw what a quantity, I just felt like I must write you again.' He stated further that he wished that he might send a personal letter to everyone who had a part, but that is impossible.

"The committee wishes also to thank the people for their fine spirit of co-operation in the making up of this car for 'Our Children.'

"Thanking you, we are"

Very sincerely,

—J. W. Jones, Homer Carroll, G. F. Harris, W. I. Mullins, Committee.

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Miss Feryl Martin, of Cullman, formerly of Clanton, arrived in Clanton Monday to spend a few days with Miss Kathryn Hayes, whose wedding to Mr. James Wade of Clanton took place last Tuesday afternoon here.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS

The News would like to have each correspondent of the communities represented in the paper with news each week, to attach a slip of paper with their name and full address, to the next week's news they send in.

This information is for the use of the editor only and will not be published. Please do this the next letter of news you send in.

A Full Store Of Choice Gifts

If you're bothered with the what-shall-I-give complex—come right down to The Fair Store—this minute. We've gifts of all descriptions—suiting all Christmas lists—at every price. Here are a few suggestions from our gift dictionary:

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--- DRESSES --- HOSIERY ---
BEADS --- BELTS --- PURSES --- TIES --- PAJAMAS
--- CORSETS --- BRASSIERS ---
BOOTEES --- SWEATERS --- BLANKETS

The FAIR

W. H. Sartor, Manager — Clanton, Alabama

Mt. Pisgah News

Last Sunday, December 6, the singing was a great success. On account of sickness I was unable to attend. Mrs. Eugene Aldridge gave me a report which is as follows:

Mr. Jake Henley directed a few songs and prayer was offered by Rev. L. A. Brown. Directors for the afternoon were Messrs. Sam Henley, Melvin Devaughn, Rev. Ollie Hayes, Profs. Emmett Wilson. O. L. Devaughn, and Dr. Williams. Organists were Mrs. Emmett Wilson and Mrs. Ollie Hayes.

A quartette was rendered by Mr. Tom Wells, Mrs. Emmett Wilson, Prof. O. L. Devaughn and Mr. Jake Henley, with Miss Christine Driver as organist.

Dismissed in prayer by Mr. Sam Henley. Visitors were from Eastview, Maple Springs, Clanton, and Pleasant Grove.

We appreciate your help and hope you all will come back every first Sunday and bring someone with you.

BIRDIE EDWARDS,
Secretary.

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Stanton Junior High Plays Mt. Pleasant

On next Friday afternoon the Stanton boys basketball team will meet the Mt. Pleasant team on the latter's court.

We are expecting two games, one between the Mt. Pleasant girls team and the Stanton girls, and the other between the boys.

Stanton presents a strong Junior High team, and this game should prove interesting to everyone present. The first game wil lbe called at 2:30 P. M.

The Mt. Pleasant girls won their first game of the season last Friday night when they defeated the Stanton girls by the low score of 2 to 1.

The Mt. Pleasant boys lost 20 to 19. The game was forced into an extra quarter, being tied 17 and 17 at the end of the regulation time. Everyone interested be sure and see these two teams on the Mt. Pleasant court next Friday evening, December 11.

Silverware for Xmas at greatly reduced prices at Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton.

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WASHINGTON'S LOST THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION

Few Americans, we are told by the United States George Washington Bicentennial Commission, know that the first National Thanksgiving Proclamation was issued by our First President, George Washington, in 1789; and still fewer people know of the interesting history of that priceless document. On October 3, 1789, George Washington issued his Presidential Proclamation calling for a National day of Thanksgiving on Thursday November 26.

This proclamation went into effect and was soon forgotten. No one apparently attached much importance to the Document itself. It was completely lost sight of. Most likely it was misplaced or attached to some private papers in the process of moving official records from New York to Philadelphia or from Philadelphia to Washington. All we know is that the original document was not in the official archives of the Government until it was "found" in 1921 by Dr. J. C. Fitzpatrick, then Assistant Chief of the Manuscripts Division of the Library of Congress, and now Editor of the forthcoming George Washington Bicentennial Commission series of Washington's Writings.

It was at an auction sale being held in the American Art Galleries of New York City. Dr. Fitzpatrick, an expert on Washington, examined the document and found it to be authentic. It was written in long hand by Wm. Jackson, Secretary to President Washington .at the time, and was signed in George Washington's bold hand. Dr. Fitzpatrick purchased the document for $300.00 for the Library of Congress, where it is now kept as a treasure. And no amount of money could remove it.

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Editors are asked to suppress the word "depression" in future. Now if someone will only suppress the thing the word is supposed to mean everything will be lovely.

New Chevrolets Now Displayed Aid Employment Throughout U. S.

Above: Special Sedan
Right: Head-on View

Chevrolet's new car for 1932 embodying silent Syncro-Mesh transmission in combination with selective free wheeling as standard equipment at no extra cost, and practically every proven automotive advance of recent years, is now displayed at dealer showrooms throughout the country.

While remaining in the price class in which it won world leadership this year, the new 1932 models offer features heretofore considered exclusive to the high price field, as well as a new front end mounting never before shown on any car.

Called "The Great American Value for 1932" the new line offers in support of this claim a twenty per cent increase in power, faster acceleration, top speeds of 65 to 70 miles an hour, new Fisher bodies with a modern streamline styling, down-draft carburetion, counter-balanced crankshaft, finger-touch front seat adjustment and many other refinements over the 1931 models which, from the standpoint of public acceptance, were the most successful in the history of the company.

Twenty standard and de luxe models are in the new line, of which the Special Sedan, pictured above, is the aristocrat. The lower view shows the new front end and the massive, powerful appearing hood enclosing the improved engine.

In addition to interest centering on the cars themselves, the announcement at this time has national significance in that activity brought on by production of the new cars is expected, at conservative estimates, to add materially to the earnings of 200,000 people throughout the country just before the holiday season and before the severe winter season sets in.

The company's 21 domestic plants all are busy producing cars as fast as precision manufacturing limits will permit so that deliveries may be made with the least possible delay. More than 30,000 of the new cars already have been built for dealers' showroom displays, and more than that quantity are expected to roll off the assembly lines during the present month.

The new car is the first in the low-price field to offer the combination of silent Syncro-Mesh transmission with selective free wheeling as standard equipment at no extra cost. A control button on the instrument panel enables the driver to use the free wheeling device only when he desires, and he is thus able to utilize the full braking power of the engine when desired.

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With the new streamlined bodies, the external sun visor has been eliminated, and its purpose is now served by an internal visor adjustable to any position in front of the driver. The left front window also has an equalizer built in so that the driver may adjust the window with little effort. On the top rail of the instrument panel is a removable ash tray for the convenience of front seat passengers.

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State of Alabama
A PROCLAMATION
by the
GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Ala- ama at its last session ordered an lection by the qualified electors of e State of Alabama upon a certain roposed amendment to the Constitu- on of Alabama, which proposed mendment is herein set out, and or- ered that the election be held on the econd Tuesday next after five onths after the date of the final ad- urnment of the regular session at hich the said Amendment was pro- osed, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature ad- urned on Saturday the 25th day of ly, 1931, and Tuesday, the 5th day January, 1932, is the second Tues- y next after five months after the te of the final adjournment of the ld Legislature at which the Amend- ent was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, gether with the proposed amend- ent is required by law to be given proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, overnor of the State of Alabama, do reby give notice, direct and pro- aim that on Tuesday the 5th day of nuary, 1932, an election will be held the several polling places within e State of Alabama for the vote of e qualified electors of the State of abama in the manner and form as quired by law, upon the following endment to the Constitution of abama, viz;-

"The City of Mobile shall be and t is hereby authorized and em- owered, without an election, to an- ually levy and collect a tax on the roperty situated therein, to pay e expenses of the City Govern- ent, at such rate as may from me to time be fixed by the govern- g authorities of said city, but un- ss and until an amendment to the onstitution of Alabama shall be dopted, permitting said City after n election or elections to levy and llect taxes amounting in the aggre- ate to more than one and one-tenth .1) per centum of the value of the operty situated therein, as as- ssed for State taxation during the eceding year, the total of the ad alorem taxes levied in any one tax ar by said municipality for all rposes (including any tax levied pay the debt existing on the 6th y of December, 1875, with inter- t thereon, or any renewal of such bt) shall not exceed in the aggre- te one and one-tenth (1.1) per ntum of the value of such prop- ty as assessed for State taxation ring the preceding year."

further direct and proclaim that ice of the election, upon the above forth amendment to the Constitu- n of Alabama, be given by publish- the same once a week for eight cessive weeks prior to the 5th day January, 1932, in each County of State of Alabama in a newspaper lished in said county.

WITNESS WHEREOF, I have eunto set my hand and have caused Great Seal of the State to be af- ed at the Capitol, in the City of ntgomery, on this the 5th day of ober, 1931.

B. M. MILLER,
Governor.

ATTEST:
PETE B. JARMAN, Jr.,
Secretary of State.

LABELS ON CANNED BEANS

Canned beans are put up in many different ways. A label saying "baked beans" or "baked pork and beans" means that the food was cooked, before canning, in an oven with dry heat. "Canned beans" and "canned pork and beans" are blanched, sealed in cans, and processed with steam. The terms "Boston" and "New England" on cans mean beans flavored with molasses. Canned beans, pork and beans, and baked beans other than Boston or New England style are usually packed with plain sauce or tomato sauce. Plain sauce is made with salt, sugar or molasses or both, spices, caramel, and water, and sometimes with a little vinegar or onion juice. Tomato sauce is usually made from tomato pulp and some water, and is sometimes spiced and sweetened.

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Arrested for punching his cousin, Henry Mannon of Chicago explained that his accuser had told him to "go to blazes" and he "got hot."

Miss Mary Millbank recently landed in New York from Europe carrying as souvenirs of her trip a number of snails gathered at Hamstead Heath, Eng.

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It applies only to the City of Mobile, and does not affect any other city or community.

It will not raise taxes at Mobile or anywhere else, but permits the transfer of a 3½ mill tax from payment of an old debt to the payment of present day obligations and interest thereon.

It will save the City of Mobile the loss, expense and embarrassment of a possible receivership, with coincident receivership fees which our citizens would have to pay in the long run.

It will enable the City of Mobile to pay its just debts, incurred for public improvements by which its citizens and property owners have greatly profited; investments made upon the demand and with the approval of the people.

The Mobile Clearing House and all of the banks, familiar with the City of Mobile's present necessities, are in favor of this amendment; which is unanimously endorsed by the Board of City Commissioners of Mobile.

The City of Mobile is required to pay the expense of this election.

Vote for the Mobile Amendment January 5, and Permit Mobile to Continue to be an Honest Debt-Paying City.

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News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Aanon Danielson died November 21, 1931, at the age of 87 at his home in Tacoma, Wash., following a stroke of paralysis. Mr. Danielson had been a resident of Thorsby for many years and left here for Tacoma in June of last year. He was universally liked and his many friends will be sorry to hear of his passing.

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Mrs. F. O. Higgins and children of Birmingham were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Higgins.

Mrs. S. M. English and Mrs. T. C. Sims motored to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Reagan, Mr. Walter Parnell and Miss Christine Bosworth motored to Selma Sunday.

Mr. Hugh Primm of Calera moved to Thorsby last week and are occupying the red house at the rear of Townsend's place.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Raybon and children spent a few days in Birmingham last week.

Mrs. C. M. Williams is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Tommy Thomason, at Lay Dam.

The L & N announces that reduced fares to all points in the southeast will be in effect this Christmas. These rates will be effective from December 16 to 25 with the return limit January 6.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Davenport and Mr. Ben Davenport motored to Montgomery Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Each and family and Mr. and Mrs. Nels Petersen and son, Norman, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Peterson.

Saturday beginning at 12:30 the W. M. U. will have a parcel post sale at the city hall. The packages cost 25c and a plate lunch will be served for ten cents.

Little Farrell Gibbons is recovering splendidly after a case of diptheria.

Mr. and Mrs. George Graves and family of Speigener and Mrs. B. M. Gray of Wadsworth spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray.

Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway, Mrs. R. R. Franklin and Mrs. Mack Gray spent Wednesday in Birmingham.

Mrs. Vivian Dennis and friend, Miss Lee, of Birmingham spent Sunday with Mrs. Martha Grothy.

Dr. and Mrs. Lee returned Sunday after spending a week in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith and Mrs. Madge Scarborough visited Mrs. Lela Martin Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Franklin, the widow of James Franklin, who died some months ago, died Thursday morning and was buried last Friday, December 4.

Arthur and Reno Villadsen spent a short time Monday visiting their mother, Mrs. A. S. Villadsen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wright spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Marcus.

A surprise party was given Miss Christine Bosworth last Saturday night about forty young people were present. Everyone had a joyous evening.

The chicken supper given at the home of Mrs. Gerald Friday night for the benefit of the Congregational church was a great success. Twenty-one dollars and fifty cents was cleared.

Miss Roma Stirling, sister of Mrs. J. O. Lawson, is home from school with a scalded ankle.

Mrs. Jim Collins and two children have recovered from chicken-pox.

Miss Elizabeth Whitley of Birmingham is the guest of Miss Mary Sue Robinson for a few days.

Mr. Henry Robinson is spending several weeks in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Robinson spent last week end in South Alabama.

Mr. Coy Kendrick and Mr. Bell of Birmingham spent Sunday in Thorsby with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Turner Gamble moved last week to the Townsend place on the old Montgomery highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Moody arrived Tuesday to spend the rest of the week with her mother, Mrs. H. M. Gerald

We realize that the news items this week are somewhat short. This is due to weather conditions and the difficulty of getting around to see everybody. We would thank anybody who has an item they wish published to cooperate by leaving these items at the depot.

Thorsby Institute News

Miss Onita Klingelhoefer spent the week end in Birmingham. On Sunday she attended the new community Congregational Church there of which Dr. Mordecai is pastor. She was invited to speak to one of the women's Sunday school classes about Thorsby Institute. The women expressed a desire to visit and to help the Institute. This church has about 500 members and an even larger attendance.

Monday night Miss Fairbank, Miss McKee and Miss Klingelhoefer of the Institute faculty and Miss Jennie Robinson attended the Shakespearean play "Hamlet" given at the Temple Theatre, Birmingham, by the Thurston Players. They enjoyed it very much.

Next Saturday night at the Institute the Christmas program of the Helen Keller Literary Society will take place. There will be a Candle Lighting Service with the beautiful Christmas Carols sung; also a Christmas play, "Why the Chimes Rang," will be given. Admission will be ten cents.

On Saturday Principal Fogle of the Pleasant Hill Academy, Tennessee, visited the Institute. He was formerly County Superintendent of schools in Maryland. He reported that in Maryland football was banished from the Public schools several years ago and Soccer was substituted.

Another visitor on Saturday was Rev. W. R. Kedzie, D. D., one of the Secrataries of the Congregational Education Society.

The second term of the Institute closes Friday of this week. The new term begins Monday. School closes for the holidays on the 17th, reopening on the 30th.

The Institute appreciates very much the various canned fruits, canned vegetables and other vegetables not canned that have been donated at various times since school opened. Such gifts are most welcome, especially at a time when the school needs every bit of help it can get.

The Christian Endeavor met last Sunday evening at 6:30 P. M. The leader was Miss Odie Lee Arthur of the Missionary Committee. The topic was "India." Much interesting information was given on the subject. Several first hand bits of information were read from letters from Dr. and Mrs. Edward Fairbank, Missionaries in India, by Miss Fairbank, who is a cousin of Dr. Fairbank.

The programs were printed and given to each person as they entered. This made the meeting quiet and reverent. The topic was followed by pictures on India by Rev. Each, the pastor.

The topic for next Sunday will be "Making Christmas Christian" led by Evie Lee Rowe. All young people who do not attend Young People's meetings at the other churches are invited to worship with us.

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Etta Pancake runs a roadside eating place in Southern Pennsylvania.

"Inside" Information

Fine steel wool is good for scouring your aluminum saucepans.

If you have some jelly which is not firm enough to use on the table, it will do in place of cider or grape juice in fruit cake or mince meat

Farmers' Bulletin 1497-F contains much useful information about laundering clothes and some suggestions about ironing them. How to fold a man's shirt, tablecloths, and other flat pieces, and how to wash sweaters, curtains, blankets, pillows, and infant's woolens are among the practical directions.

Cooked rice has a good many uses besides being served for dinner in place of potato or as a breakfast cereal. Put it in soups; combine it with baked and stewed dishes; use it in waffles, spoon bread, muffins, cookies, and even in sponge cake; use it in salads; make it into desserts, such as farmers' pudding or custard rice pudding, or rice with stewed fruits or preserves.

"Hopping John" is an old fashioned country name for a dish made of dried blackeyed peas and rice. Wash one cup of the peas well and cook them in a covered pan in 3 or more cups of water with ½ teaspoon of salt until they are tender but not broken. Cook ½ cups of rice for about 20 minutes in 2 quarts of boiling water, to which 1 teaspoon of salt has been added. As soon as the grains of rice are soft to the center, drain and pour cold water enough through it to remove the surplus starch and keep the grains whole and separate Brown 1 cup of diced salt pork until crisp, remove from the skillet, and cook a medium-sized onion, chopped, in the fat for 2 or 3 minutes. Add the rice, peas, and fried salt pork, and season with tobasco and red pepper. Serve with horseradish or chili sauce.

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Eva Bedard had to change only one letter of her name when she married Ameda Berard of Providence, R. I.

Miss Ethel Burns of Chicago testified in her divorce suit that she was intoxicated after being given one drink and got married without knowing what she was doing.

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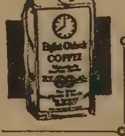

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The Democrats And Bankhead

Senator Robinson, the Democratic leader, says that the Democrats of the Senate have unanimously agreed that they will vote to seat Mr Bankhead. The Democrats are unanimously agreed that "there is no justification either in fact or in precedent for any movement to defer or delay the seating of Senator Bankhead."

It is apparent that the blood of the Senate Democrats is up and they are squaring off for a fight. They will vote to seat the Alabamian, and we have no doubt that a number of Republicans will vote with them. In that case the Alabamian will be seated without difficulty. But the matter will not necessarily end there. The Senate can seat Mr. Bankhead and then in its own time consider the questions about which the dubious Hastings professes to be so much exercised. If a majority of the Senators agreed with Hastings, they could then vote to vacate the seat held by Senator Bankhead.

But once Mr. Bankhead is seated we believe the sorry mess will come to an end and we shall hear little more about it. It is easier to deny a Senator admission than to expel him after he is admitted. Once seated Mr. Bankhead will be in position to meet his attackers face to face and battle with them on even terms. His moral position would be materially improved if he should be given his seat in the beginning.

The Advertiser has never believed for a moment that Senator Bankhead would be denied the fruits of his honest victory, but it has been plain for a year that he would be harassed as much as possible and that a studied effort would be made by some of the Republicans to besmirch the Democratic party of Alabama. Naturally there are some Republicans, close to the administration, who would go rather far to discredit the Democrats who beat Tom Heflin, and it possible open the way for Heflin's re-election. They need Tom—but it might interest them to know that even if they should deny Bankhead his seat Bankhead would be promptly reelected by the Democrats of Alabama, and that even if he were not a candidate Heflin could not win. Some of the Republicans want their Heflin back, but there is not a chance to get him. Montgomery Advertiser.

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The Spirit of Christmas

The pleasing custom of using living, outdoor trees as Christmas trees is becoming more and more popular every year. We hope to see some trees in our town this Christmas decorated with colored lights connected to the house circuit, so that everybody can share in the jubilation of the Christmas season.

Nobody knows, so far as we can find out, where the idea of a decorative tree as a symbol of Christmas originated. But like many another ancient custom, the source of which is lost in the dim past, it is a beautiful and time-honored custom which arouses sentimental reflections and happy memories in the mind of everyone, no matter how old, in whose youthful life the Christmas tree formed the center of the family gathering on Christmas Day.

But the feast of Christmas and the Christmas tree imply very much more than merely pleasant recollections.

There is no race or religious creed which does not believe, in some form or other, in a divine promise of a better world. Science may never be able to prove the existence of God, but the faith of the truly religious is not a matter of proof. No one can live very long in this world without discovering that the forces which make it, from generation to generation, a better world to live in, and which are steadily making human beings more kindly and tolerant toward each other, are not the forces which science has discovered and industry has harnessed, but are forces which come from within the human soul and that spirit of tolerance, of kindliness, of "peace on earth, good will to men" is, to all Christians, a spirit flowing directly from the Heavenly throne. And what we celebrate at Christmas is the manifestation of that spirit on earth.

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Compulsory Voting

We sometimes wonder what would happen if everybody who is entitled to vote at a Presidential election were compelled to go to the polls or go to jail. The first thing we would have to do would be to build a lot more jails. For at the last Presidential election, in 1928, only just a bare half of the citizens who were entitled to vote took the trouble to do so. According to a recent report of the Census Office, there are 72,943,624 persons more than twenty-one years old in the United States. The total vote cast for all candidates for president in 1928 was 36,724,625.

We are not sure but what there is some merit in the idea of compulsory voting. Something of the sort is being tried, we understand, in some of the smaller republics of Europe. We believe it would be a very good thing for the nation if some way could be found to make it absolutely necessary for every citizen of voting age to go to the polls, at least once every four years, and cast some kind of a ballot, whether intelligent or not.

We believe that the forces of corruption in public offices retain their main power because such a high proportion of people who regard themselves as good citizens do not take the trouble to cast their ballots. We believe that it would be an effective way of making our people recognize that they are really a part of the government, if we could figure out some way of making it worth while for everybody to go to the polls on election day, or uncomfortable for them if they did not. And when election was over there would be no question in anybody's mind as to what the nation as a whole really thought about the candidates and the issues.

"ROUND TOWN"
---by Doug

Diogenes lighted a candle in the daytime and went around saying, "I am looking for a man."

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That fellow Diogenes must have had ideas in his head about a man. That reminds me of what they say about some old maid school teachers who look under the bed each night before retiring to see if they can find a man.

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Just what they want with a man, I don't know. Neither can I fully decide whether they are expecting to find a man, or hoping. And I suppose I'll never know unless I try getting under some old maid's bed and let her find me there. But I don't believe it would be worth the chance.

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But really, laying off jokes, there is undoubtedly a story attached to the one about Diogenes looking for a man. To many the word man involves quite a bit. Just because a person wears trousers and has the appearance of the male, is no reason why that person is a man—to some. There are several of the type above I could name in Clanton—that is, I mean those who are really men, and not just persons wearing trousers and having the appearance of men.

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In my opinion there are many who wear trousers and look like males, who could really be Men, if they would take a second thought or so, before acting or speaking, sometimes, or something.

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Was looking through some files the other day and found my credentials as Chilton County's Certified Critter-Sizer. So now, if I should wish to do some crittersizing, or something, I have my credentials. Have been somewhat putting on the soft pedal lately until I could find those certified credentials from Dooker Pooker, the International Authority.

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It won't be long now until I'll have to be naming my Who's Who for Clanton for this year. 'Twill be rather difficult this time as I have been out several weeks and kind o' lost track of who's who. But by staying out late at night for the next week or so, no doubt I will be able to learn a thing or two, or three.

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Had a question asked me the other day, and I haven't yet discovered, located, found or invented an answer to it. After giving quite a lot of time to thinking it over, as well as considering it from both sides, I am still at a loss. The question was, "How did 'sin' get in kissing?"

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Isn't it funny how the man who doesn't go to church on Sunday mornings, will stand on the street corner and talk about the people who do go?

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Understand that the Kiwanis Club is making preparations to make some step to aid in the unemployment situation that will face Clanton during the next three or four months.

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Teachers in the schools of this county met at the courthouse yesterday afternoon. Out of this meeting I understand that something important will come. Don't know whether this newspaper got a story on it or not. However, the question, "Will Chilton's schools close next month?" was supposed to be answered.

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To me there seems something rotten in Denmark about this local school situation that I can't understand. I'm afraid that somebody has misrepresented the truth about their opinion on this matter. Nope, I don't mean you. It's somebody else.

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Heard that the meeting held at the church the other night to discuss the local school situation led up to discussions from most everything from a Justice of The Peace to the President, saying nothing of the one or two speeches made that apparently had as their subject "I" or "Me", and got away off the local matter which was to be discussed. I don't like to hear that men will take advantage of such things to pull a little political stunt. If they could hear the comments from those who hear them, then I imagine it would stop.

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Well, well, well, who'd a thought it. Jim Wade and Kitty are married. 'Twasn't a surprise to me because I started once to predict their wedding within a very short time -but it did happen sooner than I thought. To Jim and Kitty I extend best wishes and congratulations. I'm just wondering where they are right now—it's Tuesday night.

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Did a crowd gather to see that twenty millionth Ford? I'm telling you that a little publicity went a long way when it comes to that. The streets were so crowded in town Tuesday at the Ford place that a fellow could not get through, and it was raining at that. My hat's off to Miss Ruth Sessions with her blonde beauty, taking the part of official sponsor for Clanton Motors in welcoming the car here. She did it up in fine shape.

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Wondering what to say about the play the Pilot Club put on. I see no reason why I should not say that it was fine, and regardless of the many handicaps they had to work under, the cast did exceptionally well.

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Folks are still going down to Polk Brothers to see those new Chevrolet cars. They are really sumptious, believe me, and if I was a young fellow with a little cash I might buy one, or two.

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More income than outgo spells easy times regardless of the general financial outlook.

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One educated child can ask more questions than two half-educated parents can answer.

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Weather never pleases people. When it rains it is too wet and when it doesn't it is too dry.

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There's nothing the matter with religion, even if many people know little about its application to life.

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It's getting so nowadays that most any hunter can shoot another hunter in the bushes, and call him a "deer."

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Well, who knows but that others might exist—we have spotted one man who admits that he reads these paragraphs.

Eighteen Are Sent To Pen From Local Court Tuesday

(Continued From Front Page)

court Monday and Tuesday:

Following is the report on disposition of cases which came before the non-jury State Trial Docket of Circuit Court here December 8, 1931:

C. C. Simmons, petit larceny, continued. Joe Bike, V. P. L., $50 and costs. Joe Farmer, driving M. V. W. L., continued. Bennie Connell, G. L., sentence set aside. Willie Philgreen, F. Check, nol prossed. O. A. Price, R. Driving W. I., continued. Renza Mims, V. P. L., $50 and costs. Homer Ratliff, dis. a public A., fined $5. Tom Davis, V. P. L., fined $50. George Huett, V. P. L., continued. Joe Tom Middlebrooks, V. P. L., fined $50 and costs. Tearse Killingsworth, A. I. O. L., sentence set aside. Ervin Wilson, V. P. L., nol prossed. Merle Deats, A. I. O. L., continued. T. D. alias Tip Roper, V. P. L., $50 and costs. G. W. Coburn, maintaining an insanitary privy, nol prossed. General Harrison, C. C. P., fined $50 and costs. Reuben Willis, V. P. L., continued. Thomas Hawkins, V. P. L., continued. John Ratliff, S. mortgaged P., continued. Arnold Littleton, V. P. L., fined $50. Rufus Bearden, V. P. L., fined $50. Sug Bryant, O. M. without L. T., continued. John Mims, A. I. O. L., continued. Miles B. Arant, V. P. L., fined $50. Gordon Hudson, V. P. L., continued.

C. E. Faulkner, V. P. L., continued. Homer D. Henson, A. I. O. L., continued. Homer D. Henson, A. & B., con- Roberta Henson, A. I. O. L., continued. Roberta Henson, A. & B., continued. Dewey Powell. V. P. L., $50 and costs. Buster Roebuck, A. I. O. L., nol prossed. Otto Roebuck, A. I. O. L., nol prossed. Arthury Gibson, bad check, continued. Albert Tillery, A. & B., nol prossed. Lum Gill, V. P. L., continued. Jack Tyus, V. P. L., continued. Charlie Henry, driving W. intoxicated, fined $100 and costs. John Henry. V. P. L., continued. Dewey Lucas, V. P. L., continued. Quinton W. Branton, V. P. L., continued. Tom Hughes, V. P. L., continued. Brack Pearson, V. P. L., fined $50. Retherford Varner, V. P. L., continued. James Chisholm, V. P. L., continued. Annie Margarette Chisholm, V. P. L., nol prossed. Arland Dooley, A. & B., continued. Curtis Giles, V. P. L., fined $100 and costs. S. D. McCary, V. P. L., continued. Jim Varner, V. P. L., continued. Wallace Jackson, A. & B., nol prossed. Powell Sullivan, V. P. L., continued. Earnest Baker, V. P. L., continued. Horace Mims, driving M. V. W. a L. T., continued.

Carl Sammons, dis. R. W., nol prossed. John Lee Jackson, A. I. O. L., continued. William E. Love, V. P. L., continued. Welch Darby, petit larceny, continued. Tom Boyd, A. & B., nol prossed. L. B. Stone, D. M. V. W. Intox., continued. Enoch Glass, A. & B., continued. Radford Varner et al., defaulting bond, one cent and costs. Dewey Splawn, mfg. whiskey, 1 year and 1 day to 13 months. Glenn Wooley, petit larceny, continued. Napoleon Stone,, O. M. V. W. A. License, $12.00 and costs. Isaiah White, O. M. V. W. L., $12.00 and costs. Isaiah White et al, defaulting bond, one cent and costs. Joe Farmer et al, defaulting bond, discontinued. Wallace Jackson, et al, defaulting bond, fined one cent. Buck Hannon, petit larceny, sentence appealed. Tom Lucas, V. P. L., continued. Henry Underwood, selling mortg. property, continued. Madison Davis, V. P. L., fined $50 and costs. Tom Lowery, A & B, fined $50 and costs. John Henry et al, defaulting bond, one cent and costs.

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Special Session Unlikely Until Last of March

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session of the Legislature until he is in disposition in the past on the part of any politician to incur the ire of the educational interests of the State. When properly aroused, the educational forces can wield a power in State politics that would play havoc with any aspiring politician. These interests did not become aroused when Gov. Miller was striving to levy an income tax and other taxes at the regular session of the Legislature but they are becoming aroused now and some express the belief that in the event of an extra session they may come around to the assistance of the Governor in his efforts to do something to relieve the financial stringency facing the State. This would mean an increase of taxes in some way or on some interests. Certainly, those familiar with the educational forces point out, there will be no disposition in these ranks to cut educational appropriations. On the other hand there will be a disposition, it is believed, to tax somebody further to get money to keep the schools running and pay back some of the $20,000,000 deficit the schools have caused the State to incur.

The Alabama situation has been likened to the United States Government situation. There is a heavy deficit and the Treasury is running behind daily.

possession of the report of outside auditors who will determine the exact financial condition of the State. And after he receives this report, which is not expected to be ready before late in December, it will take some days for him to study it and ask for supplemental data if it is found necessary.

Fiscal Matter First

Whatever special session of the Legislature is called, unless a short one for specific cotton relief is called, will be devoted practically entirely to the financial condition of the State. If, as is generally believed, the report of the outside auditors shows that the State is in the red more than $20,000,000 and going deeper at the rate of $4,500,000 a year, it is not expected that Gov. Miller will issue a call for the Legislature until assurance is given after conferences that the Legislature is in a mood to do something to relieve the situation.

Those who are in touch with the situation know that there can be but two courses open to the Legislature to take care of the schools and the enormous deficit. One of these courses is to raise revenue through some form of additional taxation. The other course is for the Legislature to relieve the situation through a cut in appropriations and inasmuch as education gets the big money, it is not believed there will be a cut because of the political power of the educational interests that some denominate a "machine."

Education Group Feared

There has been, it is pointed out, no of the Legislature, it might as well be denominated now as a tax raising session because the Legislature, in the opinion of many, will not cut appropriations to any extent, certainly not to the extent of cutting the big money consumer, education.—Atticus Mullin in Montgomery Advertiser.

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City Players Defeat Local Fire Fighters

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in effort the strength of the town team was too much. The gallant firemen went down to defeat under the overwhelming score of thirty-three points to fourteen.

Promptly at three o'clock the two teams lined up for the kick off and never has there been such a titanic struggle on a Chilton gridiron. The two teams went at it hammer and tongs during the first minutes of play, but the firemen were slowly battered down and soon their opponents had scored seven points on them. Hayes ran the ball across for the first six points and Ray added the extra point for the town with a placement.

The town team ran up a total of thirty-three points to the firemen's none and the game seemed to be on ice when that fearless, galloping ghost of the firemen's backfied took a town kick off on the forty yard line and ran it through the town team for his team's first score. This was the most spectacular play of the game, as the town tacklers ran along beside him and were able to pull at his pants and fuss with his hair, but were not able to bring him to the ground. This seemed to demoralize the town team for when the crowd almost went into hysterics the town team decided that they had enough football for the evening, and they let the fire department run another score around them and add the extra point.

The two teams, composed of former high school stars and players from the town and fire department, were not in the best of condition, and after the first half took the game more as a lark. Wagoner's run in the last minute of the game broke up the play for the two teams were exhausted and ready to call it one of the hardest evenings they had ever spent.

The fire fighters team was composed of the following: Doodle Gore, Red Wagoner, Milton Smith, Wilbur Scarbrough, J. E. Easterling, Courtland Rutherford, Earl Gore, Albert Davis, Rufus Brown, Shucks Cleckler, Eddie Wyatt and Sleepy Miller, Luther Culpepper and Arthur Broadhead.

The town team was composed of the following players: Bull Ray, Pete Sanford, Harris Hardy, Jack Hayes, Benson Simms, George Johnson, Jim Wade, Booty Grant, Dooney Wagoner, Joe Hester, Louie Smith, Hoyt Reynolds.

The proceeds for this event went for the purpose of purchasing additional equipment for the fire department and a good crowd was on hand. The proceeds of the game were around forty dollars, but we will hazard a guess that you couldn't drag the same bunch onto the field next Friday afternoon for a sum twice that large. The game is not worth the price is the silent opinion of the greater majority of those who engaged in this game for the sake of Charity.

The Congress of the United States will soon add to the tax receipts. And if Alabama is to go along with her present State activities, Alabama, too, will have to add to her tax receipts. In other words, if there is an extra session

Polk Brothers Display 1932 Chevrolet Model

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feature of recent years is incorporated in the new 1932 Chevrolet, as well as a new "stabilizer" front end construction embodied for the first time on any car. Outstanding improvements in the '32 line over last year's models are down-draft carburetion, counter balanced crankshaft, smaller wheels and larger tires, radically changed front end appearance, "finger touch" front seat adjustment, cowl ventilator on all models, hood doors instead of louvres, improved clutch and an additional cross member in the frame.

The 21 domestic plants are now bu producing the new line. The stimul to employment in the Chevrolet orga ization, in affiliated Fisher Body pla and among independent suppilers ma possible by the introduction of the car, it is conservatively estimated, will a to the earnings of 200,000 people.

Twelve standard body styles are in the line this year—three open and ni closed Fisher bodies—all in new Du color combinations and all with smart new features. In addition, eight mo els also are available with deluxe equi ment, making possible individuality ownership and providing selection from twenty different types.

Of the mechanical changes, the outstanding one is the new transmission unit, which is entirely Chevrolet-buil and is said to combine for the first time in any car the combination of syncro-mesh with simplified free wheeling as standard equipment at no extra cost. Free wheeling is provided by an over-running clutch, engaged at the discretion of the driver by a contr button on the instrument panel. This optoinal feature enables the driver to utilize the full breaking power of the engine if he desires, and to use the free wheeling feature only when traffic conditions make it desirable.

While the wheelbase remains at 1 inches, the car looks longer than l year, lower, speedier and more powerful—promises borne out by the great improved power plant.

The most striking change in exter appearance is the new front end, wh has been completely redesigned t year.

The new "stabilized" front mounting is an important feature the new car. In conventional mount the radiator, fenders and headlan are supported from the sides of the frame, and in driving over rough ro the front end weaves and vibrates. T is annoying to occupants of the car a frequently results in the origin squeaks and rattles at points of str

In the new Chevrolet, the fend radiator and headlamps are carried a single fender support unit, which is anchored to the center of the front cross-member of the frame. This p otal anchorage enables the front to sway with the body as a unit, thus reducing the annoying weave as well as the possibility of squeaks and ratt developing at points of stress.

A double tie-bar, chromium plated gracefully between the fenders a braces them, thus acting as a structural unit as well as an ornament. A support also extends from the tie bar to the radiator, anchoring the units securely together, also carrying the horn.

The radiator is entirely new in de sign and construction. The exposed core area is larger than last year f better cooling, and a new grille is b integral with the radiator in all models. This grille has square meshes stamped in relief, with the verticla lines acc tuated to increase the appearance height. The radiator shell is chrom plated, and the top band has a narr bead and a top panel embellished by the familiar Chevrolet emblem blue and white.

Front fenders have a deeper cr and skirts, and a wider bead comin a graceful point at the front tip of the fender. Headlamps, parabolic-shaped with convex lens are fully chrom plated and are longer, narrower than last year to emphasize the impression of speediness. Headlamps are mounted on the tie-bar, as is the new trumpet-shaped horn, mounted exter beneath the left headlamp.

Cowl lamps, similar in design to the headlamps though smaller, are stand ard with all sport models and mounted behind the chrome-plated cowl moulding. The lenses of these lamps contain prisms which reflect the headlamp glare of approaching car and afford a measure of protection the car in the event the driver forget to light the parking lamps.

The hood is redesigned to conform to the new radiator shape and of several radical departures from la year. The conventional panel of louv res is replaced by four ventilating doo on each side, chromium plated on th deluxe and sport models. This car" refinement enables the driver control engine ventilation in relatio to temperature.

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William Scoble of Denver was a rested for stealing a bulldog left in automobile to guard the machine.

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SPLIT SILK
FLOUR 24 lb. Bag. 49c
Plain or Self-Rising --- Per Barrel $3.85

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LARD 8 lb. pail 73c
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Compound Lard in bulk per lb. 7½c

FANCY BLUE ROSE
RICE 5 lbs. 18c

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Potatoes 10 lbs. 18c

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SOAP 10 bars 25c

GRANDMA'S
WASHING POWDER 7 boxes 23c

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BEST QUALITY
MEAT SALT 100 lbs. 70c

SNOW KING
Baking Powder lb. can 15c

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Letters To The Editor

JESSE BAKER URGES SUPPORT OF PEOPLES TELEPHONE CO.

Editor Chilton County News:

I would like to say a few words to the patrons of the Peoples Telephone Company. This is a serious crisis thru which we are passing, and money is hard to get hold of; but let me urge you not to set down on your telephone business. We must keep the business going. The Board and myself are doing all we can and so is the operator, Mr. Giles; but we can't do it all.

Everybody wants the phone business to keep going, but it takes some money to run anything. We have made the fee just as low as anyone can ask for. When the Peoples Telephone Company stops, then the people will realize what a hardship it is to do entirely without it. It will cost you more to get a doctor one time than a whole year's fee will be. So, come on and pay your fee as early as you can and help us out with the matter.

JESSE BAKER,
President.

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NEGRO GIVEN BACK PAY BY RAILROAD DUE FOR 50 YEARS

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 4.—Fifty years ago Jeff Brevard, negro section worker, decided to quit the Louisville & Nashville Railroad and left without drawing his pay. Friday he cashed a check for $12.80 for his back pay.

Jeff dropped out of sight and the railroad did not have any record of where to forward the check. A short time ago Jeff was "hard up" and decided to collect.

The auditor immediately forwarded the check and commended Jeff on his memory.

Jeff is farming near Montgomery now and the cash from the check looked like a "big roll."

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CIRCLE NUMBER TWO MET WITH MRS. BUD JONES, 7TH

Circle No. 2 met at the home of Mrs. Bud Jones Monday afternoon with fourteen present. Royal Service Program, led by Mrs. Eubanks, with other members taking part, was very interesting. This being the last of the circle meetings for the year, caused just a tinge of regret, yet many expressed the desire to put forth greater efforts in the coming year. After the program followed a short discussion of business, during which time Mrs. Jones, assisted by other members, served a delicious sandwich plate with coffee.

Those present were Mesdames Popwell, Joe Mims. Hugh Foshee, Heflin, Burdette, Leonard Williams, Curry, Fiquette, Reuben Wyatt, Eubanks, Dial, Miss Mattie McKee and Miss Garrett.

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Bleaches and other chemicals strong enough to remove stains will usually attack dyestuffs. It is therefore necessary, in removing stains from colored fabrics, to handle them more carefully than white ones. They should be treated rapidly and rinsed thoroughly. Color changed by treating with an acid can often be restored by using a weak alkali, such as ammonia solution or ammonia fumes. Acetic acid will often restore a color that has been changed by an alkali.

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CONSTIPATION take

"IF I got constipated, I would get dizzy and have swimming in my head. I would have very severe headache.

"For a while I thought I wouldn't take anything—maybe I could wear out the headaches; but I found they were wearing me out.

"I found Black-Draught would relieve this, so when I have the very first symptoms, I take Black-Draught and now I don't have the headache.

"I am a firm believer in Black-Draught, and after using it 20 or more years, I am satisfied to continue its use." —F. E. McKinney, Orange Park, Fla. 8-171

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WOMEN who are run-down, or suffer every month, should take Cardui. Used for over 50 years.

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Ladies - -

Now is your opportunity to buy that New Dress. You can easily afford two at these exceptionally low prices

"LeVine" and "Classy Jean" Dresses

Formerly sold at $16.75 --- $19.50 and $22.50
Will Be Sold at
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$4.95 to $6.95
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NOVELTIES and HATS AT COST and BELOW COST

The Watts Hat & Dress Shoppe
At The FAIR STORE, Clanton

New Salem Social Club

New Salem Social Club will meet on December 17th, at New Salem church. Le me urge every member to be present on this day, as it is our last meeting in the year of 1931.

We have small crowds and are working slow, but still covering ground. We few who attend these meetings would be glad to have larger crowds.

The best thing that we hope for are those which are most largely within our own power. We may not be able to foretell whether during the year the crops will have favorable weather. We may not know whether the particular business interests in which we are engaged will prosper or languish, but we do know that whatever industry or energy discretion or wisdom we put into them will bear abundant results. We cannot tell certainly whether uninterrupted health and peace will reign in our households, but we know that it will depend largely upon our obedience to the laws of the body and our faithful and loving care of and influence over those near and dear to us.

We do not know the details of our social life, what friends we may lose or gain, yet we know that faithfulness, loyalty and unselfishness on our part will insure to us pure and happy social relations.

NEACIE MIMS,
Secretary.

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Mrs. Sarah Ann Bryant, aged 80, of Chicago, has secured a divorce from her 85-year-old husband on the ground of desertion.

Melvine Goodenough and Ruth Christian were recently married at Los Angeles.

A year after his marriage his wife declared Alfred Thomas Scott of Detroit a "perfect husband," but now he is in jail for embezzlement.

Regretting that it was necessary to penalize Rev. Sid Wise for flogging a man, Judge A. P. Steel of Mena, Ark., fined the minister $1 but paid the fine himself.

Mrs. Ida Cortin of Chicago got a divorce after she found another woman's powder puff in her husband's pocket.

Asked in court how large a family he had, George V. Stetson of Cleveland replied: One child an an automobile."

Mrs. Mary Payne of St. Louis had 14 purses on her person when arrested for picking pockets.

Concord-Billingsley

We had a real good singing Sunday afternoon. It was well attended and a large part of those present were singers and some from several places. We were indeed glad of their presence and cooperation and extend to everyone a cordial invitation to attend our singings on every first Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Not only are the singers invited, but all lovers of singing also.

Our Sunday school and Christian Endeavor is moving on nicely just now but as it is drawing near the close of another year, we hope that each and every one of our members will make a new resolution and try to do more in all lines of church work during this coming year than we have during the past year.

We wish to speak in regard to our Junior Christian Endeavor. We have a real smart bunch of juniors and they surely do enjoy their work.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hicks and children of Billingsley visited Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams and family Sunday.

Mr. Ernest Klenner and Misses Annie Klenner and Girtie Mae Owens of Sardis community were visitors at the Shaw home Sunday afternoon

Miss Bessie Williams was the guest of Miss Allie Williams Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. Clarence and Charlie Williams spent some time during the past week with their uncle, Mr. C. P. Deramus, of Maplesville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Cowart spent the day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw, Sunday.

Messrs. Olin and Hudson Williams spent Tuesday night of the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hicks of Billingsley.

Miss Jettie Williams visited Miss Rowena Surles Sunday afternoon.

We Cordially
Invite
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tiffin
To Dine With Us
As Our Guests.
Sunday, Dec. 13, 1931
THE DIXIE CAFE

Isabella High School News

The Home Economics Club Girls, with the F. F. A. Boys gave a banquet last Friday night, December 4th, for their father and mothers. The banquet was given in the Home Economics Department and was carried out very successfully.

Mr. Sargent, an honorary member of the F.F.A. was the principal speaker of the evening, and his address was very helpful. He reviewed the work at Isabella high school and pointed out the remarkable growth which the F. F. A. organization has enjoyed. Others on program were Delos Culp. Marvin Durbin Luther Mims. Myrtle Durbin, Pauline Durbin. and Elizabeth Mims. Lorene Lecroy served as toastmistress very acceptably.

Mr Ralph Grant sang a solo and rendered several musical numbers during the evening which were greatly enjoyed by all.

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Some people are so modest that they shrink from facing the naked truth.

Balloon Wheels
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GUARANTEED
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TWENTY MILLIONTH FORD VISITS CLANTON

Henry Ford and his son, Edsel Ford (left) with the Twenty Millionth car and the first Ford. The latter was produced in 1893, and the Twenty Millionth Ford now on a nationwide tour, was driven off the assembly line by Henry Ford on April 14 last. It visited Clanton last Tuesday stopping at Clanton Motors. For story see front page.

Clanton Cash Store

Puts On Another Drastic

Price Cutting Sale

We understand that Jesse Baker, a member of the firm, and manager of the dry goods department, desires to quit the business, and their intentions are to sell out to someone the first of the year. But before doing this they are turning their stock over to Mr. Clarkson, the famous sales manager, with authority to make prices far below cost on most all merchandise, thus giving our customers the benefit of buying this high-class stock of goods at lower prices than cheap goods can be bought. We prefer to do this rather than give the benefit all to one person.

This stock consists of dry goods, clothing, and the famous all-leather Red Goose Shoes. You will buy strictly $5.00 dress shoes in this sale for $2.95. Everything else in proportion.

This will be your last chance to buy high-class merchandise at these prices. DON'T MISS IT!

Clanton Cash Store

CLANTON, ALABAMA

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At The Prices We're Selling
LUCAS HIGH GRADE PAINT, VARNISHES, SHELLAC, 4-HOUR ENAMELS, BRUSHES, ETC.
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End of Season Sale

NOW IN FULL SWING
Give Your Furniture A CHRISTMAS Coat of Bright Color --- Paint or Varnish Your Floors --- Give the Ford A New Coat of Enamel --- Top Dressing to Preserve The Top

Yes ***We Have A Beautiful Assortment of Transfers, Many Beautiful Designs. These Are Ideal To Make Your Own Xmas Gifts --- Easily Applied To Furniture, Vases and Bric-a-Brac.***
It Will Pay You To Buy A Supply Of These During Our Sale

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COLORED and DECORATIVE ELECTRIC LIGHT GLOBES --- 10 *Per Cent* DISCOUNT IN QUANTITIES OF SIX OR MORE GLOBES.
One Safety Fuse FREE with Purchase of 4 Globes

The James Sign Shop
Clanton, Alabama

Here Are Some of the 4-H Club National Champions for 1931

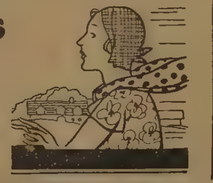
ROBERT E. OWENS Guilford N.Y.
MARY TERESA RICO- Keewatin Minn
MARION DOLAN Sun Prairie, Wis.
CHARLES L. BROWN-Battle Ground Ind.
CARL OLDHAM Charlottesville Ind-

These Boys and Girls Won National 4-H Championships at the International Livestock Exposition in Chicago.

Roscoe Owens won the Moses trophy for having the most outstanding leadership record in 4-H Club work. Charlie Brown, who is a Freshman at Purdue, gets the Lipton trophy as the "most outstanding" 4-H boy. Mary Rico made the best achievement record for 4-H girls and also gets a Sir. Thomas Lipton trophy. She is a Freshman in Minnesota Agricultural College. Marion Dolan gets the Moses trophy for girls, for rural leadership. Carl Oldham, star 4-H animal husbandman, won a $300 agricultural college scholarship, awarded by Thomas E. Wilson.

Rowena Rides the Rumble

By Ethel Hueston



Rackruff Motors hire Rowena to accompany Peter on a nation-wide tour in their roadster as an advertising stunt. At the last minute Little Bobby is engaged to act as chaperon.

A few miles out Bobby becomes tearful at being parted from her sweetheart and Rowena insists on taking her place in the rumble so that she can ride with Peter and have him to talk to about Carter. Rowena gets Peter to consent to divide the expense money each week as soon as it arrives, and astonishes Peter by eating too economically.

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To his intense amazement Rowena flushed hotly and bit her lip in some confusion, and most surprising of all, said nothing. Already Peter found it amazing when Rowena had nothing to say.

Certainly she had plenty to say at Niagara Falls when Peter prepared to do his picture of the Rackruff roadster, with her at the wheel, both showing faintly under a fine mist of falling water. When it came to doing pictures, Peter was unbearable. Carter himself could not have been more hatefully dictatorial. He told her what to wear, how to sit, how to rouge her lips. He told her how to hold the wheel, which way to turn her head, just where to fluff her hair and where to draw it back.

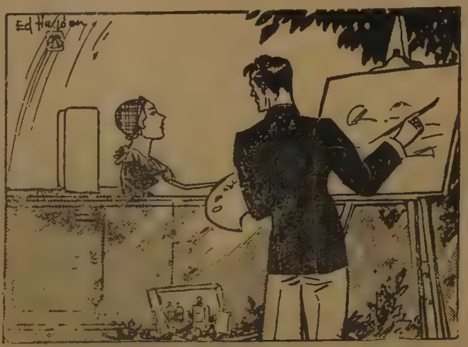
"Oh, Peter," protested Rowena faintly. "Please don't do my profile, I'm terrible that way. My face is too thin for a side view."

"Oh, I'll fill it in for you," said Peter comfortably. "It shows up better in the car."

"Oh, the car, the car," muttered Rowena crossly. "It's all you think of."

"It's all I'm paid to advertise," said Peter cheerfully.

When he had finished the picture Rowena wrote a brief adjectivorous story to go with it, and both were dispatched to Rackruff headquarters for immediate release. In addition to the motor story she wrote a short skit every day for use in the newspapers of different cities as they passed through.



At Rackruff headquarters in Chicago they received their first mail from home. There was one fat letter for Rowena, addressed in a big boyish scrawling hand. And there was one for Peter from the company with instructions for the tour and a check for the following week's expenses.

Bobby was thrilled with a huge package of telegrams, twenty in all, and every one from Carter. It seemed that every one of Carter's finer feelings was highly outraged, for each of the twenty telegrams ended with a stern command for her to come home at once.

Even in his wildest nightmares, he said in the telegrams, he had never conceived of a horror equal to that of seeing her much-loved features on public posters and monstrous bill-boards on every conspicuous corner in town, advertising a cheap new roadster.

Bobby's first intention was to ignore each and every one of these telegraphic outbursts, but by mid-afternoon she had relented so far as to send him a five-cent post-card picture of Lake Michigan. At supper-time she sent a telegram saying they had arrived safely and were leaving early the next morning; and then kept Rowena awake until three o'clock in the morning with the scratch of her pen as she wrote him a detailed account of everything that had happened so far.

After Rowena had read her single fat letter and smiled over it, and frowned over it, she went to her pocketbook and counted her money, down even to nickels and dimes. Then she called Peter's room on the telephone and asked if he would please give her her share of next week's expense money right away.

"Of course," replied Peter. "If you need more I can let you have it.—Don't ever run short of money, Rowena we can always squeeze out a little extra some way."

"Thanks a lot, Peter," said Rowena gratefully. "I think I can manage after this. But you're sweet to make the offer."

Even Rowena was amazed at the number of things about which Peter had his own ideas, all bad ones. The roads provided an unfailing source of dissension. Their route was clear and definite. From Chicago they were to go south to St. Louis, from St. Louis to Kansas City, from Kansas City to Denver. Nothing could be plainer. Between these cities stretched a broad highway, heavily traveled, expensively paved. The car was supplied with the best of motor maps, and the roads were clearly marked at every turning. Rowena—sitting in the snug shade of the stout umbrella she had bought, was comfortably satisfied to travel swiftly, steadily along the main highways from one objective point to another.

But Peter was all for short-cuts across country, and for all his deceptive air of extreme amiability, was strongly entrenched in his personal preferences. At every town—although not, as Rowena disagreeably claimed, at every telegraph pole—he made hopeful inquiries for short-cuts—for side-roads—for country lanes away from the traveled thoroughfares.

Bobby, as became a professional chaperon, was non-committally neutral. But so far from appreciating her disinterested amiability, it seemed more irratating to the others than the outspoken opposition they met in each other. And often they turned upon her sharply as if she were to blame for the entire argument.

It was in an exquisite wooded dell in southern Illinois that Rowena had her revenge. They had stopped at a quaint roadside log cabin for luncheon, and Peter, gazing pensively through a wide-open window, decided to do a picture on that very spot. Rowena had spent the morning in the rumble seat inditing swift notes on mid-western motoring and was anxious to transcribe them to the typewriter before her memoranda froze on her. So she asked Peter, very politely, if he would please do the picture of the roadster and the wooded dell first, while she was putting her notes into permament form, and then paint her in behind the wheel later on in the afternoon when the rest of the picture was done. Peter was perfectly willing, even eager, to lay over for an extra day, thus to allow time for her work as well as his, but he said a picture never turned out as well when a lady, or a house, or even a dog, was added to a finished product. Said it always stuck out like a sore thumb and never looked just right.

Rowena put up a good argument—Rowena always put up a good argument—Rowena lost her temper—she usually lost her temper—and the delicious log cabin waffles and honey were ruined.

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Divorced on Tuesday, Mrs. Frank Faust of St. Louis was reconciled with her husband the following Thursday and the decree was set aside.

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Robert Colvin of Cincinnati reported to the police that thieves had taken his 300-pound safe and all its contents.

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Because his wife had her hair bobbed Frank Margyl of Hammond, Ind., bound her with ropes and shaved her head.

EDISON'S ADVICE TO FARM BOYS

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1. Science, skill, and knowledge are as usable on the farm as in the laboratory.

2. Experimenting is important on the farm as well as in the laboratory.

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Use scientific knowledge, keep experimenting, work hard—Edison himself certainl practiced fully this philosophy. And he had faith, it will also be noted, that we shall develop a type of farmer who will become "the banner citizen of the United States."

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Brother Carroll delivered two wonderful sermons Sunday, and Sunday night. We were very glad to have him with us.

Rev. Parrish will preach here next Sunday at eleven o'clock. Remember the date, December 13.

Brother Carroll was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Weldon Sunday.

Miss Pauline Collins was the guest of Miss Ila Mae Cox Sunday.

Misses Edna and Ernestine Johnson and Myrtle Jones were the guests of Misses Ressie and Lela Devaughn.

Misses Vera Cox and Delene Owen spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Ida Owen.

Misses Everee Jones, and Rena Devaughn spent Sunday with Miss Audrey Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Edwards made a business trip to Montgomery last Wednesday.

Mr. J. W. Cox visited Mr. and Mrs. John Cox of Fairview Sunday.

Mrs. George Owens visited Mrs. Tom Henley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Devaughn spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Devaughn.

Mr. Clyde Bowman spent Saturday night with Mr. J. C. Terrell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Cox spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs M. W. Brown.

Mrs. G. B. Jones spent Monday of this week with Mrs. J. F. Devaughn.

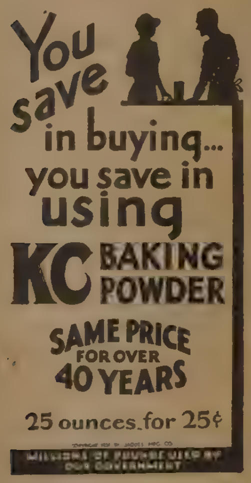
Lavern Terrell spent Sunday with Mrs. E. E. Rollins.

Mrs. Bertha Mann and Mrs. Mary Bowman spent Sunday night with Mrs. J. C. Terrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonza Baker visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cox Sunday.

Little Earl Wilkins spent part of last week with his grandmother, Mrs. W. D. Burnette.

Remember Sunday school next Sunday at ten o'clock, preaching at eleven o'clock and B. Y. P. U. in the afternoon.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Report Shows Good Work Is Being Done In The Class Rooms Of Local School For Third Month Of The Present Term

HONOR ROLL

First Grade: Dorothy Blalock, Blanche Taylor, Jo Frank Higgins Lamar Teel.

Second Grade: Clara Cooper, Helen Parrish, Sarah Nell Sessions.

Third Grade: Ann Ross.

Fourth Grade: Annie Cordelia Smith.

Fifth Grade: Theda Wyatt, Mildred Maddox.

Second Grade: Wilbur Prince, Frances Smith, James Duke Heflin, Jack Lowery, Wendell Parrish.

Special Mention List

First Grade: Grace Robinson, Essie White.

Second Grade: Kathleen Armstrong, Mary Frances Arnold, Doris DeLoach, Mary Roberts. Louise Eubanks, Preston Mims, Charles Mims, Walter Mims, Ross Tippett.

Third Grade: Wynell Jones, Grace Carter, Bernice Lowe, Lurline Benson, Norman Harris, James Carl Martin, Billy Callen.

Fourth Grade: Gertrude Eubanks, Lanell Eubanks, Kathleen Petty, T. J. Rasberry, Kennith Thompson.

Fifth Grade: Olive Ranier Elmore, Nell Rockett, Edd Goodgame, Mae Anniece Polk.

Sixth Grade: Willodean Teel.

Perfect Attendance

Shirley Benson, Dorothy Blalock, Katherine Gardner, Myrtle McKinnon, Sarah Petty, Lucile Potts, Grace Robinson, Essie White, Jo Frank Higgins, Jessie Richardson, Billy Hanley, Lamar Teel, Cecil Tompson.

Bruford McGuire, Otto Giles, Marvin Thomaston, Mitchell Powell, Edward Powell, Edward Sewell, Louise Downing, Tommie E. Parrish, Annie Louise Sanford, Thomas Petty, Barnes Plyler, Jr., Raymond Popwell, R. C. Smith, Charles Barnett, Barnett Sewell, William Clarence Price, Willie Bell Wyatt, Jewel Barnett.

Clyde Jones, Preston Mims, Charles Mims, Jesse Chartes Mims, Charles Neighbors, Wendell Parrish, Marvin Reynolds, Ross Tippett, Willie Vines, Clarence Headley, Lester DeLoach, Doris DeLoach, Helen Parrish, Sarah Nell Sessions, Nora DeLoach, Bettsey Ann Duncan, Sara Frances Clarke.

Percy Pitts, Buddie Popwell, James Sanford, Guy Hand, Ray Gore, Iris Alford.

Dan Alred, Dempsey Atchison, Alec Arnold, Billy Callen, Melvin Easterling, John P. Franklin, Joseph Green, James Carl Martin.

Allston Clenner, Wilton Gillespie, Sam Johnson, Douglas Lowery, Ray Miller, Erskine Popwell, Arthur Poole, Lewis Popwell, T. J. Rasberry, James Sims.

Norma Gene Gillespie, Francis Popwell, Janet Smith, Mary Nell Smitherman, Katherine Ware.

Richmond Sanders, Aubrey Teel, Dorothy Arnold, Francis Bean, Lurline Benson, Bernice Lowe, Ann Ross, Christine Snow.

Kennith Thompson, Joe Ware, Homer Wyatt, Jimmie Wyatt, William McClendon, Tom Hand, Charles Gore, Wilton Downing, Everett Popwell, J. W. Callum.

Marie Benson, Dewey Rene Eubanks, Margaret Golson, Martha Green, Louise Headley, Aurellia Mims, Agnes Powell, Christine Richardson, Clara Mae Rogers, Marzelle Taylor, Willodean Teel, Evelyn Wyatt.

Guy Alred, Morgan Collins, Grady Jones, Marshall Lee Ware, Carlis Wyatt, Elzie Sewell.

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MAGAZINE IS PAL OF BOYS

Those boyhood years between the ages of ten and twenty are the impressionable years—the formative years when the fundamental character of a boy is molded into the pattern it will maintain throughout the remainder of his life.

That is why so much importance is placed on the factors that govern the lives of adolescent boys—their companions, their environment, their reading, the food they eat, etc. At this age is determined whether the boy will develop into a cheerful or surly man, generous or selfish, intelligent or dull, ambitious or indolent.

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Brief News Notes

The British pound sterling on November 30 dropped to $3.40, a decline of 12 cents. It was a new low for the year, being the heaviest since the initial break when England suspended the gold standard in September

Mrs. Mary L. Malone of Dothan has been appointed chairman for Alabama of "Better Homes in America." She will serve one year. The better homes movement is national, many prominent Washington officials participating in it.

On October 31 the Cotton Stabilization Corporation, a Federal Farm Board organization, held 1,310,789 bales of cotton. Including costs, carrying and operation charges, and loss on cotton sold to date, these stocks represented an investment of about 18 cents per pound, or approximately 120 million dollars.

Nathan Adams, president of the First National Bank of Dallas, Texas, who has been very critical of the Federal Farm Board made an investigation, at the conclusion of which he admitted that he was mistaken and declared in the future he will be "just as aggressive in support of the board" as he has been in opposing it.

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NOTICE OF GRANTING OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Letters of administration on the estate of Mattie Headley, deceased, having been granted by the Hon. L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate, to the undersigned on the 24th day of November, 1931, all persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Witness my hand and dated this the 25th day of November, 1931.

H. J. HEADLEY, Administrator of the estate of Mattie Headley, deceased. 12-3-3tcA.

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Sunday School Lesson

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JOHN'S VISION ON PATMOS
Revelation 1:4-18
Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D.

There are three schools of interpretation for the book of Revelation: it has been fulfilled, it will be fulfilled, or it is being fulfilled. Most of the conservative scholars follow the latter method. At least, this is positive. Revelation tells of the final triumph of Jesus Christ and His Church, and this sublime fact is a wondrous assurance in the midst of present evil conditions. Do not try to find a meaning for every symbol or relate each episode to some event in history. Rather, read the book for its message of victory and the glorious way in which it presents Christ as King of kings and Lord of lords. No matter how great is the imagery of heaven, the symbol will be far less than the actual which will be experienced in time by the redeemed of the Lord.

John, the seer, was in exile on the island of Patmos and was granted the series of apocalyptic visions: there are seven series with seven items in each. Select the seven promises to the seven churches for cumulative blessings that come to the faithful.

Christ no longer is depicted as the Man of Nazareth in humble garb, but as the established Lord whom none can gainsay. He moves majestically in the midst of the churches. The occasion was when John "was in the Spirit on the Lord's day." This sublime manifestation of Him Who was once crucified is another argument for His immortality. The assurance is "I am alive forever more." Such contact with God was not to cause any distress and the encouraging word is given: "Fear not."

Turn now to the last chapter in Revelation and observe the heritage of the child of God. Heaven is the Home Land of the Soul. The invitation is to all: "Come—and he that is athirst, let him come: he that will, let him take the water of life freely."

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A survey in Mississippi revealed that farmers in counties having county agents have more food and feed and are in better condition than those in counties where no county agents are employed. This fact brought the conclusion that counties which cannot afford county agents now are counties which haven't had them.

Pleasant Grove News

First, let our News audience look over an error that was printed in last week's paper about Mr. Phillip Franklin being carried to hospital. It was an unofficial report (by Pleasant Grove cor.)

Last week our hope for Mrs. Alice Franklin was fading, but now she has crossed over to the unexplored land by a living mortal of this world. Mrs. Franklin died at 8:55 o'clock Thursday morning, December 3, of asthama.

Mrs. Roxie Price spent Sunday evening with Mrs. J. B. Franklin.

Mr. Phillip Franklin is improving.

Mr. and Mrs J. A. Wright spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Marcus of Thorsby, Ala. Mrs. Marcus is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wright.

Have You Been Told?

Hard times, fretting, distressing, and the cry for help is going about from one nation to the other and it seems that neither one or the other can respond to each other's call. Now, what's it all about is prices of farm goods and others, is it unemployment? Yes, but why must all this come? Because in the first place people have fallen away from God for the vanities of this world. Who? we may ask. It's those that are involved in that organization under his influence and his power as the prince of this world as Christ cal-ed him. Yes, too many of us have come branches of the vines of world, and not a branch of the tru vine.

Do we believe in God's word? If s let us refer to Psalms 37 and 19th v and see what David says of the righteous: "They shall not be ashame the evil time; and in the days of f ine they shall be satisfied." Let us come to our king for satisfaction comfort in a distressing and cr time like this time at present is.

Let us come to the book of Eze for just a glimpse of his view of a ti to come in the seventh chapter of hi beek we find that a time will c when the man rich of this world's g can do nothing other than pour gold and silver out in the streets, at this time will the "meek inherit earth." Let us try to bear all temptions with pleasure for God, for th is that we are laying up treasure heaven where theives break not and moths do not corrupt.

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Construction of 3,000,000 residence within the next five years is prop by President Hoover in a home bu ing loan system to supplement the F eral Farm Loan System and the Re serve System.

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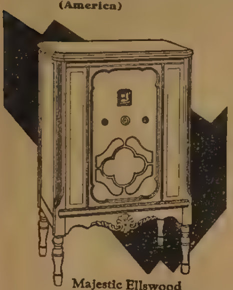

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Mrs. Curry Winner In Sales Contest

Mrs. Curry is being congratulated upon her recent success in winning a chicken in the C. H. Stuart & Company's sales contest. This well known toilet goods firm of Newark, New York, occassionally puts on various forms of contests for the stimulation of its representatives.

The recent one was a Thanksgiving poultry contest. There were turkeys, geese, ducks and other fowls for dispensing. According to Mr. Curry's story to the News reporter, she once was fortunate enough to reach the turkey score. Upon that occasion a check to defray cost of a turkey, was presented to Mrs. Curry.

Recently the order was received to go to the local dealer, obtain a chicken and have statement for same forwarded to the manager of the Newark, New York firm.

In the "Bringing Home the Bacon" contest of a few months ago, Mrs. Curry's share was more than seven pounds of the best sliced bacon.

As a sequel to the Thanksgiving poultry contest, the local dealer in question is on the lookout for the capturing of the nicest, tenderest, juiciest hen to be found, for the filling of the unusual and the interesting order.

Don't Burn Leaves

It is dangerous, wasteful, and unwise to burn leaves, The Progressive Farmer-Ruralist reminds us. A correspondent writes :—

"Autumn with its wealth of beauty soon will have passed and with it will go the leaves with their assortment of brilliant colors.

"Many dollars' worth of valuable plant food is being raked into piles and burned, while lean spots in garden and field are simply crying out for humus. Let's stop this dangerous, wasteful and unwise practice.

"In one corner of my garden I make a compost heap, putting down a layer of leaves, then a thin layer of soil, alternating leaves and soil until all accessible leaves are used, putting soil on top to prevent leaves from blowing about. This compost is fine for the garden."

Real news from Chicago: Jim Genna, gang leader, died of heart disease!

Allspice is the dried unripe fruit of the pimiento tree. It is called allspice because it is said to have the odor of all the spices.

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Mrs. J. H. Alred Hostess To Wednesday Card Club.

The Wednesday Card Club was delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. J. H. Alred last Wednesday. A series of games were played and a delicious salad plate was served to the following members: Mesdames F. J. Callen, John Deramus, Hugh Simpson, Grady Reynolds, Julius Burnett, John Browder, Napoleon Johnson, Arthur Johnson, and L. F. Gerald, Mrs. Hugh Jones and Mrs. John C. Page were visitors. The high score prize was awarded to Mrs. Browder.

Mrs. John Durwood Mullins and little daughter, Mary Elizabeth, arrived home from Birmingham Sunday.

Mr. Stanley Walker of Texas and Mr. Albert McGee of Oklahoma are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Alred.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stapp are in Columbus, Miss., with Mrs. Stapp's father who, at the time of this writing, is dangerously ill.

Mrs. C. Fenn Jones Hostess To Thursday Sewing Club.

The Thursday Sewing Club was delightfully entertained with a spend-the-day at the home of Mrs. C. Fenn Jones last Thursday. This occasion was enjoyed by the following members: J. Watts Moore, T. C. McSwain, John Browder, H. T. Pipes, P. T. Hinkle, M. L. White, Hugh Simpson, John Armstrong and John VanDerveer.

The many friends of Mrs. Alice Calloway regret to learn that she is seriously ill at her home in South Clanton.

M. J. R. Mullins, Mr. Fenn Jones, Mr. Frank Callen, Mr. Lee Smith, Dr. J. P. Hayes, Dr. and Mrs. P. T. Hinkle and Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Pipes attended the birthday party given by Dr. and Mrs. Hughes Kennedy at their home in Birmingham in honor of Mr. J. R. Mullins and Mr. H. T. Pipes last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Page and daughter, Peggy, and Mrs. J. H. Alred spent last Thursday in Birmingham.

Mrs. J. P. Hayes and Mrs. Lee Smith were in Birmingham last Thursday.

Mrs. L. E. Diefenderfer and children, Helen and Milton, Miss Ruth Prince and Mrs. Earl Gore motored to Birmingham Sunday. Miss Elsie Busby of Birmingham accompanied them back to Clanton.

Mr. W. W. Fox and Mr. Broadus Connaster spent last Wednesday in Birmingham.

Miss Clara Rainey of Bessemer is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. A. Jones, of Clanton.

Miss Leuna Wood of Calera spent last week end with Mrs. A. S. Prince.

Mrs. Clay Marcus was in Birmingham Saturday.

Mrs. Horsley White Hostess To Young Matrons Sewing Club.

The Young Matrons Sewing Club spent a delightful afternoon of sewing at the home of Mrs. Horsley White last Thursday. The members enjoying this afternoon were: Mesdames Grady Heflin, Spurgeon Calloway, Loren Smith, Joe Higgins and Dewey Rockett. Miss Fannie McMillan and Mrs. W. M. Guin were visitors.

Miss Fannie McMillan of Birmingham is visiting her sister, Mrs. Grady Heflin.

Reynolds will be hostess at the next meeting.

Mrs. J. Q. Wade was in Montgomery Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Polk motored to Columbiana Sunday.

Mrs. A. S. Prince and son, Wilbur, spent Saturday in Birmingham.

Mr. Thomas Gragg sailed Saturday for Liverpool, England.

Mrs. J. R. Mullins returned home Sunday from a week's stay in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds spent the week end in Atlanta, Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Middleton are visiting Mrs. Middleton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Littlejohn.

Mr. Curry Porter of Esamhill, Ga., was a business visitor in Clanton last Thursday.

Mrs. John Browder, Mrs. Hugh Simpson and Mrs. T. C. McSwain spent Monday shopping in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Polk motored to Sylacauga Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Heflin visited relatives in Randolph Sunday.

Miss Elsie Busby of Birmingham is visiting relatives and friends in Clanton this week.

Mr. Reno Natili was a visitor to Clanton last week from Birmingham.

Mr. Arthur Littlejohn of Birmingham is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Littlejohn, in Clanton.

Miss Cuba Keith of Birmingham is the guest of Miss Dewey Branch this week.

Mrs. D. C. Alred Hostess To "As You Like It" Club.

The "As You Like It" Club met with Mrs. D. C. Alred at her home Thursday afternoon. The living room and dining room were tastefully decorated with cut flowers. Late in the afternoon the hostess served delicious refreshments. Those present were Mesdames V. J. Gragg, G. C. Walker, D. W. Haskew, L. C. Warr, J. B. Atkinson, M. A. Gore, Flem Higgins, T. H. Neighbors, L. H. Reynolds, T. R. Burdette, C. Reese Mullins, W. W. Fox. Mrs. L. H.

UNCLE SAM SAYS

The Department of Agriculture has planted in this country more than 200,000 Japanese chestnut trees, which promise to be resistant to the American chestnut blight.

Out of every 100 buildings struck by lightning only 2 are protected by lightning rods. Lightning causes an annual loss of $12,000,000.

More than 3,000 varieties of soybeans are being harvested this year at the experiment farm of the Department of Agriculture. This is the largest collection of soybeans in the world.

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Billingsley News

Miss Jewell Lewis of Brantley was the attractive guest of Miss Willie Jeanne Patrick last week.

Mrs. Gregory of Tuscaloosa spent Sunday here with her daughter, Miss Bettye Jane Gregory.

Friday of last week was Parent's Day at both Elementary and High School. Quite a number visited each school. At the high school the visitors were served hot chocolate and cake by the class in Home Economics, of which Miss Gregory is teacher

Those who attended the Grand Lodge in Montgomery were Dr. E. H. Downs, Messrs. J. F. Culp, C. D. Foshee and G. T. Dickinson.

Mr. C. A. Marlar visited relatives in Birmingham last week.

Mrs. E. B. Mills spent Friday in Montgomery on business.

The Woman's Missionary Society observed the week of prayer for foreign mission Nevomber 30 to December 4. Each day through the week a program was given of countries where Southern Baptists have missionaries. The studies proved very helpful and attendance was good.

The newly appointed pastor of the M. E. Church here, Rev. Peacock, of Plantersville, preached two helpful sermons Sunday. Sunday morning his subject was, "The Firm Foundation of Christ," and the theme he used for the evening service was "Religion of the Heart."

NOTICE OF GRANTING OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Letters of administration on the estate of Mattie Headley, deceased, having been granted by the Hon. L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate, to the undersigned on the 24th day of November, 1931, all persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Witness my hand and dated this the 25th day of November, 1931.

H. J. HEADLEY, Administrator of the estate of Mattie Headley, deceased. 12-3-3tcA.

W. L. PARRISH
VETERINARIAN
CLANTON, ALABAMA
PHONE 214

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the people for their kindness and sympathy shown us in regard to the loss of our dear husband and father. Our hearts are heavy with grief and sorrow, but we shall never forget the things done and said by our kind neighbors and friends. May God's richest blessings rest upon each and everyone of you.

—Mrs. John T. Cobern and Children.

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Chrysler '27-'28, Plymouth '29, Pontiac '26 to '28	29x4.75-20	6.75	6.57
Chrysler '30, Dodge '28 and '30-'31, Essex '30, Whippet '29, Pontiac '29-'30, Nash '30	29x5.00-19	6.98	6.80
Essex '28-'29, Nash '28-'29	30x5.00-20	7.10	6.90
Chrysler '28, Oldsmobile '28-'30	28x5.25-18	7.90	7.65
Dodge '26-'27, Buick '26 to '28, Nash '27	31x5.25-21	8.57	[illegible]
Chrysler '29-'30, Dodge '30, Hudson '30, Oakland '30, Auburn '28 and '30	28x5.50-18	8.75	8.50
Willys-Knight '28 to '30, Oakland '28-'29, Buick '30, Nash '29-'30, Studebaker '29-'30, Hupmobile '28-'29	29x5.50-19	8.90	8.65
Willys-Knight '27-'28, Nash '28-'29, Studebaker '29-'30, Hupmobile '28, Packard '28 to '30	32x6.00-20	11.47	11.15

$4.98 EACH
29x4.40-21
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SIZE	Price of Each	Each in Pairs
29x4.40-21	$4.35	$4.25
29x4.50-20	4.78	4.63
30x4.50-21	4.85	4.70
28x4.75-19	5.68	5.57
29x5.00-19	5.99	5.83
30x3½	3.75	3.65

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Good Quality of Dress Goods, to go at 4c

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Good Heavy Weight Mixed Socks, also colors 5c

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A Good weight of Children's Unionsuits 1 Lot Mens' and Boys' 33c

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Genuine Fast Color, Heavy Weight Play Cloth, special in this Sale at 8c

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1 Lot Men's and Boys' good, heavy sweaters, slip-on or coat styles 48c

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A Good Quality Heavy Grade Work Shirt, in this Sale at 44c

DRESS SHIRTS
Just 200 left, regular $1 dress shirts, all sizes while they last at 50c

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100 men's and young men's all wool suits, some serges, all sizes $\$9^{50}$

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$1.95 Quality Pajamas to go at .... $\$1^{25}$

LADIES SLIPPERS
Positively the greatest shoe sale ever. New and stylish slippers $\$1^{48}$

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25 Ladies' Coats to Close Out. Mostly $10.00 to $20.00 Coats for $\$2^{95}$

One lot ladies short Coats in brand new lapina fur, nicely trimmed All sizes .... $\$3^{95}$

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One lot Ladies, Misses and Childrens Coats in all sizes. Values up to $12.50 for the unheard of price of
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MEN'S SHIRTS
Greatest Shirt Value Ever Offered, in whites and blues, all genuine Broadcloth, silk finish. A regular $1.65 Value for .... 98^{C}

Children's Silk Bloomers 15c
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Full fashioned silk hose, all colors 79c

Men's Haynes Underwear
Genuine Haynes-Unionsuits All Sizes at .... 85^{C}

MEN'S SUITS
They are selling fast. The Greatest Suit Sale You Have Ever Seen. Think of buying an all-wool 3-piece suit for .... $\$5^{00}$

This is an unbelieveable value. All we ask—Come and see for Yourself.

WORK SHOES—100 Pair of men's work shoes, all sizes .... $\$1^{39}$

WORK SHOES
See the greatest work shoe value in Clanton. Guaranteed, at $1.89

OUTING
A Good Quality Heavy Weight Outing; All you Want at 6c

LADIES DRESSES
Ladies Printed, fast color Rayon silk dresses for only $1.35

PEPPERELL SHEETING
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Men's Polly Overalls all sizes for 89c

MEN'S HATS
One Lot of Men's Good Felt Hats, in this Sale at 88c

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Fast Color, Yard-Wide Prints, special 10c

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Large size silk rayon Bed Spreads, all colors while they last at $1.98

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Bankhead Gets Seat In Senate With No Trouble

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licans who had been hopeful of finding some way to embarrass Alabama as a Democratic state in order to counterbalance disclosures of scandalous proceedings in elections in states predominantly Republican made no effort to object to administration of the oath.

True, Senator Shortridge, of California, chairman of the committee on privileges and elections, read a brief report of progress of the contest in which was incorporated a letter to him from Senator Hastings, of Delaware, as chairman of the sub-committee in the Heflin-Bankhead contest in which the Delaware member reiterated in the form of questions his professed doubt as to the legality of the Alabama election.

Senate To Decide Contest

In this letter, Hastings said it would be necessary for the full committee and the Senate to decide whether the Alabama Democratic primary of August was legal and if not what effect that would have had upon the subsequent general election, whether Bankhead had violated either the State or Federal law as to expenditures; whether the recount showed such disregard of the Alabama election laws as to invalidate the election and whether questioned ballots should be excluded.

No material change in the result of the election was disclosed by the recount, Senator Hastings stated in the letter read to the Senate, but he added that in 2,043 boxes examined there was not "a single one found where the law was fully complied with" and he expressed the opinion that this fact raised "a serious question" as to whether there was a legal election.

Miller, Bankhead Exchange Telegrams As Senate Opens

After he had taken the official oath of office when Congress convened in Washington Monday morning, U. S. Senator John H. Bankhead telegraphed Gov. Miller: "Sworn in without objection."

The Governor promptly wired back the following reply: "Delighted. You won the election fairly and overwhelmingly and should be permanently seated without objection."

Large Crowd Welcomes 20 Millionth Ford Here

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from Clanton composed of Mayor J. Lee Smith, Judge L. H. Reynolds, John C. Page, W. Mack Wyatt of The Union-Banner, Billy Smith of the Chilton County News, and T. J. Littlejohn, local manager of the Ford place.

The officials of the motor company were composed of C. D. Hilton, personal representative of Henry Ford; E. D. Bottom, assistant manager of the Atlanta branch of the company; R. J. Burke, Lincoln sales representative from Atlanta, and L. E. Kendrick, zone manager. Following this introduction, and after several courtesies were shown to each group, the committee of dignitaries of Clanton were asked to place their signatures and titles in a log book containing names of other dignitaries of the United States.

The local dignitaries were then escorted to the Twenty Millionth Ford, where photographs were made of the Ford officials and the local committee.

Miss Ruth Sessions of Clanton acted as sponsor for Clanton on this occasion. She was seated in the drivers seat of the car, with a large bouquet of flowers. After photographs of this were made by the official photographer of the Ford Motor Company, Miss Sessions presented Mr. Hilton with the bouquet of flowers and a welcome to Clanton, followed by the presentation of a full size watermelon trophy bearing a bronze plate on which were engraved words commemorating the visit of the Twenty Millionth Ford to Clanton and Clanton Motors, was made by T. J. Littlejohn, local Ford dealer, to Mr. Hilton. Motion pictures were made of this scene. These pictures are to be shown over the entire country, and photographs of the group will be sent to Clanton soon.

Leaving Bay Minette, Ala., Monday morning, the Twenty Millionth Ford will have visited Atmore, Flomaton, Brewton, Evergreen, Georgiana and Greenville, Alabama, before arriving in Montgomery. Following the local reception it resumed its journey, passing through Birmingham and Gadsden, Ala., to spend Tuesday night in the latter city.

Question Of Drainage Will Be Brought Up

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zens appearing in the meeting at the Commissioners Court Tuesday, were J. Lee Smith, mayor of Clanton, and several members of the city council, and other residents in and near Clanton.

It is understood from the office of the Judge of Probate that committees were appointed to work out plans on this matter for a meeting to be held on Monday, December 14th, at ten o'clock in the morning at the office of the Probate Judge here. This committee is composed of A. P. Vinson and J. A. Mims, who are to represent the county, W. L. Popwell and H. S. Shaw, to represent the Town of Clanton. Dr. W. L. Parrish and Dudley Collins, to represent those citizens of the county who would be interested in the drainage of the swamps near Clanton.

This matter has been brought up sometime ago, it is understood, and is of vital importance as an improvement for the town. If the meeting Monday, December 14th, gives out any definite plans, this work will give to the people of this immediate section, employment However, nothing definite is reported until the meeting on December 14th.

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PATRICK-LEWIS ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED LAST SUNDAY

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The following announcement was taken from The Birmingham News of last Sunday, December 6th, and also appeared in The Montgomery Advertiser of the same date:

"Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patrick announce the engagement of their daughter, Willie Jeanne, to L. C. Lewis, of Montgomery, the wedding to take place soon."

Miss Patrick, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patrick of Billingsley, is a popular member of the younger social set of that place, and at Alabama College, Montevallo, where she studied.

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Failure of a wife to keep her promise to continue her job to help support the home, is one of the allegations of John Lawson, seeking a divorce from Kate Lawson in Crawfordsville, Ind.

CENTRAL SINGERS MET AT COOPERS SUNDAY AFTERNOON

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Chestnut Creek at Coopers was the meeting place of the Central Singing Society last Sunday afternoon. There were plenty of listeners, but not as large a class as usual. It was more of a community singing than it was a co-operative singing, since the people from that community and a very few more made up the singing.

There are eight churches composing the Central Singing Society, and just at present I am unable to think of anyone there Sunday from more than four of these places. Besides Coopers, there were singers from Maple Springs, Poplar Springs, and Friendship. Of course there were singers from other communities, all of whose help and presence we duly appreciate, but it looks as though Providence, Concord, Refuge, and Walnut Creek, had temporarily dissolved partnership with the society, as I am unable to recall anyone at the singing from either of these places.

Now, a singing society is like most everything else—it takes co-operation to make it go. Of course, no one expects any member to attend every Sunday, because that is almost impossible; but I do believe that some few from every community composing the society could be at every meeting place every Sunday afternoon.

Walnut Creek is the meeting place next Sunday afternoon. The weather will likely be a little disagreeable, but the singing will only be better if those present have to sacrifice a little in order to be there. Everyone who can, meet with us at Walnut Creek next Sunday afternoon at two o'clock.—T. E. Wyatt, Secretary.

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Fuller Mush—It says here that more men than ever went to the Hawaiian Islands last summer. I wonder why?

Anon Y. Mous—Haven't you heard? The grass crop was a total failure there.

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Sue—I hear Nancy has a propensity for petting.

Lou—She has no such thing. It is just an old-fashioned davenport like ours.

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Angus— Young Speedo claims he made a new record with his auto last year.

Sandy—Yes, he put 39 people in the hospital.

Pilot Club Expresses Thanks To Citizens

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The Pilot Club of Clanton has requested the News to state this week the club's thanks and appreciation for the cooperation given them in producing the play, "Oh, Professor" which was staged last Tuesday night at the Wadesonian Theatre.

Especially do they wish to thank the management of the Wadesonian Theatre. This theatre gave its entire door receipts for the night to the Club, and without charge, allowed the use of the theatre for rehearsals and two presentations of the play.

The play was a success according to general opinion, and was the first entertainment of its kind to be sponsored by the Clanton Pilot Club. The club also expresses its appreciation to those who took part in the play, to those merchants and business men who cooperated, and to all who took interest in the entertainment, proceeds from which are to go toward furnishing proper food to undernourished grammar school children of Clanton.

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NOTICE

A committee composed of L. H. Reynolds, Chairman, A. P. Vinson, J. M. Mims representing the county, W. L. Popwell and H. S. Shaw representing the town, Dr. Parrish and Dudley Collins representing the citizens was appointed to investigate draining the swamps near Clanton.

The committee will meet at the Probate Office Monday, December 14th at 10 o'clock A. M. and we invite all land owners that will be interested in having the swamps ditched and all parties who will be interested in work such as ditching, Clearing, cutting wood etc., to meet said committee at time and place stated.

This the 8th day of December, 1931.

L. H. Reynolds
Chairman.

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CHILTON COUNTY NEWS

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QUESTION OF SWAMP DRAINS DISCUSSED TUES.

Committees Appointed Tues. At Meeting To Work Out Plans On Drainage

A meeting was called by a committee recently appointed in regard to the drainage of the swamp lands near Clanton, to be held at the courthouse in Clanton last Tuesday, for the purpose of further discussing the matter.

There were approximately one hundred persons present at this meeting who were more or less interested in the matter. Several Committees were appointed to investigate various districts surrounding Clanton, and in the sections most needing the drainage. Each committee was composed of three men. These committees are to see if plans, or some arrangement, agreement can be made with owners of property in sections under question, the town officials and the county, by which the work can be accomplished.

A committee was also appointed at the meeting Tuesday to see if a market for timber to be cut off the lands under question, can be found and to arrange for that part of the plans now under way. This committee is composed of H. S. Shaw, John Thompson and Fate Popwell.

Nothing definite in regard to the clearing and draining of the swamp lands near Clanton is to be done, it is understood, until these various committees have made their surveys.

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Seventeen Arrests Are Reported By Officers

Seventeen arrests were reported from the office of Sheriff W. H. Gillespie, over a period of the past few days up to Wednesday of this week. Eleven were for disturbing public assembly, one for manufacturing whiskey, one for assault with intent to murder, three for desertion, and one for violating the prohibition law.

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POWER COMPANY MAILS OUT REGULAR CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Quite a pleasant stir was made in Clanton this week when residents began to receive checks from the Alabama Power Company. These checks were for amounts paid as deposits on meters of the company, with eight per cent interest.

Letters accompanying the checks stated that those customers who had always been prompt in meeting their light bills were receiving these checks. They are being termed regular Christmas presents by many.

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Friends over the county will regret to learn of the serious illness of Mrs. S. J. M. Webb, wife of a member of the county school board. Mrs. Webb was rushed to a Birmingham infirmary for an operation Monday, and was returned to her home in Mulberry Community, west of Clanton.

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GREENVILLE CHOIR TO BE HERE DEC. 27

Christmas Cantata To Be Given at Methodist Church at Eleven O'Clock Hour

There is a rare treat for all music lovers in Clanton on the 4th Sunday morning. At this time the Choir of the Greenville Methodist Church will be at the local Methodist church at the 11 o'clock hour, and will render a Christmas Cantata. Dr. Haskew has given over the entire hour for music and song. The Choir of the Greenville church is widely known for its efficiency and musical culture and the coming of this talent on this special occasion, will mean one of the greatest treats in the history of the town. Mrs. R. A. Beeland is director and will be accompanied with about twenty-five voices. All seats should be occupied in the large auditorium of the church on this day. The same program given in Clanton will be rendered at the Methodist church in Greenville on Dec. 20th. Thru the interest of Mrs. Julian Reynolds the choir has been induced to be in Clanton on Dec. 27th. The entire program will be in the next week's issue of this paper.

Christmas Pageant At Baptist Church

There will be a Christmas Pageant at the Baptist church in Clanton on next Sunday night, at seven o'clock, according to an announcement made Monday.

The subject to be carried out in this pageant is “Gifts of Time”, throughout which will be shown the development of Christmas through the years. A small admission fee will be charged, which will go to the benefit of two hundred and fifty orphans at the Baptist Orphanage.

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CITY REDUCES WATER RATES TUES. NIGHT

Traffic Signal Light Will Be Installed At Crossing On Highway Before First

Much ado was seen at the regular meeting of the Town Council of the Town of Clanton held at the city's office, Tuesday night of this week.

Possibly the item that will be received with most applause is the announcement that the rate on water has been reduced. Heretofore the rate was raised considerably, from $1.25 as a minimum which was in effect several years ago, up to $1.90 as a minimum with an allowance of one thousand gallons, and a cost of six cents per one hundred gallons used over the one thousand.

Tuesday night the rate was reduced from $1.90 to $1.50 as a minimum with an allowance of 1500 gallons instead of one thousand, and five cents per one hundred gallons used over the 1500. This reduced rate also carries the ten per cent cash discount if paid by the tenth of the month.

Traffic Signal Ordered

It was also stated that the town has purchased a traffic signal light to be installed at the crossing on the highway at Upchurch's. This signal is to be installed sometime before Christmas. City officials urge and insist that this light be obeyed in traffic, not only by motorists, but also by pedestrians. It was also stated that rigid enforcement of the traffic laws will go into effect. The light will be a 4-way signal, giving the highway traffic slightly more time than for main street.

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R. L. Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Hansen, Mrs. J. O. Johnson and Miss Edith Johnson of Thorsby were in Clanton Saturday.

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Enterprise Defeats Baker Jr. High Fri.

The first game between the Enterprise team and the Baker team was played at Baker Friday, December 11, the Enterprise team claiming the victory with a score of 18 to 5.

The players on the Enterprise team were James Griffin, William Wilkins, Cecil Yeargan, Guy Silas, L. C. Cagle, and Loice Stroud. The players on the Baker team were Morris Thornton, Sorrell Williams, Norwood Jones, Hughie Carroll and Vernon Baker.

James Griffin was high point man on the Enterprise team, making 6 of the 18 points, and Vernon Baker on the Baker team, making 3 of the 5 points.

William Wilkins and Guy Silas made 4 points each on the Enterprise team, Cecil Yeargan and L. C. Cagle making 2 points each brought the total score to 18. Norwood Jones made 2 points on the Baker team giving them a total of 5.

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VERBENA WOODMEN PLAN FOR INITIATION OF CLASS

With L. A. Ellington presiding as master of ceremonies, the Woodmen of the World at Verbena will conduct a big class initiation Thursday night, December 17, it was announced yesterday. Mr. Ellington, for many years prominently connected with the Woodmen of the World as an officer in Magnolia Camp No. 2 of Montgomery, will be accompanied to Verbena by a delegation of Montgomery Woodmen.

Deputy Evan C. Evans is working up this class and promises to have enough “fresh meat” ready to satisfy the most exacting. Mr. Evans is making Clanton his headquarters for the present and has already signed up a large number for this initiation.

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Mrs. J. C. Hughes and Mrs. Hattie Dickinson of Billingsley were in Clanton shopping Tuesday.

Teachers Agree To Continue With Schools For Full Term

Will Wait For Salaries Until County Board Is In Receipt Of School Funds From The State; Agreement To That Effect Is Signed

All schools in Chilton County will continue for a full term this season, unless three teachers who refused to sign an agreement with the County Board of Education, also refuse to teach after next month, according to a report from the meeting of school teachers of this county held recently at the courthouse in Clanton.

The problem of schools in this county closing on January 15 was facing the people. The County Board of Education asked the advice of business men on the matter, and it was advised to place the matter unfolded to the teachers. This was done at the meeting referred to above.

The question was explained fully to the gathering of school teachers, and many with the exception of three, signed a written agreement, stating that each individual teacher signing this paper petitioned the county board not to close the schools at mid-term, and that they understood the county does not have funds with which to pay them at present, and that they further understand and agree that salaries for 1931-32 will be paid in part or in full, depending on the amount received by the county from the state.

At a recent meeting on the school situation, the question as to whether the County Board of Commissioners could pay out of the general funds an amount of money to aid in paying teachers a part salary. Discussions disclosed that this could be done, as has been done in Colbert County, where the Board of Revenue took approximately $20,000 from the general funds of the county with which to help pay school teachers in that county.

Following is a statement from the Chilton County Board of Education in regard to the action of the teachers of this county:

“We, the members of the Chilton County Board of Education and Superintendent hereby express to the teachers and truck drivers of Chilton County our appreciation for the sacrificial spirit they have manifested in the interest of the children of Chilton County in agreeing to carry the schools on. We feel that it was an unselfish and volunteer action on their part and we call upon the citizens of the county to give these teachers their full co-operation in every way possible in serving the interest of the children and building such a system of schools in the County as will serve the best interests of said county.

We further pledge them our support and cooperation in every way possible and assure them that we will do everything in our power to secure funds with which to pay them for their services and to serve them in any way as it is possible to do so.”

“Beads On A String” To Be Presented At The Jemison High School Next Saturday Night

“Beads On A String” is the title of a play to be presented at the Jemison High School auditorium on next Saturday night, December 19th. The play is a three-act comedy, with fun and laughs throughout.

Characters of the play are all Jemison people, and it promises to be one of the best presented at the Jemison High School lately. Admission will be ten and twenty cents, proceeds going to the school.

Comedian part is played by Hugh Shaw. Joyce Howard impersonates a girl, to receive a large sum of money for his parents. Charles Durbin is Mr. Davis, rich uncle, who visits them and brings his niece, Jeanette Blue, played by Josephine Adams. J. W. Davis is Bennie's friend. DeLene Lawrence is Molly Mallerton, Bennie's promised wife. Cleopatra Oleomargarine Johnson, colored maid of the Davis household, is played by Vonzelle Atkinson.

Study Club Plants Memory Tree On High School Campus Honoring Mrs. G. C. Harris

On last Monday morning at 10:15 the members of the Study Club of Clanton assembled on the campus of the local high school and in the presence of the entire student-body and facutly held a beautiful memorial service and tree planting commemorating the life of a former member of the Club, Mrs. Grover C. Harris.

This fitting and appropriate service was ably and efficiently carried out as follows with Mrs. J. E. Gowan acting as chairman:

Song, America, by School.

Devotional, Dr. D. W. Haskew.

Presentation of Memory Tree, Mrs. Omar Reynolds, President of Club.

Acceptance for School, L. C. Warr, Principal.

In presenting the tree to the school, Mrs. Reynolds reviewed briefly the history of the Study Club in Alabama, and its connection in an educational way with schools and civic organizations of the State. She then paid a beautiful tribute to Alabama's birthday, and showed the relation of the exercises being carried out to the spirit of the occasion. The speaker next in a most pleasing manner commemorated the life and civic activities of Mrs. Harris in whose memory the tree was planted.

Prof. L. C. Warr, in behalf of the school, accepted the tree. He stated that Clanton and the high school should be proud of such an organization as the local Study Club, and should be proud indeed of the type of work and noble ideals being promoted by it. He pointed out to the Club members that he and the members of his faculty were endeavoring at all times to cultivate in the lives of the boys and girls the same beauty and usefulness exemplified in the noble character of Mrs. Harris. He expressed deep appreciation of the school for the beautiful Southern spruce and the interest manifested in this fitting manner of the Study Club.

The members of the Study Club are as follows: Mesdames L. F. Gerald, J. E. Gowan, J. P. Hayes, Grady Heflin, J. A. Hester, Burton Higgins, W. E. Huddleston, N. S. Johnson, Macy Jones, T. C. McSwain, Watts Moore, Renfroe Mullins, Omar Reynolds, Norman Roberts, L. C. Ross, J. Lee Smith, J. M. VanDerveer, L. C. Warr, Horsley White, P. D. Wilson, and Misses Emma Sue Morris, and Madelyn Orr.

Community Bakery Announces Reopening

Those passing by the Community Bakery, on Main street here, are welcomed by a pleasant odor of fresh cakes, buns, bread, etc. This bakery has recently reopened with a new and better start. Cases in the bakery are full of tempting delicacies.

Now connected with the Community Bakery is Mr. D. L. McLeroy, of Birmingham, with C. R. Bruce as the baker. These men invite the people of this section to visit the bakery and inspect it. See their ad elsewhere in this issue.

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M. F. Lett, of Route Six, was a caller at the News office Tuesday.

Alabama Was 112 Years Old Monday

The State of Alabama celebrated its 112th birthday last Monday, December 14th, with observances taking place in many parts of the state by civic, religious and social organizations.

Alabama was admitted to the union as a State on December 14, 1819.

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Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Reynolds, of Jemison, have announced the arrival of a fine eight pound daughter, on December 5th. The new arrival has been named Mary Edith. The News extends heartiest congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds and to the young daughter.

Jemison Noses Out Montevallo Team

Calera, Ala., Dec. 13.—Jemison basketeers defeated Montevallo on the local court by the score of 17 to 16. Jemison had a number of new men in the lineup, but they played smoothly and managed to nose out the enemy in a hard-fought battle. Lenoir was the principal scorer for the winners, but Finley, of Montevallo, was the outstanding performer of the game. He made 14 of the team's 16 points.

Jemison Juniors defeated Calera in a loose contest, 19 to 8.

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THORSBY MAN KILLED WHEN TRUCK SLIPS

Ab Atchison Receives Crushed Skull When Log Rolls Off Truck Near Selma

Albert Sidney Atchison, 45, farmer, of Thorsby, was instantly killed at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon when he was thrown from the trailer of a logging truck on which he was riding near Plantersville, and struck by falling logs which crushed his skull.

The accident occurred as the truck, driven by Buster Roebuck, of Maplesville, swerved to avoid striking a car which came into the road. George Davis, also of Maplesville, was riding the truck at the time, but neither him nor Mr. Roebuck were injured. The truck was en route to Selma with a load of logs, cut on the Roebuck place.

Sheriff Investigates Wreck

The accident was investigated by Sheriff M. C. Tucker who was called to the scene, and who had a mechanic examine the truck driven by Mr. Roebuck to determine whether the brakes were working at the time of the accident. It was found that the brakes had been damaged by the accident, and no charges were preferred.

Funeral Sunday

The body of Mr. Atchison was brought to Selma late Saturday afternoon by Brislin Brothers and prepared for burial. Funeral services were held Sunday from Mulberry Baptist church at Mulberry where interment was made.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Nolia Atchison, and seven children, who live on the Roebuck farm. A brother, Will Atchison, lives near Selma on the Range Line road at “Oakcliff” and three sisters live at Maplesville. These are Mrs. Annie McCreary, Mrs. Essie Hayes and Mrs. Franklin.

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Mrs. Alice Calloway Died Last Saturday

Death visited a home in South Clanton in the early hours of last Saturday morning and carried away the spirit of Mrs. Alice Drucilla Calloway. The deceased was 72 years old, and had been in ill health for several weeks, and a statement written by her sometime before her death showed that this Christian woman was ready to meet her Savior.

She has been a resident of this county all her life. She became a member of the Baptist church at Mulberry in 1876 and remained a devoted member. In 1879 she was married to Robert White, to whom was born two girls.

Her first husband preceded her to the grave by many years, and she married N. J. Calloway in 1890, to this marriage was born one girl, Mrs. G. F. Harris of Clanton.

The deceased was loved by all those who knew her, and the name Aunt Alice, was a name carrying with it years of unselfish service to friends and neighbors. Funeral services were held last Sunday morning at eleven o'clock at Samaria, with the Rev. J. W. Jones of Thorsby officiating. Interment followed in the Samaria cemetery, with Spigener of Clanton in charge.

Active pallbearers were Leo Alred, Flem Higgins, Joe Higgins, Joe Calloway, Claude Calloway and Roland Bryant. Honorary pallbearers were Robert Alred, Lester Glenn, Osmond Glenn, and Maury Higgins, all relatives of the deceased.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Frank Higgins and Mrs. G. F. Harris, of Clanton. Four stepchildren by the second marriage, E. B. Calloway, of Nauvoo, Ala., L. A. Calloway, Clanton; Mrs. H. B. Glenn, Clanton and Mrs. Katie Bryant, Clanton.

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H. E. Robinson who resides on Rt. 4, was among the calelrs at the News office yesterday.

GOV. JELKS DIES EUFAULA AFTER WEEK'S ILLNESS

Former Chief Executive Of State Retired From Active Career In 1929

Eufaula, Ala., Dec. 13.—William Dorsey Jelks, 76, governor of Alabama from 1901 to 1907, died in a hospital here at 1:30 a.m. today

The former Governor had been ill here a week.

For many years an outstanding figure in the political and business life of the State, Ex-Gov. Jelks had retired from active public life two years ago, coming to his home at Eufaula to write his memoirs.

Mr. Jelks was president pro tempore of the Alabama Senate when Gov. William J. Samford died in 1901 and became chief executive of the State to finish Gov. Samford's unexpired term. In the following Democratic primary in 1902, he was nominated to succeed himself, carrying 62 of the State's 67 counties.

Previous to his entry into politics he published The Eufaula Times here and earned a wide reputation throughout the State and this section of the South by his pertinent comment on topics of the day.

Served Nearly Six Years

Gov. Samford had served only a few months of his term at the time of his death, and Gov. Jelks served the remainder of the two-year term and then was elected for a full-year term under the provisions of the constitutional

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Jemison P.-T. A. To Have A Xmas Bazaar

The Parent-Teachers Association of the Jemison High School will hold a Christmas Bazaar, in Jemison on next Saturday, December 19th.

No article will sell for over fifty cents, and proceeds go to the organization for its work.

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BAPTIST MEN'S CLASS WILL HAVE PICNIC HERE TONIGHT

Members of the Men's Sunday School Class of the Clanton Baptist church will go on a picnic tonight, according to J. Watts Moore, secretary of the class, who has been busy lining up the plans. There are over one hundred members of this class. Seven o'clock has been set as the hour.

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HILL'S CALLS ATTENTION TO CHRISTMAS CANDIES

In this issue of the News there will be found an ad from the Hill Grocery Company of Clanton, in which they are listing some attractive bargains. Mr. McEathern, manager, stated that he wished special attention called to the prices on Christmas candies they have on sale there now. Find the ad and see these bargains.

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DIEF TO OPEN CAFE ACROSS FROM STATION

Interior of Building Is Being Thoroly Cleaned and Put In Excellent Order

The name “Dief's” will soon become better and more widely known when the cafe just across the street from the popular Dief's Service Station in Clanton will open for business. This attractive cafe, located in the building formerly occupied by the post office, on the Birmingham-Montgomery highway will be operated by L. E. Diefenderfer.

Workmen have been busy for past weeks giving the fixtures and interior of the cafe a thorough renovating. Only experienced and competent cooks and waiters will be employed, according to Mr. Diefenderfer.

Announcement of the opening of the cafe will be made at a later date, it was stated.

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Dr. Joe Johnson and Miss Sophia Mullins, of Chattanooga, spent Saturday in Clanton with Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Wilson.

Concord-Billingsley

We met Sunday morning at the usual hour for Sunday school. Only a small crowd was present, but we had a real good lesson.

On account of rain we didn't have Christian Endeavor Sunday night. The topic for discussion was "Making Christmas Christian." Sure many interesting talks were planned on this subject, as it is drawing near Christ-[illegible] May we apply this subject to our own individual lives and make this Christmas a Christian Christmas. and look upon that day as a holy day when our loving Saviour was born, and may we realize the meaning and great purpose of the Day, Christmas.

Miss Bessie Williams is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Ethel McLane, of Adams this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Williams and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams and family Sunday.

Little J. B. and Elain Tindall spent Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams.

Mrs. C. A. Surles and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sheppard of Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Williams of near Billingsley spent the past week end with Mr. and Mrs. Fonza Williams.

Next Sunday is our regular preaching day. Our newly appointed pastor, Rev. G. W. Stewart, will be with us. For some cause or other he wasn't with us on last preaching day, but will be here Sunday if nothing prevents. Let's everyone come and bring someone with you.

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Silverware for Xmas at greatly reduced prices at Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton.

Swift's
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Chicken

"Well Dressed"
with places to go

IN the gay '90s a chicken didn't go very far, no matter how good it was! The "marketing" of poultry was pretty much a local activity and a daily "cash market" was unheard of. One locality might have an acute shortage while another not far away might be watching its chickens grow old and stringy. There was no highway between supply and demand.

Swift & Company, thirty years ago, bent its energies toward making a national market for poultry, butterfat and eggs. That national market exists now. Northeastern States consume each year 350 million pounds of poultry their own people do not produce. Eleven states in the Middle West sell 200 million surplus pounds annually outside their own borders.

Two hundred thousand farm patrons sell poultry, butterfat and eggs for cash to Swift & Company at more than 100 produce plants. In place of the one town market of spring wagon days, they have thousands of markets. Every one of approximately 400 branch houses, every one of 10,000 towns on refrigerator car routes is a potential outlet for every chicken dressed in a Swift plant.

All dressed up and 10,400 places to go!

Leased wires everywhere keep our executives informed where produce markets are best. Supplies are hurried to these points. Demand is enhanced by advertising brands of high quality, Premium Milk-fed Chickens and Golden West Milk-fed Fowl among them. Service is complete and charges for it are low. No other system returns a larger share of the consumer's dollar to the producer. Swift & Company profits for years have averaged less than one-half cent per pound of product sold.

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Miss Sarah Hollis Honored On Fourteenth Birthday.

One of the most brilliant social affairs of the month among the young set of Clanton and Mitchell Dam, took place last Saturday night at the Club House at Mitchell Dam, when Sarah, the attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hollis, was honored on her fourteenth birthday at a birthday party and dance.

The club house carried the Christmas holiday spirit in its well arranged decorations, in pines, holly, with soft lights casting a bewitching glow over the happy group of young people. From each chandelier, crepe paper in Christmas colors added to the scene of gaiety. Favors for the girls were bright colored caps and wooden doll whistles and the boys received as favors, top hats and toy swords.

Delicious and well prepared salad plates, with hot chocolate, served Christmas style, were refreshments for the following who gathered to celebrate with Miss Hollis on her birthday: Ruth Gowan, Helen Moore, Hilda Hart, Eloise Rasberry, Mary Courtney Jones, Cecelia Gerald, Dixie Johnson, Sue Sharp, Ollie Sharp, Lucille Calloway, Mavis Miller, Lurla Mae Littleton, Florine Ogletree.

Joe Moore, Dan Smith, Wesley Danforth, Grady Reynolds, Jr., Lawrence Gerald, Jr., Joe Earl Gowan, Milton Sharp, Rollie Sharp and Lulce Calloway.

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Mrs. John Armstrong Hostess To Wednesday Afternoon Card Club.

The Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club met with Mrs. John Armstrong last Wednesday. Those enjoying this delightful occasion were Mesdames Hugh Simpson, Napoleon Johnson, Frank Callen, J. H. Alred, J. Watts Moore, John Deramus, Grady Reynolds, Arthur Johnson, and L. F. Gerald. Mrs. John VanDerveer and Mrs. Mack Wyatt were visitors. A delicious hot plate was served.

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Edwin Mullins. Senior at Sewanee University of Tennessee, is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mullins.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stapp returned to Clanton Saturday from Columbus, Miss.

Mrs. Frank Scott is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mullins.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Busby of Birmingham and son, Fred, Pratt and Paul, visited Mrs. Earl Gore Sunday. Mrs. Gore accompanied them back to Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hammack of Childersburg visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reynolds, of Clanton last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wade returned Sunday from their honeymoon to Florida and other points.

Miss Leary Bean of Thorsby was in town Monday.

Rev. O. G. Pope, State Sunday School worker of Montgomery, delivered the morning sermon at the Methodist church of Clanton Sunday.

Attorney L. H. Ellis of Columbiana was a visitor in Clanton last Thursday.

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Thursday Sewing Club Entertained At Home of Mrs. J. Watts Moore.

Mrs. J. Watts Moore was the hostess to the Thursday Sewing Club last Thursday. A delightful afternoon of sewing was enjoyed by all. Those present were Mesdames Hugh Simpson, John Browder, John VanDerveer, Mallie White, H. T. Pipes, P. T. Hinkle, John Armstrong, Mrs. E. E. Upchurch, Mrs. Della Latham and Mrs. W. I. Mullins were visitors. A salad plate was served.

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Mrs. Reedie Taylor Hostess To Young Matrons Sewing Club.

The Young Matrons Sewing Club was delightfully entertained last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Reedie Taylor. Those enjoying this occasion were Mesdames Dewey Rockett, Joe Higgins, Loren Smith, Grady Heflin, Jimmie Taylor, Horsley White and Horace Jones. Mrs. E. J. Brand was a visitor.

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Misses Helen Moore, Dixie Johnson, Mavis Miller, Celia Gerald, Eloise Raspberry, Ruth Gowan, Hilda Hart, and Mary Courtney Jones; Dan Smith, Joe Moore, Joe Earl Gowan. Wesley Danforth, Lawrence Gerald, Jr., and Grady Reynolds, Jr., all of Clanton, attended the birthday dance given in honor of Miss Sarah Hollis of Mitchell Dam. Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gerald and Mr. and Mrs. John Deramus went as chaperons. This occasion was enjoyed by all.

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Mr. and Mrs. Omar Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Burnett spent last Wednesday in Birmingham.

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Mrs. Grady Reynolds Hostess To Thursday Contract Bridge Club.

The Thursday Contract Bridge Club was delightfully entertained last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Grady Reynolds. After a series of games a delicious salad course was served. Those enjoying that occasion were Mesdames Grady Broadhead, L. F. Gerald, Hugh Jones, John Deramus, Omar Reynolds, Julius Burnett, J. P. Hayes and J. Lee Smith.

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Mrs. L. F. Gerald, Mrs. Grady Reynolds, Mrs. Hugh Jones, Mrs. Arthur Johnson and Mrs. Grady Broadhead spent Monday in Birmingham.

Mr. Alex Callen and Mrs. F. J. Callen spent Monday in Birmingham.

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Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club Entertained by Mrs. Grady Broadhead.

Mrs. Grady Broadhead was hostess to the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club last Wednesday afternoon. After a short series of games delicious refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames H. F. Downs, C. Fenn Jones, J. P. Hayes, J. Lee Smith, J. C. Jones, Eric Hart, and William Inzer, and Miss Madelyn Orr. Mrs. Fenn Jones was awarded the high score prize.

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Mrs. Buck Roberts was in Birmingham last Wednesday.

Mrs. J. P. Hayes, Mrs. Grady Broadhead, Mrs. J. Lee Smith, and Mrs. Hugh Jones spent Friday in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Watts Moore and Mrs. John Deramus spent last Wednesday in Montgomery.

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State of Alabama
A PROCLAMATION
by the
GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the Second Tuesday next after five months after the date of the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said Amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 5th day of January, 1932, is the second Tuesday next after five months after the date of the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the Amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 5th day of January, 1932, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz;-

"The City of Mobile shall be and it is hereby authorized and empowered, without an election, to annually levy and collect a tax on the property situated therein, to pay the expenses of the City Government, at such rate as may from time to time be fixed by the governing authorities of said city, but unless and until an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama shall be adopted, permitting said City after an election or elections to levy and collect taxes amounting in the aggregate to more than one and one-tenth (1.1) per centum of the value of the property situated therein, as assessed for State taxation during the preceding year, the total of the ad valorem taxes levied in any one tax year by said municipality for all purposes (including any tax levied to pay the debt existing on the 6th day of December, 1875, with interest thereon, or any renewal of such debt) shall not exceed in the aggregate one and one-tenth (1.1) per centum of the value of such property as assessed for State taxation during the preceding year."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight successive weeks prior to the 5th day of January, 1932, in each County of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Montgomery, on this the 5th day of October, 1931.

B. M. MILLER,
Governor.

ATTEST:
PETE B. JARMAN, Jr.,
Secretary of State.

Liberty Hill News

(Too late for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Mims were visitors to the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Icym Pate at Pates Chapel, Sunday.

Mr. Marvin Lowery of Montgomery enjoyed a squirrel hunt while viisting his parents, through the week end, Mr. and Mrs. Z. L. Lowery.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver C. Duke recently visited the former's sister of Elmore, Mrs. R. B. Parsons, formerly Miss Ina Duke.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Maddox of North Clanton visited the former's mother, Mrs. Jonah Mims, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Floyd Bates was the guest of Mrs. D. W. Ward to spend the day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Littlejohn of near Thorsby were visitors to relatives here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver C. Duke attended the monthly meeting of the American Legion and Auxiliary on last Monday night at Clanton.

Little Doyle Culp, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Culp, who have recently moved into this community is very sick with pneumonia at the home of Mr. N. G. Ward. It is hoped that he will speedily recover.

Prices on all gifts reduced to suit your pocketbook, at Upchurch Drug Co., Clanton.

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KC BAKING POWDER
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Frequently people who come to the telephone office to order a telephone, tell us they have found that there is no economy in trying to get along without the service. Its many advantages, they say, far outweigh the small cost.

Doing without telephone service, they explain, hampered the social activities of the whole family and restricted their opportunities to enjoy life.

Trying to do without a telephone had resulted in their gaining a more appreciative understanding of the true value of the service. So they arranged the family budget to include telephone service.

The advantages of a telephone in the home are so numerous and the cost so very small that it really doesn't pay to try to do without it.

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28x4.75-19	6.65	6.45
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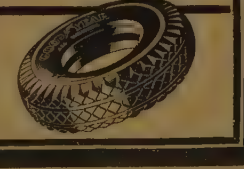

C. C. H. S. News Items

Honor Roll For November

Junior I. First Honors: Thelma Arant, Mary Armstrong, Louise Arnold, Jane Neighbors, Edith Parrish.

Junior II. First Honors: Sarah Greene, Mae Vinson.

Junior III. First Honors: Wade Alford, Dixie Johnson, Alice Petty, Helen Roberts.

Senior II. First Honors: Louise Knox, Elizabeth McSwain, Myrtle Robinson, Pearl Vinson.

New Members For The C Club

A club for boys who have earned letters in sports has been organized in our athletic department. With Coach Walker as Club Advisor, Robert Sumner has been elected president, Jesse Frank Foshee vice president, Jerrell Burdette. secretary-treasurer. Charter members are those who have earned two letters. They are Robert Sumner, Jesse Frank Foshee, Theodore Littlejohn, M. D. Foshée, Raymond Taylor, Warren Riggins, Herman Harris, Jerrell Burdette, and Ottis Miller. New members are boys who have earned one letter: They are Clyde Popwell, Newburn Jones, Tom Tiffin, James Arnold, James Tiffin. These boys have just received their initiations and are now full fledged members.

Basketball Practice

A great deal of interest is being shown in basketball practice. We have quite a bit of new material, which is to be developed. Littlejohn is the only regular back this year. Others who have had some experience are Arnold, Baker, and Cooper. The outlook does not seem very bright. Practice will begin in earnest after the holidays.

Campus Improvements

The High School P.-T. A. has spent a neat sum of money for improving our campus. This various assortment of shrubbery and other plants meets a long felt need for improving the general looks of everything around the high school. The actual work of planting and setting out the plants was done by the boys of the agricultural and occupational classes.

The P.-T. A. and the High School feel deeply indebted to the Town of Clanton for furnishing the truck to bring the shrubbery from Prattville.

Senior Class Sees Shakespearian Play

Miss Wells took her Senior English Class to Birmingham Wednesday to see one of Shakespeare's well known plays, Merchant of Venice. Twenty-four students of the class made the trip in automobiles, leaving Clanton, about noon Wednesday. Reservations having been made the week before at the Temple Theatre. The class sat in a body and enjoyd a good view of the stage. All reported a pleasant and profitable trip.

Alabama Day, December 14, 1819, Program

The high school students fittingly carried out the birthday of Alabama at chapel period Tuesday. Below will be found the program:

Song, America, School.

Bible Reading, Deut. 8:11:14.

What Alabama Day Is, by Sarah Greene.

How It Came To Be Observed, by Lucile Scroggins.

The Flag of Alabama, by Gertiewyl Vinson.

The Alabamian's Creed, by Willie Belle Bean.

Song, Alabama, by the School.

Joe Hall Johnson was in charge of the program.

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Mrs. Charlotte Allen of Chicago was arrested a few hours after her wedding for stealing two billiard balls.

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RAILROAD TRAINS on the HIGHWAY!
THE OLD RELIABLE
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CAN YOU IMAGINE SUCH A CONDITION?

A fast freight or passenger train comes thundering down the highway and it is all you can do to swerve your car out of its path.

With a swish it is gone, leaving you with bitter thoughts toward railroads and a government which permits such things.

A ridiculous picture? Yes,—and impossible, because railroad trains, unlike trucks and busses, must have rails to run on and an army of workers to keep them in good condition, and railroads must pay all the maintenance costs of their roadways.

Yet these other means of transportation use the highways for commercial purposes and YOU—along with the railroads—help support them by paying taxes for the maintenance of public highways.

The railroads are public carriers and operate with every consideration for your comfort and safety, but they are also business enterprises and are entitled to earn a fair profit for those who own them. You are probably one of the owners, at least indirectly, because railroad securities are held by insurance companies, financial and charitable institutions and very often form the nucleus of trust funds.

The railroads are not earning a reasonable profit. The law permits them to earn a fair return on the value of their property, and the Interstate Commerce Commission has fixed this at 5¾%. The actual rate of return of class one railroads for the first nine months of 1931 was 2.08%.

The number of passengers carried in 1930 was less than in 1902, although the population of the United States has increased 50%. The present volume of freight traffic is approximately the same as it was fifteen years ago.

The railroads are struggling with an economic condition that may prove ruinous to them and to those institutions whose interests are bound up in their welfare.

The Railroads Must Earn To Spend

What can be done to relieve this situation? Legislative measures must be passed that will deal fairly with the railroads. They are the backbone of the Nation's transportation system and must be brought from unfair taxation and regulation, back to a sound financial basis. You can cooperate by helping them procure legislative relief. A quicker help is to ship by train and travel on the steam railroads.

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LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE R.R.

MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

On Friday there was a knock on the parsonage door. A tramp was looking for the pastor of the Methodist church He had a tale of hard luck to share with the preacher, and then concluded his remarks with a request that I allow him to sleep in the church. I told him that I did not think that the proper thing to do. About all that I could do for the poor man was to give him some food and send him on his way. I have no idea where he pillowed his head that night. Suffice it to say, I admired the honesty of the man. He came out with the truth. Said that he wanted to get into my church that he might go to sleep. I fear that many whose names appear on the church roll, have not been altogether as fair as that tramp. I have seen many stand at the door of the church, wanting admittance, and they have promised loyalty, consecration and fidelity, but as soon as they got on the inside, they went fast asleep. Too many church members want cushions of feathers and pillows of down that they may rest easy, and sleep well, in God's house.

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A Sunday school teacher suggested last Sunday that the men of his class buy and use the "Self Rising Flour," so that they might be on time. Another brother spoke up, "Yes, and then equip each man with a Self Starter." If a man wishes to be on time at Sunday school, or at church, he must plan for that the day before. Going to church is just as much of a duty as going to business, and it should be done as promptly. When I first landed in Clanton I thought that the "Jones' Family" outnumbered any other connection, but after staying here for 12 months, I have concluded that there are five of the "Come Later's" to one Jones. To be honest, nearly half of the people going to Sunday school and church in Clanton belong to the "Come Later" family. There is Mr. and Mrs. Z. Y. Come-Later, Johnnie, Willie, Sammie, Sarah and Fannie, Come-Later. Then the Come-Later family has a host of cousins. Aunts and uncles. We should not only go to church every Sunday, but we should be on time at every service.

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I was on a stroll with a friend. We were traveling through a beautiful section of hills and valleys. Every where I looked there were trees, blooming flowers and singing birds. I was lost in wonder and worship. My comrade did not seem to enjoy anything. He hobbled along and with almost every breath, he let out groans and snarls. Finally he let me know that he was not enjoying the stroll because he had a tack in one shoe, and an aching corn in the other shoe. I was ready to admit that he had bad comrades for pleasure. Any man who carries a sharp tack in one shoe and an aching corn in the other, is not calculated to get much joy out of blooming flowers, singing birds and rippling streams. That is why you hear so many groans and snarls today. The depression is rubbing our corn and high living is piercing our morals, and we are losing sight of the beautiful. In misery we plod along, groaning and snarling. It is high time that we get down to some tack pulling. Let's get the misery out of our minds and then we can have joy in living.

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In a certain community there was a young man who was sub-normal in his mentality. He was not demented, but had certain peculiarities that made him an object of pity. One habit that he had was to stand out in the rain until his clothes were drenched. One cold, bleak day in January, this poor fellow walked out of a warm room, and took his stand near the house. The rain and sleet were falling. His mother, his brothers, his sisters, came to him, and begged him to go back into the warm room, but he refused. There he stood for an hour and no amount of persuasion would induce him to go into the house. The door was open and voices called him to warmth and protection, but he paid no heed. That is the picture of the man, the woman, who takes a stand out in the world. The door of the church is forever open, there are many voices from within, calling to the church and to God, but they prefer to stand out in the cold, bleak world of sin and suffering. Why not join the church of your choice and get into God's house where there is warmth and protection.

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If you want to work a week in one day, I know no better plan than for you to tear the wall paper from a room where it has been for years. Behind the paper and the canvass you will see sights and smell odors that are not pleasant to experience. As for me, I am up with all tasks of that kind. I am not saying that such work should not be done, but I am saying that I have had my share. When we look behind the curtain, when we tear away the paper and the canvass, we learn things that we did not know before. I fear that there are many lives with curtains and canvass. Behind that screen there are things that are not pleasant to behold. If you have not had a house cleaning in your soul for years, it is time that you tear off the screen, expose the dust and the filth, and then get busy with a house cleaning that is worth while. Be honest. What is behind the paper and the canvass in your soul?

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Liberty Hill News

Rev. J. S. Holland filled his regular appointment here Sunday, with a large crowd in attendance.

The singing society met at 2 P. M. and sang for about two hours. We had good singing and all present seemed to enjoy it.

Directors for the afternoon were J. W. Lowery, F. I. Popwell, Hiram Littlejohn, Houston Melton, Mack Durbin, and Cornelius Hand. Pianist was W. G. Culp.

Several other directors were present but were excused on account of the book being new to them.

Officers were elected for the coming year and voted to use the new Morris-Henson book for 1932.

We thank the visitors for their help and invite them to come again. You are always welcome at any service here.

Let's try to make the year 1932 the best yet, in song service. Meet us here next second Sunday afternoon, and you won't regret it.

Billingsley News

Mrs. V. C. McIlvaine of Tampa, Fla arrived Friday to spend the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Hattie Dickinson.

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Misses Bettye Jane Gregory, Nettye Mason Pattillo and James Marlar went to Birmingham Friday evening to see the plays of Shakespeare.

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Messrs. T. D. Ernest and W. C. Wilson of Birmingham visited relatives here last week.

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Prof. and Mrs. R. E. Upton, Mrs Gandy and Mrs. J. C. Hughes spent Saturday in Montgomery.

Mrs. J. J. Traywick viisted friends in Montgomery Monday and Tuesday.

The Senior and Intermediate B. Y. P. U. had their social at the home of Mrs Irvin Golson Friday evening and in connection with the social a miscellaneous shower was given for Mr. and Mrs. James Bentley. Games and contests were enjoyed afterwards, refreshments were served. Thirty members were present, and expressed themselves as having the best time ever.

Maplesville News

Rev. Peacock of Plantersville filled his first appointment at the M. E. Church Sunday evening. He brought a wonderful message from Ps. 11 3 verse. He had a large and appreciative audience.

The W. M. S. held its regular business meeting Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Dudley Nix will he hostess for W. M S. party December 30, from two to four o'clock. Each member inviting a friend

The O. E. S. will hold its regular meeting December 22 at 2 p. m. All members are urged to come. Also will have call meeting for initiation December 30, seven o'clock.

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Arrested as a drug addict, Gustav Zorn of New York tried to conceal cocaine in his ears

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Clanton, Alabama

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Mr. Hoover A Disappointment

Of course, President Hoover's message has been greeted with the usual diversity of interpretation, some commentators calling it a "highly encouraging analysis of the nation's problems," while others call it the "utterance of a sorely distracted man confronted with an emergency that baffles him." There can be no doubt but that the mind of the American people has long been gravitating to the conclusion that Mr. Hoover is a dubious leader without courage and matured convictions on any subject and that with such a pilot at the helm the ship of state will never reach a port of safety. Mr. Hoover has forfeited the confidence pretty much of the whole country, save for a few aids and counsellors who derive their position and power from the presidential favor. Nobody any longer expects Mr. Hoover to formulate any far-reaching and drastic program for the relief of the country, because he is not competent to perform this service. In every aspect of our affairs, notably in international matters, he vacillates, fumbles and is confused. He holds back from espousing any definite program of economic reform. He says the tariff must not be revised. On this important subject he may volte-face. He now makes a complete reversal of position by asking for increased taxation. He also denounces the "dole" and large expenditures for public works, but may ultimately champion both. While things are cracking before his eyes he seeks to put on one patch after another, to meet one emergency after another when it becomes no longer possible to avoid action. Mr. Hoover has completely lost the confidence of the country in his ability to run the government. The country profoundly needs leadership possessed of courage and the belief is mounting every day that the Democrats will have to supply the need.—Selma Times-Journal.

A Needless Waste Of Life

Forty boys, according to the most accurate count we have seen, were killed in football games during the season just ended. We are in thorough sympathy with those who would put an end to the sort of "sport" that takes so many young lives needlessly.

Forty boys "butchered to make a Roman holiday!" Forty homes plunged into grief and mourning for their irreplaceable loss. For what? To give pleasure to the crowds that pay to see a "fighting" game.

We read with horror of the gladiatorial combats in ancient Rome, when men fought to the death in the arena while the blood-thirsty populace cheered the fatal stroke. What would we say if we knew that one or more boys would be killed in every school or college football game? The nation would not for a moment tolerate slaughter in the name of sport.

It is unfair to blame the boys. Youth is always reckless, and sensitive to any reflection upon its courage and gameness. The blame must be placed upon school and college authorities who permit football under rules which make fatalities not merely possible, but as the grim record of this past season proves, probable.

Recent revelations of the extent to which professionalism has invaded college football make us doubt whether it should be classed under the head of "sport" or "business." Whichever it is, it is not fair either to the boys themselves or to their parents to expose them to risks which they are either unable to weigh or which they face in preference to the scorn of their classmates.

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Doughnuts

Somebody has put forward the suggestion that October of each year should be celebrated as National Doughnut Month. We say "amen" to that, but we would broaden the proposal a bit by adding November, December, January, February, March, April May and June. The doughnut is good eating in any of these months. We have eaten doughnuts in July, August and September without any harmful effect. By all means let us celebrate the doughnut.

In most parts of the country the word doughnut means the toothsome delicacy which was first introduced into America by the Dutch settlers of New Amsterdam, who called them "crullers." Away down East in New England the people of the older generation today still call the Dutch crullers "fried cakes" to distinguish them from the original Yankee doughnut, which is made from bread dough, only slightly sweetened, and which resembles the genuine cruller or Dutch doughnut only in being fried in deep fat. These are the doughnuts which the hearty Yankee pioneers used to eat for breakfast, preferably "dunked" in coffee. But they are not the delicacies which most folks have in mind when they think of doughnuts.

The genuine cruller is basically different from the Yankee doughnut. The dough from which it is made is much shorter and sweeter, and in its perfection is of a consistency which requires careful handling if it is to be dropped into the frying kettle without losing its shape. The standard shape of the cruller is, now, a hole surrounded by a rim of dough, but the old-fashioned doughnut was composed of a long strip of dough twisted like a section of rope. Indeed, the word doughnut is merely a perversion of "dough-knot." But whatever the shape, whatever the consistency and quality of the ingredients, we say without hesitation that there is no such thing as a bad doughnut. The only thing that can spoil a doughnut, in our opinion, is to sprinkle it with powdered sugar. That makes it into a Frenchified kind of confection which is not only un-American but very difficult to brush off of one's vest.

"ROUND TOWN"

---*by Doug*

" * * * and all through the house,
not a creature was stirring, not even a mouse."

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Which reminds me of all the noise the Republicans are making about their President, that is,—our President, and other things, too. One of which the quietude that prevails on the streets of Clanton after ten o'clock at night up to about three the next morning. It's not like it used to be.

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Unless we have a fire somewhere in town, and all those who have not said "Goodnight" around midnight, make their appearance on the scene of the fire.

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McEathern, at Hill's in Clanton, drove into town the other afternoon from over in Perry county where he has been for a few days buying turkeys. Mc said he really bought turkeys, and shipped three carloads one day, and there was a big truck load in Clanton Tuesday. At any rate, it looks like somebody will eat turkey meat this Christmas. I've been watching to see who had turkeys in their yards, so maybe I could arrange someway to get an invitation to eat with them.

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There is an ad in this paper headed "Trains on the Highways." It is an ad from the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, and contains some food for thought. You might read it.

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Glancing through this week's issue of C. G. N. I notice that Tiffin-Klinner Furniture Co., is selling things at rock bottom prices—that is, according to their large ad in this issue.

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Here comes Maurice Lande again this week, telling the people of this section that his "Customer's Benefit Sale" is still going strong at The Leader here. Maurice, I've got a good joke to tell you sometime, when you feel like laughing.

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Hats off again to the teachers of Chilton County. Personally I'm glad to see them take the step they did on Wednesday afternoon of last week. It simply meant that the schools of the county will continue for this term in full. Unless—those three teachers who signed "No" on that agreement intend to close their schools. Read about it in the News.

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I notice in the column "Letters to the Editor" this week that C. G. N. has been given a nice little bouquet in a letter from Mrs. Clara Curry. In my opinion Mrs. Curry is certainly capable of knowing a good thing when she sees it, and her opinions are always listened to with interest.

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This Dief of Clanton, who is known far and wide, and when whose name is mentioned, one immediately thinks of the fine service station that is also known far and wide for its service day and night, is really going into the filling station business, according to a story on the front page of this issue. Drive under his filling station in your car, have it filled up, then step across the street to "Dief's Cafe" and there you can get filled up, and it ain't all gas either.

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Overheard Mr. Dief giving some orders to men in the cafe the other day, while they were fixing up the place, and judging from what I heard, he don't mean perhaps, when he told them he wanted everything "ship-shape".

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Was sauntering around down towards the post office the other day and looked into the Community Bakery. My mouth just watered, because in the show cases there they have just oodles of good things to eat. The place has been cleaned out.—the clerks have on neat looking clothes, and that Mr. McLeroy who is there, seems to be a pretty good sort of fellow.

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Was just thinking about our telephone operators down at the Southern Bell office, the other day, and how they do give service. I can call from one side of the street to the other and get just as good service as if I was paying for a few minutes talk to Birmingham. Personally, I like the service we are getting here now on the telephone system.

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Heard a fellow talking about a man who owed him some rent money the other day. He said the renter had money to play pool with, and patronize the bowling alleys, but didn't seem to have money to pay his house rent. And it looked bad for the renter, too.

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Well, I haven't any bad habits, unless it might be sleeping late every morning, but really that's not a habit —it's a pleasure, or something.

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Jesse Baker says tell the folks his sale is still going on in high these days. His signs state he has committed commercial murder. There's an ad in this issue telling about the sale at the Clanton Cash Store.

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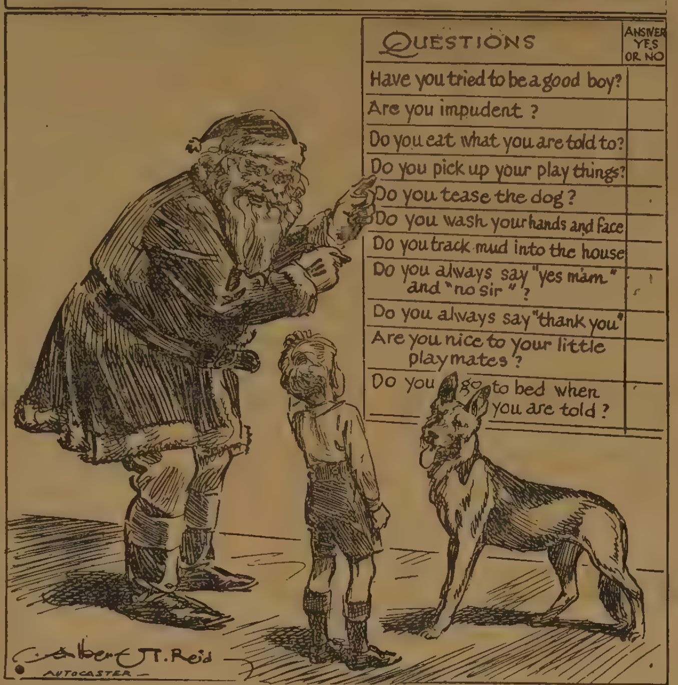
I wonder why that certain lady told me she was going to a certain place last week end and didn't do it. I wonder why a certain out-of-town man visited only one place of business in Clanton last week, instead of paying his usual other calls. And why a certain young lady said over a telephone that she was "going somewhere" the other day. And why a certain business man will allow himself to be led by others so much. And why those three county school teachers refused to agree to the proposition before them last week. Why that person got peeved because this column did not say something about her two weeks ago. What my girl friend is going to give me for a Christmas present, if any. If I should send a certain blond school teacher a Christmas card or not, as has been customary. Whether a certain business man means Tuesday next year, when he said "next Tuesday." Who wrote that letter about Jack Hayes. If I will ever be able to accept that kind invitation to have dinner out-of-town, and when. What I am going to do with myself on Christmas Day. What a Dance Set is. If it's all right to give a young lady one for a Christmas present. How much gasoline those two big tanks at Bentley's in Thorsby, hold. If I'm going to like a recent addition to Clanton's social set or not. Where all the mud on the ed's car came from. And if this road working business in the county shouldn't be looked into. Who's going to furnish me with a little "Christmas Spirit." If so, how much. And what will I wonder next,—or something.

Who Can Pass This Examination? — *By Albert T. Reid*


QUESTIONS
ANSWER YES OR NO
Have you tried to be a good boy?
Are you impudent ?
Do you eat what you are told to?
Do you pick up your play things?
Do you tease the dog?
Do you wash your hands and face
Do you track mud into the house
Do you always say "yes mam" and "no sir"?
Do you always say "thank you"
Are you nice to your little playmates?
Do you go to bed when you are told?
Albert T. Reid
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Letters To The Editor

WHAT THE CHILTON COUNTY NEWS SAYS ABOUT YOU

Editor, Chilton County News:

One cannot begin to imagine the little thrill of surprise and pleasure that comes, when upon opening the apparent, every day business letter, one finds instead, an attractive folder, entitled, "What the Chilton County News Says About You." Enclosed therein is the clipping of story carefully folded and pasted.

Accept thanks, Mr. Editor, for the story that you gave concerning myself in last week's issue. Accept more thanks for your pains in following up the story in such pleasing manner.

My hearty congratulations are accorded you upon this late, novel and attractive feature that you have instituted. It is such features that cost time, patience and means; but the cost, in my opinion, represents a wise investment that will most assuredly net splendid returns.

This latest feature is just one of the "ear marks" of a progressive paper: one of the many details that make up perfection. And, according to Michael Angelo: "Though trifles make perfection, perfection is no trifle."

Long live the Chilton County News and its progressive spirit.

Sincerely,
MRS. CLARA B. CURRY.
Dec. 15, 1931.

Jemison, Ala., Dec. 5, 1931.
Editor, Chilton County News:

I wonder how many that will read this letter have had to worry about where the money will come from to pay the taxes on their homes. I can't solve that problem for you, but I will say that you are to blame for most of your tax troubles yourself.

How much time have you spent since you have been a voter meditating over the political situation? Have you ever seriously tried to think out the real reason why you are overburdened with taxes? Just as long as you swallow hook, line and sinker whatever dope the politicians see fit to put out and go on using your own head merely for a hat rack just that long you can expect to be a sucker and with very little to suck at that.

Just as long as it costs more to register a voter than all the poll taxes he will pay in a lifetime will amount to and just as long as it costs more to put a juror's name in the jury box than it will cost to bury him when he dies, just that long you may expect to have to find a way to pay something for nothing.

I wish you could see yourself just as some of the politicians you vote for see you. You would be just a gerat big mouth and a tiny little hand. In the tiny hand you would be holding a lifetime sucker labeled, "My Political Balm, the only thing free from taxation."

Let us mention a few of the things for which your tax money is spent and you figure for yourself the benefit they are to you.

The committee of Sixty-one whose very great and grave duty it is to find out whether or not people are really destitute in some sections of our country. This committee will probably not spend more than four or five millions of your money to find out a thing that a common wart head like me already knew. The expenses of this committee if applied rightly would do much to immediately relieve the situation. Anyway, by the time the committee makes its final report on the stupendous task assigned most of the destitute will either be starved or frozen to death or some friend that is almost as destitute as they are will have divided their food and shelter with them.

The commission to report on prohibition that spent millions of your money to tell you in big high sounding words a thing that you have known ever since we have had prohibition. Here is the substance of their report in a nutshell: **Some** of our people want prohibition and **some** do not" Brother, just another instance where you were the goat.

The Legislative Committee to find out whether or not the state was financially embarrassed. Boy, when I noticed that in the papers I surely did pat myself on the back. To think that they had to appoint a committee of great and wise men at a cost of thousands and thousands of dollars to find out what I had known for a long time. Anyone but a nut could have watched you fellows scratch your heads at tax paying time and figured that out without a pencil. This committee was not instructed to catch up any of the leakage for the simple reason they would have found their own old expense checks in there and it would have been embarrassing. You voted for them tho didn't you? So did I.

No wonder some of the boys have become desperate enough to try to bottle some of their corn. Can't say that I blame them much for I believe it is more dishonorable to violate a solemn campaign promise as some of our politicians do than to violate a law that so many people do not indorse.

Wonder of **you** are satisfied with the school situation in Chilton County.

Respectfully,
HOWARD ROPER.

Clanton, Ala., Route 1.
Editor, Chilton County News:

Will you please spare me a little space in your valuable paper to say a few more words about the 42nd generation and the Gentile Age, as I have been asked if it don't fulfill in 1932, what am I going to do.

Of course I will have to admit that I misinterpreted the Scriptures, just like some others are doing. Well, we find from Christ, or David, are 28 generations. Count 70 years for a generation, which evidently is, and 360 days for a year, we have 705,600 days, which expires in October, 1932, which makes 1960 Hebrew or Jewish years. Count 365 days for the Gentile year and one extra day every 4 years, we have 705,663 days, ending 1932. Well, let's see if we can get other prophecy that will harmonize with this.

For instance, we will take Daniel. Evidently Daniel based his prophecy on a week vision, that is from A. D. 1 to 700, one week for 10 years, and 70 weeks for 700 years is applicable to the time of the great struggle between the Jews and the Gentiles as to who should possess and control the Kingdom. So we see it fell in the hands of the Gentiles. I believe Daniel also got a vision of the Gentile age. But its time was based on different figures. We find in Daniel 12 and 6 says, and one said to the man clothed in linen which was upon the waters of the river, how long shall it be to the end of these wonders, and the man that was clothed in linen told him that it shall be for a time times and an half. This of course means 3½ years of the Jewish year of 1260 days or years.

We find in Ezekiel 4 and 6 that God gave him a day for a year in some of his prophecy. Ezekiel also prophecied concerning the airplanes. These time and times and half time in Rev. 12 and 14 have the same meaning which says and to the women were given two wings of a gerat eagle, that she might fly into the wilderness, into her place where she is nourished for a time and times, and half a time. Also read Rev. 11 and 8, says, and their dead bodies shall lie in the street of the great city, which spiritually is called Sodom and Egypt for three days and a half. Also 11th verse says, and after three days and an half the spirit of life from God entered into them. Now go back to the 2nd verse, says, But the court which is without the temple leave out, and measure it not, for it is given unto the Gentiles.

And the Holy City shall they tread under foot for forty and two months, which means the Gentile age. Now we see all these different figures to mean or refer to the same period of time. We see all these have reference to 3½ years or 1260 days. We also find that these 1260 days represent 1260 years. Now add this 1260 to 700, we have 1960 Jewish years. Multiply this 1960 by 360 we get 705,600 days. Then multiply 1932 of the Gentile years by 365, then add 483 for leap years. We have 705,663 days. Evidently the Gentile Age expires the latter part of 1932, also the 28 generations since Christ, counting 70 years for a generation. Study these Scriptures, friends.

With best respects to all,
J. H. JACKSON.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to those who were so kind and helpful during the illness and death of our mother and grandmother, Mrs. Alice Calloway.

We especially wish to thank Dr. Hayes for being so faithful to her and Mr. Brand and Mr. Ray of the Spigener Funeral Home for their splendid services.

May the Lord richly reward each one who assisted in any way.

—The Children and Grandchildren.

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Justice of the Peace T. W. Bryan left yesterday for Rhine, Ga., and other points, where he will remain for the next several days.

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Psalm Of Cotton

The following clipping was brought to the News by William Walker, well known citizen who resides west of Clanton. Dr. Pickering, prominent physician of Plantersville, gave the clipping to Mr. Walker:

Cotton, thou art my shepherd and I am in want.

Thou hast caused me to feed in a dry pasture; thou hast destroyed my credit; thou hast led me into paths of poverty, lawsuits, liens and near nakedness.

Thou hast destroyed my soul and my happiness;

Thou hast caused me to bow to a banker with my hat under my arm and mortgage the muscle and produce of my farm.

Thou hast caused me to live in a rented house in full view of the moon, while stars came twinkling through the cracks;

Thou preparest a naked back and an empty stomach for me in the presence of my friends.

Thou anointest my head with ignoranec, superstition, poverty and unpaid accounts—how can I trust thee?

Thou hast kept my children out of school, church and society, thereby robbing them of that which is good and noble, elevating and refining.

Thou hast caused me to go to the barn and bring out the old fertilizer sacks and ask my wife to make me a shirt.

Now, behold as I stand amidst my friends in my new shirt with these inscriptions in full view: "Eighteen per cent Acid Phosphate" on the breast, and "12-4-4" on the tail.—Person County Times, Roxboro, N. C.

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When opera singers throw things around it is attributed to the Artistic Temperament. Fortunately, bricklayers seldom get that way.

Sweden shames American inventive genius by making sugar out of sawdust. The best we can do is to convert it into breakfast food.

Pullman sleepers have been introduced into Switzerland. Those mountain climbers ought to be able to scale the upper berth with little difficulty.

It appears that some women get married only as a first step toward acquiring the fascination which is supposed to attach to a "dashing young widow."

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CHRISTMAS LORE

Christmas being one of the most widely celebrated of all holidays, it is only natural that many odd customs and superstitions should have been identified with its observance in various lands and at different times.

The date December 25 approximates that of certain ancient festivals such as the Roman Saturnalia, the Scandinavian Yule, the winter festival of the heathen Britons, and later the Roman festival of the sun-god Mithra.

One of the oldest superstitions, once prevalent throughout Europe, was that animals were endowed with the power of speech on Christmas. Another was that persons born on that day were destined to enjoy good luck throughout life

It was an old custom to wash and bleed horses the day after Christmas, in the belief that this would preserve them from harm during the ensuing year. According to a Polish superstition what one did on Christmas would govern his actions for the following year.

There was an ancient belief that each kind of evergreen used for decorative purposes was capable of conferring special blessings upon those who passed under the verdant boughs. To pass under holly betokened good fortune, bay signified victory, while laurel imparted beauty and poetical skill.

The mythical Santa Claus has been known by many names, including those of Kriss Kringle, St. Nicholas, Knecht Ruprecht, Robin Goodfellow, and others. In Germany one known as Krampus, an ugly hunchbacked dwarf, was supposed to carry off naughty children.

In Christian lands Christmas is celebrated in commemoration of the birth of Christ, and among the masses is supposed to mark the actual anniversary of that event. But scholars and educated people generally understand that December 25 is merely a date arbitrarily set for this observance, and that the actual day, or even the year, of Christ's birth is not known with certainty.

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WASHINGTON TREES

As a part of the bicentennial celebration of George Washington's birth next year, millions of memorial trees have been or will be planted under the auspices of the American Tree Association. Women's clubs, schools, boy and girl scouts, various other civic organizations, and even convicts, are taking an active part in this tree planting program.

Pennsylvania is one of the most active states in the movement, Pittsburgh alone having decided to plant 111,500 trees, while 84,000 have been planted by the convicts of two state penitentiaries. In New Jersey, Boy Scouts and the Y. M. C. A. are especially active. In Iowa the hundreds of 4-H clubs will take the lead. Florida will have a three months planting period. Wisconsin women's clubs have an elaborate program. In New York and Maryland, as well as in other states, the D. A. R. will plant thousands of trees.

These are only a few of the projects already under way, and it is expected that every state in the Union will join in making 1932 the greatest year for forestry that any country has ever known.

In fact, the idea of honoring Washington's memory in this manner has spread to foreign countries, the first actual planting of memorial trees having been reported from Turkey.

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News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. DeFee and daughter, Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Swanson and little granddaughter, Mary DeFee Blue, all of Union Springs, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mixon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Burdette and daughter, Elaine, of Clanton spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. C. M. Williams.

Miss Naemi Turnquist spent the week end in Thorsby.

Mrs. Nels Petersen spent Saturday in Clanton shopping.

An American Legion Post was organized in Thorsby last Saturday and Mr. J. L. Mixon appointed temporary secretary and treasurer. All ex-service men wishing to join the Thorsby post are urged to call on Mr. Mixon at the Bank of Thorsby and pay their dues. Mr. Mixon will give you a receipt.

Mrs. W. F. Love of Birmingham spent Sunday at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Laurell.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Each took Sunday dinner at the Dining Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Moody left Sunday for Birmingham after spending a few days in Thorsby. Mrs. S. E. Norton went back with them and returned Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray spent Sunday in Prattville visiting her parents.

Mr. Louis Johnson of Camp Gordon, Georgia, is home for the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. C. M. Williams returned home Saturday night after spending a week at Lay Dam with her daughter, Mrs. Tommie Thomason.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Thomason spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. C. M. Williams.

The Collins Chapel B. Y. P. U. gave a program at the Thorsby Baptist church for the Thorsby Baptist B. Y. P. U. last Sunday night.

Mr. H. V. Thompson spent the week end in Birmingham.

Miss Elizabeth Whitley of Birmingham returned to her home last Friday, after spending several days with Miss Mary Sue Robinson.

Mr. T. W. Robinson spent Monday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Wilson spent the week end in Thorsby with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Roe and children of Birmingham were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Petersen Sunday.

Miss Jessie Mims spent the week end in Birmingham.

Little Calvin Pate is very ill with bronchal trouble.

Miss Bertha Littleton spent the week end in Thorsby with her sister, Mrs. Emmett Billingsley.

Miss Dessie Robinson spent the latter part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Childress entertained a rook party in their new home last Saturday night.

Mrs. R. R. Franklin, Mrs. Mack Gray and Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway motored to Birmingham Tuesday.

Mr. O. D. Walker spent Thursday and Friday of last week in Birmingham.

Miss Nona Fae Reinhardt of Wilsonville, Ala., is spending a few days with Miss Linnie Bell Reinhardt.

The following gathered at the home of Miss Mary Sue Robinson last Saturday night: Christine Bosworth, Edith Foss, Ella Howard, Edith Johnson, Kendall Franklin, Henry Robinson, Lloyd Howard, Aaron Vincent, and Reese Mims. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gray of Ensley spent the week end with Mrs. E. H. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Sutlive and Mrs. Janie Sutlive are planning to motor to Blakely, Ga., Friday, to spend their Christmas holidays there. They are taking Katholene and Nelle McLendon with them.

Rev. Tillman of Crestview, Fla., is expecting to drive from Crestview and take back with him the three McCulloms, J. T. Faircloth and Elizabeth Wells, all boarding students of Thorsby Institute, to their homes for Christmas.

Rev. Tillman is to be the guest of Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Each during his stay in Thorsby.

Miss Hazel Maddox of Piedmont College, Demorest, Ga., arrived Tuesday to take care of her mother, who has been ill for some time.

Miss Dorothy Butler is coming from Atlanta, Ga., and leaving Friday for Cleveland, Ohio, to attend the wedding of her cousin, Miss Kay Goodnow. The people of Thorsby will remember that she was the guest at the Butler home this last summer.

Tuesday a miscellaneous shower was given for Mrs. Erchell Martin by her Thorsby friends, at the home of Mrs. D. H. Gentry.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Davenport and Mr. Eugene Davenport spent Tuesday in Birmingham.

Mr. Frank Mastin returned Thursday from a trip to Atlanta, Ga., where he attended a meeting of salesmen representing Brown and Bigelow.

Gerald and Carrie Smith, Oleane Hybart, Evie Lee Rowe and Ruby Connatser motored to Birmingham Friday night to see one of Shakespeare's plays, "Merchant of Venice."

The W. M. S. Parcel Post Sale last Saturday was a great success.

Miss Louise Collins spent Saturday night with Miss Lena Barrette Williams.

Plans are being perfected for the decoration with colored lights of the big cedar trees in the park during the Christmas season. This work is being done by the park committee of the ladies guild with help of popular donations.

Mr. T. W. Robinson and T. L. Robinson left Wednesday for Pascagoula, Miss., on a fishing trip.

Thorsby Institute News

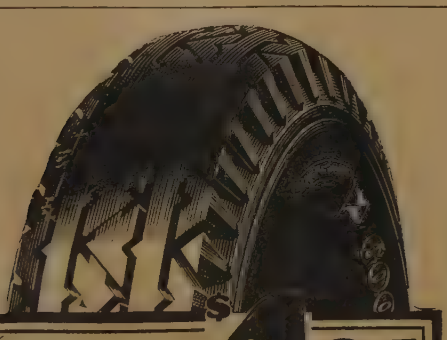
Thorsby Institute closes for the holidays on December 17 and reopens on December 30th. Mr. King plans to spend the holidays in Florida. Misses Leech, Jenkins and Klingelhoefer plan to take a trip to Florida by car with Dr. and Mrs. Jenkins of LaGrange, Ga. The addresses of the other teachers of the Institute will be: Miss McKee, Lineville, Ala., Miss Arthur, Midland City, Ala., Miss Thoroman, 5001 Linden Ave., Norwood, Ohio, Mr. Sutlive, Blakely, Ga., Mr. Maddox, Jemison, R. F. D., Miss Fairbank, Thorsby.

Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Each were dinner guests Sunday at the Dining Hall. Rev. and Mrs. Jones had been invited also, but were unable to come because of a funeral at which Rev. Jones officiated.

The Christian Endeavor Society was led by Evie Lee Rowe. The subject was "Making Christmas Christian." Christmas songs were sung and various Christmas thoughts of service were given.

The Helen Keller Literary Society had its Christmas program Saturday, December 12. The first thing on the program was the lighting of candles by two girls, after which the girls glee club dressed in silver and white sang Christmas songs. A play "Why The Chimes Rang" concluded the program.

During the Christmas holidays the library at Thorsby Institute will be open two days: on Tuesday morning, December 21, from 9 to 12 o'clock, and on Saturday afternoon, December 26, from 2 to 5 o'clock. Books and magazines which fall due on any day on which the library is not open will have their time extended to the next open day.



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Mt. Pleasant School News

Prepared By Junior High Dept.

A Christmas program is being prepared for Wednesday, December 23, at :30 o'clock.

Miss Lera Bean, primary instructor, conducted chapel last Friday morning. Miss Gertie Lee Lowery, member of the Junior II Class, played the guitar. The exercise was very interesting.

The chapel of last week was conducted by Supt. Lawrence. He made a brief, yet forceful talk, on attendance, value of study and present school conditions. The Liberty Hill Quartet, composed of Zackie and Hershel Lowery, Hiram Littlejohn and Earl Williams, also entertained the school on this program by singing several peppy sacred songs. They will be with us again next Wednesday in the presentation of our Christmas program.

Mr. Popwell's Sunday school class will present a program next Sunday morning.

A birthday party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Powell last Saturday night in honor of their daughter, Merlene.

School will dismiss on Wedensday, December 23, for the Christmas holidays, resuming work on Jan. 4, 1932.

Messrs. Lawrence Edwards and Curtis Traywick, Hiram Littlejohn and Miss Nelion Melton spent Sunday with Misses Pauline and Annie Chambers, of Liberty Hill.

The Junior team of Mt. Pleasant will play the Maplesville team soon. These players age are between 10 and 12 years. This game will be a "corker." Watch for announcement of date and see it.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Melton and family last Sunday afternoon.

We were pleased to see a large number from Clanton out to see the ball game last Friday.

The Mt. Pleasant girls basket ball team hopes that the Stanton girls can return their game, sometime soon after Christmas.

The outlook for a full term is somewhat brighter now, than it was a week ago. The student body and parents, are all glad to hear this interesting bit of news.

Miss Zella Mae Bell was a visitor here Friday.

There was a large number attending Sunday school at Mt. Pleasant last Sunday. Preaching services were held with Rev. Daniels delivering an interesting sermon.

The New Salem B. Y. P. U. is putting on a program at Collins Chapel December 20, at six o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Melton visited the Mt. Pleasant school Friday afternoon.

Mr. Wiley Bean attended the preaching service at Mt. Pleasant last Sunday.

Miss Mittice Duncan and Miss Jessie Lee Price, primary teacher from Jackson's Chapel school, were among those present at the ball game last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White of Jackson's Chapel witnessed the ball game last Friday afternoon.

The Sunday school is progressing nicely. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Mr. J. P. Culp, member of our Jr. 3 class, was absent from school last Friday. He was with his father, who made a business trip to Birmingham.

The P.-T. A. plans to have window shades in the building soon after the holidays. Plans are also in order to sod the grounds and set out shrubbery. The recent dry weather has prevented this work.

Everyone remember that Concord Junior High school team plays here on next Friday afternoon, at three o'clock.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PARDON OR PAROLE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, who was convicted in the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, on the 18th day of April, 1927, for the offense of murder and given a sentence of twenty years, will make application to the Governor and Pardon Board of the State of Alabama, for a pardon or parole from said sentence.

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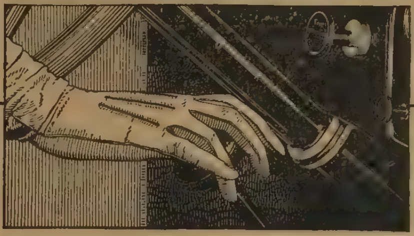

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Legal Notices

NOTICE OF GRANTING OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

Letters of administration on the estate of Mattie Headley, deceased, having been granted by the Hon. L. H. Reynolds, Judge of Probate, to the undersigned on the 24th day of November, 1931, all persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Witness my hand and dated this the 25th day of November, 1931.

H. J. HEADLEY, Administrator of the estate of Mattie Headley, deceased. 12-3-3tcA.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PARDON OR PAROLE

Notice is hereby given that an application for the pardon or parole of Filmore Lockhart convicted and sentenced by the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, on Nov. 9, 1931, for violating the Prohibition law, for a period of three months and one hundred days, fine and costs and additional punishment, will be made to the Governor of Alabama.

FILMORE LOCKHART.

12-17-2tc

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF FIRST MEETING

No. 7221.

In the District Court of The United States for the Middle District of Alabama—In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Wilber J. Bean, Bankrupt. Postoffice Rt. No. 1, Clanton, County Chilton, Alabama.

The aforesaid party having been adjudged a Bankrupt, under the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to Establish a Uniform System of Bankruptcy Throughout the United States," approved July 1st. 1898, meeting of the Creditors of said Bankrupt is called at the office of the undersigned Referee, in the United States Court House, Montgomery, Alabama, on the 28 day of December, next, at 10 o'clock A. M., to make proof of debts, and for the election of a Trustee, and such other matters as are necessary and required by the Act of Congress aforesaid.

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 10, 1931.

M. S. CARMICHAEL, Referee.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.

In The Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mattie Headley, deceased.

This day came H. J. Headley, administrator of the estate of Mattie Headley, deceased, and filed his petition in writing under oath in this Court, for an order to sell certain lands belonging to said estate, described in said petition, for paying the debts due by said estate, upon the ground that the personal property of said estate is insufficient for the payment of the debts.

It is therefore ordered that the 9th day of January, 1932, be appointed a day for the hearing of said petition, when any persons interested may appear and contest the said application if they think proper.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
12-17-3tc Judge of Probate.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by mortgage of W. B. Morrow and wife, L. Morrow, to John T. Jones, dated January 21st, 1919, and recorded in Book 210 at page 314, in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, and said default continuing, I, E. A. Fischer, as Administrator of the Estate of John T. Jones, deceased, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at public outcry in front of the court house in Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, on

Monday, January 18th, 1932,

the following described property situated in Chilton County, Alabama, namely: The SW¼ of SE¼ and NE¼ of SW¼ of Section 31, Township 20, Range 11, containing 80 acres, more or less.

This sale is made for the purposes provided for in said mortgage.

E. A. FISCHER, As Administrator of the Estate of John T. Jones, deceased.

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The pastor preaches next Sunday, morning and night. At 11 A. M. the subject is "What Must Christian Do?" At seven o'clock Sunday night the subject is "What Should a Christian Do?" These two subjects link up with each other and you should hear both.

Our Sunday school is getting off to a good record in the new Conference year. Help us to improve over the record of the year just gone. Young and old, meet with us each Sunday at 9:45 A. M.

Preaching next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock at the Isabella church.

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JACK HAYES IS PRAISED IN ANONYMOUS LETTER

Following is published a letter received this week, addressed to the News bearing a postmark of Gaffney, S. C., in which an outsider tells how he sees Jack Hayes, well known baseball player of Clanton, who has been with the Washington Senators:

"To the Editor of the News:

Sir:

"On the Washington Baseball Club from 1927 to 1931 there was one man who more than any other was worthy of the adoration which lots of little boys and girls heaped upon the players.

"Most professional ball players are not examples of the highest type of American manhood, although Walter Johnson, Christy Matthewson and a few others of exceptional ability have always been regarded as such. I want to tell you, therefore, about a man whom I have watched with the greatest admiration for the past five years, and in whom I have never been disappointed. I am lots older than I was in 1927, but I still think he is fine.

"He is the most graceful, natural, and competent second baseman, the most enthusiastic, energetic ball player I have ever seen. He possesses all the qualifications which we have come to attribute to a truly good sportsman.

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MT. PLEASANT JR. HIGH DEFEATS STANTON JR. HIGH

On last Friday afternoon the Mt. Pleasant Jr. High School basketball team avenged their loss of last week by sending the Stanton team down to a 14 to 8 defeat. The game got away with a dull, slow, and uninteresting movement, but as it entered the second quarter the boys began to speed up, turning it into an exceedingly swift game, but entirely too rough.

Burnett, for Mt. Pleasant, and Royster, Captain for the Stanton team, were barred from the game during the last half through excessive fouling, yet both players turned in a nice performance before their expulsion.

The visitors were unable to pass the ball successfully through the tight defense thrown up by the Mt. Pleasant boys, for they succeeded in getting only two field goals, one by Royster, and the other by Housten.

Housten, who towers well over six feet, played a nice game as center for Stanton, as he succeeded in placing the tip-off over Littlejohn most of the game, but it proved to no avail as his mates failed to back him.

Curtis Traywick, the diminutive little forward for the home team, was the big gun in the offensive play against the Stanton quintet. He registered every point for Mt. Pleasant, with the exception of one, which was a foul shot made good by his brother, Cecil. Burnett, their team mate, was sadly off form in shooting, but turned in a nifty performance in defensive play.

Parker, for Mt. Pleasant, and L. D. Harrison for Stanton, displayed at times, some fancy work at the guard position; both breaking up passes which doubtless might have proved costly to either team.

This game places the teams in a tie, which probably will be played off on some independent court after January.

The Stanton girls team was due to play, but failed to make their appearance on the court.

Next Friday the Concord Jr. High school team will play at Mt. Pleasant. We hope to see a large crowd present, as this may be the last game before the Christmas holidays.

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Father Of Mrs. Stapp Died After Illness

Columbus, Miss., Dec. 10.—Death Thursday afternoon closed the long career of Dr. Marcus Roland Seay, who for a half century was one of West Alabama's most prominent physicians.

Dr. Seay, who was 79 years old, had been ill at a local hospital for more than a week and the end was not unexpected.

The practictioner for years was known as Fernbank's outstanding citizen and in addition to his medical reputation, bore prominent educational, religious and vici duties.

Two weeks ago Dr. Seay came here for treatment and was believed to be recovering. A relapse set in and he grew steadily worse.

He had practiced his profession until the last few months as a partner at Fernbank with a son, Dr. E. M. Seay.

Funeral services were conducted Friday morning in Columbus by Masonic Lodge and the Rev. J. W. Reid, First Methodist Church, and the Rev. C. L. Rogers, Central Methodist Church. Interment Friday afternoon in Fernbank.

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I Will Be Working For

MR. EVAN PARRISH

of Southern Seed & Plant Co., Thru the Holidays, and will appreciate my many friends coming to see me.

I have worked for Mr. Parrish for several years thru Xmas Holidays, and know that he understands the Fruit Business Thoroughly.

RILEY SCOTT.

Clanton, Alabama

EX-GOV. JELKS DIED IN EUFAULA AFTER ILLNESS

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convention he helped assure.

Upon the assumption of office as governor, Mr. Jelks was faced with a trying financial condition, and he set about relieving it. He renewed the public debt with an attendant annual saving of approximately $100,000, effected economies through readjustment of the convict leasing system, reorganized all State departments, and left office with a substantial surplus in the Treasury.

Mr. Jelks was born in Russell County, Nov. 7, 1855, and on June 7, 1883, he married Miss Alice Keitt Shorter. One daughter was born to this union, Catherine Shorter Jelks (Mrs.. Edward Tripp Comer.)

He was a Mason, a member of the Chi Phi social collegiate fraternity, the Southern Club, and the Birmingham Country Club.

Surviving are his widow, one daughter, Mrs. Edward T. Comer, both of Eufaula, one sister, Mrs. E. H. Cabiness, of Birmingham, and three grandchildren, William, Edward, and Alice Comer, of Eufaula. Funeral will be held at 3:30 p.m. Monday from Home College Hill. The Rev. Scott Smith, pastor of the Episcopal Church here, will officiate, assisted by the Rev. C. C. Pugh, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Eufaula.

Pleasant Grove News

Mr. Ab Atchison was killed instantly on a load of logs near Plantersville. He was in search of a home when killed. Further details will be given next week.

Mr. Phillip Franklin is slowly improving at present.

Miss Wilma Price is at home on a short visit after staying with her uncle in Birmingham. Everyone was glad to see her.

FOR RENT

Two 6-room houses and one 8-room house. All with modern conveniences, and reasonable. Located in Clanton. If interested see Broadus Connatser, at W. W. Fox Store, Clanton. 1tc

COTTON REPORT

There were 19.321 bales of cotton ginned in Chilton County of the 1931 crop, prior to Dec. 1, 1931, as compared with 22,086 bales of the 1930 crop, prior to Dec. 1, 1930.

Cotton Damage

It is very noticeable that there is a large amount of cotton piled out around farm homes in the County taking the weather damage.

It is nothing unusual for cotton to damage from 20 to 100 pounds per bale under such conditions. It is bad enough to have such damage when cotton is a good price. As scarce as money is now every farmer should take pains to protect his cotton from this damage.

C. E. STAPP.

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GREENVILLE CHOIR HERE NEXT SUNDAY

Musical Treat In Store For People Here At Methodist Church Auditorium

Much interest is being expressed over the coming of the Greenville choir next Sunday. This choir is one of the best in the State, and their presentation of Christmas music at the Methodist Church next Sunday morning at eleven o'clock will be one of the most attractive religious gatherings ever taking place in Clanton. The choir has requested that no collection be taken, other than the regular incidental collection. This is a free will contribution on the part of the choir to the people of Chilton County, and it is expected that a large crowd will make use of the opportunity to hear this splendid Christmas music. The only cost in connection with the program will be the entertainment of the choir at one of the local hotels. The program follows:

Organ: Mrs. Jesse Cheatham; violin: Mrs. J. G. McGowin; Director: Mrs. R. A. Beeland.

Choir: Mesdames R. A. Beeland, J. H. Burnett, Ambrose Reese, Leo Kern, T. J. Duncan, P. H. Warren, O. R. Riley, G. C. Steindorff, Gordon Robertson, Julius Reynolds, I. Y. Traweek, J. L. Jerkins, Jack Davis, Frank Boutwell.

Messrs. E. E. Black, Leroy Black, F. T. Herlong, Sr., F. T. Herlong, Jr.,

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Good Acreage For Potatoes Next Spring

Indications are that there will be a good acreage planted to Irish potatoes next spring for cooperative shipping. County Agent Stapp urges farmers who expect to plant Irish potatoes for cooperative shipping to see him at an early date and see about arrangements for certified seed. Mr. Stapp advises that the following farmers have already seen him relative to certified seed: Ernest Porter, J. M. Deramus, J. D. Cleckler, E. C. Cox, J. N. Dennis and Ernie Hansen.

CLANTON MERCHANTS EXTEND GREETINGS OF THE SEASON

Best wishes for a Merry Christmas this year are being extended by places of business of Clanton this week. In this issue there is a full page carrying fifteen greeting cards from as many places of business in Clanton.

Throughout the issue will be found spaces from merchants extending greetings of the season. Read each of these ads from your Clanton merchants, and other places of business.

EVAN PARRISH FURNISHES MUCH CHRISTMAS FRUIT

Fruits for Christmas have been more bountiful than ever in Clanton this year, and Evan Parrish, at the Southern Seed & Plant Company here, advises that he has been pleased with the business given him along this line, as well as the seed line.

Mr. Parrish, being well known over the county, and giving full value is building a nice trade in the seed line, and fruit trade, as well as other odds and ends.

Broadhead's Store Damaged By Fire

People of Clanton were aroused late Saturday night when the fire alarm sounded, directing the volunteer firemen to the store of J. H. Broadhead & Son, on main street.

The firemen were bothered considerably by dense smoke coming from the building, and used good judgment in combating the smoke and flames. Considerable damage was done to certain goods in the store by fire, while smoke also damaged contents in the Broadhead store as well as in rooms in the second story of the building, used by a family as living quarters. The origin of the fire was not learned.

SEVEN ARRESTS REPORTED BY SHERIFF HERE

Two Men Captured With Still In Operation With Large Quantity Of Beer

Reports from the office of Sheriff W. H. Gillespie, this week show that seven arrests have been booked since last Thursday, the report covering up to Tuesday at noon this week.

The seven arrests include one for burglary and grand larceny, two for violation of the prohibition law, two for distilling, one for disturbing religious worship, and one for using abusive language.

The two men charged with distilling were arrested early last Saturday morning in a raid on a still, located northwest of Jemison. The still was of approximately thirty-five gallon capacity, and was made from a large arsenic container, it was stated. The outfit was in operation at the time of the raid, and a quantity of liquor and three 40 gallon barrels of beer were captured. The men made bond.

Prof. and Mrs. L. D. Haskew arrived in Clanton Tuesday afternoon from their home in Monroe, Ga. They left with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Haskew, Thursday morning for a trip through Florida. They will go by way of Pensacola, Panama City, Tampa and Jacksonville. They will return to their home on the 1st day of January.

Special Services At Methodist Church

Rev. E. C. Evans will preach Sunday night at seven o'clock at the Methodist church in Clanton. Rev. Evans was licensed to preach in November of this year, and this will be his first sermon in a local pulpit. He has addressed the Men's Bible class for several times and is a very pleasant speaker. Doubtless a large crowd will hear him. The Epworth League choir will render a special musical program at this service, under the leadership of Mrs. Percy M. Pitts.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson had as their guests Sunday Mrs. Atkinson's sister, Mrs. J. F. Bates, and Mr. Bates, of Vincent.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Turnquist of Richmond, Va., will spend Christmas with relatives in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith are spending Christmas holidays with his parents in Collinsville, Ala.

Men's Sunday School Class Entertained With A Real Picnic, Baptist Church Last Thurs. Night

Members of the Men's Sunday School Class of the Clanton Baptist church were entertained on last Thursday night with a picnic, at the church basement. During the delicious repast, several of those present gave short talks that were enjoyed by the gathering. Besides the large membership of the class present, there were several visitors.

Those enjoying this affair were: B. J. Sessions, W. L. Popwell, H. S. Shaw, Chester Mims, G. W. Willis, H. M. Burnett, A. L. Robinson, Wyley Ramsey, Joe Mims, A. L. Taylor, W. A. Willis, W. H. Sartor, J. E. Gore, J. T. Rockett, M. D. Foshee, D. A. Wingard, J. H. Alred, J. W. Kemp, Milton Smith, Ed Wagoner, W. W. Wingard, N. A. Gray, H. T. Pipes, J. J. Maddox, J. Watts Moore, G. C. Harris, S. J. Ezell, W. A. Kemp, J. M. Robinson, J. W. Littlejohn, J. R. Mullins, Joe Higgins, W. C. Robinson, B. F. Massey, H. G. Heflin, E. E. Upchurch, J. B. Deramus, J. A. Jones, Joe Calloway, L. C. Ross, W. J. Goodger, J. D. Alford, E. J. Brand, M. H. Marcus, H. G. Popwell, W. J. Billingsley, Morris Kelly, Leonard Eubanks, L. C. Bean, M. T. Anderson, E. G. Hyman, Ed Edwards, T. J. Littlejohn, W. H. Hayes, J. M. Mims, G. T. Tippett, W. G. Culp, W. S. Willis, Dewey Eubanks, K. M. Vinson, Darwin S. Giles, V. J. Heard, Rucker Simms.

Visitors were I. J. Quinn, G. C. Powell, H. White, G. C. Armstrong, Claudie Pipes, L. A. Calloway, George Arnold, Jesse Jones, Earl C. Parrish.

On the Serving Committee were Mrs. S. J. Ezell, Mrs. Dewey Eubanks, Mrs. W. A. Willis, Mrs. H. T. Pipes, Mrs. J. B. Deramus, Mrs. E. E. Upchurch and H. T. Pipes, W. A. Willis, and J. E. Gore.

THE STARS ARE STILL SHINING

At times it pays to lift the eyes from the daily exactions and turn them upward, toward the stars. It is by this simple method that is restored the perspective, and causes one to become fitted to judge more precisely the values that are expressed in the terms of finite and infinite.

The anxieties and troubles that almost seem overwhelming are seen to have a way of decreasing when placed alongside the great measurement supplied by the calm, gleaming heavens.

How many passing troubles, those stars, so quiet, have gazed upon, and how many they have witnessed vanish into nothingness. These stars looked down upon the people of Israel when they were suffering under Pharoah, and then gazed down upon them when they reveled in their glory in the times of David and Solomon.

These same stars gleamed down upon Bethlehem, when there came out of the night, the song of angels as they proclaimed the birth of the Savior, and burned brightly as He went about with His missions, showing love and mercy as the years passed by. They saw Mary and Martha weeping when night came and that familiar face was missing, and saw their extreme joy when there was restored to them, their brother.

These stars were seen by the man who was blind, and who by faith, had his affliction removed, and they witnessed the healing of the lepers.

And when the Master extended His arms to those children, of whom He said, "Of such is the Kingdom of Heaven," they played, danced and sang in the light of these same stars. Imagine, what stories these stars could tell.

They have witnessed the gathering of millions of dark clouds in years passed, to see them only vanish with the coming of the glory of the morning sun. They have seen great masses of people sorely troubled and harassed, only to soon be rejoicing in a new day.

Was it not a star that led the Three Wise Men to the little place called Bethlehem, where the One had been born, who was to create a new order in the world; One who came to proclaim a new doctrine of hope and a religion of happiness.

His message was, "Let not your heart be troubled." That might well be a timely message for this holiday season. Troubles become transitory; joy is eternal, and the great obligation during this Christmas period is to spread happiness, and add to the precious memories that cause life to become sweetened and help enrich the years as they unfold.

Let us look about us, there is good to be done. And let's remember the words of Him, whose day of birth we cherish in our minds and with deeds of kindness, "Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled."

Each year, at this time, for the past five years, the present management of this newspaper has extended to the people of this section, and elsewhere, that old but sincere greeting, Merry Christmas.

Again this year, and as sincere as ever before, the entire working group of the Chilton County News extends to its readers heartiest greetings and best wishes for a very Merry Christmas for the year 1931.

Methodist Ladies Will Send Orphanage Pack

Ladies of the Clanton Methodist Methodist church are to start gathering donations in the way of canned fruits, preserves and jellies this week, to be sent to the Methodist Orphanage at Selma.

Those people of this section who have any kind of canned fruits, etc., they wish to send, are requested to leave them at the James Sign Shop, or at the C. Reece Mullins place, near the sign shop. January 1st has been set as the last day of this drive, and it is urged that as much be sent in early as possible.

DATE NEARING FOR BOB JONES REVIVAL HERE

Meeting Will Be Held In The Courthouse Beginning On January 3rd-24th

Plans are rapidly going forward for the Bob Jones revival that is to begin on Sunday night, January 3rd. Many cottage prayer meetings are being held in different sections of Clanton and Chilton County, and committees are being appointed to take charge of the work of the revival campaign. A choir will be organized from the local talent and good music will be furnished from the first service. Dr. E. C. Miller of South Bend, Ind., will arrive in the city on January 2nd, and will be in readiness for the campaign which is to begin the following day. All the local churches will have their morning services, but will unite in a big union service at night.

The place of the meeting will be at the Court House. Should the auditorium of the court house be taxed, chairs will be furnished, and seating provided. It is expected that the meeting shall be county wide, and that during the period there will be many visitors from every section of the county. The money question is not to be emphasized, but a strong appeal will be made for men to give themselves to God. This is a meeting for the people, and it is hoped that it will result in much good.

Holcombe & Massey Buy W. W. Fox Store

Announcement was made recently to the effect that the well known store of W. W. Fox has been sold to C. R. Holcombe and Frank Massey. This transaction took place last week.

Fox's Store has been popular in this section for a number of years, and the new managers state they hope to continue making the store popular. The store will go under the firm name of Holcombe & Massey, successors to W. W. Fox Store, and will still be located in the same place. The line of merchandise handled by Mr. Fox will not be changed by the new owners. They will continue handling odds and ends, light hardware and household articles.

Mr. Holcombe recently moved to Clanton from Thorsby and is experienced in this line of business, while Mr. Massey is well known over this entire county, having been connected with the Fox Store for sometime. They invite the people to visit them.

DEMOCRATIC HARMONY IN RANKS SHOWN

Voters To Select National Delegates And Committeemen In Party

The action of the state Democratic executive committee last week at its meeting in Birmingham creates two chief causes for satisfaction among Democrats, according to press reports of the meeting, in the Alabama Journal, Saturday.

Those men who have entered the lists for the office to succeed Watt T. Brown, of Ragland, for Democratic national committeeman are Gen. Robert E. Steiner of Montgomery, Borden Burr, of Birmingham and Sen. Charles S. McDowell. Sen. Brown has not yet stated whether he will be a candidate or not. The meeting of the State Democratic Executive Committee was also attended by Hon. J. B. Atkinson of Clanton, who is a member of the committee, and who has done much work to establish harmony in the Democratic ranks in line with the action of the executive committee last week.

The committee put its entire trust in the voters, and several of its acts were unanimous. The committee not only entrusted the selection of delegates to the national convention next year, as well as the national committeeman and committeewoman, to the democratic voters of the state, but it showed its sympathy with suggestions to have such delegates [illegible]

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Pilot Club Holds Business Meeting

The Pilot Club of Clanton held its regular business meeting Tuesday night jointly with a Christmas box affair, from which each member received a gift from some other member of the club.

Among the matters of business attended to was one very commendable action on the part of the club. This organization of business and professional women will furnish funds to take care of lunches for three undernourished children at the Clanton Grammar School for this term of school. The children are to be selected and the proper diet given them at the school lunch room. Each member of the club is also a committee of one to look after as many old school books that can be use, to be given underprivileged children here.

NEWS SUBSCRIPTION OFFER WILL EXPIRE JANUARY 1ST

Last week the News announced thru the mails a special subscription offer. This offer made it possible to become a subscriber from date paid until January 1, 1933. for only one dollar, and will expire January 1, 1932.

If you have not already sent in your dollar, remember that you have a little more than a week to take advantage of this offer. After January 1st, the price will be as usual, one dollar and fifty cents per year. If your subscription is about out, now is the time to renew it at this special offer.

Mr. Charlie Swanson who has spent a few months in Thorsby, left Saturday for Chicago, Illinois.

Standing Committees Named For Masonic Activities In Alabama; Lodges Are Advised

In a printed leaflet, Grand Master Will L. Lee, of the Alabama Masonic Grand Lodge, announces the full list of committees named to serve the Grand Lodge. A copy of this leaflet has been mailed to each subordinate lodge in the State by Guy T. Smith, grand secretary.

In addition to listing the Grand Lodge officers and standing committees, this leaflet also carries information of interest to all Masons. It is noted that three of the four proposed amendments submitted to the subordinate lodges had received the necessary favorable vote of two-thirds of the chartered lodges in the State and were declared duly adopted as part of the organic law of the order.

Hon. J. B. Atkinson, of Clanton, was reappointed to serve as District Lecturer for this, the 17th District.

The revised constitution, approved by the jurisprudence committee, was submitted at the recent communication of the Grand Lodge to the lodges for approval or rejection as a whole at their annual communications preceding June 24, 1932.

Following are the committees announced by the order of the Grand Master:

Lodges Under Dispensation

William E. Bingham, Tuscaloosa; William S. Gamble, Dothan; Tully A. Goodwin, Florala.

Finance

Lew Lazarus, Birmingham; Woolsey Finnell, Tuscaloosa; John C. De Holl, Birmingham; Emil S. Hugger, Montgomery; Charles A. Moffett, Birmingham.

Masonic Jurisprudence

Archibald H. Carmichael, Tuscumbia;

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Practical GIFTS

Clanton Methodist Church

D. W. Haskew, Pastor

Only two more Sundays in the year 1931. Some have been to church every Sunday. Some have been about half of the Sundays. Some have been not a time. What about your record? Add two more Sundays of attendance to your record.

The pastor preaches next Sunday, morning and night. At 11 A. M. the subject is "What Must Christian Do?" At seven o'clock Sunday night the subject is "What Should a Christian Do?" These two subjects link up with each other and you should hear both.

Our Sunday school is getting off to a good record in the new Conference year. Help us to improve over the record of the year just gone. Young and old, meet with us each Sunday at 9:45 A. M.

Preaching next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock at the Isabella church.

Our church stands for loyalty, consecration, service, liberality and experience. We need you in our worship, and you need us. Always welcome.

Correct this sentence: "She immediately gave up the idea of marrying him when her parents explained how worthless he was."

JACK HAYES IS PRAISED IN ANONYMOUS LETTER

Following is published a letter received this week, addressed to the News bearing a postmark of Gaffney, S. C., in which an outsider tells how he sees Jack Hayes, well known baseball player of Clanton, who has been with the Washington Senators:

"To the Editor of the News:

Sir:

"On the Washington Baseball Club from 1927 to 1931 there was one man who more than any other was worthy of the adoration which lots of little boys and girls heaped upon the players.

"Most professional ball players are not examples of the highest type of American manhood, although Walter Johnson, Christy Matthewson and a few others of exceptional ability have always been regarded as such. I want to tell you, therefore, about a man whom I have watched with the greatest admiration for the past five years, and in whom I have never been disappointed. I am lots older than I was in 1927, but I still think he is fine.

"He is the most graceful, natural, and competent second baseman, the most enthusiastic, energetic ball player I have ever seen. He possesses all the qualifications which we have come to attribute to a truly good sportsman.

"You people of Clanton must be tremendously proud of Jackie Hayes."

D. G.

Clanton Cash Store's Sale Will Continue Indefinitely

All $4.45 to $4.95 Shoes Are Being Sold For **$1.95**

All $5.45 To $6.45 Shoes Going At Why Pay More? **$2.95**

Mens $23.50 Suits To Go At Only **$8.95**

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BOYS' SUITS FROM **$2.95 to $6.95**

Our Ladies Silk Hose And All Other Goods Are So Cheap Till You Can Well Afford To Buy Them For Christmas Presents.

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Clanton Cash Store

Jesse Baker - - - - O. D. Deloach

MT. PLEASANT JR. HIGH DEFEATS STANTON JR. HIGH

On last Friday afternoon the Mt. Pleasant Jr. High School basketball team avenged their loss of last week by sending the Stanton team down to a 14 to 8 defeat. The game got away with a dull, slow, and uninteresting movement, but as it entered the second quarter the boys began to speed up, turning it into an exceedingly swift game, but entirely too rough.

Burnett, for Mt. Pleasant, and Royster, Captain for the Stanton team, were barred from the game during the last half through excessive fouling, yet both players turned in a nice performance before their expulsion.

The visitors were unable to pass the ball successfully through the tight defense thrown up by the Mt. Pleasant boys, for they succeeded in getting only two field goals, one by Royster, and the other by Housten.

Housten, who towers well over six feet, played a nice game as center for Stanton, as he succeeded in placing the tip-off over Littlejohn most of the game, but it proved to no avail as his mates failed to back him.

Curtis Traywick, the diminutive little forward for the home team, was the big gun in the offensive play against the Stanton quintet. He registered every point for Mt. Pleasant, with the exception of one, which was a foul shot made good by his brother, Cecil. Burnett, their team mate, was sadly off form in shooting, but turned in a nifty performance in defensive play.

Parker, for Mt. Pleasant, and L. D. Harrison for Stanton, displayed at times, some fancy work at the guard position; both breaking up passes which doubtless might have proved costly to either team.

This game places the teams in a tie, which probably will be played off on some independent court after January.

The Stanton girls team was due to play, but failed to make their appearance on the court.

Next Friday the Concord Jr. High school team will play at Mt. Pleasant. We hope to see a large crowd present, as this may be the last game before the Christmas holidays.

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200 White Leghorn Pullets, all laying. See Mrs. W. C. Robinson, at Robinson Dept. Store. Clanton. 1tc

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TERMS WILL BE STRICTLY CASH THIS WINTER

R. L. BAKER

Father Of Mrs. Stapp Died After Illness

Columbus, Miss., Dec. 10.—Death Thursday afternoon closed the long career of Dr. Marcus Roland Seay, who for a half century was one of West Alabama's most prominent physicians.

Dr. Seay, who was 79 years old, had been ill at a local hospital for more than a week and the end was not unexpected.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Martin spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Martin.

We are sorry to know that Miss Lula Courtney is in the hospital at Clanton for an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. Osmond Lette of Verbena spent this week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lette.

Mr. Virgil Griffin returned Friday from a pleasure trip to Florida.

I Will Be Working For

MR. EVAN PARRISH

of Southern Seed & Plant Co., Thru the Holidays, and will appreciate my many friends coming to see me.

I have worked for Mr. Parrish for several years thru Xmas Holidays, and know that he understands the Fruit Business Thoroughly.

RILEY SCOTT.

Clanton, Alabama

EX-GOV. JELKS DIED IN EUFAULA AFTER ILLNESS

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convention he helped assure.

Upon the assumption of office as governor, Mr. Jelks was faced with a trying financial condition, and he set about relieving it. He renewed the public debt with an attendant annual saving of approximately $100,000. effected economies through readjustment of the convict leasing system, reorganized all State departments, and left office with a substantial surplus in the Treasury.

Mr. Jelks was born in Russell County, Nov. 7, 1855, and on June 7, 1883, he married Miss Alice Keitt Shorter. One daughter was born to this union, Catherine Shorter Jelks (Mrs. Edward Tripp Comer.)

He was a Mason, a member of the Chi Phi social collegiate fraternity, the Southern Club, and the Birmingham Country Club.

Surviving are his widow, one daughter, Mrs. Edward T. Comer, both of Eufaula, one sister, Mrs. E. H. Cabiness, of Birmingham, and three grandchildren, William, Edward, and Alice Comer, of Eufaula. Funeral will be held at 3:30 p.m. Monday from Home College Hill. The Rev. Scott Smith, pastor of the Episcopal Church here, will officiate, assisted by the Rev. C. C. Pugh, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Eufaula.

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Pleasant Grove News

Mr. Ab Atchison was killed instantly on a load of logs near Plantersville. He was in search of a home when killed. Further details will be given next week.

Mr. Phillip Franklin is slowly improving at present.

Miss Wilma Price is at home on a short visit after staying with her uncle in Birmingham. Everyone was glad to see her.

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FOR RENT

Two 6-room houses and one 8-room house. All with modern conveniences, and reasonable. Located in Clanton. If interested see Broadus Connatser, at W. W. Fox Store, Clanton. 1tc

COTTON REPORT

There were 19.321 bales of cotton ginned in Chilton County of the 1931 crop, prior to Dec. 1, 1931, as compared with 22,086 bales of the 1930 crop, prior to Dec. 1, 1930.

Cotton Damage

It is very noticeable that there is a large amount of cotton piled out around farm homes in the County taking the weather damage.

It is nothing unusual for cotton to damage from 20 to 100 pounds per bale under such conditions. It is bad enough to have such damage when cotton is a good price. As scarce as money is now every farmer should take pains to protect his cotton from this damage.

C. E. STAPP.

Hubert Farley

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GREENVILLE CHOIR HERE NEXT SUNDAY

Musical Treat In Store For People Here At Methodist Church Auditorium

Much interest is being expressed over the coming of the Greenville choir next Sunday. This choir is one of the best in the State, and their presentation of Christmas music at the Methodist Church next Sunday morning at eleven o'clock will be one of the most attractive religious gatherings ever taking place in Clanton. The choir has requested that no collection be taken, other than the regular incidental collection. This is a free will contribution on the part of the choir to the people of Chilton County, and it is expected that a large crowd will make use of the opportunity to hear this splendid Christmas music. The only cost in connection with the program will be the entertainment of the choir at one of the local hotels. The program follows:

Organ: Mrs. Jesse Cheatham; violin: Mrs. J. G. McGowin; Director: Mrs. R. A. Beeland.

Choir: Mesdames R. A. Beeland, J. H. Burnett, Ambrose Reese, Leo Kern, T. J. Duncan, P. H. Warren, O. R. Riley, G. C. Steindorff, Gordon Robertson, Julius Reynolds, I. Y. Traweek, J. L. Jerkins, Jack Davis, Frank Boutwell.

Messrs. E. E. Black, Leroy Black, F. T. Herlong, Sr., F. T. Herlong, Jr.,

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Good Acreage For Potatoes Next Spring

Indications are that there will be a good acreage planted to Irish potatoes next spring for cooperative shipping. County Agent Stapp urges farmers who expect to plant Irish potatoes for cooperative shipping to see him at an early date and see about arrangements for certified seed. Mr. Stapp advises that the following farmers have already seen him relative to certified seed: Ernest Porter, J. M. Deramus, J. D. Cleckler, E. C. Cox, J. N. Dennis and Ernie Hansen.

CLANTON MERCHANTS EXTEND GREETINGS OF THE SEASON

Best wishes for a Merry Christmas this year are being extended by places of business of Clanton this week. In this issue there is a full page carrying fifteen greeting cards from as many places of business in Clanton.

Throughout the issue will be found spaces from merchants extending greetings of the season. Read each of these ads from your Clanton merchants, and other places of business.

EVAN PARRISH FURNISHES MUCH CHRISTMAS FRUIT

Fruits for Christmas have been more bountiful than ever in Clanton this year, and Evan Parrish, at the Southern Seed & Plant Company here, advises that he has been pleased with the business given him along this line, as well as the seed line.

Mr. Parrish, being well known over the county, and giving full value is building a nice trade in the seed line, and fruit trade, as well as other odds and ends.

Broadhead's Store Damaged By Fire

People of Clanton were aroused late Saturday night when the fire alarm sounded, directing the volunteer firemen to the store of J. H. Broadhead & Son, on main street.

The firemen were bothered considerably by dense smoke coming from the building, and used good judgment in combating the smoke and flames. Considerable damage was done to certain goods in the store by fire, while smoke also damaged contents in the Broadhead store as well as in rooms in the second story of the building, used by a family as living quarters. The origin of the fire was not learned.

SEVEN ARRESTS REPORTED BY SHERIFF HERE

Two Men Captured With Still In Operation With Large Quantity Of Beer

Reports from the office of Sheriff W. H. Gillespie, this week show that seven arrests have been booked since last Thursday, the report covering up to Tuesday at noon this week.

The seven arrests include one for burglary and grand larceny, two for violation of the prohibition law, two for distilling, one for disturbing religious worship, and one for using abusive language.

The two men charged with distilling were arrested early last Saturday morning in a raid on a still, located northwest of Jemison The still was of approximately thirty-five gallon capacity, and was made from a large arsenic container, it was stated. The outfit was in operation at the time of the raid, and a quantity of liquor and three 40 gallon barrels of beer were captured. The men made bond.

Prof. and Mrs. L. D. Haskew arrived in Clanton Tuesday afternoon from their home in Monroe, Ga. They left with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Haskew, Thursday morning for a trip through Florida. They will go by way of Pensacola, Panama City, Tampa and Jacksonville. They will return to their home on the 1st day of January.

Special Services At Methodist Church

Rev. E. C. Evans will preach Sunday night at seven o'clock at the Methodist church in Clanton. Rev. Evans was licensed to preach in November of this year, and this will be his first sermon in a local pulpit. He has addressed the Men's Bible class for several times and is a very pleasant speaker. Doubtless a large crowd will hear him. The Epworth League choir will render a special musical program at this service, under the leadership of Mrs. Percy M. Pitts.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson had as their guests Sunday Mrs. Atkinson's sister, Mrs. J. F. Bates, and Mr. Bates, of Vincent.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Turnquist of Richmond, Va., will spend Christmas with relatives in Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith are spending Christmas holidays with his parents in Collinsville, Ala.

Men's Sunday School Class Entertained With A Real Picnic, Baptist Church Last Thurs. Night

Members of the Men's Sunday School Class of the Clanton Baptist church were entertained on last Thursday night with a picnic, at the church basement. During the delicious repast, several of those present gave short talks that were enjoyed by the gathering. Besides the large membership of the class present, there were several visitors.

Those enjoying this affair were: B. J. Sessions, W. L. Popwell, H. S. Shaw, Chester Mims. G. W. Willis, H. M. Burnett, A. L. Robinson, Wyley Ramsey, Joe Mims, A. L. Taylor, W. A. Willis, W. H. Sartor, J. E. Gore, J. T. Rockett, M. D. Foshee, D. A. Wingard, J. H. Alred, J. W. Kemp, Milton Smith, Ed Wagoner, W. W. Wingard, N. A. Gray. H. T. Pipes, J. J. Maddox, J. Watts Moore, G. C. Harris, S. J. Ezell, W. A. Kemp, J. M. Robinson, J. W. Littlejohn, J. R. Mullins, Joe Higgins, W. C. Robinson, B. F. Massey.

H. G. Heflin, E. E. Upchurch, J. B. Deramus, J. A. Jones, Joe Calloway, L. C. Ross, W. J. Goodger, J. D. Alford, E. J. Brand, M. H. Marcus, H. G. Popwell, W. J. Billingsley, Morris Kelly, Leonard Eubanks, L. C. Bean, M. T. Anderson, E. G. Hyman, Ed Edwards, T. J. Littlejohn, W. H. Hayes, J. M. Mims, G. T. Tippett, W. G. Culp, W. S. Willis, Dewey Eubanks, K. M. Vinson, Darwin S. Giles, V. J. Heard, Rucker Simms.

Visitors were I. J. Quinn, G. C. Powell, H. White, G. C. Armstrong, Claudie Pipes, L. A. Calloway, George Arnold, Jesse Jones, Earl C. Parrish.

On the Serving Committee were Mrs. S. J. Ezell, Mrs. Dewey Eubanks, Mrs. W. A. Willis, Mrs. H. T. Pipes, Mrs. J. B. Deramus, Mrs. E. E. Upchurch and H. T. Pipes, W. A. Willis, and J. E. Gore.

THE STARS ARE STILL SHINING

At times it pays to lift the eyes from the daily exactions and turn them upward, toward the stars. It is by this simple method that is restored the perspective, and causes one to become fitted to judge more precisely the values that are expressed in the terms of finite and infinite.

The anxieties and troubles that almost seem overwhelming are seen to have a way of decreasing when placed alongside the great measurement supplied by the calm, gleaming heavens.

How many passing troubles, those stars, so quiet, have gazed upon, and how many they have witnessed vanish into nothingness. These stars looked down upon the people of Israel when they were suffering under Pharoah, and then gazed down upon them when they reveled in their glory in the times of David and Solomon.

These same stars gleamed down upon Bethlehem, when there came out of the night, the song of angels as they proclaimed the birth of the Savior, and burned brightly as He went about with His missions, showing love and mercy as the years passed by. They saw Mary and Martha weeping when night came and that familiar face was missing, and saw their extreme joy when there was restored to them, their brother.

These stars were seen by the man who was blind, and who by faith, had his affliction removed, and they witnessed the healing of the lepers.

And when the Master extended His arms to those children, of whom He said, "Of such is the Kingdom of Heaven," they played, danced and sang in the light of these same stars. Imagine, what stories these stars could tell.

They have witnessed the gathering of millions of dark clouds in years passed, to see them only vanish with the coming of the glory of the morning sun. They have seen great masses of people sorely troubled and harassed, only to soon be rejoicing in a new day.

Was it not a star that led the Three Wise Men to the little place called Bethlehem, where the One had been born, who was to create a new order in the world; One who came to proclaim a new doctrine of hope and a religion of happiness.

His message was, "Let not your heart be troubled." That might well be a timely message for this holiday season. Troubles become transitory; joy is eternal, and the great obligation during this Christmas period is to spread happiness, and add to the precious memories that cause life to become sweetened and help enrich the years as they unfold.

Let us look about us, there is good to be done. And let's remember the words of Him, whose day of birth we cherish in our minds and with deeds of kindness, "Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled."

Each year, at this time, for the past five years, the present management of this newspaper has extended to the people of this section, and elsewhere, that old but sincere greeting, Merry Christmas.

Again this year, and as sincere as ever before, the entire working group of the Chilton County News extends to its readers heartiest greetings and best wishes for a very Merry Christmas for the year 1931.

Methodist Ladies Will Send Orphanage Pack

Ladies of the Clanton Methodist Methodist church are to start gathering donations in the way of canned fruits, preserves and jellies this week, to be sent to the Methodist Orphanage at Selma.

Those people of this section who have any kind of canned fruits, etc., they wish to send, are requested to leave them at the James Sign Shop, or at the C. Reece Mullins place, near the sign shop. January 1st has been set as the last day of this drive, and it is urged that as much be sent in early as possible.

DATE NEARING FOR BOB JONES REVIVAL HERE

Meeting Will Be Held In The Courthouse Beginning On January 3rd-24th

Plans are rapidly going forward for the Bob Jones revival that is to begin on Sunday night, January 3rd. Many cottage prayer meetings are being held in different sections of Clanton and Chilton County, and committees are being appointed to take charge of the work of the revival campaign. A choir will be organized from the local talent and good music will be furnished from the first service. Dr. E. C. Miller of South Bend, Ind., will arrive in the city on January 2nd, and will be in readiness for the campaign which is to begin the following day. All the local churches will have their morning services, but will unite in a big union service at night.

The place of the meeting will be at the Court House. Should the auditorium of the court house be taxed, chairs will be furnished, and seating provided. It is expected that the meeting shall be county wide, and that during the period there will be many visitors from every section of the county. The money question is not to be emphasized, but a strong appeal will be made for men to give themselves to God. This is a meeting for the people, and it is hoped that it will result in much good.

Holcombe & Massey Buy W. W. Fox Store

Announcement was made recently to the effect that the well known store of W. W. Fox has been sold to C. R. Holcombe and Frank Massey. This transaction took place last week.

Fox's Store has been popular in this section for a number of years, and the new managers state they hope to continue making the store popular. The store will go under the firm name of Holcombe & Massey, successors to W. W. Fox Store, and will still be located in the same place. The line of merchandise handled by Mr. Fox will not be changed by the new owners. They will continue handling odds and ends, light hardware and household articles.

Mr. Holcombe recently moved to Clanton from Thorsby and is experienced in this line of business, while Mr. Massey is well known over this entire county, having been connected with the Fox Store for sometime. They invite the people to visit them.

DEMOCRATIC HARMONY IN RANKS SHOWN

Voters To Select National Delegates And Committeemen In Party

The action of the state Democratic executive committee last week at its meeting in Birmingham creates two chief causes for satisfaction among Democrats, according to press reports of the meeting, in the Alabama Journal, Saturday.

Those men who have entered the lists for the office to succeed Watt T. Brown, of Ragland, for Democratic national committeeman are Gen. Robert E. Steiner of Montgomery; Borden Burr, of Birmingham and Sen. Charles S. McDowell. Sen. Brown has not yet stated whether he will be a candidate or not. The meeting of the State Democratic Executive Committee was also attended by Hon. J. B. Atkinson of Clanton, who is a member of the committee, and who has done much work to establish harmony in the Democratic ranks in line with the action of the executive committee last week.

The committee put its [illegible] the voters, and secondly, its acts were unanimous. The committee not only entrusted the selection of delegates to the national convention next year, as well as the national committeeman and committeewoman, to the democratic voters of the state but it showed no sympathy with suggestions to have such delegates chosen in convention.

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Pilot Club Holds Business Meeting

The Pilot Club of Clanton held its regular business meeting Tuesday night jointly with a Christmas box affair, from which each member received a gift from some other member of the club.

Among the matters of business attended to was one very commendable action on the part of the club. This organization of business and professional women will furnish funds to take care of lunches for three undernourished children at the Clanton Grammar School for this term of school. The children are to be selected and the proper diet given them at the school lunch room. Each member of the club is also a committee of one to look after as many old school books that can be use, to be given underprivileged children here.

NEWS SUBSCRIPTION OFFER WILL EXPIRE JANUARY 1ST

Last week the News announced thru the mails a special subscription offer. This offer made it possible to become a subscriber from date paid until January 1, 1933, for only one dollar, and will expire January 1, 1932.

If you have not already sent in your dollar, remember that you have a little more than a week to take advantage of this offer. After January 1st, the price will be as usual, one dollar and fifty cents per year. If your subscription is about out, now is the time to renew it at this special offer.

Mr. Charlie Swanson who has spent a few months in Thorsby, left Saturday for Chicago, Illinois.

Standing Committees Named For Masonic Activities In Alabama; Lodges Are Advised

In a printed leaflet, Grand Master Will L. Lee, of the Alabama Masonic Grand Lodge, announces the full list of committees named to serve the Grand Lodge. A copy of this leaflet has been mailed to each subordinate lodge in the State by Guy T. Smith, grand secretary.

In addition to listing the Grand Lodge officers and standing committees, this leaflet also carries information of interest to all Masons. It is noted that three of the four proposed amendments submitted to the subordinate lodges had received the necessary favorable vote of two-thirds of the chartered lodges in the State and were declared duly adopted as part of the organic law of the order.

Hon. J. B. Atkinson, of Clanton, was reappointed to serve as District Lecturer for this, the 17th District.

The revised constitution, approved by the jurisprudence committee, was submitted at the recent communication of the Grand Lodge to the lodges for approval or rejection as a whole at their annual communications preceding June 24, 1932.

Following are the committees announced by the order of the Grand Master:

Lodges Under Dispensation

William E. Bingham, Tuscaloosa; William S. Gamble, Dothan; Tully A. Goodwin, Florala.

Finance

Lew Lazarus, Birmingham; Woolsey Finnell, Tuscaloosa; John C. De Holl, Birmingham; Emil S. Hugger, Montgomery; Charles A. Moffett, Birmingham.

Masonic Jurisprudence

Archibald H. Carmichael, Tuscumbia;

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Merry Christmas

Christmas is the jolly season, the holly season—the green and red and snowy season—when hearths are glowing, hearts are flowing with merry, merry cheer. It's a time of joyous greeting—happiness and friendly meeting—the ending and beginning of a year.

With our most elated manner—in our gay and happy way—We Wish You a Happy New Year—and a Merry Christmas Day.

Peoples Savings Bank

SAFE SINCE 1901 — CLANTON —THIRTY USEFUL YEARS

Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor:

Will you be so kind as to give me a space in your valuable paper to say a few words to its readers? My text is: "When the righteous are in authority the people rejoice; but when the wicked beareth rule the people mourn." Proverbs 29 and 2nd verse.

I believe every reader of this paper knows that the people of the world, the people of the United States, the people of Alabama, and the people of every county in Alabama are not rejoicing on account of a righteous rule, but to the contrary are mourning. We hear great statesmen say they can't place the responsibility for this depression and unrest of our country.

I read both of our good county papers, two Birmingham daily papers and Montgomery papers, and hear some of the greatest men of our country speak through the radio, but have never heard anyone tell what is causing the present depression and unrest of our country.

Was Solomon the wisest of all men and did God speak through him and say, "When the righteous are in authority the people rejoice; but when the wicked beareth rule the people mourn."?

What is the condition throughout the world, rejoicing or mourning? I do not have to tell you, because you know.

Did you ever have a lawyer to offer to furnish evidence if they thought your evidence was not sufficient to make the case a success. Did you ever know judges to bring cases in their courts with blank evidence just to get fees, regardless of justice?

If God tells us through His chosen messengers what is causing the present depression why not believe it?

Dear reader, do you think it is right for our rulers to take billions of dollars that have been collected from the farmers and laborers of this country in taxes and revenue, and lend it to foreign countries and when it comes due and should be paid back, our rulers extend the credit until our foreign countries can get able to pay?

But on the other hand our treasurer of our nation says there is a deficit in the nation's treasury of about two billion dollars, and now our Legislators at Washington are working out some plan by which they can collect this two billion dollars deficit out of the already tax ridden people of our country.

The federal banks of our country have closed out thousands of homes this year, and left thousands of people homeless. The tax collectors of our nation have sold thousands of homes because the owners could not pay the taxes.

Other nations can have the use of our money after it is due to be paid. But we people must pay when it is due, or lose our property. At one end of our system we have the Federal Farm Board who is trying to teach us that we are producing too much wheat and cotton; that we should destroy one-third of our cotton in order to boost the price. This same board has millions of bushels of wheat, millions of bales of cotton hoarded away; while millions of poor little children are going hungry and scant of clothing. Again we have another farm organization at the other end who is supposed to teach us how to produce abundantly. Remember: we farmers and laborers have to pay these two organizations millions of dollars for their valuable service. Remember: When the Wicked beareth rule the people Mourn.

Lord, send us a Moses; that we may have a righteous rule.

Respectfully,
A. A. JACKSON.

REYNOLDS APPEALS TO PEOPLE OF CHILTON CO.

Clanton, Ala., Dec. 21, 1931.
Editor, Chilton County News:

For one whole year we have been fighting, grabbing, struggling, scolding, working until our brain is like a whirlwind and we are all discouraged on account of this awful depression, but we must not forget our duty to the suffering around us.

Fellow citizens here in Clanton and surrounding country we have a condition that is to my mind awful. We have many people that will suffer for the want of food unless there is immediate relief. May I ask you who will bring this relief? I can see no chance of help except from we people that have a little above a living. Will we help? Or will we content ourselves to sit down by a warm fire at night, plenty to eat and many women and children near our home that does not even have a fire and have to go to bed hungry.

Can we enjoy Christmas as we should unless we do our duty in this matter? I know some that are suffering that have not done all they could to help themselves, but if some men have been trifling and have failed to provide for their wives and children, what about the innocent women and children that are suffering?

Now we cannot escape our duty and Clanton has always been equal to the occasion in the past and I believe we will do our duty this time.

We need funds to help a few distressed people and I am ready and willing to do my part to help relieve the distress and suffering around us.

Christmas is a time when we all forget our troubles, competitors look at each other and smile with the best of wishes, we are happy because we are thinking of making others happy.

I wish you people who are able to help could be in my office a few days and hear the appeals made to me for help. Can you imagine a mother of a half-dozen children begging for help saying that they are hungry and have nothing to eat in their homes. You people know that I have no funds to help anyone with. My income has been reduced just like the rest of yours have, but a little from all of us will not hurt and will make a merry Christmas for many that are in distress.

There are many projects we might start to give employment to some that are out of work. We might put up a wood yard and give the unemployed a job cutting wood and get our people here in Clanton to burn wood instead of coal and keep this money at home.

The County Commissioners are doing all they can to help the unemployed, but there are some that are suffering that work will not help, such as women and children and they need immediate help.

With best wishes for a merry Christmas and a happy New Year for everybody, I am,

Yours truly,
L. H. REYNOLDS.

Jemison, Ala., Dec. 17, 1931.
Editor, Chilton County News:

I have been thinking some more about taxes. A lot of people think our chief tax burden is levied by the state. This is not true. If you own $1000 worth of property the state collects $6.50 and the county about $13.50, making your total taxes about $20. Thus, you see that your county taxes are over twice as much as your state taxes. Every time your state tax "Raiser" has seen fit to advance your property valuation your patriotic county officials have quietly allowed your county taxes to advance proportionately. Have you heard a single word of protest from one of them? You elected them as your champion, how many of them have measured up to the standard?

Charity begins at home. Let us see if we have any room for charity in Chilton County.

Can you see any sign of economy or care exercised in the spending of public funds? For instance, your County Supt. of Education and County Board will do away with the school you have always had that paid a teacher $75 per month and employ a bus driver at $100 or more per month, furnish him a $350 truck body, probably add another assistant to the school to which your children are transferred, and also might add another clerk in the office of the Supt. with a longer term and higher pay than your teacher ever received, at the same time telling you that the changes give better educational advantages and are economical. All of you that believe you get better results out of your schools now than you did ten years ago stand on your heads. Now, all that believe that the schools are managed with any degree of economy just remain standing on your heads till counted, please.

In regard to teachers' salaries I will say that I do not think they are overpaid. But since bus driving has become such a valuable political asset to the party in power, teachers' salaries are not such a big item after all. It would not surprise me any day for teachers to get a reduction in salary so there would be a bigger slice to divided among the transportation boys. I have been informed by some parents that their children get a large part of their education these days on the busses anyway. We will soon have all the rural schools discontinued then we can have more busses, and since there will be only a very few schools to look after, just another assistant in the county superintendent's office. Thanks.

When your next county treasurer's report comes out get a copy of it and study it over carefully. See for yourself how much of your funds go to each of your County Commissioners in salary and expenses. See how much it costs the county to operate its road machinery and keeping up the roads. Take a day off sometime when the machines are in your community and if you have a powerful magnifying glass you may be able to see the results you get out of the enormous expense of operating this machinery. Now, I know that someone will be ready to say that the men who operate these machines get very little pay. That is probably true. But is it economy to pay even a dime for a nickel's worth of anything? Besides that the pay of the men is not all there is to the operation of these machines. One of you farmers that helps pay this money go and get a job hauling gravel on the roads. You furnish yourself, your wagon, your team and any other necessary tools. You have to work 10 hours for the very liberal sum of $2.50, which is only a few cents more than one man that furnishes nothing but himself gets working on a machine. Don't forget that you work 10 hours. How long do the machines actually work?

You watch now for some fellow to hop up and say, "This is political propaganda." Well, in a way it is and in a way it is not. I am interested in seeing the powers that be have some sympathy for the tax-ridden public. By practicing economy taxes **can** be reduced. Not this year of course, but in the near future. This tax reduction has got to come. Some say it can't be done. Certainly not as long as we spend like we did when cotton was 20c and other things in proportion. But it can be accomplished if we cut out the thousand and one useless things that we dish out our tax money for and some hunting and fishing officials will spent part of their valuable time trying to figure out a way to do it. If this is propaganda make the most of it. Come on. The hardest hit dog will holler the loudest. Maybe in the uproar the common people will be forgotten and they will escape the tax "Raiser" at least one year.

Don't misunderstand me. I am not opposed to a sensible consolidation of schools. But putting a school on a railroad or in a town does not necessarily guarantee its usefulness. Due care should be exercised as to location and cost of operation.

The roads could hardly be kept up without machinery, but the utmost care should be exercised as to the number used and to the benefit derived from the amount invested and expended in their operation.

Now, some fellow is ready to say, "Who are you to give so much advice to our wise officials."

I am glad to say that I was born in the hills of Chilton County. That as a child I knew how it felt to have biscuits on Sunday morning only. I know how to work and sympathize with any man that makes his living that way. I can "Chaw rosin" and have studied many a night lying flat on my belly before a pine knot fire. I roll my own cigarettes, but I do not roll my socks like some of our modern officials.

Respectfully,
HOWARD ROPER.

Concord-Billingsley

On account of the rain we were deprived of having any services Sunday morning, but we had real good services Sunday night.

The Christian Endeavor program was very good and our new pastor, Rev. G. W. Stewart, delivered a wonderful message after the program. He brought clear to our minds some of the things that God has promised to those who place their trust in Him.

It is approaching the New Year, may we start out with new determination to do more. May the church cooperate together and also with the pastor and we can accomplish something really worthwhile if we will only do this.

Mr. Crayton Deramus of Maplesville is visiting his uncle, Mr. J. P. Williams and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Cowart spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw.

Mrs. Emma Williams and daughter, Eula Bell, visited Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Williams Sunday.

Rev. G. W. Stewart, our pastor, has been visiting here during the past week end and has been into several homes while here. We were glad to have him visit us.

Mr. Clarence Williams accompanied Rev. A. S. Bentley to Adams Saturday afternoon where he filled his regular appointment.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Weldon of Shiloh community were visitors here Sunday.

Messrs. Olin and Hudson Williams attended the Surprise Party at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Limbrick near Pleasant Hill Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Williams spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Little.

Mr. Porter Williams was a visitor at the home of his uncle, Mr. J. P. Williams, Sunday night.

We wish everyone a very merry Christmas and a bright, prosperous and happy New Year.

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Fairview News

Miss Cora Owen spent last week end with Miss Myrtle Henley.

Mrs. J. D. Williams spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cox.

Mrs. G. M. Durbin came home last Saturday after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. John Parrish, of Clanton.

Wilson Atkinson was the guest of Woodrow Durbin Saturday night and Sunday.

Quite a number from here and adjoining communities motored down to Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Limbrick's last Friday night and gave them a surprise social. Games were played until a late hour, after which peaches, with cake and cocoa were served. Those enjoying this hospitality were Misses Norene Headley, Gladys Sanders, Myrtle Henley, Mildred and Edna Durbin, Myrtle and Pauline Durbin, Ruth and Louise Cox, Edith Culp, Lottie Henley, Inez McKee, Cora Owen, Gracie and Delene Culp, Elsie Myrle Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Devaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Esco Culp, Rev. and Mrs. N. H. Culp, Rev. G. W. Stewart, Messrs Jack Jones, Arlous and O. D. and T. J. Headley, Bernice Vance, Marvin Durbin, Elvin Stewart, Cecil Bridges, Sarell Williams, Morris Keen, Cecil McKee, Clyde Foshee, Hudson and Olen Williams, Clemon Henley. All reported a nice time.

Christmas Greetings

Once more we approach that season of good will when men pause in their daily labor to renew the bonds of friendship which join them to their fellows. We take pleasure in extending to all our friends and neighbors our best wishes for a very merry Christmas. May the genial spirit of the season brighten every hearthstone.

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Center Hill News

There will be singing at this place Sunday afternoon, December 27. It is the Cooperative Society's regular singing evening here. We are expecting the United Singing Society. Prof. O. L. Devaughn and his class to be with us. All other singers and lovers of music are invited to come and be with us. As this is the last singing of the year let's try to make it the best.

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Mrs. John Browder Hostess To Wednesday Card Club.

The Wednesday Card Club was delightfully entertained last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. John Browder. Those enjoying this occasion were Mesdames F. J. Callen, Hugh Simpsan, J. H. Alred, Grady Reynolds, John Armstrong, Julius Burnett, Arthur Johnson, L. F. Gerald, J. Watts Moore, and John Deramus. Mrs. John Page and Miss Betty Mullins were guests.

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Among the college students spending Christmas holidays with homefolks are: Grover Harris, Jr., University of Alabama, at Tuscaloosa; Nelson Parrish, Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn; Lamar Calloway, Duke University, North Carolina; Arthur Johnson, Jr., University of Alabama; Leroy Mims, Alabama Polytechnic Institute; Aubrey Taylor, Alabama Polytechnic Institute; William Arthur Willis, University of Alabama; Raymond Mims, University of Alabama; Erlich Eiland, Alabama Polytechnic Institute; Elizabeth Johnson, University of Alabama; William Hester, Alabama Polytechnic Institute; Jesse Sam Gowan, Atlanta Southern Dental College, Atlanta, Ga.; Corinne Polk, Athens College, Athens, Ala.; Jim Roberts, Alabama Polytechnic Institute; and Charles Moore, Vanderbilt University, Tennessee.

Mr. C. E. Stapp, Mr. J. P. Montgomery Mr. Earle Thomas and Mr. Russell Parrish attended the County Agents and Vocational Teachers Conference in Auburn this week.

Curtis Guy of Birmingham is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr and Mrs. G. T. Guy at Mt. Creek.

Miss Madge Scarborough is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents in Blue Springs, Ala.

Mrs. C. E. Stapp is spending the holidays with friends and relatives at Fernbank, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Parrish of Uriah, Alabama, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Parrish.

Mr. and Mrs. John Deramus were in Birmingham Friday.

Mrs. Frank Scott and little son, John Edwin, of Huntsville are spending the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mullins.

Mr. W. W. Fox and Broadus Connatser spent Friday in Birmingham.

Misses Fannie and Mary Ellen Blassingame of Mt. Creek spent the week end with Miss Molly Hannon here.

Mr. Wallace Jones visited his mother, Mrs. Willie Jones, last week

Mrs. Earl Gore has returned home after a viist to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Busby, in Birmingham

Mr. Clarence Evans of Corinth, Miss. spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. G. T. Evans.

Mrs. Sophia Jones left last Saturday for Memphis, Tenn., where she will visit her relatives.

Mrs. J. Q. Wade and Mrs. James Wade were in Montgomery Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Haskew and son, Lawrence, and wife will spend the holidays in Florida.

Curry Porter of Esamhills, Ga., was a visitor in Clanton Saturday.

Miss Sue Sharp and Miss Ethel Cagle of Mitchell Dam were in Clanton Saturday.

Miss Della Williams is spending the holidays with relatives in Verbena.

Mrs. Luther Jackson of Evergreen, Ala., is spending Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Molly Mullins.

Mrs. Virginia Cromwell of Montgomery is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Wade of Clanton.

Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Ezell and children, John and Grace, left Monday for South Carolina to spend Christmas with his mother.

Miss Evelyn Atkinson left Tuesday for her home in Gadsden to spend the holidays.

Miss Leacy Bean of Thorsby was in Clanton Saturday.

The members of the Methodist Young Men's Sunday School Class were delightfully entertained with a stag party at the home of Dr. J. E Edgar Saturday night

Alex Hayes, student at Gulfport Military Academy, Gulfport, Miss., is spending the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Hayes.

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Mrs. C. Fenn Jones Hostess To Thursday Sewing Club.

The members of the Thursday Sewing Club were delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. C. Fenn Jones last Thursday. This delightful afternoon of sewing was enjoyed by the following members: Mesdames M. L. White, P. T. Hinkle, John VanDerveer, L. E. Diefenderfer and T. C. McSwain.

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Mrs. L. H. Reynolds Hostess To "As You Like It" Club.

The members of the "As You Like It" Club enjoyed its annual "Christmas Party" at the home of Mrs. L. H. Reynolds Thursday afternoon. Beautiful Christmas greens and bells were effecticvely use in the decorations. One of the most enjoyable features of the afternoon, was when the members were invited into the dining room, where a brilliantly lighted Christmas tree, laden with many gifts was. And there "Old Santa" as usual, made all present happy when he presented each with a beautiful gift.

The hostess served a delicious salad plate with hot coffee, to the following: Mesdames D. C. Alred, J. B. Atkinson, W. W. Fox, V. J. Gragg, D. W. Haskew, T. R. Burdette, W. E. Martin, P. M. Pitts, T. H. Neighbors, Flem Higgins, G. C. Walker, M. A. Gore, C. Reese Mullins, W. M. Polk, W. A. Reynolds, Guy Roberts. The club will meet with Mrs. T. R. Burdette next time.

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Mrs. Julius Burnett Hostess To Thursday Contract Club.

The Thursday Contract Club spent an enjoyable afternoon at the home of Mrs. Julius Burnett last Thursday. Those enjoying this occasion were Mesdames Grady Broadhead, J. Lee Smith, L. F. Gerald, John Deramus, Omar Reynolds, Grady Reynolds and Hugh Jones. Mrs. Barney Burnett was invited guest. A delicious salad plate was served.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Page Entertain Friends With Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Page gave a dinner Sunday night for their friends. The decorations were of Christmas. The dinner was served buffet style. Those enjoying this delightful evening were Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Elmore, Mr. and Mrs. John Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Callen, Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Reynolds, Miss Lurleen Harper, Mr. C. E. Stapp and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Alred. Mrs. Page was assisted by Mrs. Alred in serving.

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Mrs. Hosea Downs was hostess to the Wednesday Afternoon Bridge Club last Wednesday at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rhodes and children of Orlando, Fla., stopped over Sunday for a short visit with Mrs. P. C. Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes were en route to Tuscaloosa to spend the Christmas with her mother. Mrs. Rhodes will be remembered here as Mary Lane VanDerveer.

Those Who Demand a Ride Must Pay the Fare

The honest debt-paying citizens of Alabama are urged to vote for a continuance of the three and a half mill tax authorized by the Constitution of 1901, to provide for the payment of this old debt so that a fund may be created to pay the interest and principal of the new debts of $2,690,000, which have been created since the date of the Constitution of 1901.

As the continuance of the three and a half mill tax must be by an Amendment to the same Constitution that authorized its levy, this could not be done by a vote of the people of Mobile alone, but had to be by a vote of the entire state.

While the funds necessary to pay the interest and principal of the old debt have nearly been accumulated, the people of Mobile (not a carpet-bag government) by their votes have created a new debt for school buildings, additional docks, fire alarm, hospital improvements, Central Fire Station, library and incinerators, amounting in the aggregate to $2,670,000, upon which the annual interest charge is $133,500. The interest and principal of this new debt cannot be paid out of the seven and a half mills authorized by the Constitution of 1901 to pay the expenses of the City government, and there must be some other provision for these funds or a default in their payment is inevitable.

Default means costs, penalties, loss of credit and embarrassment to Mobile, which would injure the credit of other Alabama cities.

INTERESTS NOW OPPOSING THE MOBILE AMENDMENT WERE AMONG THE STRONGEST IN ADVOCATING THE EXPENDITURES FOR PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS WHICH MADE THE AMENDMENT NECESSARY.

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NOTICE OF FILING BILL OF COMPLAINT

Notice of Filing of Bill of Complaint by State of Alabama, Complainant, vs. One Ford Sedan 1928 Model, Respondent.

State of Alabama, Complainant vs. One Ford Sedan, 1928 Model, Respondent.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, In Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against one Ford sedan, 1928 Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 4th day of December, 1931, one John F. Poole did transport in One Ford Sedan, 1928 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point to another in the State of Alabama, and that said automobile was on said day seized by the Sheriff of said County and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Alabama, and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 10 day of Jan., 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 16th day of December, 1931.

GEO. F. SMOOT.
Judge of the 19th Judicial Circuit.
12-24-3tcS

State of Alabama
A PROCLAMATION
by the
GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the Second Tuesday next after five months after the date of the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said Amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 5th day of January, 1932, is the second Tuesday next after five months after the date of the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the Amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 5th day of January, 1932, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz;-

"The City of Mobile shall be and it is hereby authorized and empowered, without an election, to annually levy and collect a tax on the property situated therein, to pay the expenses of the City Government, at such rate as may from time to time be fixed by the governing authorities of said city, but unless and until an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama shall be adopted, permitting said City after an election or elections to levy and collect taxes amounting in the aggregate to more than one and one-tenth (1.1) per centum of the value of the property situated therein, as assessed for State taxation during the preceding year, the total of the ad valorem taxes levied in any one tax year by said municipality for all purposes (including any tax levied to pay the debt existing on the 6th day of December, 1875, with interest thereon, or any renewal of such debt) shall not exceed in the aggregate one and one-tenth (1.1) per centum of the value of such property as assessed for State taxation during the preceding year."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight successive weeks prior to the 5th day of January, 1932, in each County of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Montgomery, on this the 5th day of October, 1931.

B. M. MILLER,
Governor,

ATTEST:
PETE B. JARMAN, Jr.,
Secretary of State.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PARDON OR PAROLE

Notice is hereby given that an application for the pardon or parole of Filmore Lockhart convicted and sentenced by the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, on Nov. 9, 1931, for violating the Prohibition law, for a period of three months and one hundred days, fine and costs and additional punishment, will be made to the Governor of Alabama.

FILMORE LOCKHART.
12-17-2tc

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PARDON OR PAROLE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, who was convicted in the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, on the 18th day of April, 1927, for the offense of murder and given a sentence of twenty years, will make application to the Governor and Pardon Board of the State of Alabama, for a pardon or parole from said sentence.

This the 15th day of December, 1931.
TALMADGE DAVIS.
12-17-2tc.

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MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by mortgage of W. B. Morrow and wife, L. Morrow, to John T. Jones, dated January 21st, 1919, and recorded in Book 210 at page 314, in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, and said default continuing, I, E. A. Fischer, as Administrator of the Estate of John T. Jones, deceased, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at public outcry in front of the court house in Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, on

Monday, January 18th, 1932,

the following described property situated in Chilton County, Alabama, namely: The SW¼ of SE¼ and NE¼ of SW¼ of Section 31, Township 20, Range 11, containing 80 acres more or less.

This sale is made for the purposes provided for in said mortgage.

E. A. FISCHER, As Administrator of the Estate of John T. Jones, deceased.
[illegible] Attorneys.
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ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.
In The Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama.
In the Matter of the Estate of Mattie Headley, deceased.

This day came H. J. Headley, administrator of the estate of Mattie Headley, deceased, and filed his petition in writing under oath in this Court, for an order to sell certain lands belonging to said estate, described in said petition, for paying the debts due by said estate, upon the ground that the personal property of said estate is insufficient for the payment of the debts

It is therefore ordered that the 9th day of January, 1932, be appointed a day for the hearing of said petition, when any persons interested may appear and contest the said application if they think proper.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
12-17-3tc Judge of Probate.

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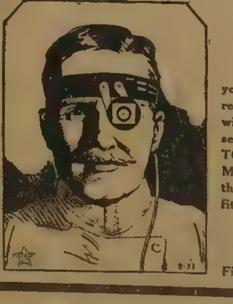

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Our School Teachers Point The Way

If any man, or group of men, was able to formulate a successful method of destroying the word, "Depression," and all that it signifies, fame and fortune would be the spontaneous reward. This, however, is highly improbable. The next best thing, since it is likely to take time to alter the conditions, is to manage to go through with our task in spite of conditions. We may not be able to calm the troubled waters, but there are courageous captains who will carry their cargoes safely to port, even though the seas do run high and rough.

That is what Chilton County's school teachers proposed to do when a few days ago they pledged to carry out the regular term in spite of the short funds. This didn't mean that these school teachers had money to carry on, or that in any financial sense they could afford to do it. Much could be said of the sacrifices they will have to make. But that is not the purpose of this editorial. They are the rank and file of our school system. Together they made what effort they could to get their just pay—and when this failed—they said simply, by their action, "We will go on, anyway." It was a noble action, and further it was good business, for themselves, and for this county.

The school teachers are not alone in having trouble collecting money for services rendered. Business men, professional men, farmers, and everybody, to a greater or less degree, face short funds at the end of the month. The school teachers have bet on the future. They believe that they will be able to get their pay later on. The rest of us would do well to think of that, too. They have not added to the ranks of the unemployed, and in this they have performed a patriotic duty, and they have proven themselves good business men and women—popular belief to the contrary.

We feel like it would be worth our while to consider what the results would be if all of us, when faced by bad business should say, like our teachers, "We will go on—anyway." What effect would this have on our unemployment situation, the most serious thing facing America today? What would be the result if employer and employee, doctor, lawyer, and manufacturer, all together should say and then act like this: "We may as well admit it, we're up against something we can't completely overcome just now, but we'll bet on the future—and go on anyway." That's what Chilton's school teachers have said and they have thus proven themselves worthy leaders—not only of the boys and girls whom they instruct, but also to the men and women in other walks of life.

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Every man has a thousand reforms for the rest of the world, but he has a hard time balancing his own budget.

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Correct this sentence: "John, you must invite your brother San, and his entire family, to spend the holidays with us."

"ROUND TOWN"

---by Doug

"Nothing hurts like the Truth"

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Christmas Eve. Whether to go back and review past years of occurences I believe would no doubt be of interest to the readers of this column or whether to dwell on the present Christmas Day, is the question in my mind, as yet unsettled.

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I have stood at the various places of business in Clanton, especially the several days before Christmas and during the time when toys and whatnots are displayed to make the people want them. I have seen mothers, stooped with work and worry and want, bring their children in to town to see the many things to be seen at Christmas. I have watched the eyes and mouths of those hungry little youngsters as they would try to take in all they could with their eyes. Wishing they could get something like that.

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It is trying to my heart to watch this going on. How I wish that I were financially able to play Santa Claus to all the poor little children in this county. How I would like to give the youngsters just what they would ask for while they are in Clanton, looking in the windows and wishing and wanting.

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That is one reason why I am not making any great to-do during the Christmas holidays. The other reason is because I have to work and have no money to spend. Hang the first reason.

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I will be willing to wager that there are at least fifteen families in Clanton, heads of which, have been belliaching about hard times, who will not be in want of anything to make their Christmas complete, or more than that. I'll be willing to wager that the children of those families will get just as much if not more, as they ever did on Christmas morning.

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That brings to mind that saying: "When the One Great Scorer Comes to Write Against Your Name; He Writes Not Whether You Won or Lost, But How You Played the Game."

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This column has been called, good. interesting, amusing, silly, foolish, and other names. I can't figure out whether to brag about that or not. It has been copied, recopied, quoted, requoted, imitated, and reproduced. It is the forerunner of other newspaper columns, and is several years old. I'm not proud of it. I don't like to write it each week. I make folks angry sometimes with things I say. I make folks laugh, and I make them wonder. I can create an argument with no trouble at all, and possibly could start a war, or end one. I can make folks feel good or make them feel bad. So you see what a responsibility rest on me writing this column each week.

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When next week's issue of C. G. N. is out, it will mark the completion of five years of service under the present management of the paper. Already this column has the reputation of being full of ego, and should I go on right now and tell of the things accomplished in the past five years by this newspaper as related by the ed, you would give this column more of a rep as stated.

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Tomorrow is Christmas Day. Tonight is the time when Santa is supposed to come around to see good little girls and boys. I've been a good boy, and maybe he will come around to see me—if I'm at home. As this column goes to the Linotype operator this week, I'm throwing off all old grudges against people, freeing myself of such responsibilities. They will all be my friends, so far as I'm concerned. This is the time when everybody should do the same thing.

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As I reflect back over the past years, I wish I could go to those people who have stood by me and shake their hands. To you all I say sincerely—I wish you a very Merry Christmas. Let us look forward to the opportunities of the coming year.

Declaration Of The Chilton County Negro Farmers Conference

In sending forth its annual message the Negro Farmers find in a review of the past year and in its outlook for the year just ahead much that is encouraging and full of promise.

It was shown from the exhibits on last Wednesday that the farmers have responded to the appeal to raise more food than was necessary for the family and feed for live stock. However, the conditions of farm life are very far from satisfactory, and there should be no let-up until we have secured a more permanent prosperity and a wider distribution to the farmer and his family of the good things of life.

With this in mind the Conference endorsed the following as a means of meeting the demands of the depression in 1932:

I. Soil Improvement.
  a. Plant more Autsrian peas & vetch.
  b. Terrace land properly.
  c. Plant summer legumes.
  d. Better handling and saving of barnyard manure.
II. Orchard and Gardening.
  a. Start orchards.
  b. Keep year round gardens.
  c. Prune and spray properly.
III. Live Stock.
  a. Two dairy cows per family.
  b. Twenty-five hens per family.
  c. Two brood sows per family.

We wish to congratulate all who won prizes on exhibits this year, and to thank those merchants and individuals for their liberal contributions: A & P Tea Company, Clanton Motors, Clanton Cash Store. The Leader, Robinson Dept. Store, Peoples Savings Bank, The Fair, Mullins & Moore, Culver & Jones, Farmers Hardware Co, Upchurch Drug Co., Alred Drug Co., Calloway Drug Co., Elmore's Store, Chicago Sales Co., Holcombe & Massey Hdwe. Co., First National Bank, Messrs. J. D. Broadhead, W. Bean, J. Q. Wade, W. H. Hayes, C. E. Stapp, W. R. Mullins, J. Z. Mims, J. H. Broadhead, R. A. Teel, J. M. Martin, and Drs. Smith, B. Williams.—Reported.

A Call From The New County Jail

Editor, Chilton County News:

Please allow us a small space to publish a few words to the good people of Chilton County.

This is a call from the white prisoners of the New Chilton County Jail. We wish for every reader of the Chilton County News to read this and just think, we are behind the bars of the New Jail at Clanton, Ala., and we are not charged of murdering anyone, and we will thank each and everyone that sends us a nice box of eats, such as fruits, cake, candy and please don't forget our smoking tobacco. Anything anyone brings us white prisoners will be highly appreciated.

If anyone feels like donating us anything for Christmas we truly believe our High Sheriff, Mr. W. H. Gillespie, will be glad to open up the door and let anyone in to deliver us a Christmas package.

We are not ashamed to publish our names—J. C. Ingram, C. A. Robinson, A. B. Lowery, J. W. Boswell, N. B. Posey and E. N. Wyatt.

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A History Of Columbus C. Billingsley

The following history of Bro. Billingsley was given to Ethan B. Popwell, Thorsby, Ala., about thirty years ago:

"I write out a short history of my life for the benefit of my brethren and friends. I was born in Slafford County, Virginia, December 25th, 1816. I came to Autauga County in August, 1832. I professed religion and joined the church and served as class leader and local preacher for 21 years, when I became convinced that the faith and practice of the church was not sound and I quit them and united with the Missionary Baptist church, being convinced that if they are not the church of Jesus Christ that He has no churches on earth. Here I stand and challenge a verification of the above.

"I trust that in the Eternal purposes of His grace in Christ Jesus to meet my brethren and friends in Glory.

"When I came to Autauga County in August, 1832 there was not a single Missionary Baptist Church to be found. I later witnessed the separation at old Cedron. The Hard Shells held the church and property and excluded the Missionaries. I also witnessed the separation at Old Kingston. The Missionaries held the church and property and excluded the Hard Shells.

"The Town of Montgomery did not have framed houses in it. The Sam Dale was running the river from Montgomery to Mobile.

"Presented to Ethan B. Popwell and his father, and their wives and children."

COLUMBUS C. BILLINGSLEY,
Billingsley, Ala."

Standing Committee Named For Masonic Activities

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Charles A. L. Johnstone, Mobile; Oliver D. Street, Birmingham; Robert S. Teague, Montgomery; Marion Rushton, Montgomery.

By-Laws

Robert F. Lovelady, Birmingham; Henry Clanton Miller, Birmingham; Duncan C. Carmichael, Dothan; Walter Smith, Tuscaloosa; Julian F. Spearman, Anniston.

Work

(This committee holds for five years from this annual communication).

George U. Potter, Mobile; William A. Arnold. Clio; Francis A. Hewitt, Birmingham; James M. Pearson, Alexander City; Ency F. Yeilding, Florence; Joseph D. Pruett, Boaz; Thomas J. Thrower, Grady.

The Grand Master assigned the members of the committee on work to the several groups as follows: Group No. 1: Joseph D. Pruett, Boaz; No. 2: Ency F. Yeilding, Florence; No. 3: Francis A. Hewitt, Birmingham; No. 4: James M. Pearson, Alexander City; No. 5: Thomas J. Thrower, Grady; No. 6: William A. Arnold, Clio; No. 7: George U. Potter, Mobile.

Foreign Correspondence

William B. Clemmons, Geneva; Chas. R. Bricken, Montgomery; Ethridge J. Garrison, Ashland; Henry K. Dickinson, Opelika.

Propositions and Grievances

Henry B. Foster, Tuscaloosa; William H. Samford, Montgomery; Samuel Stein, Bessemer.

Leave of Absence

Charles H. Tomlinson, Columbia; Oliver L. Stewart, Piedmont; Hilliard O. Earnest, Montgomery.

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Democratic Harmony In Ranks Is Shown

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which would have deprived the rank and file of the party of opportunity to express directly their choice for presidential nominee.

The unanimous position of the committee on this and other subjects brought before it is inspiring evidence of the party's unity of purpose. It indicates the sentiment for harmony which permeates the party in the state and it shows a determination to forget minor differences of opinion in face of the greater responsibility resting upon members of the party in Alabama to join with the democrats of others states in a united effort to rescue the nation from republican misrule next year and restore it to the hands of the people.

Threshed Out in Caucus

Whatever minor differences of opinion there may have been--among individual members of the committee were threshed out in caucus prior to the meeting itself and in its formal acts voters had the satisfaction of seeing a committee unanimous and unified in its plans for carrying on the party's battles next year. Even in caucus the differences seem not to have been serious. Most of the members had come fresh from their home communities with assurance that the genuine democratic way is to let the people express themselves, and in this frame of mind the desultory suggestions that the committee itself or a special convention should choose delegates met short shrift.

Furthermore, the committee confined itself strictly to the task in hand. It made no attempt even through resolution or otherwise to commit the party on any statement of policy. It even felt that it was not the committee's province to take any position on Muscle Shoals-settlement, recognizing that this and other subjects of national consequence should be defined and treated only by a national convention of democrats duly elected and authorized to speak for the party.

The committee by its adherence to party fundamentals and its unity of action has set a stirring example to all democrats of the state and the opportunity presented to party members for full, fair and free expression will go far toward bringing about a genuine appraisal of party sentiment and harmonious and concerted program when the voters shall have made their choice at the polls next summer.

Convention Delegation

Alabama will be entitled to twenty-four votes in the national democratic convention next year. For these places the democrats of the state will select forty-eight delegates, each of whom will have half a vote. The primary election will be held on May 3. A law of the last legislature provides that primary nominees must receive a majority of the votes cast. The committee accordingly provided for a second or run-off primary June 14 in which the leaders and runners-up in the first primary must again go before the voters in the case of those who lack a majority in the first primary. Eight of Alabama's delegates will be chosen from the state at large and four will be chosen from each of the congressional districts as at present constituted.

Letters To The Editor

Editor of Chilton County News:

Nehemiah read from morning until mid-day; Neh. 8:3. Isaiah went naked and barefoot 3 years for a sign; Isa. 20:2-3, and in first chap. he says; Cease to do evil, learn to do well, seek judgement, relieve the oppressed, come now and let us reason together, sayeth the Lord.

Though your sins be as scarlet, they shall be as white as snow, and they that forsake the Lord shall be consumed; verses 16, 17 and 28.

Isa. 2:2 says; And it shall come to pass in the last days, that the mountain of the Lord's house shall be established in the top of the mountains, and shall be exhalted above the hills, and all nations shall flow unto it. The Lord alone shall be exhalted in that day; verses 11.

Speak ye comfortably to Jerusalem, and cry unto her that her iniquity is pardoned for she hath received of the Lords hand double for all her sins; Isa. 40:2. Read Jer. 16:18.

Turn you to the stronghold ye prisoners of hope, even today do I declare that I will render double unto thee; Zec. 9:12. We see that there is a double for Israel. Let the Bible ans. the following questions; Why was it necessary for a double? When did it begin? How long a time was it to last? How many years after Jacob's death to the time that Jesus rode into Jerusalem and offered to be their King?

When the proper calculation is made to we find it to be 1845 years. Will God favor return to Israel 3690 years after Jacobs death? What is the meaning; I will punish you seven times more for your sins and even I will chastise you seven times for your sins; Lev. 26:18-28. In verse 33 we see that they were scattered among the Heathern, and the land enjoyed her Sabbaths. As long as it lieth desolate it shall rest; verses 34-35. The period of desolation was 70 years. And the 40th verse says: If they shall confess their iniquity, and the iniquity of their fathers, if then their uncircumcised hearts be humbled and they then accept of the punishment of their iniquity, then will I remember my covenant with Jacob and also my covenant with Isaac and also my covenant with Abraham will I remember, and I will remember the land; verses 40, 41 and 42.

The present condition of the people is only ushering in earth's great jubilee. How glad we should be that the great enslaver, sin; is to be shorn of his power, that the great prison house of death is to be opened and a release presented to each prisoner.

Look what God has promised to do for Isarel; And they shall dwell safely therein and shall build houses and plant vineyards, yea, they shall dwell with confidence when I have executed judgement upon all those that despise those around about them, and they shall know that I am the Lord their God; Ezk. 28:-25-26. This should be glad tidings to all people, not only the living but also to all in their graves.

Before the end of this great jubilee every human being may go entirely free—may get to man's first estate very good receiving back through Christ all that was lost in Adam.

J. C. EDWARDS

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Greenville Choir Here Next Sunday, Dec. 27th

(continued from front page)

Floyd Zeigler, W. H. Metcalf, Wilmer Stanfield, Wilbur Darby, George Armes.

Devotional: Rev. E. C. Evans.

Baritone Solo and Chorus: "Behold A Virgin Shall Conceive" from "The Adoration" Nevin, Mr. F. T. Herlong, Sr., and choir.

Quartette: "Wonderful Story" Wilson, Mrs. R. A. Beeland, Mrs. J. L. Jerkins, Mrs. J. W. Reynolds, Mrs. F. M. Boutwell.

Organ Solo and Chorus: "Hear the Song" from "The Messiah's Coming" Wildermere, Mrs. Jesse Cheatham and Choir.

Chorus: "Christ Our Light" from "The Messiah's Coming" Wildermere,

Soprano Solo: "The Infant Jesus" Yon, Mrs. Ambrose Reese.

Duet: "The Message" from "The Light Eternal" Petrie, Mr. W. H. Metcalf, Mrs. I. Y. Traweek.

Tenor Solo: "Unto You Is Born A Savior" Kaull, Mr. F. T. Herlong, Jr.

Trio: "Star of Love" from "The Messiah's Coming" Wildermere, Mrs. R. A. Beeland, Mr. F. T. Herlong, Jr., Mr. Wilmer Stanfield.

Violin Solo: "Chant Russe" P. Lalo, Mrs. J. G. McGowin.

Duet: "Life Without End" from "The Messiah's Coming" Wildermere, Mrs. Julius Reynolds, Mr. Wilmer Stanfield.

Alto Solo: "Calm On The Listening Ear" Paul Bliss, Mrs. I. Y. Traweek.

Chorus: "Song of Angels" from "The Messiah's Coming" Wildermere, soloists, Mr. E. E. Black, Mrs. J. L. Jerkins.

Soprano Solo: "Wondrous Star" from "The Prince of Peace" Heyser, Mrs. J. H. Burnett.

Final Chorus: "God's Wonderful Gift" from "The Messiah's Coming" Wildermere.

Benediction: Rev. E. C. Evans.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

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VERBENA MISSIONARY SOCIETY MET WITH MRS. DERAMUS

The Verbena Missionary Society met with Brs. Barnett Deramus Thursday afternoon. A Peace program was rendered by Mrs. P. F. Mitchell. During the social hour delicious refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames W. A. Gulledge, C. S. Strock, P. F. Mitchell, J. M. Metcalf, B. B. Comer, S. L. Gibson, Irby Deramus, L. E. Zoch and O. L. Howard.

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Billingsley News

Miss Laura Apperson of Birmingham was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. King last week end.

Misses Inez and Maude Lee Patrick who are attending school at the U. of A. are at home for the Christmas holidays.

Rev. and Mrs. A. S. Bentley, Mr. and and Mrs. James Bentley spent Monday in Montgomery.

Bertram King of Iowa City, Iowa, arrived Sunday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. King.

Mr. G. D. Apperson of Mobile was a pleasant visitor for a few hours Saturday.

The marriage of Mr. Elbert Williams and Miss Josephine Spigener came as a surprise to their many friends. The ceremony was performed at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. S. Bentley Saturday evening at six o'clock. The parents of the bride and groom and a few others witnessed the ceremony which was impressively performed by Rev. A. S. Bentley.

Mrs. J. C. Hughes entertained for the Elementary and High School faculty and a few of the young ladies at her home Monday evening. During an interesting contest Santa Claus appeared on the scene, leaving a bag of pretty and useful gifts for Miss Willie Jeanne Patrick, who will be married Friday of this week.

The services at the Baptist church Sunday were very impressive and well attended. Bro. Bentley used as his subject at the morning hour "The Importance of Giving Christ Preeminence" and the theme of the evening was: "Christmas Messages." Between B. Y. P. U. and the evening service a pageant "The Spirit of Christmas" was given. Misses Lila Green, Bettye Jane Gregory, Thelma Baxter and Mrs. V. C. McIlvaine were the characters and each did their part well, bringing out the message "The service of Christ only giveth peace, joy and happiness." The offering went for the Orphanage at Troy. At the close of the pageant the Junior B. Y. P. U. presented with an impressive speech, a shower from the church to the beloved pastor. Eighty gifts were given, showing in a small way the appreciation of his services through the year.

Mitchell Dam News

Our school closed for two weeks last Friday night with a splendid play and Christmas tree by the little folks.

Little Bettie Boo Hollis left Sunday for Atlanta to spend the holidays with little Caroline Benzieger and the Mitchells.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hendrix returned home last week after vacationing a week in Florida and Cuba.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Robinson spent Thursday night with their parents in Clanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Sharp had as their guests last week their daughter, Mrs. T. J. Watkins, and children, and their sister, Mrs. Sharp, from Anniston.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis, Mrs. Newton and Mrs. Stanley made a business trip to Birmingham last week and personally, I think they went to see Santa Claus.

Mrs. J. S. Sharp is visiting relatives in Anniston this week.

MARBURY CHAPTER F. F. A. HOLDS BUSINESS MEETING

The Marbury Chapter of the Future Farmers of America held a special business meeting on Wednesday night, December 9th. The chapter was called to order by the president and the minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary. The minutes were accepted and the business followed:

The first business discussed was plans for a fish fry for the members of the chapter. This discussion was continued until the next meeting.

The next business was initiating new candidates for membership. The new members were Edward Mitchell, Rudder Culver, Jake Graves, Walter Peek, Ray Cook and Robert Earl Gaylor.

Percy Morris was an honorary visitor at this meeting. As the business was concluded we adjourned to meet again December 23rd.

PIERCE CULVER, Reporter.

We Extend To Our Friends and Patrons most cordially Best Wishes for A MERRY CHRISTMAS

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News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Only a few intimate friends witnessed the pretty home wedding of Miss Odie Lee Arthur, of Midland City, Ala., and Herman Rascoe Maddox of Thorsby. The wedding took place at the home of Mrs. H. M. Gerald, of Thorsby, Friday morning at six o'clock, December 18, Rev. E. W. Butler officiating at the double ring ceremony. The house was decorated with smilax and holly and white tapers, burned in silver candelabra. The bride and groom entered alone to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March with Mrs. V. H. Sutlive at the piano. The bride was lovely in a blue silk romanie suit with accessories to match. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Ada F. Arthur, of Midland City, and is a graduate of the Thorsby Institute, Alabama, and has done graduate work at Troy Normal. She has taught in the public schools of Alabama and is at present office secretary and business teacher at Thorsby Institute, which position she has held nearly five years. The groom is a graduate of Thorsby Institute, Piedmont College, Demorest, Ga., and is working on his M. A. Degree at the University of North Carolina, which position he has occupied for over seven years. Immediately following the wedding ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Maddox left for a wedding trip in Southern Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana and will be at home after January 1, at Thorsby.

Mr. Sumner Gerald of Birmingham is home for the Christmas holidays and has a guest with him; Mr. J. N. Pearson.

Mr. N. Laurell is home for Christmas holidays.

The Congregational Sunday School had their Christmas Tree program on Tuesday night. A short program was given after which games were played and refreshments were served. Instead of it being a public affair as it has been in previous years it was for the Sunday school members.

Complete Turkey Dinner served On Christmas Day for 50c. The Bir-Mont Cafe, Thorsby, Ala.

Mrs. J. E. Each went to Birmingham Sunday and returned Monday.

The Public School will have their Christmas Tree and program Wednesday night.

Jack Peterson spent Monday with his brother, Mr. Harry Peterson, of Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Davenport spent Monday in Montgomery.

Mr. Fred Howard, Mr. Wamben and Clarence Marcus left Saturday for a fishing trip to Baldwin County in South Alabama.

Plan to dine with us Christmas Day. Turkey Dinner—50c. The Bir-Mont Cafe, Thorsby, Ala.

Mr. Wamben, one of the early settlers of Thorsby, who moved away about twenty-seven years ago, is back to spend the winter and is going to live in Mr. Charlie Sawnson's house.

Miss Naemi Turnquist is coming home Thursday to spend the Christmas holidays and will be here until Sunday.

Miss Esther Johnson of Birmingham is spending her Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Wilson spent the night with his parents Wednesday night and left Thursday for Jacksonville, Ala.

Turkey Dinner 50c. Complete—Soup to Nuts. The Bir-Mont Cafe, Thorsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Moody will spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Hattie M. Gerald.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Sutlive and Mrs. Jannie Sutlive left last Friday for Blakeley, Ga., to spend Christmas.

Mr. Arnold Soberg of Birmingham will spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Soberg.

Miss Kathryn Foss, who is attending Piedmont College in Georgia returned home Wednesday for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray motored to Wadsworth Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Thorsen of Waseca, Minn., is expected to visit relatives in Thorsby during Christmas.

Mr. T. L. Robinson and Mr. T. W. Robinson returned Sunday from Mississippi after a fishing trip.

Mr. Walter Parnell motored to Selma Saturday.

Miss Edith Johnson spent Friday with Miss Mary Sue Robinson.

Mrs. Nels Petersen and son, Norman, were week end visitors in Montgomery.

F. E. Mastin returned Tuesday night from a visit to Biloxi and Mobile.

Mr. Conway Thornburgh left Tuesday to spend a few days in Birmingham.

Mrs. O. K. Hathaway and Mr. Ashenfelder of Michigan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lucas a few days last week.

Ella and Lloyd Howard, Wilma and Verlon Goodgame were entertained at the Connatser home by Ruby, Cora Alton and Roy Connatser last Saturday night.

Mrs. T. W. Robinson spent Friday in Birmingham.

Miss Dorothy Butler left Saturday for Cleveland, Ohio, to attend the wedding of her cousin, Kate Goodnow, December 22. She will return home on Thursday to spend Christmas.

Honor Rolls—Thorsby Institute Second Term, 1931-32

First: No grade below 85 per cent, general average of 90 per cent or above Helen Diefenderfer, Carl Ekblad, Ruth Foss, Wilma Goodgame, Kathleen Langston, Linnie Belle Reinhardt, Lois Thompson, Elizabeth Wells, Phares Raybon.

Second: No grade below 75 per cent, general average of 85 per cent or above Jane Billingsley, Hal Broadhead, Ruby Connatser, Charles Croker, Jack Higgins, Olean Hybart, Mildred Jefferies, Helen Lowery, Albert Mims, Mary Ruth Nix, Conradine Pate, Ralph Pate, Pauline Poole, Grady Popwell, Odell Rowe.

Third: Perfect attendance: Helen Albert, Willo Dean Bean, Hal Broadhead, Charles Cleckler, Rubye Connatser, Cora Connatser, Charles Croker, Helen Diefenderfer, Christine Dopson, Juanita Each, Lucile Each, Carl Ekblad, J. T. Faircloth, Ruth Foss, Lawrence Gerald, Jr., Wilma Goodgame, Verlon Goodgame, Guy Higgins, Ella Howard.

Olean Hybart, Mildred Jefferies, Janie Kelley, Helen Kendrick, Kathleen Langston, Kathryn Lenoir, Udonald Long, Helen Lowery, Oliver Lyon, S. E. Maddox, Mabel McCallum, Camilla Mae McCallum, T. A. McCallum, Katholen McLendon, Nelle McLendon, Albert Mims, Minnie Pearl Mims, Ralph Pate, Conradine Pate, Jack Peterson, Leroy Peterson.

Elma Roof Pitts, Pauline Poole, Anna Fae Price, Ruth Primm, Phares Raybon, Linnie Belle Reinhardt, Odell Rowe, Preston Shaw, Gerald Smith, Carrie Smith, Grace Smith, Gladys Smith, Carmel Snow, Leo Spivey, Douglas Surles, Elizabeth Wells, Edna Lee Wilder, Lena Barrett Williams, Venora Wilson, Jessie Wroth.

ERROR MADE IN HILL'S ADV. IN LAST WEEK'S ISSUE

Due to an oversight on the part of the proofreader at the News last week, there was an error printed in the adv. of the Hill Grocery Co. The item was on flour and should have been Grandma's Wonder Flour at 69c, instead of 49 cents. The News is glad to apologize for this error, and regrets that clerks at Hills were put to inconvenience explaining to customers.

In the Matter of the Estate of James C. Jones, Deceased. Lawrence F. Gerald, Executor.

In The Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

To All Persons Interested In Said Estate:

You are hereby notified that the Register of said Court will execute a decree of reference in the above cause rendered on the 19th day of December, 1931, at his Office in Clanton, Alabama, on the 12th day of January, 1932, at which place and time you can appear if you think proper.

Notice is further given that the creditors of said Estate may, within Fifteen days from the date of this notice, file with the Register of this Court, their nomination of any fit person to be appointed as Administrator for the insolvent Estate of James C. Jones, deceased, as provided by the terms of said decree.

Witness my hand this the 24th day of December, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
12-24-3tc Register.

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Mt. Pleasant News

These news items are prepared by the Junior Three Class.

A beautiful Christmas program has been arranged for Wednesday afternoon. The Liberty Hill Quartet will present a highly entertaining program, featuring a negro musical comedy.

Mt. Pleasant Junior high team won a double-header ball game last Friday afternoon. They defeated the Clanton High School varsity team 22 to 15 and then sent Concord Junior High down to a 19 to 9 drubbing.

The faculty and student body regret losing their beloved pupil and school mate, Merlene Powell, who is moving away to another community. She was a member of the Junior II class and star guard on the girls' basketball team.

Miss Ertice Riggins was the guest of Miss Gertie Lee Lowery Monday night.

Miss Ilar Massey spent Sunday with Miss Eunice Holley.

The Mt. Pleasant girls play the Thomas Junior High girls on January 11. Both teams have been organized this year and this game should create much interest. The boys team from these schools will play also on that date. Game will be at Thomas.

Mr. J. C. Massey is spending the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. G. H. Massey.

Misses Lera Bean, Gertie Lee Lowery and Dorothy Jones were in town shopping Tuesday.

Miss Virginia Littlejohn was the guest of Miss Callie Cooper Sunday night.

The Mt. Pleasant Basketball team plays the C. C. H. S. Tuesday afternoon.

On Wednesday afternoon, December 23, the teachers of Mt. Pleasant gave an interesting Christmas program. They had a Christmas tree loaded from top to bottom with presents. The spirit of the Christ Child was greatly displayed.

Miss Ethie Melton and Miss Nellie Rollins were the guests of Miss Eula Deason last Sunday afternoon.

Miss Evelyn Jones spent the week end with Miss Nellie Rollins.

Gertie Lee Lowery and Dorothy Jones were in town shopping Tuesday.

Miss Lucille Price is planning to spend the Christmas holidays with her aunt, Miss Elizabeth Franklin, and her grandmother, Mrs. Catherine Franklin, of Mulberry community.

The Sunday school classes have worked together in planning a Christmas tree program Thursday afternoon. This program is given for the benefit of all those in this community. A large crowd is expected. Program at two o'clock P. M.

Miss Mabel Gillespie plans to spend part of her Christmas holidays visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Waites, of the Jackson Chapel community.

Miss Bessie Eiland spent the day with Miss Jessie Price Sunday.

We are glad to have a new member join our Junior I class, George Burnett, who transfers from the Jemison High-School.

A large number of people from Lomax, Clanton and Liberty Hill were present last Friday to witness the games.

A reception will be given after the holidays in honor of the Junior III Class.

Our principal, Mr. R. B. Johnson, and Mr. J. H. Culp, went hunting last Saturday in search of the wily denizens of the forest. Thus far we haven't had a report as to their luck.

Our attendance has been unusually good this month, even though the weather has been inclement at times. Enrollment now is over 200.

The Junior III Class will organize after the holidays.

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Merry Christmas

CHEER AND GOOD FELLOWSHIP

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Clanton, Alabama

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In the traditional spirit of Christmas, we pause to sing out a Merry Cheerio, and thank one and all for their liberal patronage during the year now ending.

The FAIR

W. H. Sartor, Mgr. - - Clanton, Ala.

COMMUNITY WIDE

To you and yours, our heartiest Christmas Greetings. May this indeed be a season of happiness and joy for all of our loyal friends in the community.

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Our Heartiest Christmas Greetings—May this indeed be a season of Happiness and Joy for all of our friends in this community.

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US TO YOU

If we have not seen you in person to extend the season's greetings—then know that these words are from us to you, our friends, "Merry Christmas."

Hill Grocery Company

Clanton, Alabama

FOR EVERY ONE OF YOU

This year of all years, when the patience and fortitude of all has been severely tested, we wish to thank our friends for their patronage—and wish for each and every one, a Merry Christmas and a more prosperous New Year.

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BRIGHTER DAYS

Our wish for all is the happiest of holidays and a realization of cherished hopes during brighter days to come.

Matt's Lunch Shoppe

Clanton, Alabama

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TWO LITTLE WORDS

'Merry Christmas"—Those two words have behind them all our good wishes for your future happiness—mixed with gratitude for your loyal support of us in the past.

James Sign Shop

Clanton, Alabama

OUR FRIENDS

If we have pleased you, we are glad
If we failed you, we are sorry.
But to all of you we say,
Merry Christmas—Our Friends.

Clanton Shoe Shop

Clanton, Alabama

ARMLOADS OF WISHES

An armload of wishes are no on their way.
We've sent them to greet you sincerely today.
May gifts of the season, true happiness give
And fortune attend you as long as you live.

Farmer's Hardware Co.

The Winchester Store

Clanton, Alabama

CHRISTMAS WREATHS

Wreaths hang at every window,
Candles twinkle in the night.
May your home resound with laughter,
And your Yuletide days be bright.

The Dixie Cafe

Clanton, Alabama

IN APPRECIATION

The holiday season again affords us an opportunity to extend Greetings to our friends and patrons —and wish them all—happiness in the days ahead.

Clanton Bldg. Supply Co.

Clanton, Alabama

TO YOU

Of words there are many and the thoughts they can express are legion—but none can mean more than our sincere Merry Christmas To You.

Spigener Funeral Home

Phone 15-J - - Clanton, Ala.

OUR BEST WISHES

For our friends is nothing more than a reflection of our appreciation of the unnumbered kindnesses that have been shown us through the year. May your joy be unbounded.

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Rowena Rides the Rumble

By Ethel Hueston

ckruff Motors hire Rowena to ac- pany Peter on a nation-wide tour eir roadster as an advertising stunt. he last minute Little Bobby is en- d to act as chaperon.

few miles out Bobby becomes tear- at being parted from her sweet- t and Rowena insists on taking her e in the rumble so that she can with Peter and have him to talk bout Carter. Rowena gets Peter to ent to divide the expense money week as soon as it arrives, and as- shes Peter by eating too economic-

he three tourists reach St. Louis, r passing through Buffalo and Chi- . Peter and Rowena have many , while Bobby is enraptured at the Carter is fuming over her flight New York.

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hen, very sulkily, but prepared to , she flounced down where Peter parked the car beside a shadowy l and was setting up his easel, he he thought better of it and would use her in that picture—said Bobby willing to substitute and the change ld be a good thing all around. Peter quite pleasant about it, really ght he was doing her a favor, but ena, from being merely sulky, was lenly furious. She said she had hired for no other purpose than to e as a dumb model for his art and she would jeopardize her contract ccepting this substitute. But Peter ted that Messrs. Rack and Ruff had everything about the pictures to own exclusive judgment, and this his judgment.

obby is putting on her little red ts suit," he said, "and the costume show up nicely in this green dell."

know Bobby's clothes are much r than mine," said Rowena stiffly. now my things are very shabby threadbare, but it seems scarcely ssary to throw it up to me."

hat is very unfair of you, Rowena," Peter gravely. "You are very tiful in everything you put on, and know it. I couldn't speak unfavor- of your appearance if I wanted to."

owena without another word, ped herself down behind the wheel a set chin, a stern glint in green , and a death grip of her slim hands he wheel. Peter walked slowly up er and looked her steadily in the

hen if you will have the truth Ro- a," he said gently, "I would see you ed before I would try to paint you his lovely spot. I am so disgusted the way you act sometimes that I ld probably paint you with horns a tail, which, between you and me, ften suspect you have concealed t you. If I painted you the way look to me right now they'd never another Rackruff short of Ge- a."

owena's lovely red lips parted, then ed with a sudden click. Her eyes so wide, and turned so deep a l that Peter marveled he had ever ght them green.

e got out of the car and went up he log cabin where she met Bobby ing out of the ladies' dressing room, impling smiles in the pleasant pros- of posing.

eter is terribly tired and cross to- poor dear," said Rowena smoothly. to cheer him up, won't you darl- He's very blue. Tell him about er."

will," said Bobby sweetly. "I'll him about the time he proposed to It was terribly thrilling. We were in a canoe——"

eter's waiting," interrupted Row- quickly. "Yes, tell him about that, dear! He'll be so interested."

little later, her portable typewriter er hand, she passed that way to a secluded spot in the woods for own work. Bobby, dimpling and hted, sat low behind the wheel. r, looking just a bit grim, moved essly from one foot to the other re his canvas. Rowena's eyes ed cloudy flame in blue when she t by.

nd he frogot we were in a canoe out in the middle of a deep river. dropped the paddle overboard and ded down on the cushions beside 'Darling,' he said, 'you do love me, t you?' And splash! Over we , canoe, cushions, luncheon and all! a little thing like being upset in a river didn't bother Carter. He t right on kissing me and said over over, 'Darling, you do love me— do love me,' and it wasn't until I nised to marry him that he swam after the canoe and——"

he poor fishes lived happy for ever ," said Rowena softly.

ere were five telegrams for Bobby t. Louis and, curiously enough five for Peter also. Rowena, he noticed, had another fat letter addressed in the boyish scrawl, and watching with some curiosity as she read it, he saw that while her brows frowned over it slightly, her eyes smiled to their softest hazel. Immediately she finished reading, she counted the bills in her purse and asked the way to the telegraph office.

"Oh, listen to this!" chortled Bobby ecstatically. "Darlings, he's wild! He'll never forgive me, never. He threatens to send the police after me unless I come straight home. He calls me a little devil in plain English by Western Union."

"Oh, Bobby," begged Rowena, "please spare us until we get a little of the well-known fine, black, sandy loam of the Middle West out of our ears."

When they stepped into the elevator, Bobby stumbling blindly as she continued to devour the passionate phrases with her avidly shining eyes, Peter motioned Rowena back.

"I want to speak to you just a minute—about business—if you'll excuse us, Bobby."

Rowena turned back at once and he handed her the five telegrams without a word. They were all from Messrs. Rack and Ruff, saying Rackruff Motors, Inc., was in a state of persistent persecution at the hands of a red-haired chemical engineer who had threatened to sue the company, to burn down the factory, and to beat up every member of the firm.

"What the deuce do you suppose it's all about?" wondered ePter.

"Oh, it must be Carter," said Rowena brightly. "He's mad at Bobby."

So they went up to have it out with her at once. They told her she must quit tormenting him, and write him all the details of their trip, how she came to be a member of the party in the first place, and to send him a copy of their complete itinerary. Especially she must call him peremptorily off Messrs. Rack and Ruff who were likely to become annoyed at such persecution and cancel the trip.

Bobby finally agreed not to tantalize him further and promised to write him a complete account of the adventure.

There were bound to be ever so many pleasant, cool, shadowy shortcuts between St. Louis and Kansas City.

On the way between St. Louis and Kansas City, Peter asked about shortcuts at no end of filling stations and garages as they went west, but no one seemed very well informed about byroads, and for the most part every one advised against attempting any such thing.

It was well on toward noon when Peter found a man in a garage who thought there really was a short-cut just as Peter wanted. He wasn't altogether sure it was a direct route to Kansas City, but at least it did not lead back toward St. Louis.

They had driven about twenty miles along this rambling lane, which at times seemed to turn uncertainly toward Kansas City and then made a dead run for the Nebraska line, when they saw a stalled car in the road before them. The driver lay stretched out on the bank with his hat over his face.

Peter slowed up.

Rowena leaned forward and rapped sharply on the glass. "Never ask advice of a broken-down driver," she warned him darkly. "If he knew what he was doing, he wouldn't be broken down."

But Peter for once had struck the right party. The man knew every road in the state.

Peter thanked him for his careful directions and returned to the car. He was too much of a gentleman to leer triumphantly back at Rowena under the awning umbrella in the rumble seat. He just got in behind the wheel and started the motor.

He had driven fully twenty miles over the worst possible sort of country road when he found that a bridge was out, that there was no detour, and the only possible way to go on in the direction of Kansas City was to go back to the main road and start over. Very meekly he turned around to pay homage to her better judgment,, but stopped short staring open-mouthed. Bobby, who always looked where others did, turned too and her amazement surpassed his own.

The rumble seat was empty. Rowena was not there.

Peter slowly returned over the roads to where the self-styled expert had given him his directions.

Twenty miles!

Bobby closed her eyes. Peter hoped she was praying. He would have prayed himself except that the hard driving over the bad road required his complete attention. But he did keep breathing over and over in his heart the one word, "God! God God!" and trusted the Infinite would understand it for appeal.

Instinctively his foot lifted from the accelerator and at a noiseless crawl the car rolled up to the shadowy bank under the willow tree where the stranger with the stalled motor had mapped out the futile short-cut.

"Oh!" whispered Bobby weakly. "Look—look! Rowena!"

Rowena indeed, lying motionless beside the road where the afternoon sun slanted behind the trees to throw protecting shadows over her slender figure. Peter was out of the car long before it had come to a stop and was up the bank and kneeling beside her. He lifted one limp slim hand. It was stained red.

"Rowena!" he whispered.

Rowena opened her eyes. "Oh, hello," she said cheerfully. "Gosh, you were a long time coming back."

"Are—are you—hurt?" stammered Peter.

"Hurt? Why, no! What do you mean, hurt?" She licked a bit of red raspberry juice from her finger as she spoke.

"D-did you fall out, darling?" asked Bobby in fatuously affectionate tones.

"Fall out?" repeated Rowena. "Certainly not." She stood up, lifted her arms, stretching her slender figure comfortably to it utmost height. "Had a grand nap," she said. "And wrote out just what I think of Missouri. Poor dears, you must be dreadfully hot and tired. Come and sit down—a nature's feast to feed you. Berries and cold spring water. I knew you would be famished so I picked heaps."

"You darling," said Bobby, and greedily fell to. "But will you please tell us," she mumbled, with a full mouth, for she was very hugry, "how you fell—how you got—out of the rumble seat?"

"I climbed out," said Rowena cheerfully. "It's the only way you can get out of a rumble seat."

"But when——"

"But how——"

"When Peter and the broken-down gent were dusting off Missouri in the middle of the road I noticed the wild berries up on the bank among the rocks. I must have got myself out of sight of the car without knowing it, for the first thing I knew, I heard the usual racing of the engine with which dear Peter gets under way, so I ran down and there you were tearing off among the ruts in a cloud of metaphorical glory. So I picked some more berries, and the broken-down gent and I shot craps until the man from the garage came and towed him in. He invited me to go with them, but I knew you would be back for me when you got around to it."

"There was a bridge out on the short-cut," explained Peter quickly.

"I know. The broken-down gent remembered it about ten minutes after you had gone. But of course it was too late then."

"You're very game about it, Rowena. Very sporting. I wouldn't blame you if you didn't speak to me again from here to the coast."

"Oh, nonsense!" said Rowena pleasantly. "This was just an accident. Accidents never make me mad. It's just," she added meaningly, "just—certain—people.

In Kansas City, Bobby found thirty-one telegrams from Carter, each increasingly immoderate in its commands for her to give over this outrageous conduct and return home at once.

Rowena had the usual fat one addressed in the boyish scrawl, and surely she had read no further than the first paragraph when she began counting out her money. Peter had a comforting telegram from Mr. Rack, with a friendly postscript by Mr. Ruff, advising that the red-haired siege was lifted and that they had been honored with a sort of an apology, but warning them to be careful of their future conduct.

Mr. Rack also said they were extremely pleased with the character of the work that had been turned out, and enclosed check for next week's expenses. Peter was extremely grateful for that check, for Bobby had spent the last cent of her week's allowance by Wednesday, after which time he and Rowena had been obliged to carry her between them.

"Chaperons come high, don't they?" grumbled Rowena, as she counted out nickels and dimes to make up her portions of Bobby's last manicure.

It was a genuine hardship to them to be obliged to contribute so extensively to the maintenance of luxury-loving Bobby. On the other hand, her presence was so essential to the all-important tour that they were in no position to quarrel very seriously even with her extravagances.

"For my part, I'd rather pay her bills than read Carter's telegrams," said Peter moodily.

"I wouldn't," disagreed Rowena promptly. "I've learned to read with one eye and listen with one ear, and that way I get through with only half the mental strain."

"Yes, but you've got a rumble to retire to."

"So I have. But I have to sleep with her."

One thing was certain. Her presence was essential, and Carter and his telegrams and her extravagances were alike to be endured.

At Topeka she was startled to find but one telegram awaiting her—a ten-word, straight day message.

"Are you taking first train home or are you not?"

It was not even signed.

Bobby's fright was so genuine, her disappointment so real, that Rowena and Peter tried to console her.

Peter took them out to a movie, and Rowena—with her own money—bought her a cunning little Kansas souvenir, a flask carved out of a corn-cob—and she seemed slightly more resigned.

She was very quiet as they crossed Kansas, and when they complained of the notoriously hot winds, she smiled patiently and said she didn't mind. She ate very little, and had fifteen cents of her allowance left at the end of the week.

When they reached Denver they hurried at once, as they always did, to get their mail, and there was nothing at all for Bobby, not a letter, not a telegram, not so much as a souvenir postcard. She said nothing but turned pale and a little sad smile froze the dimples in the soft face.

When Rowena went down to dinner she made excuses not to go—said she was very tired, said she wanted a hot bath and a good sleep, said she would just read a magazine she had picked out at the news-stand.

They went up to the room immediately after dinner with all good intentions, and Rowena knocked. When there was no answer she opened the door and they went in. The room had a deserted appearance. Bobby's handsome articles of toilet were gone from the dressing table. Her beautiful dressing-gown was gone from the foot of the bed, her satin mules from beneath it. Her imported traveling bag no longer stood beside Rowena's shabby suitcase on the baggage rack.

Peter and Rowena looked at each other in wide-eyed consternation.

There was a note, written on hotel paper in Bobby's round childish hand. It was pinned to Rowena's pillow.

"Darlings, I'm going home. I've got to. If I don't, I'll never get him back. I'll send Peter the money I borrowed as soon as I get my allowance. I'm going on the seven o'clock train and I have already wired him to meet me. You're both just sweet and I love you. But I do wish you didn't quarrel so. I'm glad Carter and I get along better."

"And that," said Rowena flatly, "is that."

"It's all of that," added Peter gloomily.

"Nothing," declared Rowena drearily, "could be more irretrievably fatal than this."

"It was great sport while it lasted," said Peter. "You have been pretty game all the way through Rowena."

"It was corking good business, too," said Rowena. "And taking it all in all, you are not half bad to breeze around with, Peter."

"Well, it's all over now," said Peter.

"You don't suppose we could pick one up here, do you?—By advertising. The way we got Bobby in the first place."

But they both knew it was pretty hopeless.

They said good night with something vaguely suggestive of affestionate regard, for this killing. kindred disappointment gave them a cordial meeting-ground for almost the first time.

Rowena sat alone at her window, little and high up, for she had frugally changed from a double to a single room immediately after the desertion of Bobby.

She was not one to give up without a struggle—nor to give up at all, for that matter.

It was nearly midnight when she shook off her final hesitation, with a mind made up. An idea had come to her, terrifying and tremendous, hours before. She had toyed with it, weighed it in the balance and, finding it wanting, pushed it resolutely away; but had permitted it to work its way back, insidiously sure. At twelve o'clock she called Peter on the telephone and that was an end of her hesitation.

"Listen, Peter. You meet me downstairs in the lobby, right away, will you? I have an idea."

"But I'm in bed!"

(continued next week)

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Pleasant Grove News

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The Sunday school and Christian Endeavor society is progressing nicely. We have a contest between the two groups in which every member is interested. Sunday night will be the last program for this year, and it will be the close of the contest which we hope everyone will come and make this the best of the quarter. Miss Ruth Cox will have charge of the program, which is: "Should We Learn From Experiences of Others? Why? How"

Leader's Talk: Ruth Cox.
Lesson in Life: 1st Part, Inez McKee.
2nd Part, Mrs. Eula Culp.
3rd Part. Elvin Stewart.
4th Part, Louise Cox.
5th Part, Mrs. Etta Durbin.
Library Browsings, Mack Durbin.
Quotable Poetry, Delene Culp.

During the program we will have some special songs. Let's everybody come and make our Sunday school and C. E. one among the best in the Alabama Conference.

The first Saturday and Sunday and Sunday night is our preaching days. Everyone has an invitation to come and be with us and also have singing on the fourth Sunday afternoon, and devotional and choir practice every Wednesday night.

Everyone has a special invitation to come and be with us.

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Pay his automobile license and buy two new tires.

GREETINGS

AS THE evergreen trees symbolize the year-round memory which the jolly Christmas holidays create—and the glowing of lights enhances the appropriateness of the symbol—so we repeat those simple words which so completely convey our wishes

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These words are used to describe one of the outstanding qualities of our two leading flours. Cadick's Gold Dust (It's White!) and Cadick's Ca-Mi-Co (It's White!) are both soft wheat flours, both perfectly white.

Use them for pies, cakes, biscuits and pastries. Both are fine quality flours. CA-MI-CO being made self-rising for convenience.

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LUCKY STRIKE OLD GOLD
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CIGARETTES 2 pkgs. 20's 25c

SUNNYFIELD
FLOUR 24 lb. Bag 65c
48-Pound Bag $1.25
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24-lb. Bag 45c --- 48-lb. Bag 90c

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DRESSING PINT JAR 19c

WISCONSIN
CHEESE lb. 18c

BEST
White Meat lb. 9c

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ESTABLISHED 1859
WHERE ECONOMY RULES

ASSORTED FLAVORS
STICK CANDY 2 lb. box 25c

LONDON LAYER
RAISINS lb. 10c

GRANDMOTHER'S
Fruit Cake 2 lbs. 79c

CAMPBELL'S TOMATO
SOUP 2 cans 15c

QUAKER MAID BAKING
POWDER One Pound Can 15c

QUAKER MAID
KETCHUP 14 oz. bottle 10c

NUTLEY
OLEO Two 1-Pound Cartons 25c

GELATIN DESSERT
SPARKLE 2 pkgs. 15c

A & P GRAPE JUICE
Pint Bottle 13c --- Quart Bottle 25c

ANN PAGE
PRESERVES lb. jar 17c

NBC EXCELL SODA
CRACKERS 2-Pound Box 23c
8 O'CLOCK COFFEE lb. 19c

HOLIDAY SUGGESTIONS

CRESTMONT ASSORTED
Chocolates LB. BOX 45c 2 LB. BOX 89c
5-POUND BOX $1.98

XMAS CHOCOLATES	5-Lb. Box	95c
Assorted Bulk Candies,	Pound	15c
MIXED NUTS	Pound	20c
BRAZIL NUTS	Pound	20c
WALNUTS	Pound	22c

PRODUCE

FRESH
COCONUTS 7,1-2 & 10c each

FANCY BLEACHED—LARGE BUNCHES
CELERY per bunch 15c

FRESH
CRANBERRIES qt. 15c

NO. 1 COBBLERS
POTATOES 10 lbs. 19c

Verbena High School News

(By Junior Two English Class)

Alabama Day

On the fourteenth of December the school celebrated Alabama's one hundred and twelfth birthday. The following program was presented:

The Observance of "Alabama Day" by Marvin Huett.

First Period, "Indian" by Woodrow Rockett (reader).

Music, "By the Waters of the Minnetonka" Eunice Grantt.

Second Period, "Spanish Invasion".

Music, "Spanish Cavalier" by Ernest Williams and J. R. Robinson.

Third Period, "Pioneer Settlers" by a group of boys.

Music, "O Susanna" by Wayne Hiten and Evelyn Barrett.

Fourth Period, "Plantation."

Music, "Ripples of Alabama" Serena Mitchell.

Negro Songs, "Sweet and Low," and "Swing Low Sweet Chariot," by a group of boys and girls.

Fifth Period, "Julia Tutwiler" by Elena Thrailkill.

Sixth Period, "Edna Gockel-Gussen, Lucille Calloway.

Music, "Alabama" by Lucille Calloway.

Seventh Period, "Alabama's Official Song." by all.

Music, Lucille Calloway.

Banquet In Honor of Football Boys

Last Thursday evening, December 10, at six o'clock, a banquet was given in the Home Economics Department by the members of the faculty and the Home Economics Class. This affair was given in honor of the trustees and the football boys.

The color scheme of red and green was used in the decorations of the dining room. This color scheme was also carried out throughout the meal.

The honorees of the evening were thrilled with the beauty of the banquet that had been prepared for their entertainment.

Verbena High School

Verbena basketball team, boys, have a game with Jemison boys Friday night at 7:30. Let's all see the big game! It will be at Jemison.

The P.-T. A. of Verbena will meet Thursday night, December 17, 1931 at 7:00. They will render a Christmas play.

Secretary of P.-T. A., Miss Elizabeth Hubbard; President, Mrs. Mamie Deramus; Treasurer, Mr. Charlie Hughes.

The Current Events Club

The Junior Ones, Twos, and Threes have a Current Event Club organized. They meet in the auditorium every Friday and render very interesting programs. The president of this is Earl Mims. They ordered pins having these letters, "C. E. C."

Girls Basketball Game

Verbena girls had a game with Marbury in basketball last Friday. It was a splendid game, although Verbena was beaten 32-1. Kate McKinney shot the only goal Verbena received. It was a thrilling game and was enjoyed by all of the spectators.

Marbury left Verbena with true sportsmanship and a victory.

The Verbena boys played a game of basketball with Isabella last Friday afternoon. There was good sportsmanship by both sides ,although in the end Isabella won by a score of 27 to 19.

Verbena High School Celebrates Xmas

The pupils of Verbena High School are glad they get from December 23, to January 4th. They are very proud of their holidays, because it is the first time in a long time that the holidays extended until after New Years Day. Verbena High School does not celebrate Christmas because of a good time but because it is the day on which Christ was born.

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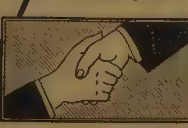
IN APPRECIATION

We asknowledge with grateful appreciation the kind expressions of sympathy shown us in the death of our husband and father.

—Mrs. D. Y. Johnston and Family.

the *friendly* hotel



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THE homelike atmosphere of the Molton, so different from the average hotel, has given it a southwide slogan:

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Keeping the Old Friends
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In Birmingham

The MOLTON
J.A. DRIVER, MANAGER

CHEVROLET SALES ON NEW CAR INCREASE

Polk Bros. Share Increase With Other Dealers Over The Entire Country

That national sales of new 1932 Chevrolets during their initial week-end showing, exceeded last year's figures is indicated by hundreds of wires received by H. J. Klingler, vice-president and general sales manager, from dealers reporting on the reception of the new cars in their localities.

Polk Brothers Motor Co., Inc., local Chevrolet dealers, have been sharing honors in this increase in sales of the new 1932 Chevrolet. The show rooms at Polk Brothers are displaying the new Chevrolet and state they are well pleased with the fine reception given the car.

Attendance in all parts of the country exceeded that at any previous national showing of new Chevrolet models, and the general tenor of the messages was that dealers expect better business next year than in 1931, Mr. Klingler stated.

While no official tabulation of sales to date will be completed before the latter part of the month, the voluntary reports of dealers and zone officials show that in a great majority of cities and districts orders on hand are well beyond the corresponding period last year, and that in a number of instances dealers made deliveries of display models off their sales floors over Saturday and Sunday.

Indicative of the general interest engendered by the modren, low-priced car were the reports of a number of dealers, who commented on the many well-to-do people who viisted their displays.

A typical commentary on the improvements in the new line came from Chattanooga, Tenn., where the dealer wired: "Please convey to President W. S. Knudsen my appreciation for his fulfillment of his personal promise to give us an automobile with ample power to negotiate Lookout Mountain with ease."

Typical of many messages was one from Mason City, Iowa: "Public more enthused over 1932 models than they were in 1929 when the first Chevrolet six came out." One dealer in Washington, D. C., wired: "Largest Saturday crowd in our ten years with Chevrolet. Twenty-two orders on hand and present indications point to our greatest year."

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Rev. J. C. Chambers of Durham, Eng., drove all the dancers out of his church hall because they were doing the Charleston.

We Cordially Invite

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As Our Guests,

Sunday, December 27, 1931

THE DIXIE CAFE

INDIGESTION

"My work is confining, and often I eat hurriedly, causing me to have indigestion. Gas will form and I will smother and have pains in my chest.

"I had to be careful what I ate, but after someone had recommended Black-Draught and I found a small pinch after meals was so helpful, I soon was eating anything I wanted.

"Now when I feel the least smothering or uncomfortable bloating, I take a pinch of Black-Draught and get relief."
—Clyde Vaughn, 10 Shippy St., Greenville, S. C.

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WOMEN who are run-down, nervous, or suffer every month, should take Cardui. Used for over 50 years.

MT. PLEASANT WINS OVER CHILTON HIGH & CONCORD JR.

In a somewhat hard-fought game last Friday afternoon, the Mt. Pleasant Jr. High School lads swept the Chilton County High School players down to a 22 to 15 defeat, and then to add another feather to their cap, they played the third quarter of the game between Mt. Pleasant and Concord, piling up a large score, which helped the second team trim the Concord players 19 to 8.

In the game against Clanton both teams played hard, trying to get the lead on the other, but the home team stacked up a 5 point lead which they never relinquished during the game except once. when at the beginning of the third quarter with Mt. Pleasant leading 16 to 11, James Tiffin made a nice looping shot from the field, to tighten the score; but Curtis Traywick came right back and blasted their hopes with two nice spot-shots. This little player led the home team in offensive play. He totaled 16 points for the game, while his running team-mate, Burnett, registered the other 6 markers by three goals from the field.

Theo Littlejohn, a former player on the Mt. Pleasant team, was the high scorer for Clanton, 5 points being his allotment, but he played a clever game in dribbling and pass-owrk. His mates, J. Tiffin, and Powell, came next with 4 points each. The Clanton players are fresh from the football field, but they showed skill in handling the basketball and also in playing, as only two personal fouls were chalked against them while the Mt. Pleasant lads were charged with eight.

The Concord game was more interesting than the score indicates, for the visiting team held the second-team players of Mt. Pleasant to a low score, but were unable to cope with the regular team, who played part of the third quarter, running up a one-sided score, which soon grows uninteresting, but the second team went back in and played the last ten minutes of game, allowing the Concord players net their 8 points.

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house of Mayor H. A. Dowsett Southbend. Eng., was robbed of $8, worth of jewelry.

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Mrs. Walter Rowe of Chicago away a book in which her husb had hidden $750.

To the chorus of greetings, allow us to add our very best wishes for a right Merry Christmas and Happiest of all New Years to you and yours.

Hubert Farley

Electrician
Radio Repairing, Wiring

Merry Christmas

To All Our Friends

We acknowledge with a deep sense of sincere appreciation the fine, loyal patronage that has been extended to us during this year. We are grateful to you.

And now on the eve of another Christmas we say: May it be merry, cheerful, abundantly happy is our wish supreme.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Capital and Surplus $100,000

Clanton - - - - - - Alabama

To You All

To the Yuletide Greetings of Santa --- Dean of Christmas --- we add our chorus of felicitations. May the spirit of the holiday find you as jolly and joyous as Santa. In the gay spirit of Christmas --- we wish you all the happiness that he can bring you and those about you.

Chicago Sales Co.

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JUDGE SMOOT DI-ED MONDAY IN MONTGOMERY

Held Court In This County, Elmore And Autauga For Several Years

Judge George Fitzgerald Smoot, 47, died at 5 o'clock Monday morning at a Montgomery hospital following an illness of about one week. He was brought to the hospital on Christmas Eve. Judge Smoot was well known among the judiciary of Alabama and was recognized as one of the state's ablest circuit judges.

Judge Smoot, a graduate of the University of Alabama, had spent his entire life in Wetumpka. He practiced law there several years before his election in 1922 as judge of the 19th judicial circuit composed of Elmore, Chilton and Autauga counties.

Judge Smoot had enjoyed excellent health until a few months ago. He was one of the best amateur tennis players in Alabama and had participated in several tournaments in Montgomery. At Birmingham this year he won the singles championship of Alabama. Judge Smoot also was an ardent football fan and a staunch supporter of athletics at the secondary agricultural school at Wetumpka.

The jurist had presided over some of the state's most noted murder cases. The bar recognized him as a fair, able and fearless judge. Although not gifted in oratory, Judge Smoot's charges to a jury were clear-cut. He was a lifelong democrat.

The deceased was a member of the Baptist church, a Mason and Knights of Pythias. He always took an active interest in civic and educational affairs of his town and county. Judge Smoot married Miss Ethel Fuller, daughter of W. C. Fuller, 500 Felder avenue, Montgomery. Surviving are the widow, one son, George, Jr., two daughters, Ethel and Cora Reed, all of Wetumpka; two sisters, Mrs. J. T. Edwards, Montgomery, and Mrs. Sam R. Law, Equality, and one brother, Richard E. Smoot, Birmingham. W. E. Lacy, Wetumpka merchant, is an uncle.

The body remained at Leak's chapel in Montgomery until Tuesday morning when it was carried to Wetumpka. Funeral services were held there at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning from the Baptist church. Burial was in the Wetumpka cemetery.

Among those from Clanton who attended the funeral of Judge Smoot Tuesday morning were Sheriff and Mrs. W. H. Gillespie, Miss Madelyn Orr, Hon. J. B. Atkinson, Hon. and Mrs. L. F. Gerald, and daughter, Celia, T. W. Bryan, Dr. P. T. Hinkle, Tom Littlejohn, W. D. Spigener, H. T. Pipes, Grady Reynolds, Omar Reynolds, Claudie Pipes, M. A. Gore, Eric Hart, G. C. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Mims.

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BIG PICTURE IS COMING TO CLANTON SOON

Wadesonian Announces Dates For Showing Of Picture, "Her Unborn Child"

The Wadesonian Theatre, recognized by movie fans in this city as the home of the highest type of talking picture productions, announces that on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, January 5, 6, and 7, they have contracted to present for the very first time on any screen in this city, the all-talking version of the tremendously successful stage play, "Her Unborn Child."

Once in a blue moon there comes a picture that fires the imagination and touches the heart of the amusement-going public; such a picture was "The Birth of a Nation;" so were "Over the Hill" and "The Covered Wagon." Since the talking picture captured the public interest there has been no audible motion picture produced that aroused the tremendous audience response and enthusiasm of the epic film efforts just mentioned.

Not until the talking picture version of "Her Unborn Child" flashed across the screens of this country, electrifying movie audiences with its poignantly human dialogue and its smashing dramatic situations, its tremendously moving story—a page brimming with humor, pathos and realism, torn from the daily

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WILL CONDUCT STATE-WIDE REVIVAL IN CLANTON SOON

DR. ELMER C. MILLER

Who will arrive in Clanton this week to open the Bob Jones State-Wide Revival at the Courthouse January 3.

OFFICERS IN ELECTION ON JANUARY 5TH

Managers, Clerks, Etc., To Serve In Election On Mobile Amendment

Following is the official list of the names of managers, clerks and returning officers, who are to serve at the various boxes in various beats in the election to be held in Chilton County, on Tuesday, January 5th. Further information in regard to this election can be found elsewhere in this issue, and in the Governor's Proclamation, being also published today.

Beat 1—Managers, Willie Burnett, B. F. Vines, J. F. Jones; clerks, O. R. Mullins, R. A. Hudson; returning officer, Ellis Ellison.

Beat 2, Box 1—Managers, Charlie Shaw, J. M. Glasscock, A. M. Attoway; clerks, J. M. Langston, J. N. Scott; returning officer, Vernon Culp.

Beat 2, Box 2—Managers, W. C. Martin, J. N. Thomas, H. G. Cofer; clerks, C. W. Scott, J. N. Ervin; returning officer, W. P. Cofer. .

Beat 3—Managers, J. C. Deshazo, C. B. Lenoir, Charlie Cooper; clerks, W. C. Grooms, Arthur Lecroy; returning officer, Lee Jones.

Beat 4, Box 1—Managers, O. P.

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CARTER ELECTRIC SHOP DAMAGED BY FIRE FRIDAY

The Carter Electric Shop of Clanton was badly damaged on the interior last Friday, Christmas Day, when flames, of undetermined origin, had gained headway before being discovered. The alarm was sounded about noon.

Volunteer firemen of Clanton found difficulty in reaching the blaze, due to heavy smoke from rubber and wire covering in the shop. Damage was also done to the stock of radios, it was stated.

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MR. AND MRS. CLARENCE LECROY PARENTS OF FINE BOY

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. LeCroy of Savannah, Ga., announce the birth of a son, Clarence Rudolph, Jr., on December 21st. Mrs. LeCroy will be remembered as Miss Cleo Roebuck, formerly of Chilton County.

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THORSBY WOODMEN WILL HAVE JOINT INITIATION

Dr. Walter M. Crawford, an official of the Woodmen of The World, from the home office at Omaha, will attend a meeting of Woidmen at Thorsby on next Monday night, January 4, to install officers. This meeting will be in the form of a joint initiation, with Thorsby, Maplesville and Clanton camps attending.

Several new members will be carried through the forest of woodcraft, according to manager E. C. Evans of Clanton, with the Clanton drill team in full charge of the floorwork.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Richards and daughters, Patsy and Sandlin, of Jackson, Miss., were guests of Mrs. J. P. VanDerveer during the past week end. They left last Monday to return to their home.

Did You Ever Stop To Think?

By Edson R. Waite, Shawnee, Okla.

MARVIN E. HOLDERNESS, VICE PRESIDENT OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ST. LOUIS, SAYS:

THAT whistling is almost a lost art. When you and I were kids everybody whistled. 'Whistlers were poor, good, better and best, but it was a useful art and everybody practiced it, regardless of age, sex, color or locality. There was the shrill whistle used for signal or call purposes; the tuneful whistle that carried perfectly the notes of popular melodies; the short or long exclamatory whistle, denoting pleasure, disappointment, fear, surprise, a note for every sudden change in the gamut of human feeling. Josh Billings once said he could always go down into the dark cellar much more courageously if he whistled his way. We whistled in the sunshine and we whistled in the dark. Jimmy Jones, as the champion whistler of Dallas County back in the '90's, was just as famous as Dick Daily is today, even if Dick is captain and quarterback on the Fordyce High, Champions of the State.

A college professor in recent months wrote a derogatory and decrying editorial on the practice of whistling, but it is doubtful whether anybody took seriously his outburst against the simple and manly art. Surely no red-blooded American would ever concede that whistling voices low mentality or evidences an admission of defeat. We shall have to look further for the decline of the practice. Have the radio and the professional entertainers made us ashamed to "pucker?" Or, are we so materialistic that we are getting far away from nature's simple, joyful and profitable usages?

This is just one study on the subject of living happy lives. The sooner we cease to strive for the artificial, the sooner shall we be happy. Let us be our real selves over again, whistling, singing and dancing and leading the simple life. It isn't necessary for all of us to get rich, and we don't have to keep up with the Joneses. Back yonder some of us didn't see any money but about once a year, and not very much then, but we had three square meals a day, and a warm place to sleep. Too many people expect too much nowadays, and don't realize that they could be happy with much less.

LET US HARK BACK TO THE GOOD OLD WHISTLING DAYS.

Dief's Cafe Opened To Public Recently

A look into the recently opened Dief's Cafe will show one that it is under efficient management, and a meal enjoyed there will be convincing that this management is wise in its selection of cooks. Dief's Cafe, winning popularity as fast as Dief's Service Station did, opened to the public last week. It is located across the street from the service station bearing the same name, and is being operated by L. E. Diefenderfer, of Clanton.

The opening of this cafe under its present management will no doubt bring about a different slant on the cafe business in Clanton. Mr. Diefenderfer invites the public to visit Dief's Cafe, located on the highway.

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FARMERS BRING FRESH VEGETABLES TO TOWN

Farmers living near Clanton have been furnishing residents here with fresh vtgetables this month. C. O. Bell brought in some nice tomatoes and beans from his place near here, and Harmon Headley has been bringing in fresh vegetables.

Old timers state that this is the first time they have seen such fine fresh vegetables in this section during this time of year.

Another Still Is Found By Sheriff

Another whiskey manufacturing still in Chilton County is missing from its hiding place and no doubt is whacked up, after being captured last Thursday morning by the Sheriff's forces here. The still was located about eight miles west of Maplesville, and was in operation at the time of the raid, in which one man was caught, and one escaped. A quantity of beer was also found.

Among the arrests reported by the Sheriff's office were one for vagrancy, one for manufacturing liquor, three for violation of the prohibition law, one for grand larceny, two for assault with intent to murder, and one for public drunkenness.

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HAVE YOU PAID YOUR TAXES THIS YEAR?

People have been making runs to the office of the Tax Assessor and Collector here during the past several days, with the deadline facing them.

After January 1, 1932, a penalty of fifty cents, plus interest on the amount of taxes at eight per cent, will be charged those who have failed to pay their taxes. Bear this in mind and remember that tomorrow is the last day in which to escape this penalty.

Chilton County Boy Receives High Honor In Agricultural Work In Future Farmers

The degree of American Farmer, the highest degree possible to be awarded a young man in the Future Farmers of America organization, was bestowed on Oliver Manning, of Chilton County, at the recent meeting of the National Congress of Future Farmers in Kansas City, Mo.

Oliver was at one time president of the chapter at the Isabella High School and during his senior year served as secretary of the state organization. He is a sophomore in Agricultural Education at Alabama Polytechnic Institute this year, and spends his summers on his father's farm west of Clanton. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Manning, and a member of one of the prominent families of this county.

Chilton County feels justly proud of Oliver Manning in his honor in being awarded the degree of American Farmer. His father has been a successful farmer before him, and present indications are that Oliver will stand out in his chosen work.

Greenville Methodist Choir Heard By Large Crowd At Clanton Methodist Church Sunday

Clanton received a treat in the musical line last Sunday morning when the fine choir of the Greenville Methodist Church rendered a program in the Methodist church here. Duets, quartettes and solos were features, and the group singing of the entire choir was splendid.

The choir was directed by Mrs. R. A. Beeland, with Mrs. Jesse Cheatham as organist. Soloists were Mesdames Ambrose Reese, I. Y. Traweek, J. H. Burnett. Messrs. Edward Wayne Grant and Wilmer Stanfield.

The group was composed of Mesdames R. A. Beeland, Ambrose Reese, J. H. Burnett, Leo Kern, O. R. Riley, I. Y. Traweek, Julius Reynolds, J. L. Jenkins, and Frank Boutwell. Messrs. Edward Wayne Grant, Wilmer Stanfield, E. E. Black and W. H. Metcalf.

There were several visitors from Greenville here to hear this program of Christmas music, and many from other places, with the large auditorium of the church filled to capacity, and very pleasing comments on the program are being heard. Among those from Greenville, other than members of the choir, were Judge J. S. Golson, Messrs. R. A. Beeland, Jeff Beeland, I. Y. Traweek, J. W. Stanfield, Ambrose Reese. Misses Ida Bess West, Katie Stanfield, Margaret Ann Reynolds, Mary Alice Reynolds, Emily Reese.

NEWS SUBSCRIPTION OFFER EXTENDED TWO DAYS MORE

Last week the News stated the subscription offer which has been in progress this month would close today. Instead of closing today, this newspaper will hold this offer open through next Saturday, January 2.

Up through Saturday, you may subscribe or renew your subscription to the News for next year for only one dollar. This announcement was made county-wide and the results have been pleasing. After the date named above, the price of subscriptions will be as usual, one dollar and fifty cents. Send in your dollar now, if you have not already done so.

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J. E. TEEL GETS PONY GIVEN BY THE FAIR STORE

The pony tri-cycle given by The Fair Store on Wednesday of last week, became the property of Jesse E. Teel of Clanton. This beautiful toy had been on display at The Fair Store, and Mr. Sartor, manager, stated that he was pleased with the attention given this item.

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FIDDLERS TO GATHER HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

American Legion Will Sponsor Big Event At The Court House

Plans are complete for the biggest fiddlers convention of all time to be pulled off at the courthouse in Clanton tonight, Thursday, December 31st, beginning at seven o'clock. The occasion has been arranged under auspices of Chilton County Post of the American Legion.

The arrangements committee, headed by J. E. Gore, announees that everything is in readiness. Every fiddler in Central Alabama is invited to come and take part in the musical contests. A long list of prizes awaits the musicians who take part. Prizes have been donated by the business houses of Clanton.

The American Legion cordially invites the public to attend. Every effort has been made to assure a good program. The fiddlers who have already signified their intention of coming makes it certain that there will be plenty of fine music to entertain the listeners. Admission charges will be only 10 cents for children and 20 cents for grown folks. Come and tell your friends to come.

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OLD MONEY IS MAKING ITS APPEARANCE IN CLANTON

Pieces of money with dates shewing they are exceedingly old, are making their appearance in Clanton. Loren Smith, at Upchurch Drug Co., recently received several fifty cent pieces with dates ranging from 1842 to 1858, all showing very little wear. This makes those pieces in the neighborhood of eighty to ninety years old.

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CLANTON MERCHANTS EXTEND WISHES FOR THE NEW YEAR

Throughout this issue of the News will be found spaces being occupied by places of business in Clanton to extend greetings and best wishes for the coming year which begins tomorrow. Read them, we are sure the wishes expressed in each advertisement are sincere.

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MR. AND MRS. CLYDE MIMS PARENTS OF FINE GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mims, who reside near Clanton, have announced the arrival of a fine baby girl, born on Sunday, December 20th. She has been named Willie Dorothy and is doing fine. The News congratulates Mr. and Mrs. Mims, and the young daughter.

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ELEVEN ARRESTS DOCKETED ON TOWN'S BOOKS RECENTLY

Eleven persons were docketed on various charges on the city's books during the past few days, according to Claudie Pipes, city clerk. One for shooting fireworks in city limits, six for gaming, three for affray, and one for assault. Several have faced trial and were fined.

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Mrs. A. K. Horn of Montgomery is visiting in Thorsby with friends and will be here until New Years.

VOTERS GO TO POLLS TUESDAY ON AMENDMENT

Affects Mobile Only, Officials Hoping Voters Approve Of Amendment

On next Tuesday, January 5th, the voters over Alabama will go to the polls to voice their approval or disapproval of a proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama. This amendment as is outlined in a Proclamation from the Governor of Alabama, published elsewhere in this issue of the News, affects the City of Mobile only, although the voters of the state will vote on it

To those who do not understand just what this amendment is, it would be advisable to find the Governor's Proclamation in this issue and read it. It is understood that if this amendment is approved of by the qualified voters, it does not mean an additional tax to residents of Mobile. In commenting on the question, Col. Harry T. Hartwell, prominent figure in Mobile, has the following to say

May I point out to you that the amendment to be voted on Jan. 5 represents no tax increase whatever to the taxpayers of Mobile and does not affect any taxpayer in Alabama except those residing in the city of Mobile?

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TIPPETT-GRIER MARRIAGE IS SOLEMNIZED LAST THURSDAY

Much to the surprise of many friends Miss Alma Grier became the bride of Mr. Bill Tippett, on last Thursday night when the marriage vows were read by the Rev. Homer Carroll

The bride has been in training at the Central Alabama Hospital for sometime, and considered one of the most popular nurses there. Mr. Tippett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tippett of Clanton.

Following a short wedding trip the couple returned to Clanton, where they will make their home. The News extends congratulations to this couple, wishing for them many years of happy life together.

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IT'S PEPPERS, TOMATOES DOWN IN GEORGIA, SAYS T. W. BRYAN

Justice of the Peace T. W. Bryan says they gathered beans, tomatoes and peppers from his garden in Dodge County, Ga., on Christmas and enjoyed fresh vegetables there in December. Mr. Bryan spent the Christmas holidays at his old home in Dodge County and returned Saturday to resume his duties at his office above the Robinson Dept. Store.

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Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Hyman, and daughter, Tina, spent the holidays in Birmingham with relatives.

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OMINOUS CLOUD SPOILSHOLIDAYS FOR GOV. MILLER

Need For Immediate Cash Is Again Emphasized With Visit of College Heads

The Christmas holidays of Gov. Miller were overcast with the omnious clouds of the State's floating debt and failure to pay legislative appropriations and three heads of the three great institutions of learning of Alabama brought it vividly to his attention Monday afternoon in a long conference in the office of the Governor.

Dr. George H. Denny, president of the University of Alabama; Dr. Bradford Knapp, president of the Alabama Polytechnic Institute, and Dr. O. C. Carmichael, president of the Alabama College for Women at Montevallo conferred with the Governor.

Neither Gov. Miller nor the presidents of the three institutions said a word about the conference after it was over. The three presidents of Alabama's higher educational institutions passed out of the Governor's offices without vouchsafing a word to newspapermen of what had transpired at the conference. The writer did not get to see Gov. Miller but other newspapermen who did said he did not mention the conference.

Finances Topic

That the three presidents of Ala-

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Pleasant Grove News

L. Lance Franklin has been ill all during this Christmas, after having a severe chill which lasted for 45 minutes, but is now slowly improving.

Brother Miller was at Pleasant Grove to perform his regular duties, but his family didn't come with him due to Mrs. Miller's illness.

Mr. Ershel Spivey spent Sunday with Lance Franklin.

Willard Franklin spent Saturday night with Maurice Wright. Hyman spent Saturday night with Ershel Spivey.

Among our Christmas visitors are Lessley Rasco, visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rasco and sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dawson.

Misses Lois and Alma Eskque are visiting their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davenport.

Misses Anna Mae and Johnnie Lee Crumpton were visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rasco.

Miss Mattie Wells returned home Sunday afternoon, after having spent two weeks in Birmingham.

We are all proud to see Mr. Phillip Franklin able to stir again.

Mr. M. Allen Waldrop is reported to be in a serious condition.

J. B. ATKINSON
Attorney-At-Law
Office Over Robinson Department Store
Clanton, Alabama

LYNCHING RECORDS FOR 1931 ARE GIVEN OUT

I send you the following information concerning lynchings for the year 1931. According to the records compiled in the Department of Records and Research of the Tuskegee Institute, that there were 13 persons lynched in 1931. This is 8 less than the number 21 for 1930, 3 more than the number 10 for 1929, 2 more than the number 11 for 1928, and 3 less than the number 16 for 1927. 10 of the persons lynched were in the hands of the law. 7 were taken from jails, 1 from a hospital and 2 had been released on bail. 1 of the victims was hanged and his body burned.

There were 57 instances in which officers of the law prevented lynchings. 7 of these were in Northern and Western States and 50 in Southern States. In 45 of the instances the prisoners were removed or the guards augmented or other precautions taken. In the 12 other instances, armed force was used to repel the would be lynchers. A total of 88 persons: 18 whites, 16 men and 2 women, and 70 Negro men were thus saved from death at the hands of mobs.

Of the 13 persons lynched, 1 was white and 12 were negroes. The offenses charged were: murder, 5; attempted rape, 5; wounding man, 3.

The states in which lynchings occurred and the number in each state are as follows: Alabama, 1; Florida, 2; Louisiana, 1; Maryland, 1; Mississippi, 3; Missouri, 1; North Dakota, 1; Tennessee, 1; West Virginia, 2.

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If the winter must bring more unemployment, let us hope it may be among radio crooners.

BEST WISHES FOR 1932

May your Hope Chest be bursting with all good things for the coming year. May happy and prosperous times come to live with you permanently—may every one of your wishes and desires come true. A Happy New Year to you—and many of them.

DeMabel's Beauty Shoppe
Phone 150 - - - - Clanton, Ala.

PEACE & PROSPERITY

OUR WISHES
FOR YOUR NEW YEAR

May good fortune smile upon you—and may the days of the coming year be crowded with happiness for you.

SPIGENER FUNERAL HOME
Phone 15-J - - - - - Clanton

A BRIGHT & CHEERFUL NEW YEAR

As the rays of the New Year Sun spread to all corners of the universe, so do our good wishes go forth to all our loyal friends and patrons who contributed to our welfare and progress. May this be your very best year.

ROBINSON GARAGE & MACHINE SHOP
Phone 180 - Clanton, Ala.

MORAL ECHOES

D. W. Haskew

It seems to be human for us to become anxious about the end of things. When the day is about over we become panic-stricken because we have done so little. The same feeling takes possession of us when the week is about over, and when a year is drawing to a close. We are going to become very anxious as we draw to the close of our lives, or as we come to the close of the world. We have too much anxiety about the end of things, and too little about the beginning. 1931 is a record of the past, December is about gone. 1932 is here and January is coming on. We must take our eyes off of the past, and we must now look with anxious hearts into the coming year. If you would make the coming year one that is crowded full of good things, you must become anxious about the beginning of each day, and see to it that something worthwhile is crowded into every day. If you will be anxious about the beginning, you will be happy over the closing.

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I took my place at the wheel of my car, and placing my foot on the self-starter, I gave it a hard push. There was a buzzing sound, but no machinery turned. This was done many times and the results were the same. My battery had run down. There was not sufficient power in the batteries to turn the fly wheel. I had to call for the battery doctor. He had the batteries recharged and then my car was ready to move. The year through which we have just passed has been a trying year. We have had anxious moments and foggy outlooks. The depression has well nigh sapped our vitality and courage, and now we are trying to crank off for a new year. Our battery seems to be dead. It matters not in which direction we look, there is nothing in sight. The machinery refuses to turn. The best thing I know is for every man, woman, boy and girl—to get close to the church and close to the Lord, and have your soul life recharged. Take a new grip on God and you will find that you have a new grip on life. By faith have your soul recharged, and the wheels of the new year will turn.

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The construction crew was very busy in throwing a bridge across the Alabama River near Montgomery. One morning the man who operated the machinery of a derrick, arose with a splitting headache. He felt so badly that he thought it impossible for him to report for duty. No, that would not do, for he was the only man on the job who could do his work, and if he failed to report for duty, many other men would be thrown out for the day. There was nothing left for him to do but to go to his task and do it. That is the kind of loyalty that we want in our church life for 1932. You may get up on Sunday morning with a splitting headache, but remember that if you do not fill your place, the work will suffer. There is a task in your church next year that only you can do. If you fail, then you are the cause of failure all up and down the line. When you are absent from church on Sunday your place is vacant. When you are absent from the job of the kingdom, you close down the machinery operated by you.

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There are two ladies in Clanton, there may be more, who have been to church every Sunday during the year 1931. They are at Sunday school, they are at preaching, morning and night, they are at prayer meeting, rain or shine. These two women have home duties and they have social and club duties, but they are in church life, not for amusement, but for worship. Church going is not a matter of convenience with them, it is a gracious privilege and a glorious opportunity. As we begin the new year, these two good women should have scores and scores of comrades in their church loyalty. It is not going to kill you if you attend church. You are not going to catch a deadly disease if you worship God in His house. You are not going to lose your social standing by being punctual at church. When you fail to do this, you are the one who is going to be the loser. You catch lots more hurtful things by not going to church than you do when you are a faithful attendant. It is better to be exposed to godliness, than it is to wickedness and carelessness.

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A large ocean steamer was resting at the wharf at Millville, Florida. The captain invited me to go through his ship and see his crew in action. We went over the vessel, from its top to its bottom, and everywhere I found the men at work. I inquired of the captain, "Why do you have your crew on such earnest duty?" The captain replied, "I am rounding the vessel, preparing to sail in the morning." We stopped before the pilot's office and he was testing his compass, ascertaining whether the needle was pointing due north. The day before the vessel was to sail, everything had to be in perfect order. There were waves and storms ahead, and the ship must be in perfect order to meet the testing hours. We are on another journey into the unknown sea of life. It will do us good and not harm, to consider our ways, to test our compass and to set things in order for the journey. During the sailing of 1932, many of us will meet with storms and sorrows. It is necessary that we have confidence in the compass that guides us across the sea of life. Look carefully over your motives and ideals, examine closely the compass that is to guide you, and may your sailing be over calm seas, and may you be happy on the journey.

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TWO RAILROAD MEN

Back in the early '90's two boys were holding down their first railroad jobs in the west. Paul Shoup was a clerk in a Santa Fe office; Joseph H. Dyer was a section laborer on the Southern Pacific, then assistant general passenger agent and so on. Dyer was promoted to freight conductor, yardmaster and other more responsible offices in turn. Probably neither knew where he was going, but both were on their way.

Finally Paul Shoup became president and Joseph H. Dyer became vice-president of the entire Southern Pacific System. There is a lesson in this little story for any young man who can see it.

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NOTICE OF FILING BILL OF COMPLAINT

Notice of Filing of Bill of Complaint by State of Alabama, Complainant, vs. One Ford Sedan 1928 Model, Respondent.

State of Alabama, Complainant, vs. One Ford Sedan, 1928 Model, Respondent.

In the Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, In Equity.

The Bill of Complaint of the State of Alabama, on the relation of G. C. Walker, as Deputy Solicitor of Chilton County, against one Ford sedan, 1928 Model, being exhibited to me, and it appearing therefrom that on the 4th day of December, 1931, one John F. Poole did transport in One Ford Sedan, 1928 Model, certain prohibited liquors and beverages, from one point to another in the State of Alabama, and that said automobile was on said day seized by the Sheriff of said County and said Bill of Complaint praying that said automobile be declared forfeited to the State of Alabama, and for an order of condemnation and sale thereof.

It is therefore ordered and decreed that notice of the filing of said Bill of Complaint be given for three successive weeks in Chilton County News, a newspaper published in the Town of Clanton, Alabama, and that all persons claiming or asserting any right, title or interest in said automobile be required to appear and assert such claim by the 10 day of Jan., 1931, and that failing so to do, the said right, title or interest will be forever barred.

Given under my hand, this the 16th day of December, 1931.

GEO. F. SMOOT,
Judge of the 19th Judicial Circuit.
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William H. Crite of Evansville, Ind., who was brought before a city court on a charge of stealing towels from a hotel, was arrested in Wykertown, N. J., wore five pairs of trousers, four overcoats, three sweaters, six pairs of socks and a bathing suit.

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As issued from the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, during December, 1931, according to records there:

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Andrew Grisham and Mrs. Sallie Duncan, Clanton Route 4.

L. E. Thomas and Miss Sallie F. Little.

Robert T. Randall, Tenn., and Esther Farley, Clanton.

James Q. Wade and Miss Kathryn Hayes, Clanton.

Jack Thompson and Miss Pauline Cleckler, Clanton, Route 5.

Uurilie Mims and Miss Eunice Terrell.

Earl Auford Bruner and Miss Jessie Louise Ballard, Montgomery.

Allen Vester Bice and Miss Sudie Odessa Keen, Billingsley.

Gaston Miner and Miss Eudora Thomas.

Rascoe Maddox and Miss Odie Lee Arthur, Thorsby.

Ira Scott and Miss Jessie Lee Culp, Maplesville.

E. W. Mims and Miss Bertha Weldon, Clanton Route 5.

John Lewis Culver, Marbury, and Miss Winnie V. Garrick, Clanton.

Julius Barney Mullins and Miss Minnie Bice, Clanton Route 3.

Clarence William Gray and Miss Essie Pearl Grier, Mt. Creek.

Jesse T. Smith and Miss Julia Chism, Maplesville.

L. L. Cobb and Miss Ruby Merchant, Jemison Route 3.

A. W. Mims and Miss Clara Thompson.

Foy C. Stewart and Miss Ruth Avery.

Raymond Kendrick and Miss Irene Adams. Maplesville.

J. T. Weeks and Miss Myrtle Mae Williams.

J. H. Sweet and Mrs. Emma Pill, Montgomery.

Obediah Richard West and Mrs. Mary West, Calera, Ala., Route 1.

R. V. Crumpton and Miss Meadie Horton, Montevallo.

Marion Herman Adams and Miss Bessie Thrailkill, Verbena.

Bill Tippett and Miss Alma Grier.

B. B. Martin and Miss Janie Horton.

Woodrow Williamson and Miss Willie Merle Lucker, Thorsby.

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H. L. Ryan of St. Louis went from a cell to his wedding, stopping only in court to pay a $100 fine for intoxication resulting from a bachelor dinner.

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THE PENSION ROLL

At the end of October, 1931, there were 449,428 pensioners on the government rolls, a decrease of 717 during the month. How these are distributed by classes is shown by the following:

War of 1812—Widows, 8.

Mexican War—Widows, 521.

Civil War—Soldiers, 36,975; army nurses, 22; widows, 149,830.

Indian Wars—Soldiers, 5,295; widows, 4,375.

War With Spain—Soldiers, 195,666; army nurses, 520; widows, 34,620.

World War—Soldiers, 40; widows, 12.

Regular Army—Soldiers, 17,293; widows, 4,251.

The highest number of pensioners was reached in 1902, when a total of 999,446 veterans and widows were on the rolls.

It will be noted that only 52 persons are drawing pensions on account of the World War. When general pension legislation becomes applicable to these soldiers and their widows, as it doubtless will in time, there is no telling how high the number of pensioners will rise, or how long Uncle Sam will be paying for his European excursion.

Inasmuch as we are still paying pensions on account of the War of 1812, which ended nearly 117 years ago, the last widow pensioner of the World War will no doubt survive until the year 2035 or longer. And none can tell what wars the United States may engage in between now and then.

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GEORGE WASHINGTON'S WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

In the life-story of any great man, the incident most certain to interest every human being of every age is the romance of his courtship and his marriage. Greatness may remove him from average humanity in every other respect, but in this element of romance he touches the lives of all where all understand him.

This day, January 6, probably old style, marks the 173rd anniversary of the wedding of George and Martha Washington, in so far as historians have been able to fix the date, says the United States George Washington Bicentennial Commission. While the records do not state the fact, it is probable that George and Martha had heard much of each other before they met. Washington had already established his fame as a daring soldier by his movements against the French on the Ohio and by his courage at the Battle of Braddock's Field, and the young colonel, so often in Williamsburg, the social as well as political capital of Virginia, must have known of the handsome, socially prominent, and wealthy young Widow Custis.

Their meeting occurred when Washington, then commanding the military defences of the Virginia frontier against the Indians, had hurried down to Williamsburg to urge in person certain needed improvements in his command. At William's Ferry, over the Pamunkey River, tradition has it, Washington paused at the house of Major Chamberlayne, which may have been on May 27, 1758, and was pressed by this friend to stop and partake of hospitality. Washington, on his way to see the Governor on important business, at first declined, but at Major Chamberlayne's insistence agreed to stay to dinner. The argument that turned the decision seems to have been Major Chamberlayne's remark that the charming Mrs. Custis was also a guest at his house.

There is almost a humorous note in this snare which fate seemed to cast about Washington's heart. With him was his faithful servant Bishop, whom General Braddock had turned over to him, and whom Washington instructed to stay by their horses until dinner was over. The old orderly well knew his master's punctuality and took it for granted that the pause at the Chamberlayne home would be a brief one. But dinner passed, the sun sank lower in the west, and still Washington had not emerged. At last, so the story goes, Bishop was ordered to stable the horses for the night. It was only too evi- it was a notable and brilliant affair, with the Governor, the military and civil authorities, and the socially elite in attendance.

George Washington was arrayed as the most brilliant figure in the whole assemblage. Naturally so important a matter as the bride's attire was not to be lost in oblivion, and we know that Martha's wedding gown was "a satin quilt, over which a heavy white silk, inter-woven with threads of silver, was looped back with white satin ribbons, richly brocaded in a leaf pattern. There were close elbow sleeves revealing a puff and frill of lace. Strings of pearls were woven in and out of her powdered hair. Her high-heeled slippers were of white satin, with brilliant buckles."

Martha Washington had been born Martha Dandridge. At the age of seventeen she married Col. Daniel Parke Custis, a wealthy man who died eight years after their marriage, leaving her dent that George Washington had found business that to him was more important at the moment than his errand with the Governor.

On the next day the journey to Williamsburg was resumed, but no sooner was the business with the Governor transacted than Washington hurried away to the "White House" on the Pamunkey where the Widow Custis lived. When he left, on June 5, the deeply smitten young Virginia colonel must have been in high spirits, for he took with him the lady's promise to wed him as soon as his military service on the Ohio was finished.

To this day there is a dispute as to whether the wedding of George and Martha Washington occurred at the bride's home or at St. Peter's Church in Williamsburg, but the rector of St. Peter's, the Reverend Mr. Mossom, is known to have officiated at the ceremony, and the date of the marriage is fixed by Jared Sparks as of January 6, 1759. Wherever the event occurred, two children and the mistress of a large fortune. After her wedding to George Washington, months had still to elapse before the happily wedded pair could settle down at Washington's estate of Mount Vernon. Having been elected to the House of Burgesses, Washington was obliged to attend its sessions, and the couple remained at Williamsburg until May, 1759. Then they went to the beautiful estate on the Potomac, to make it their home for the rest of their lives, and to leave it a shrine forever to millions of Americans who hold in reverent memory every incident in their life together.

Nothing in all history outdoes in beauty Washington's attachment to his wife, as she in turn was his best reliance, a source of encouragement in all his trials, a dignified figure in herself, as firmly planted as her great husband in the affectionate memory of succeeding generations of Americans. So, January 6, will linger in our history as the beginning of one of the stately and lovely romances of all time.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION PROGRAM ANNOUNCED

2:15 P. M. Devotional by Joe Davis.

2:30 Are Monthly Conventions Essential to Successful Promotion of Our Sunday Schools? Speak to be Supplied.

2:45 The Bible School According to Ezra, by Rev. J. M. McKay.

3:05 Reports, of all schools in district.

3:20 The Value of the Monthly Reports from the Supt., by Associate Supt.

3:30 The Value of the Standard to a Pastor, by Rev. Paul Oden.

3:50 Questions.

4:00 Adjourn.

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Mr. andMrs. N. W. Bowman of Cutler, Calif., have 13 children whose names are: Daisy, Delbert, Dale, Doris, Dorthy, Donald, Della, Dolly. Dee, Dorine, Dean, Davis and Danny.

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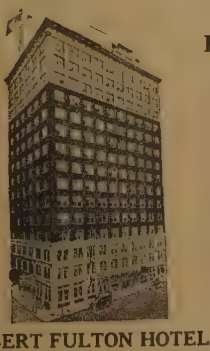

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Eastview News

Mr. and Mrs. George Newman of Sylacauga spent the Christmas holidays with the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Nelson, of this place.

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Mr. S. P. Smith and family had for their Christmas Day guests Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Deloach of Clanton and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Smith of Birmingham.

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Mr. J. P. Rushing and family were the Christmas Day guests of Mrs. Sallie Strength.

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The church here plans a new parsonage for the pastor in the near future. We expect to begin the work sometime in January.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Henson visited Mr. J. A. Dobbs and family Monday.

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Miss Maudie Ree Traywick spent the week end in Montgomery visiting her sister, Mrs. Lavolia Williams.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arian Parker spent the week end visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parker, of Pleasant Hill community.

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Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Nelson spent the week end at Mt. Springs where they conducted services.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Ingram visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dobbs Friday p.m.

Mr. Julius Vinson of Montgomery was visiting relatives here last week.

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Mr. Jimmie Commings is visiting Mr. S. P. Smith and family this week.

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Let's begin the New Year right by going to Sunday School and Christian Endeavor every Sunday. We need your help and you need to be in the Master's work.

BEST WISHES - - -

From an old and very sincere friend to the people of Clanton and Chilton County. We wish we could see each one of you personally to extend best wishes for the coming year.

We are highly appreciative of the patronage given us during the closing year, and hope you will let us serve you during the year opening tomorrow.

The LEADER

M. Lande, Prop. - - - Clanton, Ala.

Billingsley News

Prof. and Mrs. R. E. Upton and baby, Ralph, left Thursday to spend the holidays with Mrs. Upton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Keith, at Fairfax. Later they will visit his relatives at Dothan.

The other teachers here who are spending the holidays with relatives are Misses Mary Collier, at Prattville; Anne Turk at Autaugaville; Louise Conner at Selma, and Bettye Jane Gregory at Tuscaloosa.

Mrs. Minnie Carter had as her guest during Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carter and baby, Mr. Luther Carter of Montgomery and Miss Ruth Carter of Deatsville.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlar were at home to their children and grandchildren Christmas Day. Those who were there were Mrs. Willis Lawrence of Eoline, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Marlar and daughter, Johnie Sue, of Tuscaloosa, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Willis and family of Jones, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Williams of Montgomery, Mrs. Uel Nummy and children of Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Dopson and little Charles of Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Collier Marlar of Birmingham, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Marlar, L. A. Marlar and Mrs. J. C. Hughes, Billingsley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wilson and W. C. Jr., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Wilson in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier Marlar of Birmingham spent last week with his father, C. A. and Mrs. Marlar.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Baxter had as their guests during the holidays Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Powell of Scottsboro, and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Golson of Prattville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patrick and Miss Inez Patrick spent Sunday in Birmingham.

Miss Mabel and Bertram King were the guests of relatives at Plantersville Sunday.

The marriage of Miss Willie Jeanne Patrick and L. C. Lewis of Montgomery was solemnized at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patrick, Friday afternoon at four o'clock in the presence of relatives and friends. Rev. M. L. Harris of Prattville read the impressive ceremony. Amid good wishes and congratulations they left for Montgomery where they will reside. They were accompanied by Miss Inez Patrick and Mr. Sam Martin.

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Asked how he felt about receiving $50,000 from his employer's estate, Allan Evans, a Scotch chauffeur, replied: "Well, it's worth a smile, anyway."

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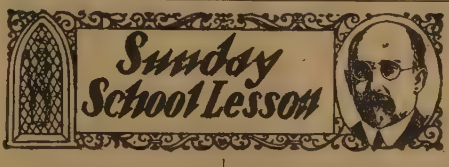
We read that one of the most popular song writers went to school only six weeks and we can easily believe it.



for January 3

THE SON OF GOD BECOMES MAN

John 1:1-18

Rev. Samuel D. Price. D.D.

Another five-year cycle of study begins with this lesson. During 1932 we have three months with the Life of Christ, based on John's Gospel, six months with Genesis and the Era of Moses, and a closing quarter on "Christian Standards of Life." Especially helpful volumes for the year are "Peloubet's Select Notes," Tarbell's "Teachers Guide," and Snowden's "Sunday School Lessons." Vest pocket compendiums are "Gist of the Lesson," Wells, and "Points for Emphasis," Moore.

You will wish to read the complete record as found in the four gospels. A "Harmony of the Gospels" is especially useful throughout the course. Matthew and Luke give the details that are related to the birth of Jesus in Bethlehem. But John goes still further back in time when he says "In the beginning was the Word." Here is a direct reference to the eternal existence of the Second Person in the Trinity, the Son-Christ (Messiah).

John is then introduced. This is the son of Zacharias and Elisabeth. He is known as John the Baptist and is not to be confused with John the beloved disciple who wrote the Gospel we are now studying. In Luke 1 you will find fascinating details that are related to the birth of this really Old Testament character, who is styled the Forerunner of the Messiah.

Sublime activities are attributed to this Son of God. He had His major part in creation during the long ago. The purpose of His earthly ministry was to provide a way of salvation for sinful man: "But as many as received Him, to them gave He the right to become children of God," John 1:12.

Pleasant Valley News

Last Sunday was our regular preaching day on which was a wonderful sermon presented to us by Rev. A. D Hughes.

We are glad to know that Miss Lula Courtney has returned from the hospital at Clanton for an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Effie Vinson and daughter, Libby Ruth, are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lette.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johns of Sylacauga spent last week visiting relatives of this community.

Miss Lena Maye Deloach is spending this week in Clanton visiting relatives.

Misses Mildred and Marie Neeley spent Saturday night with Miss Myra Keel.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal Stroud of Birmingham were the last week end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Griffin.

Mary Burkhalter is spending this week with Miss Pearl Hand in Clanton.

Miss Lena Deloach and Mr. Dalton Burkhalter were the dinner guests of Miss Mary Burkhalter Friday

Mrs. W. W. Hand was the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. J. Burkhalter, Monday night.

State of Alabama
A PROCLAMATION
by the
GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama at its last session ordered an election by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which proposed amendment is herein set out, and ordered that the election be held on the Second Tuesday next after five months after the date of the final adjournment of the regular session at which the said Amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, the Legislature adjourned on Saturday the 25th day of July, 1931, and Tuesday, the 5th day of January, 1932, is the second Tuesday next after five months after the date of the final adjournment of the said Legislature at which the Amendment was proposed, and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law to be given by proclamation of the Governor:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, B. M. Miller, Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday the 5th day of January, 1932, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama for the vote of the qualified electors of the State of Alabama in the manner and form as required by law, upon the following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, viz:-

"The City of Mobile shall be and it is hereby authorized and empowered, without an election, to annually levy and collect a tax on the property situated therein, to pay the expenses of the City Government, at such rate as may from time to time be fixed by the governing authorities of said city, but unless and until an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama shall be adopted, permitting said City after an election or elections to levy and collect taxes amounting in the aggregate to more than one and one-tenth (1.1) per centum of the value of the property situated therein, as assessed for State taxation during the preceding year, the total of the ad valorem taxes levied in any one tax year by said municipality for all purposes (including any tax levied to pay the debt existing on the 6th day of December, 1875, with interest thereon, or any renewal of such debt) shall not exceed in the aggregate one and one-tenth (1.1) per centum of the value of such property as assessed for State taxation during the preceding year."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of the election, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, be given by publishing the same once a week for eight successive weeks prior to the 5th day of January, 1932, in each County of the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said county.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Montgomery, on this the 5th day of October, 1931.

B. M. MILLER,
Governor,

ATTEST:
PETE B. JARMAN, Jr.,
Secretary of State.

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LOST OR STRAYED

Collie dog, female. Strayed Friday night. Golden yellow color. Just weaned pups, and has been taking rabies treatment. May have piece of chain around neck. Finder notify Dr. W. L. Parrish. Phone 214, Clanton. 12-31-1tp

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Hoover---An Expensive Luxury

Chairman Fess in his keynote speech at the recent session of the Republican National Committee explained that it was the duty of the organization "to place Mr. Hoover in the minds of the public where his stupendous efforts and brilliant leadership justify." If this is done, said Mr. Fess, "there will be no doubt about the results of the contest next November."

It would seem that the public ought to be fairly well informed about Mr. Hoover's capacity for leadership after having watched his performance as President for nearly three years, during which time he has had a large majority of his own party in both houses of Congress, and therefore had the opportunity to demonstrate to the fullest extent his capacity and that of his party to govern wisely, well and economically. The people's estimate of this performance has been rather strikingly illustrated by the circumstance that in all of the elections since 1928 the verdict has been against the administration and a fair index of this is the evaporation of the Senate majority almost to the vanishing point and the substitution for the Republican majority of 103 in the House of an actual Democratic majority.

It is no light task Mr. Fess sets his colleagues to convince the people of the United States that they are all wrong as to Mr. Hoover's genius and efficiency as the the helmsman of the ship of state.

It is rather noticeable that in explaining that the Republicans are not responsible for the Treasury's greatest peace-time deficit in the country's history, and their admiration for the President's plans for balancing the budget, that they carefully ignore the fact that the Republicans have been in complete control of all the government financing for the past ten years. They talk a lot about the necessity of economy and Mr. Hoover's messages bristle with expostulation against extravagance and vociferate the demand for retrenchment. **And yet under this Republican control the expenses of the government have been increased to the extent of about three billion dollars a year.**

In the two years of Harding the appropriations were $7,647,000,000. In the two years divided between Harding and Coolidge they mounted $40,000,000 more and Coolidge's next two years set them up another billion. Coolidge's closing years taxed the people an additional $600,000,000, and Hoover's first biennial period lifted them a billion dollars more. So that the government expenses in the fiscal years of 1930-31 amounted to the grand total of $10,249,819,215.

Perhaps it would be fairer to the President to cite the Department of Commerce figures, over which department he held exclusive dominion during all of this period until his advent in the White House, rather than adduce the figures of the administrations of which he was a member. When Mr. Hoover took the Commerce Department, it was running along on an appropriation of approximately $20,000,000 a year. When Mr. Hoover left it the annual cost was approximately $40,000,000 a year, and incidental to this he had had built for its accommodations a $17,500,000 palace, three blocks long, 250 feet longer than the Capitol, and seven stories high. The business world is the best judge of whether it has been served commensurately with the $20,000,000 a year additional expenditure.

The treasury deficit means that the treasury is paying out more than its income. Perhaps the present shortage is not altogether the fault of the lavish expenditures of the last three Republican administrations, but it is certain that it would be of vastly less consequence had there been less talk of economy during these administrations and more of the real thing.

It seems probable under all the circumstances that Chairman Fess's picture of the President, which he says must be put before the country, is less likely to be accepted when the same eminent gentleman's expression a decade ago is recalled, when he said in reference to Mr. Hoover's candidacy that "the Republican party will demand a leader whose Americanism is not in question and whose political views are not a matter of speculation." Perhaps the verdict will be more in accord with that of Senator Fess's fellow Republican chairman, Representative Will Wood of Indiana, who presides over the Republican Congressional Committee, and who, as duly recorded in the Congressional Record of that time, announced that Mr. Hoover "is the most expensive luxury that was ever fastened upon this country."

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Judge George F. Smoot

The untimely death of Judge George F. Smoot of Wetumpka will be widely regretted in Alabama. Newspaper men in particular will remember him for his unfailing courtesies to them in connection with their news-getting problems. He was always disposed to cooperate with them and make their tasks easier. He was a competent and upright jurist.—Montgomery Advertiser.

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When a man says "I don't know" he is showing signs of knowing something.

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Borrowing money is all right if you don't have to borrow more to pay it back.

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Our own idea: When our time to die arrives, we will be the last to admit it.

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Every "buy now" shouter is not buying now; if they were there would be no depression.

"ROUND TOWN"
---by Doug

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"A man may be down, but he's never out."

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Then with the dawn a new day is born * * *." Those words, taken from a popular song, kind of appeal to me now that the new year is staring us, smilingly, in the face. Then there is another song, two I believe, that should become exceedingly popular right now. Those are "Happy Days Are Here Again" and "Here Comes The Sun."

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Seems as if some folks got the idea that 1932 is going to be a helluva year, and the fellow who survives that year, is sure some fellow. But, on the other hand, they are wrong. 1932 is going to be a year that will see a lot of new things happening. Due to the fact that conditions have been uncertain during 1931 and big business has been waiting until "after the first of the year" to make any steps. They just didn't want to start anything in this old year.

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Hard times just had old man 1931 bluffed to start with, and 1932 has been standing on the sideline watching the plight of the Old Man, and will know just how to get the best of Hard Times, when he starts his monkey business with the youngster.

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Folks did spend money during Christmas. didn't they? Sure they did. Maybe they didn't get the moving spirit in a hurry, but when they did get it, the money showed up from somewhere. Next year will be a banner year in more ways than one. It's election year, and when things start humming that way, then business just naturally wakes up. Then after the election, the completion of the job of straightening things up will be finished by the Democrat in the president's chair up in Washington, and all these unnecessary commissions that have been appointed to find out what's wrong with the country will be eliminated, and that much money put in the treasury each day to do bigger things with, and the newspapers won't be getting so blamed much propaganda about what the government is going to do; or is trying to do and failing, and editor's waste baskets won't be so clogged with reports from those unnecessary commissions appointed in Washington to investigate things. It'll just work out fine. I feel better already.

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Then comes news Monday morning of the death of Judge George F. Smoot, of Wetumpka. That kind of put a hush on my trap for awhile. Alabama has lost a good man, and the loss will be felt keenly in this section.

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Just rambling round town, looking things over, under, and about, with my imagination untied, and my conscience intact I see things, hear things, etc. Just imagine Dr. Hayes keeping quiet for awhile. A telephone operator saying "Whatcha want." Upchurch Drug Co. not advertising. Dewey Rockett not in a hurry. Madelyn Orr being a blonde. John Page without a coat on. W. D. Spigener without a dog. Alma Allen not laughing. Will Sartor wearing a derby. Tom Littlejohn saying "Yes". J. L. Teel not whistling. Polk Brothers Motor Co., advertising Fords. Claudie Pipes saying all water bills are considered paid in full. Bill collectors absent from the streets tomorrow. Clanton Motors advertising Chevrolets. Hubert Farley with no electricity. Leo Thompson saying it can't be cleaned. Dr. Marcus not quoting somebody on something funny. V. J. Elmore in the wholesale business. Maurice Lande saying business is bad. Frank Callen making political speeches. Lawrence Gerald not fussing about something. Lester Jones walking fast. Mrs. Wade, Sr., with nothing to say, and can you imagine Hoover's mind being found unbalanced?

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Marriages show a little increase during December this year, in Chilton County, according to the list in this week's News. The ages of those people who purchased the licenses certainly do vary. There was one in there 62 years old, and one 17. Undoubtedly somebody is very optimistic, at least I believe there are 29 couples feeling that way. Was just checking up on some figures the other day and found out that of all the persons who were married in the United States during 1930, exactly one half were women. That included white and negroes too.

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I just discovered today that I failed to send Christmas cards to several people I know, and should have remembered. Then at the last minute I received several cards from persons I did not send cards to. There ought to be some way of knowing how to tell who's who in a case like that. But after all, that is not the idea of Christmas cards, nor presents. However, I realize that it is customary that when a person receives a card or gift from someone, then get busy and send them something, so it won't look so bad. However, personally, I give because I want to. Not to get a present.

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The Government In Business

In view of the fact that the Muscle Shoals plant again is the subject of debate in Washington, with the lines drawn between those who advocate government operation and those in favor of leasing to private interests, with the farmer to have first call on the fertilizer resources of the plant, it is interesting to observe what has happened to a government-operated power project in Georgia.

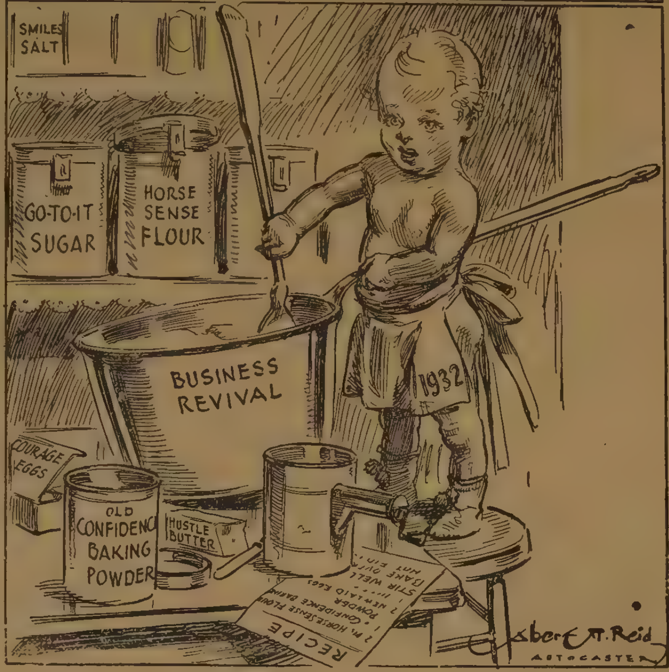
A couple of years ago Crisp County, Georgia, launched into the power business with a great flourish of trumpets. A fine plant was built at public expense and the public was to reap immense benefits; so much so that it was predicted all Georgia counties soon would be demanding government-owned plants.

But, as frequently happens in such cases, things did not turn out as the prophets of public ownership predicted. Instead, misfortune has attended the enterprise from the first and now the county authorities of Tifton are anxious to get rid of the plant on almost any terms. It is losing money, cannot pay interest on the investment, and has cost the people of Crisp County a tax increase of exactly one hundred per cent.

Before the plant was built, the tax rate in Crisp County was 13 mills. Today it is 26 mills and on top of this the plant that brought about the increase is losing money.

For the government to go in business in competition with its own citizens is contrary to every principle of democracy as it is understood in this country. It is unsound in principle and unsound in practice, and generally results in loss to the people rather than in gain. Governments are inherently extravagant, as shown by the enormous deficits existing on all sides, and ventures into the realm of business spell loss in most cases.—Tuscaloosa New,

"You'll Like This, I Betcha" — *By Albert T. Reid*



THE SCRAP BOOK

DIRGE FOR THE YEAR

By Percy Bysshe Shelley

Orphan hours, the year is dead,
  Come and sigh, come and weep!
Merry hours, smile instead.
  For the year is but asleep.
See, it smiles as it is sleeping,
Mocking your untimely weeping.

As an earthquake rocks a corpse
  In its coffin in the clay,
So white Winter, that rough nurse,
  Rocks the dead-cold year-to-day;
Solemn hours! wail aloud
For your mother in her shroud.

As the wild air stirs and sways
  The tree-swung cradle of a child,
So the breath of these rude days
  Rocks the year:—be calm and mild
Trembling hours; she will arise
With new love within her eyes.

January gray is here,
  Like a sexton by her grave;
February bears the bier;
  March with grief doth howl and rave,
And April weeps—but, O, ye hours,
Follow with May's fairest flowers.

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MOVIES RAISE GRADES

Some interesting tests with a view to determining the benefits derived from supplementing ordinary instruction by motion picture films illustrating the subjects taught have been made in San Diego and eleven other California cities.

In all more than 11,000 children were tseted, each school being divided into two groups. one of which received both book and film instruction, the other being taught through text books only. The tests covered a period of ten weeks at the end of which examinations were held.

Pupils having the advantage of motion pictures made grade averaging 33 per cent higher in geography and 15 per cent higher in general science subjects than those who used books alone. This experiment appears to have been extensive enough to warrant the conclusion that the combined book-picture method is highly advantageous in such subjects as those mentioned.

Not only is this method beneficial to the individual pupil, but by reducing the number of failures in examinations, it reduces the number of pupils who must repeat courses, thus effecting a saving in expenses for school purposes.

The introduction of educational films is becoming widespread, and there is little doubt that they will become standard equipment for schools of the future.

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It's queer that many who insist on clean sport also demand dirty shows.

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Losing a $2,500 breach of promise suit to Miss Jane Roberts, David Lueton of New Orleans offered to marry her, and the ceremony followed.

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We have heard of "the greatest shepherd since Abraham," "the greatest secretary of the treasury since Hamilton," and so on. And most of us have some fellow in mind whom we consider the greatest liar since Ananias.

Omnious Cloud Spoils Holidays For Gov. Miller

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bama's higher institutions of learning talked to the Governor about finances was self evident after they left. Just as soon as they left Sid Blan, State Treasurer; W. W. Brooks, chief clerk to the treasurer and John Peach, legal counsel to the Governor appeared in the doorway of the Governor's office and left without saying a word. That the three institutions need money is common knowledge but just how long it will be before they get it is not common knowledge.

The visit of the three college presidents has added to the talk about an extra session of the Legislature. Bob Goode, member of the lower House from Wilcox has addressed a letter to the members asking them to say whether or not they are willing to come to Montgomery to enact cotton acreage reduction legislation. Mr. Goode did not ask them to say a word about the other pressing problems of the State. In the absence of anything official, the political wiseacres put two and two together and wonder whether the educators are willing for an extra session without education relief.

In the past there has been a common idea that the educational forces usually worked hand in glove with the agricultural forces. Some call them "rings." As a matter of fact it has been generally understood that the educational forces never made a move without first consulting the agricultural forces. And on the other hand it has been often said that half the strength of the agricultural forces has been in their ability to corral the educational forces.

Goode Suggests Session

And in view of these things above stated and in view of the letter of Representative Bob Goode of the agriculture forces to the members of the Legislature to assemble in Montgomery for agricultural legislation, many are putting the visit of the presidents of the three great educational institutions of the State on the grounds that they, too, want recognition in the event of a call for a special session.

Gossip is rife about the agricultural and educational situation but so far the reporters of Capitol news have been unable to fathom what it is all about. But the fact remains that the three heads of the great educational institutions of Alabama visited Gov. Miller immediately after publication of the news in The Advertiser Sunday that Representative Goode of Wilcox, wants a special session for agricultural relief. —Atticus Mullin, in The Montgomery Advertiser.

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Charles Brennan of Chicago telephoned the police that during the night a thief had stolen his pants and he had lost his job because he couldn't go to work.

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An exchange tells of a poor fellow who "died without the aid of a doctor," but folks generally have this timely assistance.

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Pathfinder reports that a certain West Virginia football coach receives only twice as much salary as the president of the college.

Voters To Go To Polls Tuesday On Amendment

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It merely permits the transfer of a fund put upon the backs of Mobile citizens by a carpetbag government after the Civil War to be applied to the general fund of the city to care for a natural increase of the growth of Mobile since Civil War days. It is hoped, therefore that citizens of Alabama who are required to vote upon the amendment to conform to the constitution of the state and not possible to be done otherwise, will vote affirmatively so that the people of Mobile can continue to administer the city's affairs in a sound financial and economic manner.

We who love our city, and want to see it continue to grow and be one of the fine assets of the state, hope that citizens throughout Alabama will help us by voting "Yes" on Jan. 5. It entails nothing to anyone, but would be a gracious and helpful action by those we call neighbors. As an evidence of good faith, Mobile is paying the cost of this election.

Our City Commission, although differing widely in its political views, is united in this cause; the Clearing House Association of Mobile has endorsed the measure; the amendment has been approved by the executive committee of the Alabama League of Municipalities, as well as by the board of managers of the Association of County Commissioners of Alabama. This amendment was voted on four years ago and approved by the voters of Mobile by a majority of two to one, which should be sufficient evidence to have the people of the state understand that this amendment is favored by our people.

HARRY T. HARTWELL,
Commissioner.
Mobile, Ala.

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LOAFERS IN COLLEGE

The growing idea that a large percentage of young men now in college would be better off elsewhere was emphasized by no less an authority than Chief Justice Charles E. Hughes, in an address at Brown University, from which he was graduated in 1881.

He roundly criticized the many modern college activities which have nothing to do with education, and which attract the mental loafers whose only ambition is to get by and obtain a diploma. Referring to such a student Mr. Hughes said: "I should take him out at once and tell him to make his own way. Those who are not disposed to make good use of their college years would be better off elsewhere."

Neither Mr. Hughes nor any other sensible person would disparage the value of a college education, but the fact is that our colleges are encumbered with many students who have neither the capacity, the energy nor the ambition to profit by college training.

They might as well quit school and engage at once in soda-jerking or in whatever simple tasks their mentality happens to fit.

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Candidates sow the wind and expect to reap votes.

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Campaign managers will soon begin to call the roll, but good party men with a roll are likely to be scarcer than usual.

armers Have Feed To Make Next Crop

F. W. Gist, statistician for the de- rtment of agriculture declares that labama farmers are entering the new ar with sufficient food and feed, if operly distributed, to make a new op.

"Corn produced this year was 43,414,- 0 bushels. This was 13,000,000 bushels ore than last year and 6,000,000 more an in 1929.

"Hay produced this year was 511,000 ns compared with 338,000 last year d 362,000 in 1929.

"Peanut production was considerably reater than the past two years, the gregate production this year for all urposes being 9,168,000 bushels com- red with 6,115,000 last year and 7,- 4,000 in 1929.

"Oats produced more than twice as uch as last, the total for 1931 being 366,000 bushels compared with 1,440,- 0 for 1930 and 1,960,0000 for 1929.

"More than twice as much cowpeas ere produced this year as the last two the total this year being 1,100,000 bushels, last year 495,000 bushels and in 1929 408,000 bushels.

"The drouth cut the sweet potato yield severely this year and the amount produced was 5,304,000 bushels against 5,780,000 bushels last year and 6,664,000 in 1929.

"The Irish potato crop, produced chiefly in the early spring, was 3,666,000 bushels in 1931, 2,184,000 in 1930 and 1,694,000 in 1929.

"As a source of food supply, syrup was produced this year amounting to 5,910,000 gallons, compared with 4,175,000 last year and 3,492,000 in 1929. These figures include both sorghum and sugar cane syrup.

"Apples produced this year amounted to 1,100,000 bushels compared with 608,000 last year and 437,000 in 1929.

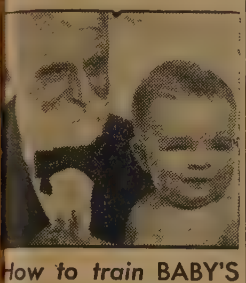
"Peaches produced this year were 1,530,000 bushels compared with 1,105,000 last year and 505,000 in 1929.

"Pears this year amounted to 357,000 bushels compared with 316,000 last year and 225,000 in 1929.

"There were 140,000 half boxes of satsumas produced this year against 6,000 last year and 424,000 in 1929.

"There were 3,500,000 pounds of pecans produced this year against 2,730,000 last year and 1,620,000 in 1929.

"On 16,000 acres there was produced this year $1,738,000 worth of truck crops. The value in 1930 was $1,847,000 on 19,000 acres and in 1929 the value was $2,141,000 in 19,000 acres."



How to train BABY'S BOWELS

abies, bottle-fed or breast-fed, with ny tendency to be constipated, would hrive if they received daily, half a easpoonful of this old family doctor's rescription for the bowels.

That is one sure way to train tiny owels to healthy regularity. To avoid he fretfulness, vomiting, crying, failure gain, and other ills of constipated abies.

Dr. Caldwells' Syrup Pepsin is good r any baby. *For this, you have the word a famous doctor.* Forty-seven years of ractice taught him just what babies eed to keep their little bowels active, egular; keep little bodies plump and ealthy. For Dr. Caldwell specialized the treatment of women and little nes. He attended over 3500 births with- ut loss of one mother or baby.

DR. W. B CALDWELL'S
SYRUP PEPSIN
A Doctor's Family Laxative

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In the Matter of the Estate of James C. Jones, Deceased. Lawrence F. Gerald, Executor.

In The Circuit Court of Chilton County, Alabama, in Equity.

To All Persons Interested In Said Estate:

You are hereby notified that the Register of said Court will execute a decree of reference in the above cause rendered on the 19th day of December, 1931, at his Office in Clanton, Alabama, on the 12th day of January, 1932, at which place and time you can appear if you think proper.

Notice is further given that the creditors of said Estate may, within Fifteen days from the date of this notice, file with the Register of this Court, their nomination of any fit person to be appointed as Administrator for the insolvent Estate of James C. Jones, deceased, as provided by the terms of said decree.

Witness my hand this the 24th day of December, 1931.

W. D. SPIGENER,
12-24-3tc Register.

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When thieves broke into a gasoline station near Mt. Clemens, Mich., and found little loot they dumped two drums of oil, smashed a radio, tore down the stove pipe and did other damage.

Miss Willie Jean Patrick Becomes Bride Of Mr. L. C. Lewis At Quiet Home Wedding

Simplicity in its most beautiful manner, marked the wedding of Miss Willie Jean Patrick of Billingsley, to Mr. L. C. Lewis of Brundidge, last Friday, December 25th.

The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patrick, in Billingsley. "Always" was sung by Miss Maude Lee Patrick, accompanied by Mrs. C. K. Harrell, of Rayburn Gap, Ga., who played the wedding march, as the bride and groom approached the altar. The bride had as her attendants, her sister, Miss Inez Patrick, as maid of honor, and Miss Betty Jane Gregory of Tuscaloosa as maid. Mr. Samuel Martin of Clanton acted as best man for the groom. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

She was becomingly attired in a brown ensemble of silk flat crepe, with accessories to match, with a corsage of pink rose buds and sweet peas. The maid of honor wore a beautiful garment of yellow moire, carrying a bouquet of pink American Beauty rose buds. The brides maid was attractively attired in yellow satin, carrying a beautiful bouquet of pink rose buds. The home was decorated with Southern smilax, holly, with hot house plants adding to the impressive yet simple decorations, with the improvised altar softly lighted with tall burning candelabra. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. M. L. Harris, of Prattville.

The bride, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Patrick, is a member of a prominent family of this section, and listed as a popular member of several college sets.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Lewis of Brundidge, Ala., and is employed in Montgomery. After a short wedding trip the couple returned to Montgomery where they will make their home.

GIFT DAY JANUARY 6TH

While Christmas is universally celebrated as the birthday of Christ, among the Latins the gift-giving feature of the season is reserved for Epiphany, on January 6.

This date is observed in commemoration of the visit of the Three Wise Men of the East to the manger of the Christ Child, to whom they brought gifts of "gold, and frankincense and myrrh."

In Latin America the children are taught to expects gifts on Epiphany, and the evening before they prepare accordingly. There being no snow in those warm countries, the children expect Santa Claus on horseback, so they provide hay for the mythical steed. Next morning they discover with delight that the hay disappeared and in its place gifts have been left for them.

This custom is widespread throughout Cuba, Porto Rico, Haiti and other Spanish-speaking countries, and is aided by gifts of candy, toys and clothing from church organizations in the United States.

Among the poorer classes of children great joy is given by the simplest gift, such as a small bag of candy, a picture card, a bright colored toy, or other inexpensive article. Perhaps nowhere in the world is it possible to contribute so much happiness to childhood by small expenditures as among the little one of Latin America.

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A 30-pound carp flopped from a fish stand in a market in Baltimore and bit Mrs. Tillie Levy on the ankle.

HOW MANY ARE A FEW?

In a somewhat light vein the Christion Science Monitor once asked and discussed the question, "How many are a Few?" No conclusion was reached, as there appeared to be no definite authority which might be cited to establish the answer.

Later a correspondent in Newark called attention to the fact that a small Scotch boy had found the answer long ago, according to a story which may be briefly related thus:

The boy was entitled to a "few apples" as a prize for memorizing more verses of scripture than any other member of his Sunday school class, whereupon the teacher gave him three apples. The boy demurred, asserting that he should have eight apples. Pressed for his authority the lad triumphantly produced it from no less a source than the Holy Writ, quoting Peter, thrid chapter, 20th verse, which says:

"Few, that is, eight souls were saved by water."

His contention being incontrovertible, the boy got his eight apples. And, therefore, if anyone should ask, "a few" means eight.

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At Mildmay, Eng., Richard Tugwood fired out of a window at what he thought was a cat, hit a policeman's helmet, and was fined $10 in court.

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Gerald Ross, who wrote to a London paper saying he was lonely in South Africa, has received 400 letters from women offering to marry him.

THOSE BUSY BUREAUS

What those government bureaus in Washington can't think up to experiment and piddle with must be unthinkable. After much research the Bureau of Standards recently determined the relative noise-making possibilities of a saxaphone player and a tap dancer. Now these learned scientists are investigating women's hose and the limbs, shapely or otherwise, which wear them

They have decided that a 30-inch length for ladies' stockings is about right, and maybe they will pass a law about it. But, again, maybe not, for we read that many women are protesting against this attempt at standardization, saying that "in the arbitrary length some of them look like infants in socks while others whose legs are shorter than normal claim the stockings will approach their ears."

These protests naturally call for further investigation and research by the Bureau, including measurements for insteps, heel, toe, ankle and calf, to determine the exact dimensions appropriate for the various sizes to be officially authorized.

All of which causes the New York Sun to pertinently remark that "some of the ways and means which the government finds for wasting taxpayers-money would be funny if the deficit and the problem of finding money for taxes were not so serious."

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Mrs. Etta Jones of Los Angeles testified in her divorce suit that her husband would drive his automobile as close as possible to another car without hitting it and then slap her when she screamed in protest.

DR. ARTHUR JOHNSON
Diseases and Surgery of the eye, ear, nose and throat. Fitting Glasses
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PROGRAM
AT THE
Wadesonian
CLANTON, ALABAMA
"When they make 'em better, we'll show 'em"

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY—DEC. 30 and 31
Marie Dressler and Polly Moran In
"REDUCING"

FRIDAY and SATURDAY—JANUARY 1 and 2
"THE STORM"
Serial: Final Chapter "Finger Prints"

MONDAY and TUSEDAY—JANUARY 4 and 5
Evelyn Brent In
"MADONNA OF THE STREETS"

GREAT COMMUNITY REVIVAL

ELMER C. MILLER, EVANGELIST

: CLANTON :
JANUARY 3rd to 24th
10:00 A. M. & 7:30 P. M.
AT COURTHOUSE
EVERYBODY IS GOING
WELCOME - - - WELCOME

GREETINGS---

To The People of Chilton County---

With the greetings of the day, we wish to thank you for your kind consideration and patronage during the past year, and hope you will let us continue to serve you in the approaching year.

Chords of happiness ring out in welcome for the New Year —1932. May it usher in a new happiness for you and yours—may it begin a long series of prosperous years.

Mullins & Moore

"The Farmers' Friends"

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THEY SAY

IT'S HAPPENING

IN WASHINGTON

From the Bureau of Publicity,
Democratic National Committee, Washington, D. C.

Fess's Speech Makes Hooverites "Writhe"—Blunders of National Committee Pointed Out

Washington. Dec. 28.—The Republican National Committee is made responsible by the New York Times for a share of what the paper calls President Hoover's "bad luck." "No part of it," the Times declares, "can have been harder to endure than the indiscretions, improprieties, infelicities and general incompetence of the successive chairmen of the National Republican Committee. It was a sufficiently unfortunate coincidence that the committee had to meet in Washington just as the session of the new Congress was opening.

"But this might have been got over as an unintended and regrettable maneuver had not Chairman Fess, in his address to the members of the National Committee, carried off first place, with the rest nowhere, for ill-judged, ill-timed and ill-phrased speaking.

"Such a left-handed tribute as he paid to Mr. Hoover was enough to make the warmest supporter of the President writhe. Senator Fess also plainly implied that the Republican party is in for an overwhelming defeat unless it does something to make the country appreciate the real qualities of Mr. Hoover. Here is a great man, declared Chairman Fess, in effect, whose fellow-citizens have been stupidly unaware of his singular eminence. What the party must do is to go out and labor from this day forth to correct the prevailing impression of the President, and prove to an incredulous people that Mr. Hoover has displayed 'a leadership without precedent in American history.' This theme was developed by Chairman Fess with an elephantine awkwardness which none but he can command on such an occasion. After listening to the descriptions of himself as the Great Misunderstood, the Neglected Genius, President Hoover must have felt like crying out, 'Save, oh, save me from my candid friends'!"

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First Woman Chairman of Committee Of Congress, A Democrat, And Knows Her Problems

Washington, Dec. 28.—Mrs. Mary T. Norton, Democratic Representative of the Twelfth District of New Jersey, who has been made Chairman of the House Committee on the District of Columbia, is the first woman to become Chairman of a committee of Congress. Mrs. Norton also is the first woman Democrat elected to Congress and has been a member of the House since 1924. The New York Times pays her this compliment:

"Mrs. Norton knows cities and their problems, as Washington will discover with pleasure and other American women will note with pride."

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Winning Democratic Slogans For 1932 In National Contest

Washington, Dec. 28.—Out of 100,000 potential 1932 political slogans in a national contest conducted by the Pathfinder magazine of Washington, United States Senators Morris Sheppard of Texas, Royal S. Copeland of New York and C. C. Dill of Washington selected as a Democratic committee, the following as being most pertinent to that party:

"HEE! HAW! WE'RE COMING BACK!"

Submitted by J. J. Stubbs of Robstown, Texas, for which the Pathfinder awarded a prize of $100.

"VOTE DEMOCRATIC AND EAT REGULARLY!"

Submitted by Colonel Edwin A. Halsey, Secretary to the minority of the Senate, awarded $25.

"IF WE WANT A CHANGE FOR THE BETTER, WE'D BETTER MAKE A CHANGE!"

Submitted by A. H. Kessler, Hague, North Dakota, awarded $10.

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"Stabilizing" Away The Farmers' Annual Income

Washington, Dec. 28.—A survey made of 6,228 farmers shows that the average income or net receipts of these farmers was $759 for the year's work. In 1929 the average cash income of the same farmers was $1,097.

The average income of 185,000 members of the Cotton Cooperative Association is said to be $300 a year.

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To Launch Democratic Fund Drive With Victory Dinners Jan. 14 —Davis To Speak

"Victory Dinners" in the larger cities of the country, featured by the broadcast over a nation-wide radio hook-up from New York of a keynote "preparedness" speech by John W. Davis, General Chairman of the Democratic Victory Campaign, will mark the public launching Thursday evening, January 14, of the Democratic party's drive to mobilize its forces early in readiness for the 1932 Presidential election.

The foregoing announcement was made by Jouett Shouse, Chairman of the Democratic National Executive Committee, through the Victory Campaign headquarters in the Empire State Building, New York, who characterized the dinners as "the opening gun for the Presidential battle of 1932."

Chairman Shouse's announcement followed a meeting of the Democratic victory fund committee in Washington, which was largely attended by State Chairmen of the Victory Campaign and was called to order by Chairman John J. Raskob of the Democratic National Committee.

John H. Fahey, of Massachusetts, Executive Chairman of the Victory Committee, who presided as permanent chairman at the meeting, heartened the committeemen with the statement that one-half million dollars was in sight as a nucleus of the $1,500,000 total, the grand objective.

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FREAKISH ACCIDENTS

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Some most interesting facts concerning freakish accidents are related by Arthur Grahame in Popular Science Monthly, illustrating Voltaire's saying that "it is the danger least expected that soonest comes to us," Among others he relates the followng:

P. Wiggins, Kansas aviator, was bitten by a rattlesnake that had somehow gotten into his plane, while flying at an altitude of about a mile but landed and obtained treatment in time to save his life.

Ceasar Beltram of Lyons, France, was struck by lightning five times during his lifetime, yet finally died of pneumonia.

Some years ago General Castilliano, a Nicaraguan revolutionist, was struck by a falling meteor while sitting in his tent one night and was killed. His superstitious soldiers believed that the Almighty had thus shown disapproval of their cause, so they abandoned the revolution.

Mathematicians have figured that an American will be struck by a meteor about once every 9,300 years on an average. They will also calculate that a person living to the age of 70 has one chance in 7,000 of being struck by lightning.

About 1,000 persons are injured in bathtubs to every one hurt in railroad accidents. About 30,000 Americans are killed every year by accidents occuring in and about their homes, almost as many as are killed by automobiles.

Most ironical of the accidents enumerated by Mr. Grahame was that in which a man was painfully injured by the falling of a horseshoe he had nailed over his door for luck.

To Our Friends & Patrons

Since Christmas is over and the New Year draws near, it is natural that our thoughts would turn to those who have contributed to our success and our enjoyment of the past year. Our customers whom we like to regard as friends, it is your friendship and cooperation that has made it possible for everyone in our organization to enjoy more thoroughly the wonderful business we had last year.

We only wish it were possible to grip you warmly by the hand and say "Thank You." But since we cannot, we send you this greeting and with it our sincere wish that you will enjoy a very happy New Year brim full of good things and happiness.

Upchurch Drug Co.

"The Rexall Store"

Clanton - - - - - - - Alabama

Rowena Rides the Rumble

By Ethel Hueston

Rackruff Motors hire Rowena to accompany Peter on a nation-wide tour in their roadster as an advertising stunt. At the last minute Little Bobby is engaged to act as chaperon.

A few miles out Bobby becomes tearful at being parted from her sweetheart and Rowena insists on taking her place in the rumble so that she can ride with Peter and have him to talk to about Carter. Rowena gets Peter to consent to divide the expense money each week as soon as it arrives, and astonishes Peter by eating too economically.

The three tourists reach Denver, after passing through Buffalo, Chicago and St. Louis. Peter and Rowena have many tiffs on the way while Carter keeps wiring Bobby to return to New York. The morning after they reach Denver, Peter and Rowena discover Bobby has deserted them and returned to New York by train. They are faced with the impossible condition of continuing their trip without a chaperon.

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"Well, you're not chained there, are you? There's nothing to keep you from getting out, is there? I'm in bed, too, but I'm not going to let a mere being in bed interfere with my professional future, am I? I'll meet you down-stairs in ten minutes." And she hung up the receiver.

Now on the whole, no one could have been more practical about things connected solely with business than Rowena. Her clothes were smart, for all their increasing shabbiness, but they were extremely tailored and trim. Her very manners were crisp and business-like. But something—she didn't know just what—prompted her to discard her chic sports costume that night. She dived to the bottom of her bag and pulled out a soft and shimmery little dinner gown of enticing line and beguiling color. She put on her highest-heeled silken slippers. She got out tinkling little blue bracelets and earrings and chains. And she accentuated her shimmery sweetness with the flattering lines of a chiffon velvet scarf, deep and wide and ruffled.

When Peter, waiting rather sulkily in the lobby of the hotel, first saw her floating toward him he could scarcely believe it was Rowena of the rumble seat. Her rouge-red lips smiled at his frank amazement and she took his hand in hers, powdery soft to the touch and faintly perfumed.

"Peter, darling,' 'she said. "I have a gorgeous idea."

Peter's sulkiness took instant flight. "Gosh, Rowena, you—you're exquisite! You're just ravishing! You must let me paint you like that. You're simply unbelieveable—you're not real!"

"Oh, but this is the real Rowena," she said with seductive sweetness. You never saw me before. You know only a poor little working girl trying to earn her daily bread."

"I—I've just got to paint you like that!"

"You shall," she promised, smiling.

"I suppose it's too late to do it now" he began.

"I'm afraid so." Rowena drew a deep, deep breath. Something about it—something about her—made Peter think vaguely of a swimmer standing cold and bold and bare, body poised motionless, for a distance plunge into icy water.—"Peter—you—you are very sure you are not in love?"

"I will be," he assured her gallantly, "if you look like this very often."

"I'm serious, Peter."

"No, I'm not in love."

"Absolutely?"

"Absolutely."

"Then, Peter, how about this?" Another deep breath—another premonitory quiver of cold flesh anticipating an icy plunge. "You know, marriage isn't the sweetly sacred thing it used to be. It's only a sort of adventure these days, a matter of expediency, or convenience, or emotional experiment. And besides, business is far more important. Don't you think so?"

"I hadn't really thought of it in just that way," said Peter vaguely.

"Well, you think of it and you'll see I'm right. And as long as we're not in love with anybody else or anything, and nobody cares one way or the other—well, why don't we—why can't we—don't you see what I mean? Why not just go ahead with the trip the way we are, and do the work and get the money and everything—and just get married? That's all."

Peter hadn't remotely suspected what she had in mind until she brought the word out, struck him full in the face with it, as it were. And it pulled him up short, shocked and resentful, like a struck man.

had never thought about—being married to you——"

"Well," she interrupted tartly, "if it comes to that I can't think of anything in the world I'd like less than being married to you, either." But she realized at once she was off on the wrong track and quickly changed her method. "Of course, darling," she added kindly, "I know we don't get along very well together, and that we're anything but in love. But it isn't a real marriage I have in mind. Just to cover the proprieties and let us finish up the trip.—And just think how much more money we can save, not always having to buy manicures and souvenirs for Bobby!—I know a judge in New York and he'll annul us as soon as we get back. No harm done."

"Maybe he won't do it."

"Oh, yes, he will. He wants to marry me himself. He'll annul us like a shot out of a gun."

"But, Rowena—" he began wretchedly.

"And, Peter, dear Peter," said Rowena moving prettily in the transparent velvet scarf, "I'm really a terribly nice sort when I'm not working hard and worried about money. Ever and ever so many quite nice people are terribly anxious to be married to me. I dare say as a married couple we shall get along better than most. And we will be careful to get rooms on separate floors of the hotel and make the clerks give us a receipt making a note of it, so we can use it for evidence that we have never—uh—never been—anything but just—well, married, you know."

"That's enough, if you ask me," said Peter in a troubled voice.

"I'm terribly hungry," said Rowena. "Let's go down to that cunning little place the clerk told us about and have a sandwich or something. And you think it over. I had to think up some way out of it, Peter. We just couldn't chuck it—not here—not right at the very front door of the Rocky Mountains. I couldn't bear it."

So they took a taxicab and went down to the nice little place and Rowena didn't say a word about business, or money, or professions. She talked softly of lovely, lovable things, and smiled, and the beads shone on her throat, and stars shone in the blue of her eyes, until Peter declared it was a very good idea of hers and they would get it done first thing next morning.

After breakfast the next morning Peter insisted upon using a small portion of their dwindling expense money to buy a plain wedding ring.

They had no trouble procuring the license, hurried directly to the office of the nearest justice and by twelve o'clock they were married.

Back in the hotel they turned abruptly away from each other as soon as they had their keys from the desk and went up to their rooms by separate elevators. And at one o'clock they were drawing out of Denver, headed north, both a little hushed, a little excited and more than a little nervous.

It was very late that night when they reached Cheyenne. The last twenty miles Peter drove slowly, creeping along as one who dreaded the ultimate arrival and when no amount of slowing down could postpone the inevitable he was plainly on edge.

"It's going to be awkward as the devil," he said moodily.

"Not at all," said Rowena. "Just go right in and ask for two rooms on separate floors."

"You'd better come with me. It will look odd for me to go in alone and then come back for you."

Rowena got out. "J-just be offhand about it, Peter. Be casual."

"Yeh," he growled. "They're going to think it's very fishy."

Obviously. they did think so. Peter strolled up to the desk with with a conspicuous assumption of nonchalance, Rowena tagging nervously at his heels.

"Got a couple of rooms?" he asked the clerk.

"Yes, sir," said the clerk briskly.

"On—er separate floors, I suppose," said Peter hopefully.

"No—connecting," said the clerk.

"Er—well———" began Peter, weakening.

But Rowena nudged him.

"We'd rather have them—er—on different floors, if you don't mind," he stammered and his face grew red.

The clerk looked up at them strangely. The telephone girl came around from her desk in the corner and lounged within good hearing distance. A large man in slouchy clothes sauntered over from the cigar stand. Two men sitting near dropped their papers in their laps and one began to rub his glasses.

"Y-yes, please," chimed Rowena helpfully. "So—so we won't wake each other up mornings. We—sleep late.'

"Um, I see," said the clerk. "Traveling together?"

"Yes," said Peter firmly. "My wife and I are taking a motor trip up to Yellowstone."

"Will you register?"

"Peter Blande," wrote Peter firmly.

"Your—wife, too, please," said the clerk.

Peter hesitated. "Mrs.—Peter—" he wrote slowly.

Rowena leaned over. "I'd rather use my own name, Peter," she said. "For—professional reasons."

Peter crossed out what he had written and wrote "Miss." Then he scratched that out and wrote "Rowena Rostand." But it did not look just right to him so he carefully inserted "Mrs." over the scratched out 'Miss."

The clerk studied the name, the telephone girl looking over his shoulder as he did so. The large man in the slouchy clothes studied Peter.

"New York, eh?" said the clerk.

"Yes," said Peter.

"Yes, indeed," chimed Rowena.

"Motor out together?"

"Yes," said Peter and Rowena in well-timed chorus.

The clerk frowned over the room chart. "I'm afraid we're full up," he said slowly. "Not a thing left."

Peter leaned over the desk and his mild face looked quite grim and ugly. "You said you had two rooms," he said in a low voice.

"We did then," said the clerk evenly. "But just now"—he shook his head—"I'm afraid not."

The telephone girl snickered a little and one of the men sitting near by rustled his paper. Rowena flushed and caught a sharp breah, cowering slightly, but Peter suddenly showed surly and efficient.

"Oh, yes, you have," he said. "Two rooms, and we'll take them. We've got a marriage certificate, if that's what eating you!"

"Yeah?"

"Rowena, get the certificate!"

Rowena hurriedly took it out of the side pocket of her bag. The clerk read it slowly and handed it to the large man in the slouchy clothes who looked it over and nodded churlishly.

"Denver, eh?" inquired the clerk. "Today, eh?"

"Yes," said Peter.

"Some other people drove out with us," Rowena hastened to explain. "And they were unexpectedly called back to New York—and so—the rest of us—Peter and I—just got married."

"We've got a very nice suite on the second floor," suggested the clerk.

"All right," said Peter grimly.

"No," cried Rowena, faint but firm. "Separate floors."

The clerk grinned, not unsympathetically. "All right, all right," he said. "Don't be nervous, lady. We'll put him on the top floor.—Congratulations, Mr. Blande. She certainly a beauty. She'll get over that nervousness."

Peter muttered unspeakable things deep down in his throat, and the boy came in and took their bags and led them off to separate rooms on separate floors. A loud gust of laughter swept up the elevator shaft in their wake.

In the doorway of the room assigned her Rowena turned and held out an appealing hand.

"G-good night, Peter," she said sadly.

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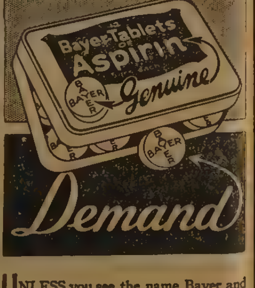

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HAVE THE GENTILE TIMES ENDED?

Editor, Chilton County News:

What is meant by the Gentile Times? The Gentile Times cover 2520 years. The record is found in Leviticus 26:18-28. The seven times mean seven years of 360 days each. In Ezekiel 4:6 we read: "I appoint thee each day for a year." In support of this we read in Numbers 14:34: "Each day for a year." The children of Israel were carried captive to Babylon in 606 B. C. Adding 606 to 1914 we get 2520 years. 1914 was the end of the Gentile Times. What happened in 1914 as proof of this? We find in Matthew 24:7: "For nation shall rise against nation and kingdom against kingdom; and there shall be famines and pestilences, and earthquakes, in divers places," and in verse 8 we find: "All these are the beginning of sorrows."

Have we seen these things coming to pass? Yes, nobody can deny it. We find further proof in St. Luke 21:24: "And they shall fall by the edge of the sword, and shall be led away captive into all nations: and Jerusalem shall be trodden down of the Gentiles, until the times of the Gentiles be fulfilled. "They" meaning the Jews, who are now returning to their homeland. This is supported by Jeremiah 30:3: "I will cause them to return to the land that I gave to their fathers, and they shall possess it."

Note what happened in the time of the war. In Revelation 11:3 we find: "And I will give power unto my two witnesses, and they shall prophecy a thousand two hundred and three-score days clothed in sack-cloth," meaning in attitude of mourning. This is three and one-half years, according to the events taking place at that time. 42 months of 30 days each, which is equivalent to three and one-half years solar time, beginning November 7, 1914 would end May 7, 1918. On May 7, 1918 all the officers of "The Watch Tower Bible and Tract Society" were arrested and their work stopped. On June 20 thereafter the officers of the society were sentenced to 80 years imprisonment. Symbolicly speaking the work of the society was killed. This is supported by Matthew 24:9: "Then shall they deliver you up to be afflicted, and shall kill you: and ye shall be hated of all nations for my name's sake." On March 26, 1919 the officers of the society were released, and on March 27, of that same year, efforts were begun to carry on the witness work. It was then that God took His organization into the wilderness. Members of the organization must be fed. In Revelation 12:6 we find: "And the woman fled into the wilderness, where she hath a place prepared of God, that they should feed her there a thousand two hundred and three-score days." This is three and one-half years: 1919-1922, when the organization, equipped, went forth to serve.

The woman in Revelation 12:1 represents God's organization. Note that the woman is clothed with God's light. The sun was her clothing, the moon her shoes, and the stars are about her head.

The great Dragon was cast out at the end of the world, where we now are. In Revelation 12:12 we find: "For the Devil is come down unto you, having great wrath, because he knoweth that he hath but a short time." In Revelation 11:18 we find: "And the nations were angry, and thy wrath is come," and in Matthew 24:21 we find: "For then shall be great tribulation," and in Matthew 24:22 we find: "And except those days should be shortened there should no flesh be saved: but for the elect's sake those days shall be shortened." God stopped the war.

In Matthew 24:14 we find: "And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations: and then shall the end come," meaning the Battle of Armogedeon.

Yours for the truth,
W. A. COKER,
Clanton, Ala., Route No. 6.

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A woman in Mamphis, Tenn., recently called on poliice to find her boy who she declared had stayed out all night, but the desk serbeant called off the search when he heard the "boy" was 20 years old.

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Mrs. Jimmie Taylor Hostess To Young Matrons Sewing Club.

The Young Matrons Sewing Club was delightfully entertained last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Jimmie Taylor. Those enjoying this afternoon of sewing were Mesdames Dewey Rockett, Horsley White, Grady Heflin, Loren Smith, Joe Higgins, Horace Jones and Spurgeon Calloway. Refreshments were served.

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Mrs. W. A. Willis and Mrs. G. O. Foshee spent Thursday in Montgomery.

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Elsie Busby returned to her home in Birmingham Friday. She was accompanied by Miss Helen Diefenderfer.

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Mr. C. R. Mullins was in Gadsden Sunday on account of the death of his father-in-law.

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Miss Erin Danforth of Birmingham visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Danforth.

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Miss Evelyn Atkinson Is Addition To Social Set.

Clanton's younger social set has recently received an addition in Miss Evelyn Atkinson, of Gadsden. Miss Atkinson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Atkinson. She recently came to Clanton where she is connected with the law office of Hon. J. B. Atkinson, her uncle, and is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson here.

During her stay in Gadsden. Miss Atkinson was listed as being one of the popular members of the social contingent there, as well as in Sylacauga, where she formerly lived, before her family moved to Gadsden. She has visited in Clanton quite often in the home of her uncle and aunt.

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Thursday Sewing Club Entertained At Home Of Mrs. Diefenderfer.

Mrs. John Browder, Mrs. L. E. Diefenderfer and Mrs. John Armstrong as hostesses entertained the Thursday Sewing Club with a Christmas affair last Thursday. Those enjoying this delightful occasion were Mesdames J. W. Moore, Napoleon Johnson, P. T. Hinkle, M. L. White, H. T. Pipes, John VanDerveer, Fenn Jones, and T. C. McSwain. A delicious salad plate was served.

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Dr. and Mrs. D. W. Haskew and son, Lawrence, and wife are visiting in Florida.

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Mr. Leroy Horn of Birmingham is visiting his aunt, Mrs. L. F. Gerald.

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Mrs. Annie Cole is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. L. Phillips, this week.

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Miss Margaret Brown left last week for Wetumpka.

Miss Celia Gerald And Lawrence Gerald, Jr., Entertain.

Miss Celia Gerald and Lawrence Gerald, Jr., entertained their friends with a dance Saturday night. Those enjoying this delightful evening were Mary Courtney Jones, Eloise Raspberry, Mary Lou Tiffin, Hilda Hart, Helen Moore, Pauline Plyler, Elizabeth McSwain, Dixie Johnson and Sarah Hollis. Joe Moore, Leroy Horn, Cecil Jones, Dan Smith, Wilson Maddox, William Pattilo, Alec Hayes, Morgan Reynolds and Wesley Danforth. A delightful time was had by all. Delicious refreshments were served.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mullins of Mobile visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Mullins, last week end.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Carter of Tarrant City, have been visiting relatives in Clanton during the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Carter were at one time residents of Clanton and it looked good to see them back for a visit.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mullins of Birmingham, and Miss Sophia Mullins of Chattanooga have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Wilson.

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Dr. and Mrs. Charles Murphy and daughter, Virginia, and son. Sam, of Aliceville, Ala., visited their daughter. Mrs. J. D. Mullins, last week end.

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John Deramus is on an extensive business trip in South Alabama.

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Scott Chestnutt of Jacksonville, Fla. visited his aunt, Miss French Evans, in Clanton last week end.

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Mrs. Clara Jackson has returned to Evergreen after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Mollie Mullins.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Mullins and family of Mobile visited Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Mullins last week end.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Curlee of Birmingham are visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Rockett.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott of Huntsville. Ala., are visiting Mrs. Scott's parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mullins.

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Mrs. L. E. Diefenderfer and Miss Ruth Prince motored to Birmingham Monday. Miss Helen Diefenderfer accompanied them back to Clanton.

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Mrs. Julius Reynolds, Mr. G. W. Stanfield and Mr. Wilmer Stanfield were in Clanton Sunday.

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Kenneth Danforth of Beaumont, Texas is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Danforth.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by mortgage of W. B. Morrow and wife, L. Morrow, to John T. Jones, dated January 21st, 1919, and recorded in Book 210 at page 314, in the office of the Judge of Probate of Chilton County, Alabama, and said default continuing, I, E. A. Fischer, as Administrator of the Estate of John T. Jones, deceased, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at public outcry in front of the court house in Clanton, Chilton County, Alabama, within the legal hours of sale, on

Monday, January 18th, 1932,

the following described property situated in Chilton County, Alabama, namely: The SW¼ of SE¼ and NE¼ of SW¼ of Section 31, Township 20, Range 11, containing 80 acres, more or less.

This sale is made for the purposes provided for in said mortgage.

E. A. FISCHER, As Administrator of the Estate of John T. Jones, deceased.
Pettus, Fuller & Lapsley, Attorneys.
12-17-3tc.

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ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE

State of Alabama, Chilton County.
In The Probate Court of Chilton County, Alabama.
In the Matter of the Estate of Mattie Headley, deceased.

This day came H. J. Headley, administrator of the estate of Mattie Headley, deceased, and filed his petition in writing under oath in this Court, for an order to sell certain lands belonging to said estate, described in said petition, for paying the debts due by said estate, upon the ground that the personal property of said estate is insufficient for the payment of the debts.

It is therefore ordered that the 9th day of January, 1932, be appointed a day for the hearing of said petition, when any persons interested may appear and contest the said application if they think proper.

L. H. REYNOLDS,
12-17-3tc Judge of Probate.

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"Why haven't you been to see me?" scribbled on a postcard sent to Robert Shay of Cincinnati set his wife to investigating, with the result that she got a divoece.

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Fairview News

The many friends of Mrs. G. M. Durbin will regret to learn of her illness. We hope she will soon be well again.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cox of Mobile were the guests of their parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Cox, from Saturday until Monday.

Miss Jewell Foshee came home Saturday after spending a month visiting her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Foshee, of Birmingham and Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Headley of Logan, Alabama.

Quite a number from here gave Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Henley a surprise party last Tuesday night. All reported a nice time.

Misses Gracie Culp and Lucile Williams spent Saturday night and Sunday with Inez McKee, and attended the party at Misses Mildred and Edna Durbins Saturday night.

Miss Lovadia Roper of Deatsville was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. and Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Cox Sunday night.

Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Cox. Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cox and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cox and children motored down to Deatsville Monday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Roper.

Miss Louise Cox dined with Willie Nell Owen Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Wagner spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Wagner of Union Grove Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Foshee and son, Junior, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Foshee.

Miss Edith Culp dined with Myrle Buzbee last Saturday.

Miss Myrle Buzbee spent the day with Edith Culp Friday.

Miss Lloyd Culp was the guest of Inez McKee Friday night.

The singing at Miss Lottie Henley's Saturday night was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Mr. Herbert Traywick dined with Cecil McKee Friday.

Misses Willie Nell Owen, Gracie Culp and Lucile Williams were the dinner guests of Inez McKee Sunday.

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John Semm of Chicago was fined $1,500 for making moonshine whisky instead of bread in his bakery.

Farmers May Have Clays Tested Free

Alabama farmers who have clays on their farms which they believe would make brick,tile, sewer pipe, china, porcelain, flower pots, etc., may have these clays tested free to determine their commercial value.

The tests will be made by the School of Chemistry, Metallurgy and Ceramics at the University of Alabama and the farmer submitting the sample will be furnished a report of the test without one cent of cost.

The Industrial Board and the University are making the survey in order to assist land owners of the state in locating industries to use their clays of commercial value also to assist industries in locating owners of useful clays.

Farmers desiring to have clays tested are advised to write a letter or card to the Alabama Industrial Development Board, 638 Brown-Marx Building, Birmingham, asking for a sack in which to mail the clay sample. The sack will be self-addressed and properly stamped, therefore the only cost to the farmer will be a postage stamp for mailing the letter requesting the sack.

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Dick Ledbetter, a storekeeper in Waco, Tex., paid his county taxes this year with 4,658 copper cents.

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1 Large Size Victor Talking Machine	$10.00
Rocking Chairs	$3.00 and up
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Clay Willingham Passes Suddenly

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 28.—Clay Willingham, 35, field agent for the tobacco tax division of the State Tax Commission, World War veteran, and only son of Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Willingham, of Florence, where Dr. Willingham heads the State Teachers' College, died at the Baptist Hospital in Birmingham early yesterday morning, following an illness of only four days.

Mr. Willingham and his wife left here last Thursday for Birmingham to spend the Christmas holidays with relatives. Christmas morning Mr. Willingham was stricken suddenly with an acute attack of influenza and was immediately removed to the hospital. Within a short time he developed double pneumonia, and his condition from then on grew rapidly worse, until his passing early yesterday.

At the capitol and in the city, where he was widely known and had many friends, the news of his death was received with expressions of genuine sorrow.

In addition to his father and mother, and his widow, Mr. Willingham, who resided at 27 Earl Place here, is survived by three sisters. Mrs. E. L. Deal, Montgomery; Mrs. Carl Tyree, Florence, and Miss Sarah Frances Willingham, also of Florence.

Mrs. Clay Willingham was before her marriage, Miss Louise Sheppard, daughter of Mrs. Lila Sheppard, of Verbena.

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YEAR

A new leaf on a new calender—and thoughts are turned to the new year. While 1931 brought hardship and trials, it also taught valuable lessons. Let us face 1932 with renewed humility and faith. To all our friends we wish a happy and prosperous new year.

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Big Picture Coming To Clanton Theatre Soon

(continued from front page)

life of an average American family.

"Her Unborn Child" is a talking picture which will rightfully take its place with the finest screen entertainments in motion picture history.

As a stage play it toured the length and breadth of the land, startling legitimate theatre audiences with its frankness, gripping them with its humanness and power, evoking enthusiastic praise from press, pulpit and public alike. Its run of almost one year at the Eltinge and 48th Street Theatres in New York testifies to the popularity of "Her Unborn Child" as a stage attraction.

And now, the powerfully dramatic and pitilessly revealing story of " a boy and a girl in love, forgetting everything else' 'is presented as a talking picture, with a cast of Broadway stage notables enacting in some instances, the roles they portrayed in the stage vehicle. The pungent, outspoken dialog, the thrilling unconventional situations, the smashing dramatic power and delightful comedy relief, the agonizing terror of a girl who loved, not wisely, but too well, the heart-stabbing picture of a mother faced with the terrible knowledge of her daughter's shame, the frenzied, desperate effort of a boy and a girl to avert the terrible consequences of unguarded love, and the satisfying, unexpected climax which turns tragedy into happiness—they all make of "Her Unborn Child" a talking picture which will linger long in your memory. You'll laugh—you'll cry—you'll love it!

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TWO DEATHS RECORDED AT CO. ALMSHOUSE RECENTLY

Two deaths occurred at the county almshouse during the past week, according to J. Mell Martin, funeral director and coroner. Miss Maggie Johns, age 70, died Wednesday of last week. Funeral services were held on the following day at New Salem.

Mrs. Polly Floyd, age 71, died at the farm last Sunday, with funeral services being held Monday at Chestnut Creek.

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Lost or loaned out, 1 terracing machine. Please return at once as I need it very badly.—J. P. Montgomery, Jemison, Ala. 12-31-1tc

"When a young woman comes home after a hard day at the office and finds that her husband hasn't dusted off the radio or washed the dishes it's mighty discouraging," said Mrs. Elizabeth Didier of Chicago, who asked for a divorce.

William Eba, a World War veteran living in Los Angeles, has been reported dead by the government so often he has retained a lawyer to prove he is alive.

News from Thorsby

Miss EDITH JOHNSON, Correspondent

Miss Jennie Robinson spent part of her holidays with Mrs. A. P. Villadsen in Tuscaloosa.

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Misses Doris Freeman, Kathryn Foss and Dera Rowell, who are attending Piedmont College, Demorest, Ga., are spending the holidays at their homes.

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Miss Dorothy Butler of Emory University, Atlanta, Ga., is spending her holidays at home, after returning from a trip to Cleveland, Ohio.

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Miss Margaret Butler of Birmingham spent Christmas with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Butler.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Peterson, Herbert, Jr., Emogene, and Miss Ruth Peterson of Birmingham spent Christmas with relatives in Thorsby.

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Mr. Sumner Gerald returned to Birmingham Monday.

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Mrs. H. V. Thompson of Birmingham spent Christmas in Thorsby.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Adams spent the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Lela Martin.

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Mr. Clyde Bass of Irondale, Ala., visited Mr. Slats Vincent during the holidays.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bean spent the week end in Thorsby with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mims.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Wright left Tuesday to visit her parents in Rome and Lyerly, Ga.

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Miss Bonnie Honeycutt of Atlanta, Ga., visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mims.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Norton and three children of Brunswick, Ga., and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Payne and Billy of Fairhope, Ala., spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Norton.

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Mrs. Frank Jenkins, Miss Helen Jenkins, Miss Onita Klingelhoefer and Miss Lois Leech returned from their trip to Florida Saturday night. They spent Sunday in Birmingham. In Florida they saw Miss Lockwood and Mrs. Post.

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Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Leslie were the gusts of Mr. and Mrs, E. R. Piper Saturday night.

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Mr. Arnold Soberg of Birmingham spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Soberg.

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Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morgan and children spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Soberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Mort Davidson of Chicago spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Amundson.

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Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Sutlive and Mrs. Janie Sutlive returned from a visit in Blakeley, Ga., Saturday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rascoe Maddox returned from their honeymoon, Christmas Eve.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Petersen of Birmingham spent Saturday in Thorsby with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Peterson. Jack Peterson returned with them to Birmingham to spend a few days.

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The A. T. Clark Bible Class was entertained by Miss Fairbank Monday night. The entertainment was in the nature of an art class in which the members learned to make several artistic articles.

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Mr. Clyde King visited the Sutlives en route to Florida. In Florida he went to Jacksonville, St. Augustine, Daytona Beach, Orlando, Palm Beach, Miama, Ft. Myers, Tampa, Ocala, Lake City and Pensacola. Returning by way of Andalusia, Greenville, Pigeon Creek and Montgomery. He visited several homes of the Thorsby Institute students. He returned Sunday night, after a trip of two thousand miles.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Townsend and Mr. Keith spent Sunday in Thorsby.

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Mr. C. M. Williams is home for the holidays.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Thomason visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Williams, Monday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Colley, Mable, Samuel and Carl Colley and Charles Taylor of Prattville, and Mr. Clyde and Lawrence Colley of Decatur spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Gray.

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Saturday night Mrs. R. R. Franklin entertained with dinner and bridge the following: Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horton, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. V. Wyatt, Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway, Mr. Jimmy Lecroy and Miss Ethel Wise.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray spent Christmas in Prattville.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Franklin.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Franklin and Peggie Mims, Mr. and Mrs. Mims and Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon Calloway had dinner with Mrs. Robinson at Jemison Christmas Eve. They had a Christmas tree gathering.

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Mrs. Conrad Carlson and son, Verner, returned from Chicago Wednesday.

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Rev. K. J. Peel had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelson and family.

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Mrs. Karl Ekblad, Ragner, Astrid and Carl motored to Birmingham Saturady.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hanson, Mrs. J. O. Johnson and daughters, Esther and Edith, and Haber Hanson motored to Birmingham Saturday.

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Mr. Haber Hanson of Dallas, Texas spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Turnquist of Richmond, Va., and Mrs. Sam Thorsen of Waseca, Minn., spent the holidays with relatives in Thorsby.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson and daughters, Dorothy and Norma, Mrs. J. F. Peterson and daughter, Ruth, of Birmingham motored down to spend Christmas with relatives.

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Miss Naemi Turnquist and Kitty Rogers of Selma returned Sunday, after spending Christmas with relatives and friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Maddox and Mr. Doyle Collins visited Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Bean Sunday and Monday.

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Miss Claudie Eiland of Clanton spent Thursday night with Miss Frances Wilson.

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Mr. William Blood and Mr. Nat Bentley motored to Birmingham Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Laurell, Mr. and Mrs. George Laurell and little girl, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moore and children, Mrs. W. F. Love, Mr. and Mrs. Crowell Whaley, Mrs. Saunders and children and Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Laurell were guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. Laurell Christmas Day. This was the first time that the entire family had been together since before the war.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Harper spent Friday and Friday night with children in Birmingham.

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Miss Hattie Davenport spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Davenport.

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Mrs. E. R. Piper's Sunday School Class had a Christmas tree at the home of Mrs. R. R. Franklin Tuesday night. Everyone present had a good time.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Veazey and her brother, Jack Sims, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sims, at the home of Mrs. Sam English.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Reinhardt and family spent Saturday and Sunday with friends and relatives in Wilsonville.

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Mr. Tom Kemp and Dick Kemp of Clanton and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Merchant and family of Centerville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Merchant.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Billingsley and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Davenport spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Billingsley at Shiloh. They helped to enjoy a large wedding dinner.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mead and daughter, Helen, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hall Christmas Day.

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Mr. and Mrs. Coy Gibbons have moved into one of Mrs. Anna Villadsen's houses, which they will occupy together with Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Hall.

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Rev. and Mrs. H. S. Higdon have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Franklin. They are now in Jay, Fla., but will return to Thorsby for another visit before going back to Tampa, Fla.

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Miss Anna Werness of Birmingham spent Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Martha Grothe.

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Miss Linnie Bell Reinhardt spent last week in Columbiana and Wilsonville visiting relatives and friends.

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Miss Mary Florence Lyon of Columbiana spent Saturday with Miss Linnie Bell Reinhardt.

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Mr. Hubert Reinhardt returned from Greensboro, Ga., where he has been working.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Pearson and little daughters visited her brother, Mr. C. C. Horton, and family.

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Mrs. Anna Phalin and son of Tuscaloosa are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard.

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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth O'Barr of Birmingham are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howard.

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Mrs. A. P. Villadsen of Tuscaloosa will arrive Saturday to spend several days with her mother, Mrs. T. W. Robinson.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Blood entertained a group of young people Christmas Eve and Christmas night.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Robinson and Charles are in Mississippi on a fishing trip.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bentley and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Robinson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robinson Christmas Day.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson and daughters, Esther and Edith, and Mr. Haber Hanson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hanson Christmas Eve.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hanson and Mr. Haber Hanson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson and family Christmas Day.

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Miss Lena Barrette Williams entertained a number of young people Saturday night.

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Several young people were guests of Miss Jane Billingsley Monday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Berry and children of Deatsville are spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Higgins.

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Miss Lorena Primm left Saturday for Winter Haven, Fla.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Howard entertained relatives from Jemison and Montevallo on Sunday.

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The Foss, Bosworth, Reagan, Peterson, Turnquist families and Mrs. Sam Thorsen were together at the Fosses Christmas Eve and at the Bosworths Christmas Day.

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Mrs. Carl Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Turnquist, Mrs. A. E. Reagan, Mrs. James Bosworth, and Mrs. Sam Thorsen motored to Selma Tuesday afternoon.

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Miss Eleanor Rowell of Birmingham is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rowell.

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Mrs. D. H. Gentry and Miss Louise Bates spent the holidays in Birmingham with Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Gentry.

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After maintaining two wives within five blocks on the same street for a year Jacques Bartisan of Chicago was arrested for bigamy.

TWO AVIATORS DIE IN CRASH NEAR BILLINGSLEY, ALABAMA

Two aviators from Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Lieut. Bruce Tyndall, and Pvt. W. C. Newborn, were killed when their plane crashed near Billingsley, Wednesday of last week.

It was stated that the men were flying to Memphis, Tenn., from Maxwell Field. Newborn's home is in Memphis and he was going there to spend Christmas, while Tyndall was to return to Montgomery, bringing another officer with him.

Just why the crash was caused was not known, it was stated, but officials of Maxwell Field state they believe it due to the fog and bumpy weather, the aviators were flying low, and possibly had motor trouble. At the scene of the crash, the plane apparently started dropping several yards before striking the ground near the home of R. Lee Ousley, farmer near Billingsley.

Several in that vicinity state they saw the plane going down, and as soon as it crashed they were on the scene. An ambulance from Martin & Sons, Clanton, was summoned, and the bodies of the men brought to Clanton, and later turned over to the government officials at Maxwell Field. Apparently the aviators were killed instantly.

Officers For Election To Be Held On January 5th, 193

(continued from front page)

Robinson, J. J. Johnson, W. D. Spigner; clerks, Mrs. Ella M. Gerald, Mr Lennie Gillespie; returning officer, H. Gillespie.

Beat 4, Box 2—Managers, Har Collins, W. A. Littlejohn, Claren Smith; clerks, Miss Carrie Foshee, M Clara B. Curry; returning officer, H. Hayes.

Beat 4, Box 3—Managers, Zack Lo ery, J. F. Armstrong, Jim Lockha clerks, J. L. Scroggins, Marshall Baker; returning officer, D. W. War

Beat 4, Box 4—Managers, T. E. Ke ly, J. M. Johnson, F. M. Guy; cler Mrs. Alsie Parrish, Miss Lena Down returning officer, Sam Johnson.

Beat 5, Box 1—Managers, W. Jones, F. M. Dubose, A. L. Robinson clerks, Ed D. Plott, Dewey Hughes; re turning officer, Payton Jones.

Beat 5, Box 2—Managers, Lewis De nis, J. W. Howard, L. C. Hawes; clerk Herbert Freeman, Charley Cooper; re turning officer, J. A. Raines.

Beat 6, Box 1—Managers, R. F. A kinson, T. J. Deason, J. I. Bice; cler L. C. Keen, T. W. Billingsley; retur ing officer, C. D. Foshee.

Beat 6, Box 2—Managers, W. Keel, C. W. Gray, C. B. Huett; clerk S. D. Deloach, Lee Boockholdt; r turning officer, W. W. Stroud.

Beat 7, Box 1—Manager, B. Glasscock, P. C. Pulliam, J. O. Mi clerks, J. C. Atchison, Dock Denn returning officer, Rube Bearden.

Beat 7, Box 2—Managers, C. T. Wa ker, C. J. Littlejohn, Moody McC clerks, Fred Oden, Sam Shoults; r turning officer, Ben McAfee.

Beat 8—Managers, Pleas Lenoir, E. Dunsmore, Archie Giles; clerks, Mattie Woolley, Mrs. L. C. Miller; turning officer, Charlie Mitchell.

Beat 9, Box 1—Managers, Wood Littleton, E. C. Cox, H. E. Robins clerks, J. W. Smith, Lee A. Gore; turning officer, Fred Howard.

Beat 9, Box 2—Managers, W Lowery, Robert Scott, Meadie Drive clerks, Mrs. Charlie Howard, Mrs. A ice Merchant; returning officer, Bi Parrish.

Beat 10—Managers, R. J. Down L. Lansford, M. A. Pinson; clerks, Driver, L. L. Courtney; returning o ficer, O. L. Devaughn.

Beat 11—Managers, D. C. Giles, W J. Gentry, Charley Williamson; clerk Joe Littleton, John Robinson; retur ing officer, John S. Dennis.

Beat 12, Box 1—Managers, Smith, Henry Dobbs, P. G. Robinson clerks, F. H. Vinzant, R. S. Chandler returning officer, M. Gore.

Beat 12, Box 2—Managers, J. Dorminey, G. W. Benson, R. T. Ro son; clerks, J. A. Cofer, Ed Y. Conway returning officer, P. M. Martin.

Beat 13—Managers, J. W. Busby, E. Glasscock, Sam Curry, Jr.; cler J. F. Lowery, W. G. Shaw; return officer, Cecil B. Martin.

Beat 14—Managers, L. G. Posey. C. Childress, B. F. Rasberry; clerks, J. Jones, J. M. Nix; returning offic H. H. Armstrong.

Beat 15, Box 1—Managers, Cr Williams, William Headley, Arth Crane; clerks, J. L. Abbott, J. F. An erson; returning officer, W. J. Moat

Beat 15, Box 2—Managers, W. Cooper, J. M. Williams, W. W. W liams; clerks, A. B. Culp, S. L. Broa head; returning officer, Grady W liams.

Beat 16—Managers, J. L. Easterl J. M. Parrish, Mose Robinson; cler J. W. Clackler, M. J. Parrish; retur ing officer, C. H. Robinson.

We, the undersigned, L. H. Reynol Judge of Probate, J. Z. Mims, Clerk the Circuit Court, and W. H. Gillesp Sheriff, of Chilton County, Alabam hereby certify that the foregoing we duly appointed as officers to serve an election to be held in Chilton Coun on Tuesday, January 5, 1932.

This, the 21st day of December, 1
L. H. REYNOLDS, Judge of Probat
J. Z. MIMS, Clerk Circuit Cou
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Saturday night, December 26, bl and tan female Fice dog. Holds ea erect. Answers to name of "Bitsy Reward. — James Gillespie, Clanto Alabama. 12-31-1t

Jim Jones and Eunice Lee of N tos, Va., walked 30 miles over t mountains to Whitesburg to get ma ried because the girl's father objecte

We Cordially
Invite
Mr. and Mrs. M. Lande
To Dine With Us
As Our Guests.
Sunday, January 3, 1932

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